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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

Wood Farm

Address Line 1

Red Road

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Staffordshire

Town/city

Alton

Postcode

ST10 4BT

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

Easting (x)

405994

Northing (y)

343085

Description

Siting for Building 01.
SK 05814 43223
Easting: 405814
Northing: 343223

Siting for Building 02.
SK 05732 43176
Easting: 405732
Northing: 343176

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Mark

Surname

Halsey

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Wood Farm

Address line 2

Red Road

Address line 3

Town/City

Alton

County

Staffordshire

Country

Postcode

ST10 4BT

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

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Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Bruce

Surname

Johnson

Company Name

B3architectural

Address

Address line 1

62 Miles Green Road,

Address line 2

Bignall End

Address line 3

Town/City

Stoke-on-Trent

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

ST7 8LQ

Contact Details

Primary number

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Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

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Site Area

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

73918.00

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

Storage Buildings for Agricultural / Forestry purpose for produce and equipment

Has the work or change of use already started?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site

Agricultural Land

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:
Walls

Existing materials and finishes:
None

Proposed materials and finishes:
Building 01 Concrete Panels up to 2m height. Vertical Boarding above using treated timber in agricultural style. Gaps provided (25mm) for ventilation. Building 02 All walls in Timber Boarding with no gaps to provide weather protection and some insulation values. Timber Frame Wall.

Type:
Roof

Existing materials and finishes:
None

Proposed materials and finishes:
Building 01 15 degree dual pitch using Corrugated cement fibre sheeting Building 02 25 degree dual pitch using Corrugated cement fibre sheeting

Type:
Windows

Existing materials and finishes:
None

Proposed materials and finishes:
Building 01 Open Fronted Building with no windows Building 02 0.9x0.9m Windows to both sides. Glazed Door to front. All to be Double Glazed and Locking for security

Type:
Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)

Existing materials and finishes:
Existing Boundaries are unaffected

Proposed materials and finishes:
No change

Type:
Vehicle access and hard standing

Existing materials and finishes:
N/A

Proposed materials and finishes:
Only agricultural vehicles will be used to access these buildings. No specific access or hardstanding provided

Type:
Doors

Existing materials and finishes:
None

Proposed materials and finishes:
Building 01 Open Fronted Building with no doors Building 02 Glazed Door to front. All to be Double Glazed and Locking for security

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

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

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

See Drawing Reference:
23-06-b3-XX-XX-DR-A-0102_Proposed_Block_Plan_(01and02)
23-06-b3-XX-XX-DR-A-0201_Proposed_Plans_(01)
23-06-b3-XX-XX-DR-A-0202_Proposed_Plans_and_Elevations_(02)
23-06-b3-XX-XX-DR-A-0401_Proposed_Elevations_(01)

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

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
- [x] Other
- [ ] Unknown

Other

No requirement for drainage

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

If Yes, please provide details:

There are no waste products in the operation. All crops are entirely used.

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

- ◉ Yes
- ○ No

If Yes, please provide details:

There are no waste products in the operation.

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

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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.

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

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):
Sui Generis - Agriculture / Forestry

Existing gross internal floorspace (square metres):
0

Gross internal floorspace to be lost by change of use or demolition (square metres):
0

Total gross new internal floorspace proposed (including changes of use) (square metres):
97

Net additional gross internal floorspace following development (square metres):
97

Totals	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)
	0	0	97	97

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?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

Existing Employees

Please complete the following information regarding existing employees:

Full-time

1

Part-time

2

Total full-time equivalent

2.00

Proposed Employees

If known, please complete the following information regarding proposed employees:

Full-time

2

Part-time

4

Total full-time equivalent

4.00

Hours of Opening

Are Hours of Opening relevant to this proposal?

◯ Yes
⊘ No

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?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] 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

Email after Pre-Application Planning Surgery Call

Date (must be pre-application submission)

15/03/2023

Details of the pre-application advice received

The proposed buildings will require a full planning application rather than a “Part 6 of the GPDO” Notification of Prior Approval application because the land associated with the buildings is less than 5.0 hectares.

However, I have no immediate objections to the proposals as they are needed in connection with the horticultural, agricultural and other uses of the open land and the scale and design appears to be acceptable, subject to their siting. I have not been provided with any details of this but obviously would advise the buildings be located in the best screened area of the property as possible in terms of views from public footpaths and roads and where roots of mature and healthy trees will not be harmed.

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
- [x] 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
- ☑ The Agent

Title

Mr

First Name

Bruce

Surname

Johnson

Declaration Date

19/04/2023

☑ 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

Bruce Johnson

Date

20/04/2023