Bath & North East Somerset Council

BATH AND NORTH EAST SOMERSET COUNCIL PLANNING COMMITTEE 19th November 2025 DECISIONS

Item No: 01

Application No: 25/00142/RES

Site Location: Bath Quays North Development Site, Avon Street, City Centre, Bath

Ward: Kingsmead Parish: N/A LB Grade: N/A Application Type: PI Permission (ApprovalReserved Matters)

Proposal: Approval of Reserved Matters for Plots 6 and 7 (access, layout, scale,

appearance and landscape) of development permitted by 20/02787/VAR (Variation of condition 42 (Approved Drawings, Development Specification and Design Codes) of application 18/00058/EREG03 (Outline planning application for comprehensive mixed use redevelopment, comprising B1, C1, C3, A1, A3, A4, D1 and D2 uses, with total combined floorspace of up to 38,000sqm (GIA,above ground), infrastructure (including basement car park) and associated development, including demolition of existing multi storey car park and amenity building. Access, landscaping, layout and scale for approval (to extent described in separate Development

Specification), all other matters reserved.))

Constraints: Article 4 Bath Demolition Wall, Article 4 Bath Office Conversion,

Article 4 Reg 7: Estate Agent, Article 4 HMO, Colerne Airfield Buffer, Agricultural Land Classification, Policy B1 Bath Enterprise Area, Policy B2 Bath Central Area, Policy B4 WHS - Indicative Extent, Policy B4 WHS - Boundary, Conservation Area, Contaminated Land, Policy CP12 Bath City Centre, Policy CP9 Affordable Housing, Canal and Rivers Trust Householder, Canal and Rivers Trust Major, Canal and Rivers Trust Minor, District Heating Priority Area, Flood Zone 2, LLFA - Flood Risk Management, MOD Safeguarded Areas, Policy NE1 Green Infrastructure Network, Policy NE2A Landscapes and the green set, Policy NE3 SNCI 200m Buffer, Ecological Networks Policy NE5, NRN Wetland Strategic Network Policy NE5, Placemaking Plan Allocated Sites, River Avon and Kennet & Avon Canal, SSSI - Impact

Risk Zones,

Applicant: Aequus Group

Expiry Date: 21st November 2025
Case Officer: David MacFadyen

DECISION Delegate to PERMIT subject to Section 106 Agreement

Application No: 25/02735/FUL

Site Location: Bath Fire Station, Bathwick Street, Bathwick, Bath

Ward: Bathwick Parish: N/A LB Grade: N/A

Application Type: Full Application

Proposal: Erection of fire station, offices and drill tower with revised access, car

parking, landscaping and associated ancillary works following

demolition of existing fire station, offices and drill tower

Constraints: Article 4 Bath Demolition Wall, Article 4 Reg 7: Estate Agent, Article 4

HMO, Colerne Airfield Buffer, Agric Land Class 3b,4,5, Air Quality Management Area, Policy B4 WHS - Indicative Extent, Policy B4 WHS - Boundary, Conservation Area, Policy CP9 Affordable Housing, Flood Zone 2, Flood Zone 3, LLFA - Flood Risk Management, MOD Safeguarded Areas, Policy NE1 Green Infrastructure Network, Policy NE3 SNCI 200m Buffer, Ecological Networks Policy NE5, NRN Wetland Strategic Network Policy NE5, River Avon and Kennet &

Avon Canal, SSSI - Impact Risk Zones,

Applicant: Avon Fire And Rescue Service

Expiry Date: 21st November 2025 **Case Officer:** David MacFadyen

DECISION Delegate to PERMIT subject to Section 106 Agreement

Application No: 25/01546/FUL

Site Location: Leigh House Trust Health Centre, 1 Wells Road, Westfield, Bath And

North East Somerset

Ward: Radstock Parish: Radstock LB Grade: N/A

Application Type: Full Application

Proposal: Change of use from Office and Storage (E) to a large House of

Multiple Occupancy (HMO) (sui generis)

