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Application number: 2020/91978	
What is the application for?:	Part demolition of boundary wall to form new off road parking space (within a Co
Address of the site or building:	22, Town Head, Honley, Holmfirth, HD9 6BW
Postcode:	WF14 8EA

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Type of comment: An objection

Dears Sirs,

The demolition of this drystone wall will spoil the appearance and historical character of a street in what is supposed to be a conservation area. It is important we take great care in preserving the original features of our beautiful village and surrounding areas.

To demolish the wall for the off-road parking of one vehicle would create more issues than it would resolve. It would further impact the lack of space to manoeuvre and negotiate a very narrow street with no pavements, thus having a potential to cause accidents.

Due to the limitations of free space on the street, local residents, including those living in within the boundaries of the walled area in question, put their wheelie bins next to this party wall for refuse collection. Garden refuse bins seem to have a permanent place of residence there. If it was not possible to leave bins in situ here the residents would have no option but to look towards putting their bins outside which is unacceptable. We already have a problems with neighbours parking across thus restricting access and the removal of the wall would only further enhance the issues.

I would also have concerns around the quality of workmanship and appearance of the wall and subsequent drive due to any modifications made when considering that it is not a property to be

In conclusion we should protect our historical villages and to grant approval for the demolition of this drystone wall to create a carpark would undoubtedly spoil the appearance of the street and disrupt everyday life in what is already a tight community. We need to retain these historical walls and building such as this so we can remain living in harmony and they can be enjoyed by visitors and the streets next generations of occupants.

Yours faithfully,