

Wessex Synod

Listed Buildings Advisory Committee

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To whom it may concern

Avenue St Andrews United Reformed Church, Southampton Application for the installation of PV solar panels

I write to confirm that an application for Listed Buildings Consent under Ecclesiastical Exemption has been received for the installation of solar panels on the roof of the hall at Avenue St Andrews United Reformed Church.

The LBAC considered the application at our meeting in November. Our view at that meeting was that we supported the scheme very strongly indeed. The committee felt that it was not causing significant harm to the building, and the positive benefits of sustainability outweighed such harm as there was. The application is subject to the usual process of decision after external review, but I think it is fair to say that the Committee was extremely supportive when they saw the plans.

Yours faithfully,

Michael Hopkins Convener