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## **The Planning Inspectorate**

## COMMENTS ON CASE (Online Version)

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## Appeal Reference: APP/A1720/C/23/3336046

DETAILS OF THE CASE	
Appeal Reference	APP/A1720/C/23/3336046
Appeal By	TITCHFIELD FESTIVAL THEATRE LIMITED
Site Address	Titchfield Festival Theatre 71-73 St. Margarets Lane FAREHAM PO14 4BG
SENDER DETAILS	
Name	
Address	
ABOUT YOUR COMMENTS	
In what capacity do you wish to make representations on this case?  □ Appellant □ Agent ☑ Interested Party / Person □ Land Owner □ Rule 6 (6)	
What kind of representation are you making?	
<ul> <li>□ Final Comments</li> <li>□ Proof of Evidence</li> <li>□ Statement</li> <li>□ Statement of Common Ground</li> <li>☑ Interested Party/Person Correspondence</li> <li>□ Other</li> </ul>	
✓ Interested Party/Person Correspondence	

## YOUR COMMENTS ON THE CASE

Titchfield Festival Theatre is an essential element of the community. It brings education and activity to young people, art and music to the whole community, and social activities for all. The theatre has many volunteers who find company, training, support and a sense of belonging that is not to be found elsewhere.

TFT have worked so hard to build fantastic arts spaces with no external funding. They strive to find solutions to issues such as parking. They have built a wonderful theatre that can be used and shared and have taken lots of legal and planning advice.

Please support this theatre. It brings so much joy. It won't compete with Fareham Live as it is a completely different amateur theatre offering.

Personally this theatre provided a safe space and support for me following a very difficult personal time. As a struggling single mum I was very lonely and depressed. There was no help or support for me anywhere. But TFT welcomed me as a volunteer and I found a place full of kind people in which I could recover and thrive.