



Planning objection

Submitted by: 22A Main Street OX15 5BP Sibford Gower.

Application: 21/00559/F

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The objection to the car parking proposal part of this planning application is made on the grounds of:

1. Safety

Expanding the current parking area in the way proposed is clearly dangerous. Cars will be reversing in and out onto what is a busy road for farm and other vehicles (Turning is not possible in the plan). It is not uncommon for vehicles to travel through the village in this stretch of the road breaking the 30mph speed limit.

There is also a danger for pedestrians (Adults and children). There is no footpath along this part of the road and members of the public walk to the pub and beyond. Cars reversing out of the proposed car parking will be a real danger.

There are also horse riders using this road.

2. Consistency

Car parking was not given to the refurbishment of the old Methodist Chapel. The Chapel is almost alongside the parking area featured in this planning application. Planning needs to be consistent and fair.

3. Environmental

Planners should be encouraging less cars and not more on our roads. Priority should be given to public transport and car sharing.