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Hesmonds

Very sad news. The application by Redrow for 205 houses was approved by WDC on Thursday Oct 6th 2022.

On the day East Hoathly had a formidable presence in the audience and from the speeches by Village Concerns and Cllr Geoffrey Draper. However, judging by the lack of debate from Cllrs it seemed the decision had already been made.

Voting

Abstained

Angela Snell Con

Stephen Shing Ind

Paul Sparks Lib Dem

Neil Cleaver Lib Dem

For Approval

Roy Cade Con

Sue Stedman Con

Bob Bowdler Con

Richard Grocock Con

David Watts Con

Michael Baker Con

Note Geoffrey Draper is not allowed to vote. David White Ind was unable to attend and there was no replacement. A shame as he is strong on sewage issues and flooding.

You can see the meeting on the webcast

[Agenda for Planning Committee South on Thursday, 6th October 2022, 10.00 a.m. - Councillors Committees - Wealden District Council](#)

Agenda Item 6

South Street

A public consultation was held last week. The next stage will be submission of reserved matters possibly in December.

A key issue for new developments is the Sewage Issue. Southern Water maintain they will have capacity. If you have any existing concerns regarding sewage, please let us know or if there are any incidents in the future,

On Oct 12th 2.30 pm Huw Merriman MP for Bexhill and Battle is leading a debate in Westminster Hall on sewage and pollution in our rivers.

<https://www.parliamentlive.tv/Event/Index/56cda19b-45a8-4827-9872-cc6fbbd49645>

Thank you for all your support over the years. We will continue to fight to get the best for the Village including in the construction phase.

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