

Comment on a planning application

Application Details

Application: 18/2977/FUL

Address: Marble Hill HouseMarble Hill ParkRichmond RoadTwickenhamTW1 2NL

Proposal: 1. Marble Hill House: External decoration and repair work (if a window is substantially rotten, partial or full replacement of joinery) and replacement rooflight. 2. Stable Block: External alterations, installation of mechanical plant, timber plant enclosure to the rear and front landscaping (creating an outdoor seating area) to facilitate the refurbishment of the existing café.3. Service Yard: new pedestrian access and associated refuse storage facilities.4. Landscaping: new soft and hard landscaping including restoration of gardens, upgrade of sports pitches and facilities, replacement of seating and new play areas.5. Sports Centre: External ramp for improved access.

Comments Made By

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Comments

Type of comment: Support the proposal

Comment: As a very close neighbour of Marble Hill (and regular user of the Park and visitor to the House), I strongly support this application. The House itself is important historically and is in desperate need of investment. The Heritage Lottery Fund grant provides a wonderful opportunity to preserve the House and prevent its likely closure. The proposals will also provide improved sports facilities and enhance the park in a number of ways. English Heritage have made significant changes to their earlier application to meet the concerns of local people eg in relation to the scale of the cafe and I believe the application should be approved.