Constraints: Agricultural Land Classification, Coal - Standing Advice Area,

Conservation Area, Policy CP12 Bath City Centre, Policy CP9 Affordable Housing, Housing Development Boundary, Policy NE1 Green Infrastructure Network, Policy NE3 SNCI 200m Buffer, NRN Woodland Strategic Networ Policy NE5, SSSI - Impact Risk Zones,

Applicant: RCL Developments
Expiry Date: 12th June 2025
Case Officer: Christine Moorfield

DECISION PERMIT

Application No: 25/01499/FUL

Site Location: 56 Stonehouse Lane, Combe Down, Bath, Bath And North East

Somerset

Ward: Combe Down Parish: N/A LB Grade: N/A

Application Type: Full Application

Proposal: Erection of 6 no. 2-3 storey dwellings and associated access,

drainage and hard/soft landscape works following demolition of 2 no

existing houses

Constraints: Article 4 HMO, Colerne Airfield Buffer, Agric Land Class 3b,4,5, Policy

B4 WHS - Indicative Extent, Policy B4 WHS - Boundary, Contaminated Land, Policy CP9 Affordable Housing, Policy LCR5 Safeguarded existg sport & R, MOD Safeguarded Areas, Policy NE1 Green Infrastructure Network, Policy NE3 SNCI 200m Buffer, SSSI -

Impact Risk Zones,

Applicant: Continental Trade (Bath) Ltd

Expiry Date: 21st November 2025
Case Officer: Christopher Masters

DECISION REFUSE

Application No: 23/04552/FUL

Site Location: Central Garage , 93 Bristol Road, Whitchurch, Bristol

Ward: Publow And Whitchurch Parish: Whitchurch LB Grade: N/A

Application Type: Full Application

Proposal: Demolition of existing garage building and erection of a commercial

unit (Use Class E) with two flats above (Use Class C3).

Constraints: Bristol Airport Safeguarding, Agric Land Class 3b,4,5, Coal - Standing

Advice Area, Contaminated Land, Policy CP12 Centres and Retail, Policy CP9 Affordable Housing, Housing Development Boundary, Policy NE1 Green Infrastructure Network, Ecological Networks Policy NE5, Neighbourhood Plan, SSSI - Impact Risk Zones, Policy ST8

Safeguarded Airport & Aerodro,

Applicant: Creo Properties Ltd
Expiry Date: 21st November 2025
Case Officer: Christopher Masters

DECISION PERMIT

1 Standard Time Limit (Compliance)

The development hereby permitted shall be begun before the expiration of three years from the date of this permission.

Reason: As required by Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) and to avoid the accumulation of unimplemented planning permission.

2 Plans List (Compliance)

The development/works hereby permitted shall only be implemented in accordance with the plans as set out in the plans list.

Reason: To define the terms and extent of the permission.

3 Construction Management Plan (Pre-commencement)

No development shall commence until a Construction Management Plan has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

This shall include details of the following:

- 1. Deliveries (including storage arrangements and timings);
- Contractor parking;
- 3. Traffic management;
- 4. Working hours;
- 5. Site opening times:
- 6. Wheel wash facilities;
- 7. Site compound arrangements;
- 8. Measures for the control of dust;

The construction of the development shall thereafter be undertaken in accordance with the approved details.

Reason: To ensure the safe operation of the highway and in the interests of protecting residential amenity in accordance with Policy D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan and ST7 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

This is a pre-commencement condition because any initial construction or demolition works could have a detrimental impact upon highways safety and/or residential amenity.

4 Contaminated Land - Investigation and Risk Assessment (Pre-commencement)

No development shall commence, except for ground investigations and demolition, required to undertake such investigations, until an investigation and risk assessment of the nature and extent of contamination on site and its findings has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. This assessment must be undertaken by a competent person, and shall assess any contamination on the site, whether or not it originates on the site. The assessment must be conducted in accordance with DEFRA and the Environment Agency's 'Model Procedures for the Management of Land Contamination, CLR 11' and shall include:

- (i) a survey of the extent, scale and nature of contamination;
- (ii) an assessment of the potential risks to:
- o human health,
- o property (existing or proposed) including buildings, crops, livestock, pets, woodland and service

lines and pipes,

- o adjoining land,
- o groundwaters and surface waters,
- o ecological systems,
- o archaeological sites and ancient monuments;
- (iii) an appraisal of remedial options, and proposal of the preferred option(s).

