Haddenham Energy and Sustainability Strategy - Reserved Matters Approval 22/01164/RMM Condition 14

Renewable Energy Technology and Energy Efficiency Measures

A Renewable Energy and Water Consumption Assessment is required under Section 10 of NPPF, Policies ENV4 in the East Cambridgeshire Local Plan 2015.to validate an application for the following:

- Buildings (new build or conversions) with a gross external floorspace of 1,000 sq.m. or more. N/A
- Residential developments providing 10 or more residential units. N/A
- Residential sites of 0.5ha or more. N/A
- Any development on a site of 1ha or more. THIS APPLICATION

Project Overview

This project comprises the purchase and development of existing farmland to create new football pitches for use by the local football club, primarily the youth teams. The purchase of this land will mean that all football teams currently playing matches in nearby villages will now be based in Haddenham thus reducing the dependence on car transport by parents and carers.

As a requirement of Sport England and for Football Foundation funding, adequate welfare facilities must be provided including fit for purpose unisex changing rooms and player toilet, similar facilities for match officials (or adult coaches) and also facilities for spectators including unisex accessible toilets and pitch side refreshment facilities for all.

To minimise inconvenience to the local community, adequate car parking is provided on site comprising no dig, and minimal dig systems to act as tree root protection and sustainable drainage.

The retention pond as part of SUDS will acta a haven for water-based wildlife with a buffer zone around the east and south boundaries to encourage wild flowers etc. The new west boundary will eventually develop into a hedge with trees to create an extension to the existing eco network

To reduce the overall impact of the new build facilities, there are no social or community rooms provided except the welfare facilities. This means that the revenue stream for the facilities will be based on sports hire only, thus limiting potential to include a wider range of technologies to support sustainability

Sustainability strategy

In formulating this Sustainability Strategy, the following was taken into consideration

Sector	Strategic Actions	Project Actions
Organisation	Allocate appropriate resources	1. Specialist designers, ecologist and arboriculturist appointed
	2. Review existing policies	2. PC reviewing appointments of maintenance contractors
	3. Develop plan	Ongoing dialogue throughout projects
	4. Secure funds	4. 100% funding secured pre-commencement
	5. Measure and monitor	Review, reflect and adapt as project develops
Transport	 Encourage walking and cycling 	1. Secure bike racks provided, and local footpath network opened up
	2. Encourage co-mobility and car	2. Football Clubs to adhere to PC policies as part of hire agreement for use
	sharing	of facilities and to encourage home and visiting teams to car share
	3. Roll out EV charging	3. Provide EV charging with potential to expand
	4. Review parking strategies	 Flexible and expandable off street parking
Project Delivery	 Implement new Building Regs 	 Building Regulations approval obtained
Planning Development	1. Design quality in planning	1. Planning approved
	application	2. Football Club and local community consulted by Parish Council
	2. Community engagement	3. No dig and minimum dig car park surfacing
	3. Green infrastructure	4. Sustainable drainage design for fields, car parking and roads including
	4. Sustainable drainage	stormwater buffering and a retention pond.
	Long term maintenance and	5. Established grounds maintenance procedures in place for all PC
	management planning	managed land.
Biodiversity	Avoid and minimise adverse impacts	 Access road route adjusted to minimise impact
	2. Safeguard soil quality	Specialist soils consultants engaged on project
	3. Create ecological networks	3. Additional planting to facilitate network
	4. Promote ecological restoration	4. Tree report on recommended remedial works
	5. Tree retention	Access and parking adjusted to retain all trees
Waste	Reduce and ban single use plastics	PC to include in hire agreement for facilities
	2. Reduce landfill	2. Spoil and topsoil retained on site where possible
	3. Improve collection/disposal of	3. PC to include in maintenance contracts and hire agreements for
	compost	facilities

Energy	1. Switch to green energy provider 1. To be part of selection process for electrical provider
	2. Increase renewable energy 2. PC to consider solar PV when funding available
	3. Use ASHP technology 3. ASHP and UFH specified as part of project
	4. Use SMART meters 4. Smart meters to be installed for electric supply
	5. Low energy external lighting 5. Minimal external lighting and LEDs specified with sensors/detectors
	6. Energy management 6. Sun pipes, motion detectors and local controls and internal LEDs
Economy	 Promote green economy PC to maximise green publicity.
	 Promote green skills PC to promote as part of publicity
Agriculture	 Sustainable ground maintenance techniques As specified by The Grounds Management Association
Health	 Manage air quality during development No burning of rubbish on site. Dust suppression for all cutting and grinding activities
	 Adopt Health in All Policies Approach (HiAP) Healthy menu for pitch side refreshments

Reference docs:

P2939-SLS01 V1 - showing landscaping

GMA0930.32-1 Rev 3 – showing detention pond and field drainage.