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Sent: 17 March 2026 06:52:17 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 17/03/2026 6:52 AM.

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:	12 Firs 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:	- Design
Comments:	I am writing to express my full support for this application. The rear garden has consistently been used and maintained as a private garden. It has been regularly mowed and cared for, providing a well-kept and welcoming outdoor space. I have visited on several occasions and have seen the garden used appropriately for family activities, including children playing sports and adults using garden furniture to sit and enjoy the surroundings. It is clearly a valued and responsibly managed space for recreation and family life.

The addition of the play area and zip wire is a positive enhancement to the garden. Access to safe outdoor play facilities is an important aspect of a child's development and wellbeing. The structures have been constructed to a high standard, thoughtfully positioned, and appropriately screened. They are located away from neighbouring boundaries, ensuring minimal visual and practical impact on surrounding properties. In terms of noise, the level generated is consistent with normal domestic garden use, particularly that associated with children playing.

There appears to be no reasonable planning basis for refusing this application. The play equipment has been carefully designed and installed with consideration given to scale, siting, and neighbouring amenity. It is situated within the applicants' own garden, which has long been used for domestic enjoyment, and the family should be entitled to make reasonable use of their land in this way. Similar play equipment is commonplace in residential gardens across the country, and this installation is neither unusual nor excessive in comparison.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that the application be approved.

Kind regards

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