

Comment on a planning application

Application Details

Application: 22/0902/FUL

Address: The Stag Brewery Lower Richmond Road Mortlake London SW14 7ET

Proposal: Erection of a three-storey building to provide a new secondary school with sixth form; sports pitch with floodlighting, external MUGA and play space; and associated external works including landscaping, car and cycle parking, new access routes and other associated works

Comments Made By

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Comments

Type of comment: Object to the proposal

Comment: The location is unsuitable for a large secondary school including 6th form given it is in a narrow strip between the river and railway and will worsen the severe traffic congestion that already exists in the area particularly while Hammersmith Bridge remains closed to traffic. It will impact on the train station which is busy during commuting times and facing a reduction in service. It will also impact on the Green which is already being fully used by the local primary school. I question the need for such a school in the borough when the Twickenham school and 6th form college were only recently redeveloped and could be further extended to meet any demand. Given the closeness of the Mortlake site to Chiswick, Roehampton and Putney will such a school just admit numbers of pupils from Hounslow and Wandsworth Boroughs who could well find their own development sites within these boroughs to cater for any demand they have.