

About the application

Application number: 2026/92242	
What is the application for?:	Change of use of ground floor to retail unit convenience store with sale of alco
Address of the site or building:	Village Stores, 6A, Station Road, Skelmanthorpe, Huddersfield, HD8 9AU
Postcode:	HD8 9AU

User comments

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<p>As with other new businesses in this block of buildings, there is very little provision for parking. A convenience store would attract customers, particularly at rush hour and in the early evening, much as the education hub, the Grove pub at the end of Station Road, and the newly proposed adjacent bar do.</p> <p>Highways do not appear to be concerned by the lack of parking, but if the business is successful, it will undoubtedly put further pressure on what is already an over-congested section of road. Parking in this area has already led to congestion and obstruction of the highway.</p> <p>If planning permission is granted, parking restrictions should be strongly considered on the East side of Station Road between the Grove pub and Wood Street, such as double yellow lines or single yellow lines with restrictions at certain times. This would limit congestion and reduce the risk of further traffic incidents on this section of road.</p> <p>When vehicles are double parked, traffic in both directions, particularly from the north, cannot see oncoming vehicles on a stretch of road that can only accommodate a single line of traffic. When heavy goods vehicles use this stretch of road, the congestion causes significant problems.</p>	