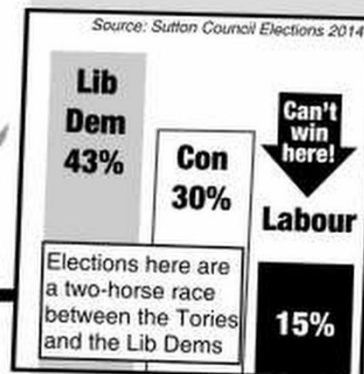


Sutton North Special **FOCUS**

News from Cllr Ruth Dombey, Cllr Marlene Heron and Cllr Steve Penneck



PLANNING APPLICATION: ST HELIER HOSPITAL DAY NURSERY IS WITHDRAWN

The planning application No: B2017/77893 for a day nursery and play scheme building at St Helier Hospital, backing onto Rosewood Grove has been withdrawn.

A similar planning application was approved in 2013, but not proceeded with. The new application was for a larger scale building. Access to the nursery would have been through the hospital site. However vehicle access during construction would have been through Rosewood Grove, via Rosehill Park West. Six objections were received from residents.

Objections were also received from the Council's Biodiversity Officer and the Principal Tree Officer, including the impact on bats, impact on Greenshaw Wood, loss of Priority Habitat, and the proposed non-native planting. There was concern that the applicant has failed to demonstrate that no harm will be caused to the retained trees; the hard, the soft landscaping features were not considered acceptable; and the application proposes to remove trees which are not within their ownership.

The planning office considered that these are significant issues which cannot be resolved within the current application. Following discussion with the applicant, the application was withdrawn.

To address traffic during the construction period the Council's Highways Department recommended a construction logistic plan which would focus on measures to control the impacts on public highway, including Rosewood Grove for construction traffic access.

We will continue to keep you informed as this progresses.

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