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Comments for Planning Application AWDM/0737/26

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11 July 2026 at 11:44

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 11/07/2026 11:44 AM from Mr Tony Mellors.

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:	Mr Tony Mellors
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Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application

Reasons for comment:

Comments:

Development on the goring Gap will destroy its beauty and the sense of well being that is given every time one passes by. There is nowhere else left in the Worthing area that gives relief to the sense of over development that has run rife elsewhere. Once the Gap is destroyed (for one mans financial gain) it can never be restored. What has happened there for the last few months (it looks like a dumping ground and scrap yard) MUST be reversed.

The land is not 'regenerated'. It is agricultural land. To suggest that the greedy property developer has some how saved this piece of land is the is the sort of twaddle that Trump would come out with.

The proposed use is not compatible with the surrounding residential areas. It is likely to attract party goers, drunks and drug users. With this will come disruptive behaviour and crime. The Police have enough trouble controlling Worthing town centre on

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Friday/Saturday nights. They (and 99% of Worthing public) do not want a 2nd area of misbehaviour.

What is there now is an eyesore. It will be worse if the application is approved.

This application is nothing more than the pursuit of profit at the expense of destroying natural beauty. It must be refused.

Kind regards