Comment for planning application 19/01148/F

Application Number 19/01148/F

Location

North Arms Inn Mills Lane Wroxton Banbury OX15 6PY

Proposal

Refurbishment and repair of North Arms with Change of Use and conversion of stables into private dining facility and ancillary facilities with new smoking shelter and underground LPG tank

James Kirkham

Organisation

Case Officer

Name

Perry J Buckley

Address

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Type of Comment

Type

neighbour

No Objection

Comments

I support this planning without reservation. The North Arms has a long history of being a central asset of the village. It has been painfully missed. The plans clearly demonstrate they intend to retain all the history and period features while giving the building a thoughtful and long needed, and respectful, modernization. I would also like to make what I think is a salient point: Farleigh-Dickenson University has been an exemplary caretaker of Wroxton Abbey / College for over 55 years. They have restored, refurbished, and maintained the Abbey and 56 acres of grounds to a National Trust level. Thus, their proven six decade record of being a good neighbour to the village, and protector of the history of Wroxton Abbey has clearly demonstrated their ability to do this well. Finally, as the North Arms will be owned by the college it assures the North Arms will remain a village pub for a very long time.

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