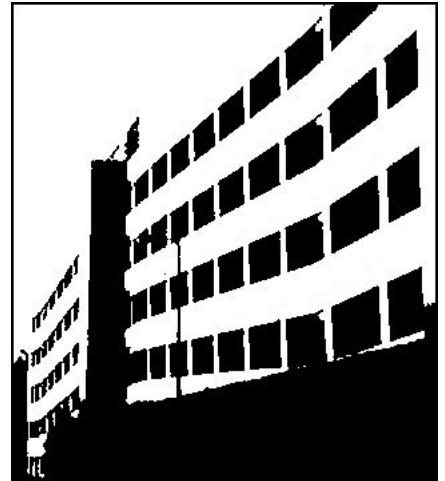


O.C.P.A.G.

THE ORPINGTON CAR PARK ACTION GROUP

19 Orchard Grove, Orpington, Kent, BR6 0RX, Tel: 01689-832614



25 July, 2004

Dear supporter,

The Orpington Car Park Action Group has been founded to oppose the existing proposals for the redevelopment of the Station Road Multi-Storey Car Park site. Although we are not opposed to some form of redevelopment, we believe the plans for a massive superstore are likely to worsen the lives of private residents, damage local businesses and retailers, create worse traffic congestion and generally have an adverse effect on the environment in Orpington.

Our objects are to achieve the following:

- 1) To ensure that local residents will not be overshadowed by a building that is of excessive bulk, and not disturbed by 24 hour operation.
- 2) That any additional traffic generation as a result of the new development does not worsen traffic congestion to the disadvantage of local residents and businesses.
- 3) That adequate public parking will be provided for customers and staff of local businesses and retailers and is no less than the existing peak usage.
- 4) That any proposed development makes a positive contribution to the local economy by supporting the needs of local businesses in Orpington.
- 5) That any retail development element is complementary to and not over dominant of other retailers in the High Street, and that a mixed development that improves the facilities and attractiveness of Orpington Town Centre is put in place.

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If you agree with us, please support us. But we cannot oppose the existing planning applications without obtaining expert advice and representation. We also need funds to support our campaigning activities.

We are therefore asking everyone who wishes to see a better solution to the problem of redeveloping this site to make a donation, and as we need to raise several thousands of pounds, we suggest this be as follows but if you wish to donate less or more, please do so - any contributions will help:

£30 for every individual or household.

£300 for every business.

Any surplus funds will be returned later if they are not all spent, but note that Tesco have submitted an appeal against the rejection of the Planning Application so the fight to stop it may be long and hard. Please return the slip below to confirm your support for our campaign.

Note that our campaign is already supported by residents of Orchard Grove, businesses in St. Johns House, Valiant House, Central Court and Berwick House, the Orpington Promotions Group, the Bromley Borough Roads Action Group and other interested parties.

Yours sincerely

Maire Phillips

Secretary

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Send to O.C.P.A.G., 19 Orchard Grove, Orpington, Kent, BR6 0RX

I wish to support your campaign and I hereby enclose a cheque made payable to the Orpington Car Park Action Group for _____.

Name _____

Address _____

Post Code _____

Telephone _____

Email Address (please write clearly) _____