

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 30/06/2026 6:36 PM from Mrs Esther Hardie.

Application Summary

Address:	Land South East Corner Of Amberley Drive Marine Drive Worthing West Sussex
Proposal:	Commercial use of regenerated land, including use as a community green space for recreational and leisure use. Retention of land for biodiversity use. Bore hole for extraction of natural water. Use of land to produce natural green energy, for example solar. Provision of vehicle parking use (including overnight camping use for kite surfers and sea swimmers), 2 x 6m flag poles, provision of food and drink from temporary structures, mobile toilets, shower and baby changing facilities. Two recessed shipping containers for site storage and use. Tree shaded sandpit and tumble-down mound for young children and toddlers to use. Animals to use for entertainment purposes, for example Shetland ponies. A decorative flowerpot boat at site entrance. Bin storage use. A wheeled advertising trailer, measuring approx. 5 metres by 2.5 metres located within the site boundary to promote Worthing, local events and tourism.
Case Officer:	Gary Peck

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Customer Details

Name:	Mrs Esther Hardie
Email:	
Address:	27 Twitten Way Worthing West Sussex

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	- Overdevelopment
Comments:	I object to the request to change the use of this land into Commercial for recreational and leisure use. It is a 'gap', a green space, a lung in an ever built upon country. It should be retained as is for biodiversity use. I object to the request for a bore hole and all the building and equipment this would entail which would impact the aforementioned

biodiversity. Whilst I applaud the idea of creating natural green energy, for example solar, these should not be 'on land', but are better served on the top of buildings and car parks. The provision of any parking and/or camping area would drastically change the use of land and give an indication to all that such use is acceptable in the other green areas in this locale. There is no need for any flagpoles in this area. It does not need any signage. It is, all said and done, a 'gap'. There is no need or requirement for food merchants, other than the current licensed, mobile, ice cream vendors. There is a toilet block close by so there is no need for mobile toilets, shower and baby changing facilities. Without all of these, with the land as a green gap, there is no need, nor requirement, for shipping containers for site storage and use. As there is a beach close by there is no need for a sand pit and parents bring their own shade, food etc. As the greater trend these days has grown away from animals being used for entertainment purposes this is a desperate idea. Nor is a flowerpot boat required anywhere at the site. With site being biodiverse land it does not require bin storage. As to advertising, trailer or anything of any dimension, fixed or moving it is not required. Worthing council do quite well with websites and other methods to announce the multitude of events in our area. It is a green gap.

Kind regards