

Comment for planning application 19/02888/F

Application Number	19/02888/F
Location	Kirtlington Post Office Stores 1 Troy Lane Kirtlington OX5 3HA
Proposal	Change of Use of Shop to Residential, alternations to front window and two new roof lights.
Case Officer	Shona King
Organisation Name	John Strange
Address	Village House,2 Pound Close,Kirtlington,Kidlington,OX5 3JR
Type of Comment	Support
Type	neighbour
Comments	<p>My wife and I have lived in Kirtlington for 26 years and been regular customers of the local shop. Although it is extremely sad and unfortunate to be losing the village shop, I wish to support the application in view of the following: for a large part of 2019 Rachel's husband Amier was hospitalised following a serious operation and, subsequently he can no longer play any acive role in running the shop. His wife (Rachel) has to support not only him but also their 3 children and try to run the shop. In addition, in Bletchingdon a Co-op local shop has opened and I can well understand that this has had a severe adverse affect on the regular income of the village shop. Obviously this makes the shop very difficult (if not impossible) to sell as a going concern. Rachel and Amier have supported the village both through the shop and in other ways, over 17 years and, thus I have no hesitation in supporting their application so that they may remain in the village etc.</p>
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