Reason: In order to ensure that the land is suitable for the intended uses and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors and in accordance with policy PCS5 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update and chapter 15 of the National Planning Policy Framework. This is a pre commencement condition because the initial works comprising the development have the potential to uncover harmful contamination.

5 Contaminated Land - Remediation Scheme (Pre-commencement)

No development shall commence, except for ground investigations and demolition required to undertake such investigations, until a detailed remediation scheme to bring the site to a condition suitable for the intended use by removing unacceptable risks to human health, buildings and other property and the natural and historical environment, has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority, unless the findings of the approved investigation and risk assessment has confirmed that a remediation scheme is not required. The scheme shall include:

- (i) all works to be undertaken;
- (ii) proposed remediation objectives and remediation criteria;
- (iii) timetable of works and site management procedures; and,

(iv) where required, a monitoring and maintenance scheme to monitor the long-term effectiveness of the proposed remediation and a timetable for the submission of reports that demonstrate the effectiveness of the monitoring and maintenance carried out.

The remediation scheme shall ensure that the site will not qualify as contaminated land under Part 2A of the Environmental Protection Act 1990 in relation to the intended use of the land after remediation.

The approved remediation scheme shall be carried out prior to the commencement of development, other than that required to carry out remediation, or in accordance with the approved timetable of works.

Reason: In order to ensure that the land is suitable for the intended uses and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors and in accordance with policy PCS5 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update and chapter 15 of the National Planning Policy Framework. This is a pre commencement condition because the initial works comprising the development have the potential to uncover harmful contamination.

6 Drainage Strategy (Bespoke Trigger)

Prior to excavating the foundations of the building hereby approved details of the provision for the sustainable disposal of surface water shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The development shall thereafter be undertaken in accordance with the approved details.

Reason: To ensure that an appropriate method of surface water drainage is installed and in the interests of flood risk management in accordance with Policy CP5 of the Bath and North East Somerset Core Strategy and Policy SU1 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

7 Materials - Submission of Materials Schedule (Bespoke Trigger)

No construction of the external walls of the development shall commence until a schedule of materials and finishes to be used in the construction of the external surfaces, including roofs, has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The schedule shall include:

- 1. Detailed specification of the proposed materials (Type, size, colour, brand, quarry location, etc.);
- 2. Photographs of all of the proposed materials;
- 3. An annotated drawing showing the parts of the development using each material.

Samples of any of the materials in the submitted schedule shall be made available at the request of the Local Planning Authority.

The development shall thereafter be carried out in accordance with the approved details.

Reason: In the interests of the appearance of the development and the surrounding area in accordance with policy CP6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Core Strategy,

policies D1, D2, D3 and HE1 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan and Policy D5 of the Bath and North Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

8 Contaminated Land - Verification Report (Pre-occupation)

No occupation shall commence until a verification report that demonstrates the effectiveness of the remediation carried out has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority, unless the findings of the approved investigation and risk assessment has confirmed that a remediation scheme is not required.

Reason: In order to ensure that the land is suitable for the intended uses and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors and in accordance with policy PCS5 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update and chapter 15 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

9 Noise mitigation (Pre-occupation)

On completion of the development but prior to any occupation of the approved development, the applicant shall submit to and have approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority, an assessment from a competent person to demonstrate that the development has been constructed to provide sound attenuation against external noise. The following levels shall be achieved: Maximum internal noise levels of 35dBLAeq,16hr and 30dBLAeq,8hr for living rooms and bedrooms during the daytime and night time respectively. In addition, for bedrooms at night individual noise events (measured with F time-weighting) shall not (normally) exceed 45dBLAmax.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of occupiers from excessive noise in accordance with policies PCS2 and D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

