Comment for planning application WSCC/030/21

Application number	WSCC/030/21	
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Type of Comment	Objection	
Comments	This ia an Appendix to the submission already made by the Parishes Wildlife Group submitted on August 30th via Chris Bartlett as the planning portal stated it was not taking any submissions at 10.45 am and yet the deadline was cited as August 30th without specifying a time limit. CDC staff were able to respond to my request for a Green Infrastructure map for the Parish of Loxwood when they returned to their desks in view of the pandemic and I received this toayd Its ommission and the fact that I had been promised it are referered to in the evidence presented in the PWG objection. What the map demonstrates is the connectivity of the Pallinghurst woods site, the adjacent Ancient Woodland and the existence of bat habitat. The ecological report presented as part of the application by Protreat referred to Barbastelle Bat but not to its status as a European Protected Species which requires an HRA which was not presented. These are rare bats and subject to the highest protection. These bats do not tolerate artificial light, disturbance or interfence with the habitat they use for foraging, commuting and living.	
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Attachments The following files have been uploaded: <u>CDC GI map.pdf</u>