

PLANNING REF : 250543
PROPERTY ADDRESS : Shinfield
: Wokingham
: RG2 9FT
SUBMITTED BY : Miss s khan
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COMMENTS:

I strongly oppose the development of any religious center in Winnersh and Wokingham, as it may disrupt the harmony and character of our town. Large gatherings, increased traffic, noise pollution, and the impact on surrounding businesses could lead to congestion and disturbances in the area issues that have already been observed by many.

Some argue that existing centers are overcrowded, but this in itself is a reason to reject the application. With population growth, the strain on local infrastructure will only worsen, affecting the quality of life for residents and placing an additional financial burden on the council, which is already struggling. Instead of adding pressure to a residential community for the benefit of just one group, I recommend that an alternative location outside the town be considered. This would allow for a dedicated space without disrupting the daily lives of others.

Many other communities travel elsewhere for their prayers and gatherings, and I encourage all groups to respect the existing setup of Winnersh and Wokingham. It is essential to preserve the balance of our town and ensure that it remains a peaceful and inclusive place for all.