Comments for Planning Application PLAN/2020/0568

Application Summary

Application Number: PLAN/2020/0568

Address: Land To The North And South Of Goldsworth Road Woking Surrey GU21 6JT

Proposal: Demolition of all existing buildings and redevelopment of the site for a phased mixed-use scheme, comprising 965 residential units (Class C3), communal residential and operational spaces, commercial uses (Classes A1/A2/A3/A4/B1/D1/D2) at ground floor and homeless shelter (sui generis) within 5 blocks of varying heights of between 9 and 40 storeys (plus rooftop amenity) to the north and south sides of the site together with soft and hard landscaping including public realm works, highway alterations to Goldsworth Road, car parking, cycle parking, bin storage, ancillary facilities and plant (Environmental Statement submitted).

Case Officer: Brooke Bougnague

Customer Details

Name: Ms Heather Platt

Address: Anglebury, Kingsway Avenue, Woking, Surrey GU21 6NX

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Resident (local res.- member of public) Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

- High-over density of development
- Out of Character
- Overlooking

Comment:I don't object to the site being redeveloped of for housing but the scale of site is very tall and will create more of a wind tunnel (as in Canary Wharf). The towers proposed will dwarf everything around and surely would be better if they were no taller than the current town centre development.