

NORTHERN AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
2nd October 2013

This is information that has been received since the committee report was written. This could include additional comments or representation, new information relating to the site, changes to plans etc.

Item 7(b) – N/12/03809/FUL and N/12/03810/LBC - 36 HIGH STREET, SHERSTON, MALMESBURY, SN16 0LQ

Two representations received:

Support

Graham Morris, Chairman, Planning Sub-Committee, Sherston Parish Council:

“As Chairman of the Planning Sub-Committee for Sherston Parish Council, we reviewed these applications when they were first submitted, and had no reservations at all. There are no changes to the Front of the property, which faces the Main Road, and the changes to the rear, which are virtually invisible to the village as a whole, improve the rear of the property considerably.

I now have to write as an individual as I have just returned from holiday. I have not been able to contact my Committee in the meantime. However, have reviewed the published papers and diagrams/pictures very carefully, and have concluded that I still give my full support to the Applicants. Since the Heritage Statement shows there are no legal reasons for rejecting the revised application, any decision to do so seems to be based on opinion. As far as I am concerned, this is not a valid reason for rejection. If the Heritage Statement is wrong, however, I would be pleased to see where and why.

A final, minor matter. I see that the new front windows have to be single glazed. Why? Modern good quality timber window frames with sealed unit double glazing are virtually identical to single glazed ones, at least to the casual observer, so must be preferred in this environmentally sensitive era. Yes, this house would not have had double glazing when it was built, but earlier houses did not have glass at all! An order for wooden window frames of the correct dimensions is fine, and merited, but the glazing requirement I do not understand.”

Support

Kate Tullberg, Owner 38 High Street, Sherston:

“I wish to confirm my support for the above application.”
