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Planning Application Reference No.: 3/2025/0999

Address of Development: 69 King St
Whalley

Comments: I am a former resident of Whalley and have an elderly parent currently living in the village. I would strongly support this application for the following reasons

- Northcote is a prestigious local brand that already contributes significantly to the Ribble Valley & Lancashire economy and community- it's occupancy of a premium site in Whalley will enhance the reputation of the village as a desirable location.
- the company's philosophy is to maximise seasonal and local produce and will increase the already strong links with local businesses as part of the supply chain.
- the proposed retail development offers an exciting and unique service not currently available in Whalley and will compliment the current outlets in the village encouraging residents to shop local and attracting non residents to visit
- the development will support the creation of new jobs in the area, the company already champions the recruitment and training of young people through its apprenticeship programme
- the development of staff accommodation will improve the company's ability to recruit and retain staff & enhance staff terms and conditions