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Subject: Comments for Planning Application DC/26/0927
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Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Comments were submitted at 27/07/2026 12:01 PM.

Application Summary

Address:	Lock House Lock Partridge Green West Sussex RH13 8EG
Proposal:	Erection of a car port, leisure suite and padel court. Conversion of the tank room into a holiday let. (Full Application).
Case Officer:	Daniel Holmes

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Customer Details

Address:	Grants Farmhouse Lock Horsham
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Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	- Design - Privacy Light and Noise
Comments:	I have two main objections to this planning application (which embraces three disparate and seemingly unconnected developments sliding through as ostensibly one whole.) 1. Padel courts are notoriously noisy. Although 'boxed in', there is no roof and the walls are an unfortunate combination of glass and wire mesh. The former creates the spikes in noise, the latter releases it to surrounding houses. Padel courts are known to generate repetitive spikes of sound reaching 90dB - the equivalent

of short sharp spikes of lawn mowing. This is magnified when near buildings (as is this) when the sharp, percussive noise echos off brick walls. The level of noise itself is reason to object, but the intermittent nature of the sound, its unpredictability and irregularity are doubly disturbing.

2. The court is an ugly, square glass box. Surely not appropriate within the curtilage of a listed house, particularly so close to the building.

If also lit - as is the tennis court nearby - the nuisance value will multiply enormously during winter months.

One would add that this is yet another application for building at Lock House. Holiday lets, various 'add on' extensions and now a 'Leisure Suite' all diminish an hitherto cherished, classic art deco building.

Kind regards

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