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Sent: 28 February 2026 21:45:43 UTC+00:00
To: "Planning" <planning@horsham.gov.uk>
Subject: Comments for Planning Application DC/25/1834
Categories: Comments Received

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 28/02/2026 9:45 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	Rowan Two Mile Ash Horsham West Sussex RH13 0LA
Proposal:	Retention of children's play equipment and zipwire platform and extension of residential curtilage. (Retrospective).
Case Officer:	Steve Astles

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Customer Details

Address:	27 Fenhurst Close Horsham
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Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	- Other
Comments:	<p>I am writing as a local resident after seeing this application mentioned in the newspaper. I would like to express my support for the children's play area in the rear garden.</p> <p>The space in question has clearly been used as a normal back garden for many years - for playing sports, planting, picnics and general family use - and the current setup is entirely in keeping with that long-established use.</p> <p>The play equipment itself is well made, safely installed, and positioned so that it is screened from neighbouring properties. From what I have seen, it does not create any overlooking or</p>

privacy issues. Noise is minimal and no different from the ordinary sounds of children playing outdoors, which is part of everyday family life in any residential area.

It is also worth recognising the positive impact this has on children's wellbeing. Having a safe outdoor space encourages them to be active, social and away from screens - something most communities would view as a benefit rather than a problem.

Overall, the play area is a safe, appropriate and reasonable use of a private garden, and I see no grounds on which it would cause any material harm to neighbours or the wider area. I therefore support the application.

Kind regards

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