

Cumbria Fire & Rescue Service

Workington Community Fire Station • Moorclose Road Workington. • CA14 5BF
Tel: 07584 523092 • Web: cumbriafire.gov.uk • Email: juliet.grieves@cumbriafire.gov.uk

Christie Burns
Senior Planning Officer
Cumberland Council
The Market Hall
Market Place
Whitehaven
CA28 7JG

Date: 25th July 2023
Your Reference 4/23/2044/OF1
Our Reference: FSL16/C0508840/JLG

Dear Christie

PLANNING CONSULTATION

APPLICATION NUMBER: 4/23/2044/OF1

PREMISES: Land adjacent to St Thomas Roundabout, Egremont

Following examination of plans in connection with the above application, I have to inform you that the Fire Authority has no objections to this application. Any development would be required to comply with Section B5 – access and facilities for the fire service of ADB Volume 2- Buildings other than Dwellings.

Cumbria Fire and Rescue Service is committed to reducing the impact of fire on people, property and the environment. For this reason, it is recommended that the applicant should give consideration to the inclusion of a sprinkler system within the design of the premises.

There is clear evidence that sprinklers and other forms of automatic fire suppression systems can be effective in the rapid suppression of fires and therefore play an important role in achieving a range of benefits for both individuals and the community in general.

This is because sprinklers can significantly help to:

- Improve the time available to escape from a fire
- Reduce death and injury from fire
- Reduce the risks to fire fighters who we ask to fight the fires
- Protect property
- Reduce the effects of arson
- Reduce the environmental impact of fire

These benefits may far outweigh the installation costs of new sprinkler systems.

For more information on sprinklers, visit the British Automatic Fire Sprinkler Association at www.bafsa.org.uk

Making Cumbria a safer place for all



Cumbria Fire & Rescue Service

If you would like to discuss this or any other matter of fire safety, please contact me at the above details.

Kind Regards

Juliet Grieves
Fire Protection Inspector – Cumbria Fire & Rescue Service
- Workington Community Fire Station – Moorclose Road
Workington – CA14 5BF

Making Cumbria a safer place for all

 0300 303 8623  enquiries@cumbriafire.gov.uk  cumbriafire.gov.uk

