

About the application

Application number: 2018/93591	
What is the application for?:	Erection of cafe/restaurant with bedrooms, interpretation facilities, car parkin
Address of the site or building:	Victoria Tower, Lumb Lane, Castle Hill, Almondbury, Huddersfield, HD4 6TA
Postcode:	

User comments

Type of comment: An objection
The applicants having previously ignored the Planning Committee's approved plans for the development of a new building to replace the old Hotel and public House were instructed to demolish the offending half built structure thus returning the site to designated Green Belt. For this reason alone the erection of such a large commercial building should not be allowed. The sheer size will damage the existing views enjoyed by so many people from around the surrounding countryside. As a frequent user of Castle Hill(mainly on foot with my dogs).the planned increase in traffic caused by the proposed development will be quite dangerous as not every visitor can cope with the steep steps to the summit and prefer to use the narrow but less steep route to the top of the hill. The suggestion that a three way traffic light system would overcome the problems created by increased visitors to the new restaurant and hotel is quite laughable In fact it is more likely to magnify problems of traffic congestion in Lumb Lane.,Castle Hill Side and Ashes Lane. There are many other objections:- Reduced car parking for those who drive to the summit Light pollution at night. Increased rubbish on the site and surrounding area . Damage to the wild life from increased exhaust fumes ,air conditioning and extractor fans from the proposed building and its visitors. etc etc. The application should be rejected . .