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Of particular concern to Friends of Cliftonville Coastline are plans to develop the Post Office site on Addington Street in Margate, to provide 10 residential units. This beautiful iconic functional modernist building should not be up for demolition to provide substandard box housing in a prime Margate position. In fact it should be listed, such is its beauty. Please see this blog:

<https://mrdanthompson.wordpress.com/2014/09/05/the-post-office/>

If the Post Office does move this building should be repurposed in a far better way - either as flats in an area that is about to become highly desirable due to the proximity of the new Tracey Emin gallery - and it could include studio spaces, an art gallery or community space. It could even become new offices for TDC. But it should not be part of any redevelopment in the Local Plan.

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https://www.thanet.gov.uk/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/SA-Report_Final-issue_20191003.pdf?fbclid=IwAR3W8Ym45r4y40htSjdqF2-tljzwekvKMqzGw1nmsjPudMZvo0Zz7efhlfA