

European Site avoidance and mitigation checklist

This checklist must be completed and provided, along with a Nutrient Budget, using the Natural England calculator and an Occupancy Calculator, in order for the Local Planning Authority to validate any planning application for overnight accommodation. It sets out how an avoidance and mitigation package will be provided to remove any likely significant effect on a Solent European Site.

It will be necessary for a suitable avoidance and mitigation package to be provided in order for the Council to lawfully grant permission for applicable schemes. All relevant boxes should be completed and the form must be signed. If signed by an agent, it is their responsibility to ensure that the applicant is aware of the commitment to providing a mitigation package.

Application details	
Site name:	1 HINTON CLOSE
Site address:	1 HINTON CLOSE, HAVANT PO9 4BL

Recreational disturbance

The proposed development would be within 5.6 km of Chichester and Langstone Harbour, which is a Special Protection Area and Ramsar site. As such, mitigation will need to be provided. The Council considers that mitigation provided in line with the Solent Recreation Mitigation Strategy (available at www.birdware.org/strategy) is appropriate to the applicable planning applications. This would result in a mitigation package based on the table below. It will be necessary for a suitable avoidance and mitigation package to be provided in order for the Council to lawfully grant permission for applicable schemes.

Size of units	Scale of mitigation per unit
1 bedroom	£443.00
2 bedroom	£639.00
3 bedroom	£834.00
4 bedroom	£980.00
5 bedroom	£1150.00

Please note that a monitoring fee is attached, at 5% of mitigation cost.
Please note that an administration fee of £23 per application is applied.

Please select **one** of the following options:

I hereby confirm that the proposed development will include an avoidance and mitigation package in line with the Solent Recreation Mitigation Strategy.	☒
The application is in outline with the quantum and mix of development is not known. The applicant therefore will commit through a legal agreement to provide an avoidance and mitigation package in line with the Solent Recreation and Mitigation Scheme at reserved matters stage.	☐
An alternative approach to avoiding and mitigating the recreational impact arising out of the development is proposed (please set out in more detail in a supporting document appended to this checklist).	☐
The site is located more than 5.6km from the Solent Special Protection Areas (this applies to only a small section of the Borough in Cowplain).	☐

Please select one of the following options to the right, then complete all boxes below		Signed by applicant	Signed by agent
By submitting this form to Havant Borough Council, the applicant is committing to providing mitigation packages.			
If an agent is signing on behalf of an applicant, it is the agent's responsibility to seek the agreement of the applicant to the commitments selected above as it will be the applicants who assume the risk and responsibility upon the granting of any planning permission.			
Signed:			
Print name:	E. STEWART		
Date:	14/5/26		