•

.

Please note the following responses from Glaisdale Parish Council, to applications listed below :

**NYM/2022/0309** - Application for use of land for siting of one shepherd hut for holiday letting purposes with associated access path and parking at Laneside, Glaisdale

• No Objections raised.

**NYM/2022/0349** - Application for construction of one principal residence dwelling with associated driveway, parking, amenity space and landscaping works at land adjacent to 1 Anglers Quarters, Glaisdale.

• Members were not impressed with this proposal, believing that the property is too large for its location and sits too high in relation to the neighbouring properties along Anglers Quarters, furthermore the style of the property is not in keeping with surrounding properties and access from the highway is not suitable at this point on a sharp bend on a steep incline.

Members agree that permission should be refused unless significant changes in style, prominence and location are made.

Date: 19 May 2022 Our ref: 392180 Your ref: NYM/2022/0309



Hornbeam House Crewe Business Park Electra Way Crewe Cheshire CW1 6GJ

**BY EMAIL ONLY** 

Dear Sir/Madam,

# Planning consultation: Application for use of land for the siting of one shepherds hut for holiday letting purposes with associated access path and parking Location: Laneside, Glaisdale

Thank you for your consultation on the above dated 27 April 2022 which was received by Natural England on 27 April 2022

Natural England is a non-departmental public body. Our statutory purpose is to ensure that the natural environment is conserved, enhanced, and managed for the benefit of present and future generations, thereby contributing to sustainable development.

#### SUMMARY OF NATURAL ENGLAND'S ADVICE

#### NO OBJECTION

Based on the plans submitted, Natural England considers that the proposed development will not have significant adverse impacts on statutorily protected nature conservation sites or landscapes.

Natural England's generic advice on other natural environment issues is set out at Annex A.

#### European sites

Based on the plans submitted, Natural England considers that the proposed development will not have likely significant effects on statutorily protected sites and has no objection to the proposed development. To meet the requirements of the Habitats Regulations, we advise you to record your decision that a likely significant effect can be ruled out.

#### **Sites of Special Scientific Interest**

Based on the plans submitted, Natural England considers that the proposed development will not have likely significant effects on statutorily protected sites and has no objection to the proposed development.

#### Sites of Special Scientific Interest Impact Risk Zones

The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 requires local planning authorities to consult Natural England on "Development in or likely to affect a Site of Special Scientific Interest" (Schedule 4, w). Our SSSI Impact Risk Zones are a GIS dataset designed to be used during the planning application validation process to help local planning

authorities decide when to consult Natural England on developments likely to affect a SSSI. The dataset and user guidance can be accessed from the <u>data.gov.uk</u> website

Further general advice on the consideration of protected species and other natural environment issues is provided at Annex A.

We would be happy to comment further should the need arise but if in the meantime you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

For any queries regarding this letter, for new consultations, or to provide further information on this consultation please send your correspondences to c

Yours faithfully

Luke Turnbull Consultations Team

### Annex A – Additional advice

Natural England offers the following additional advice:

#### Landscape

Paragraph 174 of the <u>National Planning Policy Framework</u> (NPPF) highlights the need to protect and enhance valued landscapes through the planning system. This application may present opportunities to protect and enhance locally valued landscapes, including any local landscape designations. You may want to consider whether any local landscape features or characteristics (such as ponds, woodland, or dry-stone walls) could be incorporated into the development to respond to and enhance local landscape character and distinctiveness, in line with any local landscape character assessments. Where the impacts of development are likely to be significant, a Landscape & Visual Impact Assessment should be provided with the proposal to inform decision making. We refer you to the <u>Landscape Institute</u> Guidelines for Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment for further guidance.

#### Best and most versatile agricultural land and soils

Local planning authorities are responsible for ensuring that they have sufficient detailed agricultural land classification (ALC) information to apply NPPF policies (Paragraphs 174 and 175). This is the case regardless of whether the proposed development is sufficiently large to consult Natural England. Further information is contained in <u>GOV.UK guidance</u> Agricultural Land Classification information is available on the <u>Magic</u> website on the <u>Data.Gov.uk</u> website. If you consider the proposal has significant implications for further loss of 'best and most versatile' agricultural land, we would be pleased to discuss the matter further.

