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Local news from your Liberal Democrat team in Sutton North: Cllr Ruth Dombey, Cllr Marlene Heron and Cllr Steve Penneck

# Lib Dem 39% Con 36% Clections in 2018 Can't win here! Lab Lab Elections here are a two-horse race between the Lib Dems and Tories

#### NEW PLANNING APPLICATION: ALLOTMENT GARDEN REAR OF GREENHILL AND WOODEND

Planning application no: DM2019/00322

Proposal: Erection of nine two storey dwellings with accommodation at roof level together with parking, new vehicular access from Woodend and associated landscaping. Provision of open space, pavilion and allotment plots.

Comments to the Planning Dept (details overleaf) by 12 April

The above planning application has been received and can be viewed at the planning web site: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/Woodend-allotments">https://tinyurl.com/Woodend-allotments</a>

An earlier application for development of this site was refused early last year.

The site is designated as Urban Green Space, which means that development would be refused unless it can demonstrate that it would preserve or enhance its character, its function as a recreational resource or its contribution to visual amenity.

#### The following general advice from the Council web site may help: **Planning procedures**

The Council cannot refuse or approve a proposal simply because many people oppose or support it. Planning applications must be assessed against local and national planning policies. The Council can consider issues such as: undue loss of privacy or overlooking; loss of sunlight/daylight; effect on trees; access or traffic problems; need for car parking; unacceptable or incompatible use; noise; fumes; excessive height or bulk of buildings; inappropriate design/layout; and inadequate landscaping/means of enclosure.

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### We want to hear your views

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#### How to comment on a planning application

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Copies of current planning applications can be inspected using the Online Planning Register. See http://gis.sutton.gov.uk/FASTWEB/welcome.asp Applications can also be inspected during normal office hours (9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. Monday to Friday) at the Planning Offices, at 24 Denmark Road Carshalton SM5 2JG where staff will be able to help you with general questions. Anyone has the right to comment on an application. Comments should be received as soon as possible, before the Planning Committee is due to meet. Comments are best made in writing after you have seen the planning application, when you have an understanding of what is proposed. Letters should be sent to Planning Offices, by email to development control@sutton.gov.uk or you can make your comment via the Online Planning Register. You must always quote the application number and provide your full postal address. Anonymous letters and emails will not be taken into account. If several other people agree with your views you may wish to organise a petition which should be sent to the address above. Petitions clearly state the reasons for objection or support and must include the name and address of each individual and their signature. The petition must also include the details of a person who can be contacted by the council on behalf of the petitioner. Representatives who wish to speak in support of, or in opposition to, planning applications are able to address the Planning Committee at the discretion of the chairperson. Usually speakers are only allowed four minutes to address the committee. Where there are several people who wish to comment they should choose one person to speak on their behalf or they can chose to split the time between them. You must notify the committee manager of your wish to speak well in advance of the meeting and at the latest by midday on the day of the meeting. Ward Councillors may also speak.

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