

Comments for Planning Application APP/17/01250

Application Summary

Application Number: APP/17/01250

Address: Land east of Southmoor Lane, Havant

Proposal: Engineering works to facilitate the construction of three clay-cored sea defence embankments including: 1 no. 350m (approx.) length embankment incorporating the diversion of footpaths No. 45 and No 49, 1 no. 270m (approx) length embankment running along the north to south boundary and 1 no. 130m (approx.) length embankment to the east of Mill Lane); ground raising and associated protection works around Southern Water assets; associated drainage; and the active breach of the existing coastal sea wall to allow the creation of a dynamic inter-tidal habitat. Incorporating S257 application for Diversion of Footpath 45 (runs along existing sea defence providing a route between Harts Farm Way and the junction of Footpaths 49 and 51) and Footpath 49 (runs between Southmoor Lane and the junction of Footpaths 45 and 51).

Case Officer: Rachael McMurray

Customer Details

Name: Mrs Ann Griffiths

Address: 5 Towers Garden Langstone Havant

Comment Details

Commenter Type: Complainant

Stance: Customer made comments neither objecting to or supporting the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment:I understand that the public footpath between Mill Lane and the shore, alongside the mill stream/Langbrook, would become a permissive path if this planning application were to be approved.

This footpath is currently extremely narrow and potentially dangerous in places and it is known that at least one person has fallen into the stream.

This is part of a popular walk for local residents and those wishing to walk to the coast from Havant town centre and the Langstone business park.

Please could it be made a condition of the planning application that this permissive path must be maintained to a safe standard for use by walkers.