

Planning application 13/00575/OUT - Thames Heritage Boat Museum

Applicant's response to the Case Officer's email 26th April 2013

Dear Emma,

Thank you for confirmation that published procedures will be followed.

However it will not be necessary for the ward councillor to call this to committee, since the West Berkshire Council website clearly states the various procedures for "Determining the Application"; and the relevant one in our case is:- "An application is determined by committee when" - "Applications where 10 or more separate representation letters have been received and the recommendation is contrary to the views expressed".

The WBC planning portal currently shows that there are 26 representation letters supporting this outline application; therefore unless you are recommending acceptance, this application must be determined by the committee, as stated in the WBC published procedural rules. See

<http://www.westberks.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=17560#determine>

As you have already indicated in an email of 17th April that this application is to be recommended for refusal, please can you confirm that the application will be taken to committee under planning decision procedures as published on the WBC website.

Brian Smith on behalf of the Museum project team – 29th April 2013