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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 help locate the site - for example "field to the Nor	n of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to rth of the Post Office".	
Number		
Suffix		
Property Name		
Southridge Animal Centre		
Address Line 1		
Packhorse Lane		
Address Line 2		
Address Line 3		
Hertfordshire		
Town/city		
Ridge		
Postcode		
EN6 3LZ		
Description of site location must	be completed if postcode is not known:	
Easting (x)	Northing (y)	
520709	201902	
Description		

Applicant Details
Name/Company
Title
Mr
First name
Н
Surname
Grant
Company Name
RSPCA Headquarters
Address
Address
Address line 1
Wilberforce Way
Address line 2
Southwater
Address line 3
Town/City
Horsham
County
Country
Postcode
RH13 7WN
Are you an exert esting on behalf of the applicant?
Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?
○ No
Contact Details
Primary number

Secondary number
Fax number
Email address
Agent Details
Name/Company
Title
First name
Peter
Surname
Icke
Company Name
Gould Singleton Architects
Address
Address line 1
7
Address line 2
Earls Way
Address line 3
Town/City
Halesowen
County
Country
United Kingdom
Postcode
B63 3HR

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).
5.60
Unit
Hectares
Description of the Proposal Please note in regard to:
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If Yes, please state the date when the work or change of use was completed (date must be pre-application submission)
30/04/2009
Existing Use
Please describe the current use of the site
RSPCA Animal Centre
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
○ Yes② No
Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site
○ Yes② 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: Walls
Existing materials and finishes: Refer to drawings
Proposed materials and finishes: Refer to drawings
Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?
○ No
○ No If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way
Is a new or altered vehicular access proposed to or from the public highway?
○ Yes② 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?
○ Yes② 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
Trees and Hedges
Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site?
○ Yes② 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? O 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 siteYes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed developmentNo
⊗ NO
b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features
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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
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Please add details of the Use Classes and floorspace. 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. **Use Class:** Other (Please specify) Other (Please specify): Dog Training Facility Existing gross internal floorspace (square metres): Gross internal floorspace to be lost by change of use or demolition (square metres): Total gross new internal floorspace proposed (including changes of use) (square metres): Net additional gross internal floorspace following development (square metres): 246 Totals Existing gross Gross internal floorspace to be lost Total gross new internal floorspace Net additional gross internal internal floorspace by change of use or demolition proposed (including changes of use) floorspace following development (square metres) (square metres) (square metres) (square metres) 246 246 Loss or gain of rooms For hotels, residential institutions and hostels please additionally indicate the loss or gain of rooms: **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 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 nours of opening, select the Use Class and tick Unknown
Use Class:
Other (Please specify) Other (Please specify):
Dog Training Facility Unknown:
No No
Monday to Friday:
Start Time: 11:00
End Time: 16:15
Saturday:
Start Time: 11:00
End Time: 16:15
Sunday / Bank Holiday:
Start Time: 11:00
End Time: 16:15
10.15
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?
YesNo
Site Visit
Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?
○ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

Other person
Pre-application Advice
Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application? Or 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
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
○ The Applicant
Title
First Name
Peter
Surname
Icke
Declaration Date
13/03/2023
✓ 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
Stephen Cox
Date
13/03/2023