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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?	
☐ Final Comments	
☐ Proof of Evidence	
□ Statement	
☐ Statement of Common Ground	
☑ Interested Party/Person Correspondence □ Other	

## YOUR COMMENTS ON THE CASE

The Arden is a beautiful theatre that will serve the local community for many years to come if allowed to remain and flourish. It provides a place for all ages from tots to the much older generation to mix, grow and learn from each other and experience the arts in all its forms from performing to backstage to front of house support. For myself personally it has been a safe haven, a place of support and peace and happiness. Many of the mental health groups for adults and children that use to offer support are gone, the council funds very little to support children and adults so to take away a place that offers such great support at no cost to the council would to me prove that the council does not care about its constituents. It is an amateur theatre and as such no threat to the new theatre the council are wasting millions on that could have been much better spent on direct support for the people that really need it.