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Hi Sarah

Following on from our meeting, the parish council have the following comments:

Although the response from the designer comments that the points raised are nothing to do with the planning application, we feel strongly that that is not the case. Changing the use of the building is wider reaching than simply going from one type of building to another, especially when the plans involve making a shop.

The property faces a row of terraced houses on a busy main road in an area that provides access to local recycling facilities; when you add to this the Sellafield traffic daily, it is a cause of concern that people will stop their vehicles to access the shop. The parking that is to be made available outside of the shop is not considered realistic and traffic would certainly then be blocking the roads/pavements.

It is also the view of the parish council that the shop being open will increase noise, light pollution and traffic in an area not well suited to accommodate it.

Our Chair, Linda Jones-Bulman, who is also a Cumberland Councillor is going to request a planning site visit to demonstrate our concerns.

Kind regards
Susan Stuart