

Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

Planning Permission

Name and Address of Applicant

Owl Homes
c/o agent

Name and Address of Agent (if any)

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Part I - Particulars of Application

Date of Application	Application No.
1 May 2025	25/00448/CONDIT

Particulars and location of development :

Application to vary conditions 1 and 4 from planning application 23/00712/REM to amend plans to remove the retail unit and replace it with one dwelling.

Land Off Wood Lane Higham On The Hill Leicestershire

Part II - Particulars of decision

In dealing with the application, through ongoing negotiation the local planning authority have worked with the applicant in a positive and proactive manner by offering a pre-application advice service and by seeking solutions to problems arising in relation to dealing with the planning application and this has resulted in the approval of the application. The Local Planning Authority has therefore acted pro-actively to secure a sustainable form of development in line with the requirements of the National Planning Policy Framework (paragraph 38) and in accordance with the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended).

In pursuance of its powers under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, the Hinckley and Bosworth Borough Council grants permission for the carrying out of the development referred to in Part I hereof in accordance with the application form and plans submitted, subject to the following conditions :-

1. The development hereby permitted shall not be carried out otherwise than in complete accordance with the submitted application drawings as follows:
 - a. 1023-AD-001 (Location Plan)
 - b. LL1583-001 (Street Lighting Layout)
 - c. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0002 Detailed On-plot Planting Plan - P03
 - d. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0003 Detailed On-Plot Planting Plan - P03
 - e. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0004 Detailed On-Plot Planting Plan - P03
 - f. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0001-0004 Detailed Planting Plan - P04
 - g. 1023-AD-002J (Site Layout)
 - h. 1023-AD-003B (Coloured Presentation Layout - Low Res)
 - i. 1023-AD-004B (Materials Plan)
 - j. 1023-AD-005E (Means of Enclosure)
 - k. 1023-AD-007D (CEMP)
 - l. 1023-AD-009B (Surface Materials Plan)
 - m. 1023-AD-012B (Storey Heights Plan)

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- n. 1023-AD-013B (Parking Plan)
- o. 1023-AD-014B (Refuse Storage and Collection)
- p. 1023-AD-015B (Character Areas Plan)
- q. 1023-AD-021B (POS Typologies Plan)
- r. AT-HTR-01(Proposed Plans and Elevations (The Heather))
- s. 23021-1-K-J - Site Appraisal
- t. 23031-5-A - Visibility Splays Plan
- u. 23031-6-A - Refuse Vehicle Tracking
- v. 23021-7 - Indicative Attenuation Pond Cross Sections
- w. House Type Pack Rev C

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory form of development in accordance with Policies DM1 and DM10 of the Site Allocations and Development Management Policies Development Plan Document (2016).

2. The approved hard and soft landscaping scheme shall be carried out in accordance with the Landscape Proposals included within the submitted drawings as follows:

- i. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0002 Detailed On-plot Planting Plan - P03
- ii. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0003 Detailed On-Plot Planting Plan - P03
- iii. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0004 Detailed On-Plot Planting Plan - P03
- iv. 9882-FPCR-XX-XX-DR-L-0001-0004 Detailed Planting Plan - P04

The landscaping scheme shall be delivered in the first planting season following the first occupation of the site. The soft landscaping shall be maintained for a period of five years from the date of planting. During this period, any trees or shrubs which die or are damaged, removed, or seriously diseased shall be replaced by trees or shrubs of a similar size and species to those originally planted at which time shall be specified in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: To ensure that the work is carried out within a reasonable period and thereafter maintained in accordance with Policy DM10 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies Plan

3. The development hereby permitted shall not be occupied until such time as the parking and turning facilities have been implemented in accordance with Owl Homes Drawing No. 1023-AD-002J (Site Layout). Thereafter the onsite parking provision shall be so maintained in perpetuity.

Reason: To ensure that adequate off-street parking provision is made to reduce the possibility of the proposed development leading to on-street parking problems locally (and to enable vehicles to enter and leave the site in a forward direction) in accordance with Policy DM17 and DM18 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies Plan

4. Any dwellings that are served by private access drives (and any turning spaces) shall not be occupied until such time as the private access drive that serves those dwellings has been provided in accordance with Figure DG17 of the Leicestershire Highway Design Guide. The private access drives should be surfaced with tarmacadam, or similar hard bound material (not loose aggregate) for a distance of at least 5 metres behind the highway boundary and, once provided, shall be so maintained in perpetuity.

