

PLANNING APPLICATION PUBLIC COMMENT

Application number: PP/18/05313
Site Address: Heythrop College, 23-24 Kensington Square, LONDON, W8 5HH
Proposal: Reinstatement of three townhouses (Class C3), (part of 23 and 24 Kensington Square); refurbishment of college building (part of 23 Kensington Square) and use as an extra care facility (Class C2). Demolition of all other buildings on site. Erection of deck over adjacent London Underground line and construction of 5 buildings (ranging between 1 and 8 storeys in height) for use as an extra care facility including units, communal facilities and services areas, community hall and on-site affordable housing and associated access parking, servicing and landscaping. (MAJOR DEVELOPMENT)

Comment received: I wish to object to this application. Firstly because of change of use. It was an educational establishment and should remain a similar occupation. Secondly it is far too large a development for the area. There is no guarantee that there will be a proper care home and affordable housing. There is no need for more luxury flats. Thirdly the extra traffic will be clog the whole area up and during the building stage will be totally unacceptable for Victoria Road and St Albans Grove. There are schools in both these streets and it will be very dangerous for the small children. (Victoria Road has already suffered four years of rebuilding work and heavy traffic).

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