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Ref: CVW/001/VA

Dear Ms Rednall,

**Re: Planning Application 2025/91755, 27 Britannia Road, Slaithwaite**

We are writing as Colne Valley ward councillors in support of Wine Slaithwaite's planning application for change of use from a hair salon to a wine bar (sui generis use) with minor shopfront alterations and a new outdoor seating area.

We are lucky in Slaithwaite to have a thriving village centre. This high street is sustained by many small businesses, and we should be doing everything we can to support the businesses which make the Colne Valley such a great place to live, work and visit. The proposed change in use is appropriate in a lively, vibrant town centre.

The proposed new signage is significantly more in keeping with the conservation area than the current signage for the hair salon.

Yours sincerely

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