## PP-11240109



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## Application for Planning Permission

## Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

## Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Site Location	
Disclaimer: We can only make recommend	dations based on the answers given in the questions.
If you cannot provide a postcode, the describely locate the site - for example "field to the	iption of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to e North of the Post Office".
Number	
Suffix	
Property Name	
Upper Vobster Farm	
Address Line 1	
Upper Vobster Road	
Address Line 2	
Vobster	
Address Line 3	
Somerset	
Town/city	
Frome	
Postcode	
BA3 5SA	
	ust be completed if postcode is not known:
Easting (x)	Northing (y)
370315	149550
Description	

Planning Portal Reference: PP-11240109

Applicant Details
Name/Company
Title
Mr
First name
Michael
Surname
Nicholson
Company Name
Address
Address line 1
Upper Vobster Farm
Address line 2
Upper Vobster Road
Address line 3
Vobster
Town/City
Frome
Country
Somerset
Postcode
BA3 5SA
Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?
Contact Details
Primary number
***** REDACTED *****
Secondary number

Fax number	
Email address	
***** REDACTED *****	
Agent Details	
Name/Company	
Title	
Mr	
First name	
Mark	
Surname	
Reynolds	
Company Name	
Context Planning Ltd	
Address	
Address line 1	
Cambridge House	
Address line 2	
Henry Street	
Address line 3	
Town/City	
Bath	
Country	
United Kingdom	
Postcode	
BA1 1BT	
Contact Details	
Primary number	
***** REDACTED ******	
Secondary number	

Fax number
Email address
***** REDACTED *****
Site Area
What is the measurement of the site area? (numeric characters only).
1734.57
Unit
Sq. metres
Description of the Proposal
Please note in regard to:
<ul> <li>Fire Statements - From 1 August 2021, planning applications for buildings of over 18 metres (or 7 stories) tall containing more than one dwelling will require a 'Fire Statement' for the application to be considered valid. There are some exemptions. View government planning guidance on fire statements or access the fire statement template and guidance.</li> <li>Permission In Principle - If you are applying for Technical Details Consent on a site that has been granted Permission In Principle, please include the relevant details in the description below.</li> <li>Public Service Infrastructure - From 1 August 2021, applications for certain public service infrastructure developments will be eligible for faster determination timeframes. See help for further details or view government planning guidance on determination periods.</li> </ul>
Description
Please describe details of the proposed development or works including any change of use
Change of use of existing stone barns into three holiday let units known as Valley View, The Dairy and The Barn
Has the work or change of use already started?
○ No
If yes, please state the date when the work or change of use started (date must be pre-application submission)  01/11/2012
Has the work or change of use been completed?
○ No
If Yes, please state the date when the work or change of use was completed (date must be pre-application submission)
24/12/2012
Existing Use
Please describe the current use of the site

Dwellings and holiday letting complex
Is the site currently vacant?  O Yes
⊘ No
Does the proposal involve any of the following? If Yes, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.
Land which is known to be contaminated  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
Materials  Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way
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Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway?  O Yes O No
○Yes
<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>ⓒ No</li><li>Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?</li><li>○ Yes</li></ul>
<ul> <li>Yes</li> <li>No</li> <li>Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?</li> <li>Yes</li> <li>No</li> <li>Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site?</li> <li>Yes</li> </ul>

Vehicle Parking
Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking spaces?
Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking spaces
Vehicle Type: Cars  Existing number of spaces:
Existing number of spaces:  14  Total proposed (including spaces retained):
14
Difference in spaces: 0
Trees and Hedges
Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?  O Yes
⊙ No
And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character?
<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊙ No</li></ul>
If Yes to either or both of the above, you may need to provide a full tree survey, at the discretion of the local planning authority. If a tree survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside the application. The local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction - Recommendations'.
Assessment of Flood Risk
Is the site within an area at risk of flooding? (Check the location on the Government's Flood map for planning. You should also refer to national standing advice and your local planning authority requirements for information as necessary.)  Yes  No
Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)?
○ Yes ⊗ No
Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere?  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
How will surface water be disposed of?
☐ Sustainable drainage system
Existing water course

<u>♥</u> Soakaway
☐ Main sewer
☐ Pond/lake
Biodiversity and Geological Conservation
ls there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, or on land adjacent to or near the application site?
To assist in answering this question correctly, please refer to the help text which provides guidance on determining if any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby; and whether they are likely to be affected by the proposals.
a) Protected and priority species
<ul><li>○ Yes, on the development site</li><li>○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development</li><li>○ No</li></ul>
b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features
<ul> <li>○ Yes, on the development site</li> <li>○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development</li> <li>⊙ No</li> </ul>
c) Features of geological conservation importance
<ul><li>○ Yes, on the development site</li><li>○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development</li><li>○ No</li></ul>
Supporting information requirements
Where a development proposal is likely to affect features of biodiversity or geological conservation interest, you will need to submit, with the application, sufficient information and assessments to allow the local planning authority to determine the proposal.
Failure to submit all information required will result in your application being deemed invalid. It will not be considered valid until all information required by the local planning authority has been submitted.
Your local planning authority will be able to advise on the content of any assessments that may be required.
Foul Sewage
Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:
<ul> <li>Mains sewer</li> <li>Septic tank</li> <li>✓ Package treatment plant</li> <li>Cess pit</li> <li>Other</li> <li>Unknown</li> </ul>
Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?
○ Yes ② No ○ Unknown

