

The council seek to determine the application within the 13 week determination period which ends on 12th February 2020. Therefore I am unable to grant your request for an extension of time until 12<sup>th</sup> February or later. The consultation period expires on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2019. However any comments received after this date will be taken into consideration up until a decision is made on the application. I would suggest that you submit these no later than 22nd January 2020 in order to ensure they are taken into consideration.

Regarding your comments that local residents were unaware of this application, I can advise that a site notice was pinned to a telegraph pole on the site frontage and this was easily visible from the public highway. Please see attached photograph where you will see that a site notice has been. The site notice was erected on the 28<sup>th</sup> November 2019. In addition to this and in accordance with the council policy to notify neighbours who immediately adjoin the site, letters were sent to One Oak, Bittles Green and Shire Meadows, Bittles Green