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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.

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 Summentown Church Hall Address Line 1 Portland Road Address Line 2 Address Line 3 Oxfordshire Town/city Oxford Postcode OX2 7EZ Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known: Easting (x) Northing (y) 450758 Description	Site Location	
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Applicant Details
Name/Company
Title
Mr
First name
Jonathan
Surname
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Company Name
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Address
Address line 1
St Michael& All Angels
Address line 2
Lonsdale Road
Address line 3
Summertown
Town/City
Oxford
County
Country
United Kingdom
Postcode
OX2 7ES
Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?
○Yes
⊗ No
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).
25.00
Unit
Sq. metres
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
Change of use of office space located within the Church Hall building to commercial use. All works already completed and approved by Building Control.
Has the work or change of use already started?
⊙ Yes
○ No
If yes, please state the date when the work or change of use started (date must be pre-application submission)
01/05/2023
Has the work or change of use been completed?
✓ Yes○ No
If Yes, please state the date when the work or change of use was completed (date must be pre-application submission)
01/05/2023

Existing Use
Please describe the current use of the site
Currently used as an office for community/church use.
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
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?
○ Yes② 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?
YesNo
Vehicle Parking

Does the site have any existing vehicle/cycle parking spaces or will the proposed development add/remove any parking spaces?
✓ Yes○ No
Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking spaces
Vehicle Type: Cars
Existing number of spaces:
9 Total proposed (including spaces retained):
9
Difference in spaces:
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 <u>Flood map for planning</u> . You should also refer to national <u>standing advice</u> 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 development② 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		
Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system?		
✓ Yes○ No		
○ Unknown		
If Yes, please include the details of the existing system on the application drawings and state the plan(s)/drawing(s) references		
Connection to existing drain (see plan).		
Waste Storage and Collection		

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of wa	ste?	
YesNo		
Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collect	tion of recyclable waste?	
○ No		
If Yes, please provide details:		
Use existing bins		
Trade Effluent		
Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or	trade waste?	
○ Yes		
⊙ No		
Residential/Dwelling Units		
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Does your proposal include the gain, loss or change of use of residence.	ential units?	
○ Yes ⊙ No		
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Employment Are there any existing employees on the site or will the proposed development increase or decrease the number of employees? ○ Yes ② No
Hours of Opening Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal? ○ Yes ② No
Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery Does this proposal involve the carrying out of industrial or commercial activities and processes? ○ Yes ② No Is the proposal for a waste management development? ○ Yes ② 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?
Pre-application Advice Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

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
E mail to Rev Gavin Knight dated 19 October 2023
Date (must be pre-application submission)
19/10/2023
Details of the pre-application advice received
Requirement to submit a retrospective planning application.
See below:
"Hello Gavin,
Thanks for your email.
While you have seemingly been advised that internal works do not require planning permission, as discussed at the time, it is my view that you have subdivided the church to create a sperate office that you seemingly now rent out to a paying tenant. As such, this is a subdivision and that that does need planning permission.
As such, please retrospectively apply for planning permission to subdivide the property. This can be done through the planning portal website: www.planningportal.co.uk. Please be aware that you are not guaranteed to receive planning permission and any proposal is assessed against the policies ion the Oxford Local Plan 2036.
It is normally expected that some kind of action is taken to remedy the breach within a period of 28 days of being notified of the breach., As such, id be grateful if you could see to it that an application is submitted by 16th November 2026.
Many thanks
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Ian Williams I Planning Enforcement Officer
Planning Enforcement I Private Sector Safety Team I Planning & Regulatory Services I Oxford City Council I Oxford Town Hall I St. Aldate's I Oxford I OX1 1BX

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?
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
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

Title
Mr
First Name
Jonathan

Surname
Scheele
Declaration Date
24/11/2023
✓ Declaration made
Declaration
I/We hereby apply for Full planning permission as described in the questions answered, details provided, and the 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 opinions of the person(s) giving them. I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions: - Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published 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 Jonathan Scheele
Date
29/01/2024