

Greater Norwich Call for Sites Submission Form

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This form is to be filled out by any interested parties who want to promote a site for a specific use or development to be allocated in the Greater Norwich Local Plan.

Only one form should be submitted for each individual site i.e. it is not necessary for a separate form to be completed for each landowner on a single site in multiple ownerships. However, a separate form must be completed for each individual site submitted.

Your completed form should be returned to the Greater Norwich Local Plan team no later than **5pm on Friday 24 June 2016**.

By email: callforsites@gnlp.org.uk

Or, if it is not possible submit the form electronically,

By Post to:

*Greater Norwich Local Plan Team
PO Box 3466
Norwich
NR7 7NX*

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Further advice and guidance can be obtained by visiting the Greater Norwich Local Plan website or by contacting the Greater Norwich Local Plan team directly:

Website: www.greaternorwichlocalplan.org.uk

E-mail: callforsites@gnlp.org.uk

Telephone: 01603 306603

1a. Contact Details	
Title	Mr
First Name	Keith
Last Name	Vincent
Job Title (where relevant)	
Organisation (where relevant)	
Address	NULL NULL NULL NULL NULL
Post Code	NULL
Telephone Number	NULL NULL
Email Address	NULL

1b. I am...
Owner of the site

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1c. Client/Landowner Details (if different from question 1a)	
Title	
First Name	
Last Name	
Job Title (where relevant)	
Organisation (where relevant)	
Address	
Telephone Number	
Email Address	

2. Site Details	
Site location / address and post code (please include as an attachment to this response form a location plan of the site on an scaled OS base with the boundaries of the site clearly shown)	Land at Seething Airfield Upgate Road Seething Norwich Norfolk
Grid reference (if known)	TM320961

Site area (hectares)	2
Site parish	Seething
Site district	South Norfolk

Site Ownership	
3a. I (or my client)...	
Is the sole owner of the site	
3b. Please provide the name, address and contact details of the site's landowner(s) and attach copies of all relevant title plans and deeds (if available).	
3c. If the site is in multiple landownerships do all landowners support your proposal for the site?	NULL
3d. If you answered no to the above question please provide details of why not all of the sites owners support your proposals for the site.	

Current and Historic Land Uses
4a. Current Land Use (Please describe the site's current land use e.g. agriculture, employment, unused/vacant etc.)

Light Industrial uses and Lagoon Storage for Liquid Fertiliser manufacture & Distribution

4b. Has the site been previously developed?

Yes

4c. Describe any previous uses of the site. (please provide details of any relevant historic planning applications, including application numbers if known)

Former WWII Airbase Taxiways

PigPride Pig farm

'Agritek' Liquid fertiliser production & distribution with associated tanks & lagoons

Proposed Future Uses

5a. Please provide a short description of the development or land use you proposed (if you are proposing a site to be designated as local green space please go directly to question 6)

This land has been developed since the land was requisitioned for the USAAF Seething Airfield in WW2. It is currently developed as light industrial buildings and lagoon storage associated with liquid fertiliser manufacture and distribution. Intensive Pig Farm buildings with tied managers bungalow. A stand alone c5000 sq-ft general industrial building

Which of the following are you proposing?

Market Housing	No
Affordable Housing	No
Residential Care Home	No
Gypsy and Traveller Pitches	No
Business and offices	Yes
General industrial	No
Storage and distribution	Yes
Tourism	No
Recreation & Leisure	No
Community Use	No
Public Open Space	No
Other (Please Specify)	NULL

5c. Please provide further details of your proposal, including details on number of houses and proposed floorspace of commercial buildings etc.

Established industrial uses

A c5000 sq ft industrial building forms part of the site alongside other more general industrial buildings, lagoons and a pig farm. As these other buildings come to the end of their lifespans, it is proposed to replace them with a small number [perhaps up to 8?] of other general industrial buildings of a similar style and standard to the 5000sq ft one already constructed to form a light industrial small 'campus',

5d. Please describe any benefits to the Local Area that the development of the site could provide.

Address the local shortage of mid-scale general industrial buildings for sale or rent to support small-medium businesses in the area

Add scale to the existing Seething Industrial area with good access to B1332

Increases industrial capacity for aeronautic and motorsport engineering associated with Seething Airfield. Away from residential uses

Local Green Space

If you are proposed a site to be designated as Local Green Space please complete the following questions. These questions do not need to be completed if you are not proposing a site as Local Green Space. Please consult the guidance notes for an explanation of Local Green Space Designations.

6a. Are you proposing a site to be designated as a Local Green Space?

No

6b. Which community would the site serve and how would the designation of the site benefit that community.

NULL

6c. Please describe why you consider the site to be of particular local significance e.g. recreational value, tranquillity or richness in wildlife.

NULL

Site Features and Constraints

Are there any features of the site or limitations that may constrain development on this site (please give details)?

