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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 recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)

Northing (y)

Description

## Applicant Details

### Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

### Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

Country

Postcode

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

Yes

No

### Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

## Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

## Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

Country

Postcode

## Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

## Site Area

What is the measurement of the site area? (numeric characters only).

Unit

## Description of the Proposal

Please note in regard to:

- **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](#).
- **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.
- **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](#).

### Description

Please describe details of the proposed development or works including any change of use

Refurbishment of Artificial Grass Pitch (AGP) (6650 sq. metres) with associated features including:

- > Replacement artificial grass surface (3G football turf) (6076 sq. metres);
- > Replacement 4.5m high ball stop fencing with entrance gates to form an enclosure around AGP perimeter;
- > New 2.6m high maintenance equipment storage container (15 sq. metres) within fenced AGP enclosure;
- > Replacement 15.0m high floodlight masts (6no.) with LED floodlights (14no.) around AGP perimeter;
- > New and replacement hard-standing areas around AGP periphery for pedestrian access and circulation, portable goals storage, as well as vehicular access (559 sq. metres).

Has the work or change of use already started?

- Yes  
 No

## Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site

Is the site currently vacant?

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

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)

**Type:**

Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)

**Existing materials and finishes:**

Green coloured ball-stop fencing around current Artificial Grass Pitch (AGP).

**Proposed materials and finishes:**

The appearance of replacement perimeter ball stop fencing (4.5m high) will comprise polyester powder coated RAL6005 Moss Green, all supported with an intermediate post system and entrance gates of matching colour. The fencing type will be steel open mesh fencing containing a general 200x50mm aperture (and 66x50mm rebound aperture to the internal pitch perimeter barrier). Fence panels would be insulated from the posts using neoprene washers to be fitted to every fence post / mesh fixing point to aid noise reduction and acoustic attenuation by reducing rattle and vibration from ball impacts. Fencing materials are consistent with The Football Association (FA) technical requirements for fencing. 0.5m high containment barriers would be built into ball stop fencing) to minimise SBR infill loss from the FTP and to prevent the transfer of SBR to the surrounding environment.

**Type:**

Lighting

**Existing materials and finishes:**

Galvanised steel and silver grey floodlights around current Artificial Grass Pitch.

**Proposed materials and finishes:**

The appearance of replacement floodlights will comprise steel masts finished galvanised (Z275) self-coloured, mounted with LED luminaires within a Die-Cast housing finished RAL7001 Silver Grey. The floodlights system includes six sectional octagonal base-hinge steel masts (15.0m high) each mounted with two or three LED luminaires (14no. LED floodlights in total). One floodlight mast would be positioned along the Western AGP enclosure, and one floodlight mast would be positioned along the Eastern AGP enclosure; with four more floodlight masts positioned evenly along the Southern AGP enclosure.

**Type:**

Vehicle access and hard standing

**Existing materials and finishes:**

Various hard standing pavements around current Artificial Grass Pitch.

**Proposed materials and finishes:**

The appearance of new hard standing areas (clean pedestrian access and circulation, vehicular access, and portable goal storage areas) will comprise grey black coloured porous asphalt.

**Type:**

Other

**Other (please specify):**

Maintenance equipment store.

**Existing materials and finishes:**

None.

**Proposed materials and finishes:**

The appearance of the new storage container (2.529m high x 6.06m long x 2.44m wide) will comprise high tensile profiled steel, finished polyester powder coated RAL6005 Moss Green.

**Type:**

Other

**Other (please specify):**

Artificial grass pitch surface.

**Existing materials and finishes:**

Sand-dressed artificial grass surface to current Artificial Grass Pitch.

**Proposed materials and finishes:**

The appearance of the 3G football turf pitch surface (the field of play) will comprise a 3G artificial grass and partially in-filled with silica sand (for stability) and SBR (for performance), coloured grass green. This surface type is recognised as the most suitable artificial playing surface

for community football and youth football development. For football applications, this proposed pitch surface is credited as 'preferred football surface' and 'surface for high level competition / training' within Sport England's guidance document 'Selecting the Right Artificial Surface for Hockey, Football, Rugby League and Rugby Union' Issue 002 / December 2010. To support The Football Association's development plans into grassroots football and to generate maximum sport developmental potential, the AGP will provide five principal types of football applications with a variety of match play pitches and training areas within the same enclosed playing space.

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

- Yes  
 No

If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

Please refer to S21-373 PLANNING APPLICATION INTRODUCTION LETTER.

## **Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way**

Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway?

- Yes  
 No

Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?

- Yes  
 No

Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site?

- Yes  
 No

Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site?

- Yes  
 No

Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way?

- Yes  
 No

## **Vehicle Parking**

Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking spaces?

- Yes  
 No

**Vehicle Type:**

Cars

**Existing number of spaces:**

309

**Total proposed (including spaces retained):**

309

**Difference in spaces:**

0

**Vehicle Type:**

Disability spaces

**Existing number of spaces:**

7

**Total proposed (including spaces retained):**

7

**Difference in spaces:**

0

## Trees and Hedges

Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?

- 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?

- Yes  
 No

**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

Soakaway

Main sewer

Pond/lake

## Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

Is 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

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

c) Features of geological conservation importance

Yes, on the development site

Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development

No

### 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:

Mains sewer

Septic tank

Package treatment plant

Cess pit

Other

Unknown

Other

Not applicable.

Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?

- Yes
- No
- Unknown

## Waste Storage and Collection

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste?

- Yes
- No

Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste?

- Yes
- No

## Trade Effluent

Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or trade waste?

- Yes
- No

## Residential/Dwelling Units

Does your proposal include the gain, loss or change of use of residential units?

- Yes
- No

## All Types of Development: Non-Residential Floorspace

Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace?

Note that 'non-residential' in this context covers all uses except Use Class C3 Dwellinghouses.

- Yes
- No

## Employment

Are there any existing employees on the site or will the proposed development increase or decrease the number of employees?

- Yes
- No

## Hours of Opening

Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal?

- Yes
- No

Please add details of the the Use Classes and hours of opening for each non-residential use proposed.

**Following changes to Use Classes on 1 September 2020: The list includes the now revoked Use Classes A1-5, B1, and D1-2 that should not be used in most cases. Also, the list does not include the newly introduced Use Classes E and F1-2. To provide details in relation to these or any 'Sui Generis' use, select 'Other' and specify the use where prompted. Multiple 'Other' options can be added to cover each individual use. [View further information on Use Classes.](#)**

If you do not know the hours of opening, select the Use Class and tick 'Unknown'

**Use Class:**

D2 - Assembly and leisure

**Unknown:**

No

**Monday to Friday:**

**Start Time:**

08:00

**End Time:**

22:00

**Saturday:**

**Start Time:**

08:00

**End Time:**

18:00

**Sunday / Bank Holiday:**

**Start Time:**

08:00

**End Time:**

18:00

## Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery

Does this proposal involve the carrying out of industrial or commercial activities and processes?

Yes

No

Is the proposal for a waste management development?

Yes

No

## Hazardous Substances

Does the proposal involve the use or storage of Hazardous Substances?

Yes

No

## 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?

The agent

The applicant

Other person

## Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

Yes

No

## 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

If yes, please provide details of their name, role, and how they are related:

\*\*\*\* REDACTED \*\*\*\*

## 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

## 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

The Applicant

The Agent

Title

First Name

Surname

Declaration Date

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

Date