Guidance on soil protection is available in the Defra <u>Construction Code of Practice for the</u> <u>Sustainable Use of Soils on Construction Sites</u>, and we recommend its use in the design and construction of development, including any planning conditions. Should the development proceed, we advise that the developer uses an appropriately experienced soil specialist to advise on, and supervise soil handling, including identifying when soils are dry enough to be handled and how to make the best use of soils on site.

#### **Protected Species**

Natural England has produced <u>standing advice<sup>1</sup></u> to help planning authorities understand the impact of particular developments on protected species. We advise you to refer to this advice. Natural England will only provide bespoke advice on protected species where they form part of a Site of Special Scientific Interest or in exceptional circumstances.

#### Local sites and priority habitats and species

You should consider the impacts of the proposed development on any local wildlife or geodiversity sites, in line with paragraphs 175 and 179 of the NPPF and any relevant development plan policy. There may also be opportunities to enhance local sites and improve their connectivity. Natural England does not hold locally specific information on local sites and recommends further information is obtained from appropriate bodies such as the local records centre, wildlife trust, geoconservation groups or recording societies.

Priority habitats and Species are of particular importance for nature conservation and included in the England Biodiversity List published under section 41 of the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006. Most priority habitats will be mapped either as Sites of Special Scientific Interest, on the Magic website or as Local Wildlife Sites. List of priority habitats and species can be found <u>here<sup>2</sup></u>. Natural England does not routinely hold species data, such data should be collected when impacts on priority habitats or species are considered likely. Consideration should also be given to the potential environmental value of brownfield sites, often found in urban areas and former industrial land, further information including links to the open mosaic habitats inventory can be found

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> <u>https://www.gov.uk/protected-species-and-sites-how-to-review-planning-proposals</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20140711133551/http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/ourwork/conservation/biodiver/ sity/protectandmanage/habsandspeciesimportance.aspx

#### Ancient woodland, ancient and veteran trees

You should consider any impacts on ancient woodland and ancient and veteran trees in line with paragraph 180 of the NPPF. Natural England maintains the Ancient Woodland <u>Inventory</u> which can help identify ancient woodland. Natural England and the Forestry Commission have produced <u>standing advice</u> for planning authorities in relation to ancient woodland and ancient and veteran trees. It should be taken into account by planning authorities when determining relevant planning applications. Natural England will only provide bespoke advice on ancient woodland, ancient and veteran trees where they form part of a Site of Special Scientific Interest or in exceptional circumstances.

#### **Environmental gains**

Development should provide net gains for biodiversity in line with the NPPF paragraphs 174(d), 179 and 180. Development also provides opportunities to secure wider environmental gains, as outlined in the NPPF (paragraphs 8, 73, 104, 120,174, 175 and 180). We advise you to follow the mitigation hierarchy as set out in paragraph 180 of the NPPF and firstly consider what existing environmental features on and around the site can be retained or enhanced or what new features could be incorporated into the development proposal. Where onsite measures are not possible, you should consider off site measures. Opportunities for enhancement might include:

- Providing a new footpath through the new development to link into existing rights of way.
- Restoring a neglected hedgerow.
- Creating a new pond as an attractive feature on the site.
- Planting trees characteristic to the local area to make a positive contribution to the local landscape.
- Using native plants in landscaping schemes for better nectar and seed sources for bees and birds.
- Incorporating swift boxes or bat boxes into the design of new buildings.
- Designing lighting to encourage wildlife.
- Adding a green roof to new buildings.

Natural England's <u>Biodiversity Metric 3.0</u> may be used to calculate biodiversity losses and gains for terrestrial and intertidal habitats and can be used to inform any development project. For small development sites the <u>Small Sites Metric</u> may be used. This is a simplified version of <u>Biodiversity</u> <u>Metric 3.0</u> and is designed for use where certain criteria are met. It is available as a beta test version.

You could also consider how the proposed development can contribute to the wider environment and help implement elements of any Landscape, Green Infrastructure or Biodiversity Strategy in place in your area. For example:

- Links to existing greenspace and/or opportunities to enhance and improve access.
- Identifying opportunities for new greenspace and managing existing (and new) public spaces to be more wildlife friendly (e.g. by sowing wild flower strips)
- Planting additional street trees.
- Identifying any improvements to the existing public right of way network or using the opportunity of new development to extend the network to create missing links.
- Restoring neglected environmental features (e.g. coppicing a prominent hedge that is in poor condition or clearing away an eyesore).