7a. Site Access: Is there a current means of access to the site from the public highway, does this access need to be improved before development can take place and are there any public rights of way that cross or adjoin the site?

There is existing access to Upgate Road in Seething, which links to the Seething Industrial Area and to the B1332.

The access is private and currently supports c2000 heavy goods vehicle movements per year, subject to s106 agreement with County Highways, directing access via Harvey Land to B1332

7b. Topography: Are there any slopes or significant changes of in levels that could affect the development of the site?

As befits a former airfield, topography is flat.

7c. Ground Conditions: Are ground conditions on the site stable? Are there potential ground contamination issues?

Yes - although the proposal could see the filling-in of lagoons, which were excavated in the 1990's. The filling-in would comprise bulldozing the spoil, which forms the lagoon banks, back into the lagoon effectively levelling the site

7d. Flood Risk: Is the site liable to river, ground water or surface water flooding and if so what is the nature, source and frequency of the flooding?

No flood risk

7e. Legal Issues: Is there land in third party ownership, or access rights, which must be acquired to develop the site, do any restrictive covenants exist, are there any existing tenancies?

The land is in the ownership of the applicant and connected companies.

7f. Environmental Issues: Is the site located next to a watercourse or mature woodland, are there any significant trees or hedgerows crossing or bordering the site are there any known features of ecological or geological importance on or adjacent to the site?

None

7g. Heritage Issues: Are there any listed buildings, Conservation Areas, Historic Parklands or Schedules Monuments on the site or nearby? If so, how might the site's development affect them?

None

7h. Neighbouring Uses: What are the neighbouring uses and will either the proposed use or neighbouring uses have any implications?

There are no neighbours within 200m of the site boundaries

7i. Existing uses and Buildings: are there any existing buildings or uses that need to be relocated before the site can be developed.

The proposal would see the demolition of existing buildings on the site in a phased manner

7j. Other: (please specify):
none

Utilities	
8a. Which of the following are likely to be readily available to service the site and enable its development? Please provide details where possible.	
Mains water supply	Yes
Mains sewerage	No
Electricity supply	Yes
Gas supply	No
Public highway	Yes
Broadband internet	Yes
Other (please specify):	NULL
8b. Please provide any further information on the utilities available on the site:	
There are sufficient utilities for existing commercial activities	

Availability
9a. Please indicate when the site could be made available for the land use or development proposed.
1 to 5 years (by April 2021)
9b. Please give reasons for the answer given above.

The site is currently in use but the owners feel that many of the assets are approaching end-of-life so a phased redevelopment c2020 will be necessary

Market Interest

10. Please indicate what level of market interest there is/has been in the site. Please include relevant dates in the comments section.

Site is owned by a
developer/promoter

Comments	none
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Delivery

11a. Please indicate when you anticipate the proposed development could be begun.

1 to 5 years (by April 2021)

11b. Once started, how many years do you think it would take to complete the proposed development (if known)?

In a phased manner over two-three years in accordance with demand.

Viability

12a. You acknowledge that there are likely to be policy requirements and Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) costs to be met which will be in addition to the other development costs of the site (depending on the type and scale of land use proposed). These requirements are likely to include but are not limited to: Affordable Housing; Sports Pitches & Children's Play Space and Community Infrastructure Levy

Yes

12b. Do you know if there are there any abnormal costs that could affect the viability of the site e.g. infrastructure, demolition or ground conditions?

Yes

12c. If there are abnormal costs associated with the site please provide details:

Demolition of existing buildings
Filling-in of open lagoon storage

12d. Do you consider that the site is currently viable for its proposed use taking into account any and all current planning policy and CIL considerations and other abnormal development costs associated with the site?

Yes

12e. Please attach any viability assessment or development appraisal you have undertaken for the site, or any other evidence you consider helps demonstrate the viability of the site.

The general industrial building on the site was recently marketed by Roche upon becoming vacant by the previous tenant and quickly re-let

Other Relevant Information

13. Please use the space below to for additional information or further explanations on any of the topics covered in this form

nothing

Check List	
Your Details	
Site Details (including site location plan)	
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Declaration	

14. Declaration
I understand that: Data Protection and Freedom of Information The Data Controller of this information under the Data Protection Act 1998 will be Norfolk County Council, which will hold the data on behalf of Broadland District Council, Norwich City Council and South Norfolk District Council. The purposes of collecting this data are: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• to assist in the preparation of the Greater Norwich Local Plan• to contact you, if necessary, regarding the answers given in your form

- to evaluate the development potential of the submitted site for the uses proposed within the form

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I agree that the details within this form can be held by Norfolk County Council and that those details can be shared with Broadland District Council, Norwich City Council and South Norfolk District Council for the purposes specified in this declaration.

Name
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Date
6/10/2016