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PLAN-021306

Date

19/01/2018

Dear Sirs,

Proposal: Erection of a single storey building to accommodate a nursery for a maximum number of 78 children including outside play area together with formation of car park, provision of boundary treatment and landscaping and alterations to existing pedestrian and vehicular accesses following demolition of existing house.

Site: 208 London Road, Waterlooville, PO7 7AN.

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Thank you for your letter of 02/01/2018.

Please find attached a plan of the sewer records showing the approximate position of a public surface water sewer within the site and foul sewer in the immediate vicinity of the site. The exact position of the public sewers must be determined on site by the applicant before the layout of the proposed development is finalised.

Please note:

No development or new tree planting should be located within 3.5 metres either side of the external edge of the public sewer

All existing infrastructure should be protected during the course of construction works.

No new soakaways should be located within 5 metres of a public sewer.

In order to protect drainage apparatus, Southern Water requests that if consent is granted, a condition is attached to the planning permission. For example "The developer must

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advise the local authority (in consultation with Southern Water) of the measures which will be undertaken to protect the public sewers, prior to the commencement of the development.”

Furthermore, due to changes in legislation that came in to force on 1st October 2011 regarding the future ownership of sewers it is possible that a sewer now deemed to be public could be crossing the above property. Therefore, should any sewer be found during construction works, an investigation of the sewer will be required to ascertain its condition, the number of properties served, and potential means of access before any further works commence on site.

The applicant is advised to discuss the matter further with Southern Water, Sparrowgrove House Sparrowgrove, Otterbourne, Hampshire SO21 2SW (Tel: 0330 303 0119) or www.southernwater.co.uk”.

Southern Water requires a formal application for a connection to the public foul sewer to be made by the applicant or developer. We request that should this application receive planning approval, the following informative is attached to the consent:

“A formal application for connection to the public sewerage system is required in order to service this development, please contact Southern Water, Sparrowgrove House Sparrowgrove, Otterbourne, Hampshire SO21 2SW (Tel: 0330 303 0119) or www.southernwater.co.uk”.

The Council’s Building Control officers or technical staff should be asked to comment on the adequacy of soakaways to dispose of surface water from the proposed development.

It is the responsibility of the developer to make suitable provision for the disposal of surface water. Part H3 of the Building Regulations prioritises the means of surface water disposal in the order

- a Adequate soakaway or infiltration system
- b Water course
- c Where neither of the above is practicable sewer

Southern Water supports this stance and seeks through appropriate Planning Conditions to ensure that appropriate means of surface water disposal are proposed for each development. It is important that discharge to sewer occurs only where this is necessary and where adequate capacity exists to serve the development. When it is proposed to connect to a public sewer the prior approval of Southern Water is required.

The proposed development would lie within a Source Protection Zone as defined under the Environment Agency’s Groundwater Protection Policy. Southern Water will rely on



your consultations with the Environment Agency to ensure the protection of the water supply source.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Kate Kuper'.

Developer Services