

<b>Application No:</b>	<b>Consultees Name:</b>	<b>Received:</b>	<b>Comment:</b>	<b>Response:</b>
2018/2824/P	David Greene	30/07/2018 17:57:14	OBJ	<p>I do not think this change of use should be approved .it is a valuable village service to those living in basic accomodation. It is a friendly meeting place , a modern version of the communal village stream washing area . It is a pity that the owners have neglected to invest in it but this may have been done deliberately . Gradually Belsize village is being deprived of its genuinely useful community hubs , post office , newsagents , hardware store, pub, etc.</p> <p>What does retail mean in the case of this special location ? . A shoe shop ? Phone shop ? it is an empty word .. the laundrette importantly retails cleanliness and survives serving a needy local population in spite of the owner's neglect .</p>

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