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**To:** "Planning" <planning@horsham.gov.uk>  
**Subject:** Comments for Planning Application DC/25/0629  
**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 14/05/2025 11:20 PM.

### Application Summary

Address:	Former Novartis Site Parsonage Road Horsham West Sussex RH12 5AA
Proposal:	Residential development comprising approximately 206 dwellings, including the conversion of 'Building 3' and demolition of 'Building 36'. Vehicular access taken from Wimblehurst Road. Car and cycle parking, landscaping and open space and associated works. The replacement of the existing cedar trees at the site.
Case Officer:	Jason Hawkes

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### Customer Details

Address: 4 Acorn Avenue Cowfold

### Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	- Trees and Landscaping
Comments:	Whilst I welcome the redevelopment of this site, in principle, surely it must be possible to do so without destroying the 9 beautiful Cedar trees. This part of the proposal is truly shocking. The proposal states that they will be replaced. With what? Whatever it is can only be a sad imitation of what we have now. When will we learn to value the beautiful natural assets of our area and ensure

that we work around and with them instead of destroying them because it's the easiest cheapest option?  
I understand that they are currently subject to TPOs. Do these count for nothing? It certainly appears so. Shameful!

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Kind regards

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