

PLANNING REF : 250543
PROPERTY ADDRESS : Greenwood Grove
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COMMENTS:

After reading most of the comments, I strongly object to the development of any religious center in Winnersh. The reasoning provided by some supporters suggests that the primary goal is not inclusivity but rather the continued establishment of religious institutions in the area for its own purpose.

Several comments have also highlighted that existing mosques in Wokingham create traffic issues, which raises concerns about the potential impact on our local community. This reinforces the need to consider the broader effects on all residents, rather than prioritizing the needs of one group.

Regardless of faith, religious practice can take place within the privacy of one's home without necessitating large-scale developments that may disrupt the area. Planning decisions should reflect the best interests of the entire community, ensuring that Winnersh remains a balanced and family-friendly environment.

I previously objected to the development of the Gurdwara, and its presence has already influenced the community. Approving further religious centers sets a precedent that risks gradually altering the residential character of Winnersh. It is essential to carefully assess the long-term impact of such developments and prioritize decisions that maintain the integrity of the area for all residents