

## **Statement of Community Involvement (SCI)**

The site was the subject of a previous planning application for the mixed use redevelopment of the site.

Those proposals were discussed with Council officers prior to the submission of that application. Ward Councillors were also consulted about the proposals in November 2015, prior to submission.

A public exhibition of those proposals was held on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2015 and around 800 leaflets distributed to locally. A total of 31 people attended the public exhibition between 1600 and 2000.

The Kew Society were also directly consulted on the proposed scheme and a meeting held with them.

Changes were made to the proposed scheme following the exhibition and before the application was made.

The Council consulted local residents as part of the application process.

Residents and Councillors were able to attend and speak at the Planning committee meeting.

Following from the refusal of planning permission by the Council the scheme has been amended through changes to the external appearance of the proposal. Given the extensive consultation previously, the views expressed by local residents through the application consultation period and the proposed change to the scheme no further consultation has been undertaken.

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