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Sent: 25 September 2026 06:43:12 UTC+01:00
To: "Planning" <planning@horsham.gov.uk>
Subject: Comments for Planning Application DC/26/1205
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 25/09/2026 6:43 AM.

Application Summary

Address:	The Sports Pavilion Church Lane Ashington West Sussex RH20 3JY
Proposal:	Change of Use of the site to create a small-scale wellness retreat, to provide sauna, cold water therapy and relaxation facilities. Erection of a timber-framed reception/office, changing rooms, a mobile sauna, outdoor showers, two cold plunge pools, timber decking, a timber pergola and associated landscaping.
Case Officer:	Sam Nye

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Customer Details

Address: 26 Rectory close Ashington

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Customer made comments in support of the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	I compete in strongman, and sauna and cold water therapy form a regular part of my recovery. At present, this requires travelling outside the village. A facility of this kind on Church Lane would be of real benefit, both to me and to other residents who wish to

invest in their health and wellbeing locally.

The proposal appears well considered. It is modest in scale, uses timber construction appropriate to the rural setting, and makes sensible use of the pavilion site. The proposed use is also consistent with the site's existing role in supporting sport and physical activity.

The village has limited facilities beyond the essentials. A small local business of this nature would add genuine value to the community, create local employment and attract visitors who may support other local businesses.

I would respectfully ask the council to approve this application

Kind regards

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