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Hi, I write with regard to the above application to demolish the "Shears" public house and replace it with 4 dwellings.

I appreciate that a business has to be self supporting, and that the pub is not listed as having any cultural status.

The owner of the property does not reside within the WF15 postcode and will not be affected by the loss of this historic meeting place.

I am advised that the reason it has no status with English heritage is because the current owner removed/destroyed the furnishings/fixtures/fittings which were associated with the luddite uprisings.

I have a friend who owns a property within half a mile of the shears and he has had to spend thousands of pounds to maintain the property's " historic luddite" connections.

I don't understand the two opposing policies being implemented by Kirklees Council, please give serious consideration to this application as we cannot rebuild heritage.

Thank you.

Please do not publish my address.