Reason: To reduce the possibility of deleterious material being deposited in the highway (loose stones etc.) in the interests of highway safety and in accordance with policy DM17 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD and the NPPF

5. No part of the development hereby permitted shall be occupied until such time as 1.0 metre by 1.0 metre pedestrian visibility splays have been provided on the highway boundary on both sides of each private drive/ shared private drive with nothing within those splays higher than 0.6 metres above the level of the adjacent footway/verge/highway and, once provided, shall be so maintained in perpetuity.

Reason: In the interests of pedestrian safety, and in accordance with policy DM17 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD and the NPPF.

6. Notwithstanding the provisions of Part 2 of Schedule 2, Article 3 of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order) no gates, barriers, bollards, chains or other such obstructions shall be erected to the vehicular access.

Reason: To enable a vehicle to stand clear of the highway in order to protect the free and safe passage of traffic including pedestrians in the public highway and in accordance with policy DM17 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD and the NPPF.

7. Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 3, Schedule 2, Part 1 Class A; of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification), no enlargement improvement or other alteration to the dwellings hereby approved shall be carried out unless planning permission for such development has been granted by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: To safeguard the amenities of neighbouring properties in accordance with Policy DM10 of the Site Allocations and Development Management Policies Development Plan Document (2016).

8. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the Highway Drainage and Adoptable Drainage information submitted as part of the approved discharge of conditions application 23/01073/DISCON.

Reason: To reduce the possibility of surface water from the site being deposited in the highway causing dangers to road users in accordance with policy DM17 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD and the NPPF.

9. Notwithstanding the submitted plans, any garage doors shall be set back from the highway boundary a minimum distance of 5.5 metres for sliding or roller/shutter doors/ 6.1 metres for up-and-over doors / 6.5 metres for doors opening outwards and thereafter shall be so maintained.

Reason: To enable a vehicle to stand clear of the highway whilst the garage doors are opened/closed, to protect the free and safe passage of traffic including pedestrians in the public highway and to ensure that adequate off street parking provision is available to reduce the possibility of on street parking problems locally in accordance with policy DM17 and policy DM18 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD and the NPPF

10. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in full accordance with the findings and recommendations contained within the Landscape and Ecological Management Plan (FPCR, June 2022). Prior to occupation of the last dwelling on site, photos of the integrated bird and bat boxes within the new dwellings should be provided in order to discharge the condition. The bird and bat boxes shall thereafter be retained in perpetuity.

Reason: In order to protect endangered species and establish new habitats in accordance with Policy DM6 of the Site Allocations and Development Management Policies DPD 2016

11. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the Refuse Storage & Collection Site Layout submitted as part of the approved discharge of conditions application 23/01073/DISCON.

Reason: To ensure the bin storage on site is not detrimental to the street scene and overall design of the scheme in accordance with Policy DM10 of the adopted Site Allocations and Development Management Policies Development Plan Document (2016).

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Christopher Brown MRTPI
Head of Planning

