

About the application

Application number: 2019/91239	
What is the application for?:	Demolition of existing public house and erection of four dwellings
Address of the site or building:	The Shears, 201, Halifax Road, Hightown, Liversedge, WF15 6NR
Postcode:	WF156NR

User comments

Type of comment: An objection
<p>I am horrified to learn of the proposed intention to demolish The Shears Inn; merely to build 4 modern houses, which could so easily be done elsewhere!...'The Shears' is a building of huge historical interest & importance; both locally (& nationally), to anyone with an interest in 'The Luddites' & our industrial heritage!...Demolition is unthinkable! ...Once gone, it 's forever & can never be replaced!...Leaving Liversedge & The Spen Valley diminished by its loss!</p> <p>Surely a more sympathetic solution could be found, ie, such as conversion to a restaurant perhaps,... 2 flats, or even a single dwelling, but in all cases retaining the exterior of the building.</p> <p>I truly hope the planning committee will think very carefully when reaching their decision in this matter & hopefully, not allow this valuable piece of our history to disappear for ever!</p>