Natural England's <u>Environmental Benefits from Nature tool</u> may be used to identify opportunities to enhance wider benefits from nature and to avoid and minimise any negative impacts. It is designed to work alongside <u>Biodiversity Metric 3.0</u> and is available as a beta test version.

#### **Access and Recreation**

Natural England encourages any proposal to incorporate measures to help improve people's access to the natural environment. Measures such as reinstating existing footpaths together with the creation of new footpaths and bridleways should be considered. Links to other green networks and, where appropriate, urban fringe areas should also be explored to help promote the creation of wider green infrastructure. Relevant aspects of local authority green infrastructure strategies should be delivered where appropriate.

#### Rights of Way, Access land, Coastal access and National Trails

Paragraphs 100 and 174 of the NPPF highlight the important of public rights of way and access. Development should consider potential impacts on access land, common land, rights of way and coastal access routes in the vicinity of the development. Consideration should also be given to the potential impacts on the any nearby National Trails. The National Trails website <u>www.nationaltrail.co.uk</u> provides information including contact details for the National Trail Officer. Appropriate mitigation measures should be incorporated for any adverse impacts.

#### **Biodiversity duty**

Your authority has a <u>duty</u> to have regard to conserving biodiversity as part of your decision making. Conserving biodiversity can also include restoration or enhancement to a population or habitat. Further information is available<u>here</u>. Good morning Hilary,

I have reviewed the documents submitted with this application. I not that the applicant has already referenced the use of downlighting with a motion sensor to preserve local dark night sky qualities. This lighting scheme should be secured as a condition of any consent.

I also recommend that, in line with line with paragraph 174d of the NPPF 2021, that the development secures net gain for biodiversity. Given the scope of this application, this could include the installation of bird or bat boxes on the main dwelling, or mature trees on the site.

The development is <1km from the North York Moors SPA, SAC and SSSI. For the purpose of the habitat regulations I assert that;

- The proposal is not necessary for the management of any European designated site, and
- The proposal will not have a Likely Significant Effect on any European designated site and can therefore be screened out of further assessment.

Best wishes,

Zara Hanshaw ACIEEM Assistant Ecologist (she/her)

North York Moors National Park Authority The Old Vicarage, Bondgate, Helmsley, York, YO62 5BP

## NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL BUSINESS and ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

## LOCAL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY CONSIDERATIONS and RECOMMENDATION

Application	No:			NYM22/0309
Proposed Development:		use of land for the siting of one shepherds hut for holiday letting purposes with associated access path and parking		
Location:		Laneside, Glaisdale		
Applicant:		Mr Stephen Simpson		
CH Ref:			Case Office	er: Ged Lyth
Area Ref:		4/40/401D	Tel:	
County Road No:			E-mail:	_
То:	North York Moors National Park Authority The Old Vicarage Bondgate Helmsley YO62 5BP		Date:	16 May 2022
FAO:	Hilary Saunders		Copies to:	

The vehicular access track to the application site is a privatly maintained road, part of it is a public right of way. The proposals are not anticipated to have any significant impact on the publicly maintained highway, therefore, there are **no local highway authority objections** to the proposed development. This recommendation is made under the assumption that the applicant has permission for the guests to have a vehicular right of access across the privately maintained access track.

Signed:	Issued by:		
Ged Lyth	Whitby Highways Office Discovery Way Whitby North Yorkshire YO22 4PZ		
For Corporate Director for Business and Environmental Services	e-mail:		

From:To:PlanningSubject:Laneside, Glaisdale, Whitby, YO21 2QXDate:27 April 2022 16:32:45

Your ref:NYM/2022/0309Proposal:Application for use of land for the siting of one shepherds hut for holiday lettingpurposes with associated access path and parkingAddress:Laneside, Glaisdale, Whitby, YO21 2QX

With reference to the above planning application, I confirm that I have no objections in principle to the granting of planning consent on either housing grounds or caravan site licensing grounds.

I would however, like confirmation of the sanitary arrangements for guests staying in the hut, and is the hut being used as an extension of the bed and breakfast accommodation provided in the main house?

Regards,

Stephanie Baines ACIEH Technical Officer (Residential Regulation Team) Environmental Health Scarborough Borough Council

w: www.scarborough.gov.uk

