Address: Launds Farm, 2 Launds Huddersfield Hd7 5uz

**About the application**

| Application number: 2023/91052 | |
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| What is the application for?: | Erection of 6 holiday cabins and hot food kiosk with associated regrading of lan |
| Address of the site or building: | The Pickled Pheasant, Woodhead Road, Holmbridge, Holmfirth, HD9 2NQ |
| Postcode: | HD7 5AL |

**User comments**

| Type of comment: A supporting comment | |
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| Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously? | No |

I am the owner of The pickled pheasant and feel it is appropriate that I make a comment on the plans .

Owning a pub in such a wonderful place like Holmbridge comes with a great responsibility to ensure that it enhances the village and does not spoil it in any way .I hope that people appreciate that myself and my family have taken this responsibility very seriously and that the pub ,alongside the church, cricket club, and football pitch is at the hub of village life . The cabins would be constructed with the same responsibility in mind , made from materials sympathetic to the environment and managed to the same standards as the pub. Steve Byram my business partner and builder in this venture is a well respected local builder with an excellent reputation for quality in everything he has done .

The community path has been in the planning stages for years now and the fact that the first portion of this across the bottom of our field is part of our plans would open up the opportunity for matched funding to get the rest completed. I appreciate that this development is to be undertaken on open space but with the construction of the path the potential for more people including wheelchair users and children on bicycles to access this space is greatly improved. The cabins are also placed at the edges of the field to maintain the open feel .

Tourism is one of the few sources of optimism in the business of hospitality at present and the Holme valley is a wonderful place to visit. This development would strengthen our business and give us the opportunity to employ more local people in local jobs.

I have of course read all the comments made so far including the objections and fully respect the concerns raised, those concerns will be discussed in full with Steve and our architects when we meet after the consultation process is finished.