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Comments: Over the last 2 years the Alton Bridge Hotel has given Alton village a new lease of life for both locals residents and tourists and particularly for families with children. The effort and vast investment made by the proprietor to encourage a successful all year round business is exceptional, they provide employment for local people and any development work done has been completed to the highest standard and in keeping with traditional building designs in the area. The Bridge Hotel and its grounds are stunning and its proposed we should all support their current planning proposal so all can enjoy the facilities. However all local people would agree traffic is a concern both for an hour in the morning and an hour or so in late afternoon. To ensure the traffic runs smoothly its essential the road through Alton is kept clear from vehicles parking on the roadside. I fully appreciate its difficult to restrict parking further in the centre of the village, the village shop and post office also need to be supported to ensure they survive.

The Alton Bridge has the facility / capability to provide a much needed local venue and given approval for additional car parking would ensure the congestion on the roads get no worse.

Thanks you

Steve