

To the Councillors,

In response to the objection raised by Canada Life and the Regent Arcade Manager I would like to add to my application:

1. all the points raised in their objections have been addressed on my first application. Not even one proved to be correct. It is clear to all to see that my small operation does not impose on theirs in any way shape or form. My cart/ trike is expensive, small, friendly to the environment and safe.

2. My small operation may have smaller running cost than running a shop at the arcade or the high street but sadly it is packaged with a smaller capacity to earn etc... each business format has its strengths and weakness and to suggest that the High Street is suffering because of my presence and for the council to give permeation to my operation is in any way breaking the rules of fair competition is utterly ludicrous, especially coming from a sizable operation like theirs. Their behaviour in this matter indicates the opposite - they are acting like a bully trying to kill the smallest of fair competition.

It is a shame that their attitude has blinded them to the fact that they can only benefit from my operation at its location as it is creating interest and brings more people, if anything, in front of their renovated property.

3. I have chosen this road to deliver a product that is missing out of the High Street and the visitors very much appreciate it. The product is a quality product delivered in a unique attractive way packaged in a very fair price. All this contributes to the choice available in town and represents a healthier option to what was available before...

4. My contribution to the High Street is clear to the large majority of businesses and visitors alike.

I think the councillors should focus on the support and enthusiasm to my operation and the huge silent majority that enjoy my presence and not on the one vice objecting as loud as it may be (again for no good reason...)

I have attached another small collection of the most interesting comments made by customers.

(All comments are very positive but mostly summarised in one word like - brilliant, good work, tasty, value for money, nice trike, best of luck etc...)

I do hope the councillors can see the positive impact I am making to the town centre and give me permission for the next 12 months (I have been through the wind , rain and hail storms and hope to enjoy the summer on the High Street...). I know the High Street is going through some changes but this does not impact on my location and vice-versa:

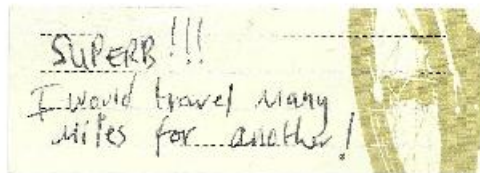
- the issue of the new road taking a route next to my location has already been taken into account, as the new road will be where the existing emergency route is, which I already avoid.
- as the location of the monolith is now known, it is clear I will not impact on the monolith when it is built - both access to and viewing of (as agreed by the Council representative).
- in any case the council have the power to terminate or move me at any time (if my location is in the way of any work ...) so why make a problem where it may not occur at all?!

My cart/trike is very manoeuvrable and just like in the case of the Prince of Wales' visit, when I temporarily relocated nearby as I was asked to move to allow for fencing and crowd control, I can do that again without much fuss and to the benefit of all!

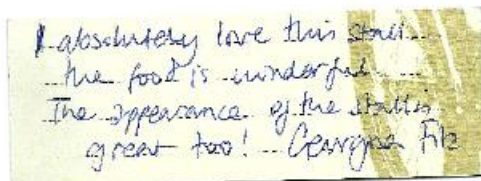
Many thanks

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miles for... another!



I absolutely love this stall...
...the food is wonderful...
The appearance of the stall is
great too! ... Catherine Fitz

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