

COUNCIL OF THE ISLES OF SCILLY

PLANNING APPLICATION REPRESENTATION (RECEIVED VIA COUNCIL'S WEBSITE)

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Date Received:	11/04/2018
Application:	P/18/013/FUL – Packing Shed & Greenhouse, Lower Town, St Martins, Isles of Scilly
Representation:	I would like to register my support for the proposed development of the Packing Shed & Glasshouse, Lower Town, St Martins. I am a regular visitor to the islands and have been for 25 years. Whilst I understand the sensitive issues around the historic use of the shed and greenhouse it is not sustainable to leave the building with no valid use, only for it to deteriorate, as have other buildings across the islands. In my opinion the restoration of the buildings with new use will improve the visual amenity of the lane at Lower Town without having any detrimental visual effect from Teania or in deed the surrounding cottages. Indeed the added activity of these buildings becoming residential will positively activate this area. Whilst I feel it is important that residents of the Isle of Scilly should be allowed to make a living, their impact should not have a detrimental effect on the local beauty and character of St Martin's. I think the proposals show a sympathetic approach to their restoration and will contribute to the charm and character of Lower Town. For these reasons I would support the application.