

Emma Heron [via email]

Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority

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Comment on Planning Application: C/50/115 Barn opposite Brows View Cottage, Linton.

Full planning permission for conversion of barn to local occupancy dwelling

Dear Emma

The barn opposite Brows View Cottage is a very simple traditional field barn, typical of those that make the Dales so distinctive.

Friend of the Dales considers the proposed increase in fenestration to be excessive; it will reduce the historic integrity of the building, and obscure its origins. We also consider that the proposed design will not enhance the visual qualities of the village of Linton, which is a Conservation Area, nor contribute to its historic interest.

Should the Authority be minded to approve this application, we trust that it will be on the basis of much reduced fenestration, more appropriate to the building's visual and historic interest and more sympathetic to the context of the village.

Yours sincerely



K.M. Petyt

Dr Malcolm Petyt, Chair of Policy Committee

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