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REPORT of DIRECTOR OF STRATEGY, PERFORMANCE AND GOVERNANCE

SOUTH EASTERN AREA PLANNING COMMITTEE 08 APRIL 2019

MEMBERS' UPDATE

AGENDA ITEM NO. 9

Application Number	HOUSE/MAL/19/00122	
Location	Oakleigh 48 Mountview Crescent St Lawrence	
Proposal	Extensions and alterations to existing bungalow to convert to a	
	chalet style property	
Applicant	Mr and Mrs Lear	
Agent	Elisa Hampson – E.H Planning Services	
Target Decision Date	EOT 09.04.2019	
Case Officer	Devan Lawson	
Parish	ST LAWRENCE	
Reason for Referral to the	Member Call In by:Cllr. Penny Channer	
Committee / Council	Reason: Local Knowledge and Public Interest	

Please note that the agenda states that the application is within the Mayland Parish. However, it is located within St Lawrence Parish as noted above.

Paragraph 5.9 should read 'Having regard to the above assessment, it is considered that the development **not** cause material harm to the character and appearance of the dwelling.

7 <u>CONSULTATIONS AND REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED</u>

7.4 Representations received from Interested Parties

7.4.2 **One further** letter **objecting** to the application has been received and the reasons for objection are summarised as set out in the table below:

Objecting Comment	Officer Response
The proposal would represent	Addressed at section 5.2 of the Officers
overdevelopment of the site.	report.
Application 15/01249/HOUSE at 75	It is noted that a comparison was
Mountview Crescent is not comparable	provided within the planning statement
to the proposal and was never	between the proposal and permission
constructed.	15/01249/HOUSE. The proposal and the
	permission are comparable to some
	degree in that they both feature

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substantial increases to the scale, mass and bulk of existing bungalows. Nevertheless it is noted that the permission was not built out. However, each application is assessed on its own merits and the scale, bulk and mass of the proposal is considered acceptable as addressed at section 5.2of the report.

The applicant parks commercial vehicles here for a commercial business he runs from the site so there is concern in a reduction of off-street parking. The proposal meets the minimum number of required parking spaces as discussed at section 5.4 of the Officer's report.

Photographs have been provided to show that the site currently fails to provide sufficient parking. The proposal provides sufficient parking in accordance with the Councils Vehicle Parking Standards. The proposal is assessed on the lifetime of the development and not on the needs of individual occupiers.

Application should include a side to rear vehicle access to take the vehicles away from the streetscene.

This application can only be assessed on what has been proposed.

The applicant should be applying for permission to run a commercial business from the site.

This does not form part of this application and therefore, is not considered as part of the assessment.