10 Landscape Design Proposals (Pre-occupation)

No occupation of the development hereby approved shall take place until full details of both hard and soft landscape proposals and programme of implementation have been submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority. These details shall be shown on plan /elevation drawings and include, as appropriate:

- 1. Proposed finished levels or contours
- 2. Means of enclosure
- 3. Hard surfacing materials
- 4. Minor artefacts and structures (e.g. bicycle and refuse storage)

Soft landscape details shall be consistent with the submitted plans and shall include:

- 1. Planting plans
- 2. Written specifications (including cultivation and other operations associated with plant and grass establishment)
- 3. Schedules of plants, noting species, planting sizes and proposed numbers / densities

All hard and soft landscape works shall be carried out in accordance with the approved details. The works shall be carried out prior to the occupation of any part of the development or in accordance with the programme of implementation agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: To ensure that the landscape works are implemented and maintained to ensure the continued provision of amenity and environmental quality occurs accordance with Policies D1, D2 and D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

11 SCR6 Residential Properties (Pre-occupation)

Prior to occupation of the dwellings hereby approved, the following tables (as set out in the Council's Sustainable Construction Checklist Supplementary Planning Document) shall be completed in respect of the completed development and submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority together with the further documentation listed below. The development must comply with the requirements of SCR6.

PHPP/SAP calculations are to be updated with as-built performance values. The following are to be completed using the updated as-built values for energy performance.

Minor Residential Development:

- 1. Energy Summary Tool 1 or 2
- 2. Tables 1.1 or 1.2 (if proposal has more than one dwelling type)

All Residential Development:

- 3. Table 5 (updated)
- 4. Building Regulations Part L post-completion documents for renewables;
- 5. Building Regulations Part L post-completion documents for energy efficiency;
- 6. Final as-built full data report from Passive House Planning Package or SAP
- 7. Microgeneration Certification Scheme (MCS) Certificate/s

Reason: To ensure that the approved development complies with Policy SCR6 of the Local Plan Partial Update.

12 Water Efficiency - Rainwater Harvesting (Compliance)

No occupation of the approved dwellings shall commence until the scheme for rainwater harvesting as shown on drawing IH3-PD20 E PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN received 11th June 2025 has been installed.

Reason: In the interests of water efficiency in accordance with Policy SCR5 of the Placemaking Plan.

13 Water Efficiency (Compliance)

The approved dwellings shall be constructed to meet the national optional Building Regulations requirement for water efficiency of 110 litres per person per day.

Reason: In the interests of water efficiency in accordance with Policy SCR5 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

14 Bicycle Storage (Compliance)

No occupation of the development shall commence until the bicycle storage has been provided in accordance with the details shown on drawing IH3-PD20 E PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN received 11th June 2025. The bicycle storage shall be retained permanently thereafter.

Reason: In the interest of enabling cycling as genuine choice of travel mode, in accordance with Policies ST1 and ST7 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

15 Obscure Glazing and Non-opening Windows (Compliance)

The proposed windows in the northern elevation of the proposed building shall be obscurely glazed and non-opening unless the parts of the window which can be opened are more than 1.7m above the floor of the room in which the window is installed. Thereafter the window shall be permanently retained as such.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of adjoining occupiers from overlooking and loss of privacy in accordance with policy D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

16 Hours of Use (Compliance)

The commercial, business or service use hereby approved shall not operate outside the hours of 08:00 - 20:00.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of nearby occupiers in accordance with Policy D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

17 Deliveries and Servicing Hours (Compliance)

The commercial, business or service use hereby approved shall not accept deliveries or servicing outside the hours of 08:00 - 20:00.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of nearby occupiers in accordance with Policy D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan.

18 Bin & Recycling Storage (Compliance)

Bins and recycling boxes associated with commercial, business or services use hereby approved, shall be stored internally within the building at all times, other than on collection day. Following collection, bins shall be returned to the premises as soon as possible and other than on collection day, must not be stored outside the boundary of the site at any other time.

