

The following public question has been received from Mr Gareth Hall relating to BH2017/02805 (Pavilion Tea House):

“Councillors Vanessa Brown, Jayne Bennett, Peter Kyle MP, Park gardeners, tennis players, residents associations, neighbours, dog walkers, basketball players, rock climbers, no one other than some people frequenting the cafe knew about its demolition and the felling of three trees (1 elm) until it was too late.

Publicising of planning applications to residents of Brighton and Hove may reach minimum statutory requirements but is not good enough.

What are councillors going to do to ensure the planning department do more within the current spending constraints to ensure that the people they represent are better informed about planning applications?”

