About the application

Application number: 2022/93731	
What is the application for?:	Partial demolition and alterations to convert public house to 5 residential unit
Address of the site or building:	Woolpack Inn, Whitley Road, Whitley, Dewsbury, WF12 0LZ
Postcode:	WF12 0LZ

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes
The Woolpack is an historical asset and 3 generations of our family at least have used the pub to gather and socialise bringing the community together. It was the heart of this village. I believe the pub could be utilised as a community asset in current times .In the past it has been used to provide a post office and as a meeting place for charitable events such as community fund raisers for Whitley pensioners. I live on Whitley Road and speeding traffic is already a huge problem which would be worsened by the addition of more vehicles parking and pulling out onto the road. In my view there are not enough amenities in the village to support more housing . Local pubs in the area are thriving despite challenging times for smaller businesses. With the correct management and marketing I believe the pub could be viable asset in the future.	