Date : 15 October 2025

NOTES

1. It will be most helpful if the application number shown overleaf is quoted in all correspondence.
2. If you consider that this decision has been made invalidly through the Council failing to follow a procedure correctly, not having the legal power to make the decision in the way it did or through its decision being so unreasonable as no reasonable local authority would make the same decision based on the same facts, then you may enter a claim for judicial review to quash the decision. In order to proceed with a claim for judicial review an initial application for permission will need to be made to the Administrative Court, this application is required to be made "promptly and in any event within three months of the decision". The initial permission application will decide if you have an arguable case, whether you are sufficiently materially affected by the decision to bring the claim. If you are granted permission to bring the claim it will proceed to a full hearing at the Administrative Court. Although there is no requirement for you to do so it is highly recommended that you seek independent legal advice before bringing forward a claim for Judicial Review.
3. If you are aggrieved by the decision of the Local Planning Authority to grant permission subject to conditions, you may appeal to the Secretary of State for the Environment in accordance with Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 within six months (see para 2a below) of the date of this notice. (Appeals must be made on a form which is obtainable from the Planning Inspectorate, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN, tel. 0303 444 5000 or online at <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate>). You must use a Planning Appeal Form when making your appeal. If requesting forms from the Planning Inspectorate, please state the appeal form you require. The Secretary of State has power to allow a longer period for the giving of a notice of appeal but he will not normally be prepared to exercise this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal. The Secretary of State is not required to entertain an appeal if it appears to him that the permission for the proposed development could not have been granted by the Local Planning Authority, or could not have been so granted otherwise than subject to the conditions imposed by them, having regard to the statutory requirements as set out in Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, to the provisions of the development order, and to the directions given under the order. He does not in practice refuse to entertain appeals solely because the decision by the Local Planning Authority was based on a direction given by him. Appeals- new time rules. Appeals relating to applications made to the Local Planning Authority on, or after, 5th September 2003 must be made within six months of the date of this notice.
4. If an enforcement notice is served relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as in your application and if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application then, you must do so in accordance with the guidance found using the following link <https://www.gov.uk/appeal-enforcement-notice>.
5. If permission to develop land is granted subject to conditions, whether by the Local Planning Authority or by the Secretary of State for the Environment, and the owner of the land claims that the land has become incapable of reasonably beneficial use in its existing state and cannot be rendered capable of reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted, he may serve on the Council a purchase notice requiring that Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
6. In certain circumstances, a claim may be made against the Local Planning Authority for compensation, where permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on a reference of the application to him. The circumstances in which such compensation is payable are set out in Section 114 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
7. This permission covers only consent under the Town and Country Planning Acts and does not give permission to demolish a Listed Building, for which separate consent is required. Amongst other things the consent of the Council of the district in which the land is situated may be required under the Building Regulations and if the proposals affect land within the limits of the highway (that is between the highway fences or hedges) the separate consent of the Highway Authority may also be required. Steps to obtain the necessary further consents should be taken before proceeding with the development.

SHOPS, OFFICES, FACTORIES, EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS & BUILDINGS TO WHICH THE PUBLIC ARE TO BE ADMITTED : ACCESS AND PROVISION FOR THE DISABLED PERSONS

- 1 The Local Planning Authority is required to bring to your attention the requirements of the Disabled Persons 1981, Building Regulations 1991 "Access and facilities for Disabled People" document M and the Chronically Sick & Disabled Act 1970 (as amended 1976) (Sections 4.7.8 and 8A) requiring the provision of access facilities, car parking and toilets for the disabled and the provision of signing indicating what provision has been made for disabled persons within the building. Your attention is also drawn to the Code of Practice B.S 5619 "Design of Housing for the convenience of Disabled People", 1978 and Code of Practice, B.S. 5810 : 1979, "Access for the Disabled to buildings" available from the British Standards Institution, 2 Park Street, London W1A 2BS. (Tel 071-629-9000) and (in so far as educational buildings are concerned), to Design Note 18 "Access for the Physically Disabled to Educational Buildings."
- 2 The buildings to which these requirements apply are :-
 - a) Buildings to which the public are to be admitted to which Section 4 of the Chronically Sick & Disabled Act 1970 (as amended 1976) applies.
 - b) Offices, Shops & Railway Premises as defined in the Offices, Shops & Railway Premises Act 1963 or premises deemed to fall within the Act.
 - c) Factories as defined by Section 175 of the Factories Act 1961.
Educational Buildings as defined by Section 29B of the Disabled Persons Act 1981.

PPNOTES (02/07/2014)



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Start Notice

Important Information – Please keep this with your decision notice

Please read the above decision notice carefully and ensure that you understand and comply with the requirements of any planning conditions imposed.

If you require any further information about why a particular planning condition has been imposed or in respect of what information is needed to discharge your condition please contact the case officer who will be happy to advise of the requirements and information required.

We carry out a programme of site monitoring to check compliance with conditions in order to proactively manage the development and to ensure development is carried out in accordance with the planning permission granted.

Please ensure that any application for the discharge of pre-commencement conditions are carried out in a timely manner as this may take up to 8 weeks depending on the requirements of the condition. Please also be aware there is a charge to discharge conditions per request which means you can discharge conditions individually or group details together as a single request to discharge multiple planning conditions. The fee for discharging these pre-commencement conditions, can be found on the [planning portal](#).

We would be grateful if you could email the development address and application reference number with your contact details and the intended start date by email to planning@hinckley-bosworth.gov.uk or complete the form on the reverse.

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Development Details

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Site Location:	Land Off Wood Lane Higham On The Hill Leicestershire

Date when work is intended to start:	
Have all pre-commencement conditions been discharged?	
Signed:	Print Name:

Your contact details (or attach letterhead/business card):

Name:	
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