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**RE: DA2021/1541 - 20 Albert Street FRESHWATER NSW 2096**

I would like to express my absolute support for the conversion of this site into a restaurant. Specifically, Alma! Freshwater is crying out for some vibrancy and Alma would be an incredible addition to the area.

Alma is the perfect restaurant for the people of Freshie, it's laid back yet up-market vibe is the perfect addition to the current food offering in the village, and as a business with already one successful location in Avalon, there should be no doubt as to the quality Alma can bring to a small village community.

I've been to Alma, it's a destination restaurant. A place like Alma would inject life back to the village. Not to mention a huge improvement on the horrible building that is the former Bendigo Bank.

It is ridiculous to read that people who have bought an apartment in the main village of a bustling neighbourhood would complain about the noise?

Thank you for taking the time to read this submission. I hope to see Alma up and running for summer!!

Thank you,  
Ella