Reason: In the interests of the safe and free flow of the surrounding highway network as well as the amenity of residents as required by policies D6 and ST7 of the Bath & North East Somerset Local Plan, Transport and Development SPD and B&NES Waste Planning Guidance (2019).

19 Parking (Compliance)

The areas allocated for parking and turning, as indicated on submitted plan IH3-PD20 E PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN received 11th June 2025 shall be kept clear of obstruction and shall not be used other than for the parking of vehicles in connection with the development hereby permitted.

Reason: To ensure sufficient parking and turning areas are retained at all times in the interests of amenity and highways safety in accordance with Policy D6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan and Policy ST7 of the Bath and North East

Somerset Local Plan Partial Update and the Transport and Development Supplementary Planning Document.

20 Contaminated Land - Unexpected Contamination (Compliance)

In the event that contamination which was not previously identified is found at any time when carrying out the approved development, it must be reported in writing immediately to the Local Planning Authority. Thereafter an investigation and risk assessment shall be undertaken, and where remediation is necessary, a remediation scheme shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. Following completion of measures identified in the approved remediation scheme, a verification report (that demonstrates the effectiveness of the remediation carried out) must be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to occupation of the development.

Reason: In order to ensure that the land is suitable for the intended uses and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors and in accordance with section 11 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

21 Precautionary Working Methods for Bats and Birds (Compliance)

The development must proceed only in accordance with the following measures for the protection of bats and birds:

- 1. A careful visual check for signs of active bird nests and bats shall be made of the interior and exterior of the building and its roof, prior to any works affecting these areas;
- 2. Active nests shall be protected undisturbed until the young have fledged;
- 3. Works to the roof and any areas with potential to support concealed spaces or crevices shall be carried out by hand, lifting tiles (not sliding) to remove them, and checking beneath each one.
- 4. If bats are encountered works shall cease and the Bat Helpline (Tel 0345 1300 228) or a licenced bat worker shall be contacted for advice before proceeding.

Reason: To protect nesting birds and bats and prevent ecological harm in accordance with policy CP6 of the Bath and North East Somerset Core Strategy and policy NE3 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

22 Footway Works (Compliance)

The proposed development shall not be occupied until the footway between the two accesses has been reinstated, including the raising of dropped kerbs, in accordance with drawing number IH3-PD20 E PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN received 11th June 2025.

Reason: To ensure that the development is served by a safe access in the interests of highway safety in accordance with ST7 of the Bath and North East Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

23 Removal of Permitted Development Rights - Shopfront Display (Compliance)

Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (or any order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification) and The Town and Country Planning (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007 (or any regulations revoking and re-enacting those regulations with or without modification) the window glass of the shopfront hereby approved shall not be painted or otherwise obscured either in whole or in part and a window display area shall be permanently retained in accordance with the approved plans.

Reason: In the interest of the appearance of the development and maintaining an active frontage within the Local Centre in accordance with policies CP12, D1, D2 and D3 of the Bath and North East Somerset Placemaking Plan and Policy D5 of the Bath and North Somerset Local Plan Partial Update.

PLANS LIST:

This decision relates to the following plans:

Received 11th June 2025

IH3-PD20 E PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN IH3-PD21 C PROPOSED FIRST FLOOR PLAN IH3-PD22 D PROPOSED SECOND FLOOR PLAN IH3-PD70 D PROPOSED ELEVATIONS

Received 5th December 2023

IH3-ED01 LOCATION AND BLOCK PLAN
IH3-ED01 BLOCK PLAN
IH3-ED20 EXISTING GROUND FLOOR PLAN
IH3-ED21 EXISTING SITE SURVEY

Condition Categories

The heading of each condition gives an indication of the type of condition and what is required by it. There are 4 broad categories:

Compliance - The condition specifies matters to which you must comply. These conditions do not require the submission of additional details and do not need to be discharged.

Pre-commencement - The condition requires the submission and approval of further information, drawings or details before any work begins on the approved development. The condition will list any specific works which are exempted from this restriction, e.g. ground investigations, remediation works, etc.