Waste Storage and Collection
Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste?
<ul><li>✓ Yes</li><li>○ No</li></ul>
If Yes, please provide details:
Commercial waste collection for the wider site
Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste?
If Yes, please provide details:
Commercial waste collection for the wider site
Trade Effluent
Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or trade waste?
<ul><li>○ Yes</li><li>⊙ No</li></ul>
Residential/Dwelling Units
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Market Housing						
Please specify each type of hou	using and number o	f units proposed				
Housing Type: Other						
1 Bedroom: 3						
2 Bedroom:						
3 Bedroom:						
0 4+ Bedroom:						
0						
Unknown Bedroom: 0						
Total:						
Proposed Market Housing Category Totals	1 Bedroom Total	2 Bedroom Total	3 Bedroom Total	4 Bedroom Total	Unknown Bedroom Total	Bedroom Total
Category rotals	3	0	0	0	0	] 3
Existing						
Please select the housing cate	gories for any existir	ng units on the site				
✓ Market Housing Social, Affordable or Interme	ediate Rent					
Affordable Home Ownership						
Starter Homes						
Self-build and Custom Build						
Market Housing						
Please specify each existing type	pe of housing and n	umber of units on t	he site			
Housing Type: Other						
1 Bedroom:						
2 Bedroom:						
0						
3 Bedroom:						
4+ Bedroom:						
0						
Unknown Bedroom: 1						
Total:						
1						

<b>Existing Market Housing</b>	1 Bedroom Total	2 Bedroom Total	3 Bedroom Total	4 Bedroom Total	Unknown	Bedroom Total
Category Totals	0	0	0	0	Bedroom Total	1
					1	
Totals						
Total proposed residential units		3				
Total existing residential units		1				
Total net gain or loss of residential units		2				
All Types of Develo	opment: Noi	n-Residentia	l Floorspace			
Does your proposal involve th Note that 'non-residential' in the	_	=	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Yes	iis context covers a	all uses except ose	Class C3 Dwellinging	Juses.		
<b>⊘</b> No						
Employment						
Are there any existing employ	rees on the site or v	will the proposed dev	velopment increase	or decrease the nur	nber of employees'	?
<ul><li>Yes</li><li>No</li></ul>						
Hours of Opening						
Are Hours of Opening relevan	nt to this proposal?					
○ Yes						
⊗ No						
Industrial or Comn	nercial Proc	esses and M	achinery			
Does this proposal involve the	e carrying out of ind	lustrial or commercia	al activities and proc	esses?		
○ Yes						
⊗ No	anagoment devel-	amont?				
Is the proposal for a waste management development?  Yes						
⊗ No						

Hazardous Substances
Does the proposal involve the use or storage of Hazardous Substances?
○ Yes
Site Visit
Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?
○ Yes
⊗ No
If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?
<ul><li></li></ul>
Other person
Pre-application Advice
Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?
○ No
If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):
Officer name:
Title
***** REDACTED ******
First Name
***** REDACTED ******
Surname
***** REDACTED *****
Reference
ENF/2021/0081
Date (must be pre-application submission)
29/11/2021
Details of the pre-application advice received
PCN

Authority Employee/Member
With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:  (a) a member of staff  (b) an elected member  (c) related to a member of staff  (d) related to an elected member
It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.
For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.
Do any of the above statements apply?  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration
Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)
Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.
Is the applicant the sole owner of all the land to which this application relates; and has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?  Yes  No
Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding?  ○ Yes  ⊙ No
Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A
I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/ the applicant was the owner* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding**
* "owner" is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run.
** "agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act.
NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.
Person Role
<ul><li>             ⊘ The Applicant             ⊘ The Agent         </li></ul>
Title
Mr
First Name
Michael
Surname
Nicholson

Declaration Date
06/05/2022
✓ Declaration made
Declaration
I / We hereby apply for Full planning permission as described in this form and accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I / We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine options of the persons giving them. I / We also accept that: Once submitted, this information will be transmitted to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be made available as part of a public register and on the authority's website; our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.
✓ I / We agree to the outlined declaration
Signed
Mark Reynolds
Date
06/05/2022