

## **1. Proposal**

This application relates to the retrospective installation of an external security roller shutter to an existing health food shop.

## **2. Design**

The shutter has been installed to provide security protection for the business premises outside operating hours due to concerns regarding break-ins, anti-social behaviour, vandalism and disturbance outside the premises during the night. There have been 3 previous incidents of damage to windows and break-ins.

The shutter is fixed to the existing shopfront and does not involve any change to the use of the premises. The finish and is intended to remain in keeping with the existing commercial frontage.

The shutter is only lowered when the premises are closed and is raised during normal business hours so the shopfront remains open and visible to customers and the public during trading hours.

## **3. Access**

There is no change to existing access arrangements. Customer, staff and visitor access to the premises remains unchanged, including access for disabled users.