Pre-occupation - The condition requires the submission and approval of further information, drawings or details before occupation of all or part of the approved development.

Bespoke Trigger - The condition contains a bespoke trigger which requires the submission and approval of further information, drawings or details before a specific action occurs.

Please note all conditions should be read fully as these headings are intended as a guide only.

Where approval of further information is required you will need to submit an application to Discharge Conditions and pay the relevant fee via the Planning Portal at www.planningportal.co.uk or post to Planning Services, Lewis House, Manvers Street, Bath, BA1 1JG.

Community Infrastructure Levy - General Note for all Development

You are advised that as of 6 April 2015, the Bath & North East Somerset Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) Charging Schedule came into effect. CIL may apply to new developments granted by way of planning permission as well as by general consent (permitted development) and may apply to change of use permissions and certain extensions. **Before** commencing any development on site you should ensure you are familiar with the CIL process. If the development approved by this permission is CIL liable there are requirements to assume liability and notify the Council **before any development commences**.

Do not commence development until you been notified in writing by the Council that you have complied with CIL; failure to comply with the regulations can result in surcharges, interest and additional payments being added and will result in the forfeiture of any instalment payment periods and other reliefs which may have been granted.

Community Infrastructure Levy - Exemptions and Reliefs Claims

The CIL regulations are non-discretionary in respect of exemption claims. If you are intending to claim a relief or exemption from CIL (such as a "self-build relief") it is important that you understand and follow the correct procedure **before** commencing **any** development on site. You must apply for any relief and have it approved in writing by the Council then notify the Council of the intended start date **before** you start work on site. Once development has commenced you will be unable to claim any reliefs retrospectively and CIL will become payable in full along with any surcharges and mandatory interest charges. If you commence development after making an exemption or relief claim but before the claim is approved, the claim will be forfeited and cannot be reinstated.

Full details about the CIL Charge including, amount and process for payment will be sent out in a CIL Liability Notice which you will receive shortly. Further details are available here: www.bathnes.gov.uk/cil. If you have any queries about CIL please email cil@BATHNES.GOV.UK

Responding to Climate Change (Informative):

The council is committed to responding to climate change. You are advised to consider sustainable construction when undertaking the approved development and consider using measures aimed at minimising carbon emissions and impacts on climate change.

Biodiversity Net Gain - Exempt/Not required

The effect of paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A to the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 is that planning permission granted for development of land in England is deemed to have been granted subject to the condition (biodiversity gain condition) that development may not begin unless:

- (a) a Biodiversity Gain Plan has been submitted to the planning authority, and
- (b) the planning authority has approved the plan.

There are statutory exemptions and transitional arrangements which mean that the biodiversity gain condition does not always apply. These are set out in the Biodiversity Gain Requirements (Exemptions) Regulations 2024 and The Environment Act 2021 (Commencement No. 8 and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2024.

Based on the information available this permission is considered to be one which will not require the approval of a biodiversity gain plan before development is begun because one or more of the statutory exemptions or transitional arrangements is/are considered to apply.

Highways Access Advice Note

The applicant should be advised to contact the Highway Maintenance Team at Highways@bathnes.gov.uk with regard to securing a licence under Section 184 of the Highways Act 1980 for the construction of a vehicular crossing. The access shall not be brought into use until the details of the access have been approved and constructed in accordance with the current Specification.

Civil or legal consents

This permission does not convey or imply any civil or legal consents required to undertake the works.

Coal Mining - Low Risk Area (but within coalfield)

The proposed development lies within a coal mining area which may contain unrecorded coal mining related hazards. If any coal mining feature is encountered during development, this should be reported immediately to the Coal Authority on 0345 762 6848.

Further information is also available on the Coal Authority website at: http://www.gov.uk/mining-remediation-authority

Permit/Consent Decision Making Statement

In determining this application the Local Planning Authority considers it has complied with the aims of paragraph 39 of the National Planning Policy Framework.