

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 am writing to object to the granting of planning permission to the application as it stands.

I have lived in Kensington Square since 1962 and can vouch for the exceptional character of the Square having been enhanced by the considerable and varied footfall generated by Heythrop College with its multiple usage and involvement with the community. The prospect of losing all this is, I consider, tragic. However I believe the outcome could be greatly ameliorated by the proposals put forward by Daniel Moylan.

Date of Comment: 04/10/2018
Comment type: Objection