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 8 July 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:

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1a. Contact Details		
Title	Mr	
First Name	Geoff	
Last Name	Armstrong	
Job Title (where relevant)	Director	
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1b. I am		
Owner of the site Developer Land Agent Planning Consultant X Other (please specify):	Parish/Town Council Community Group Local Resident Registered Social Landlord	

1c. Client/Landowner Details (if different from question 1a)				
Title				
First Name				
Last Name				
Job Title (where relevant)				
Organisation (where relevant)				
Address				
Post Code				
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 to the south of Norwich Road, Scole, South Norfolk District
Grid reference (if known)	TM 15358 79255
Site area (hectares)	1 hectare

Site Ownership				
3a. I (or my client)				
Is the sole owner of the site	Is a part owner of the site		s not own al interest tsoever	•
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•	ne, address and contact deta			
landowner(s) and attach co	opies of all relevant title plan	is and de	eds (if ava	ailable).
3c. If the site is in multiple	V		N.I.	
landownerships do all	Yes		No	
landowners support your proposal for the site?	\otimes		\bigcirc	
3d. If you answered no to the of the sites owners support	ne above question please pr	ovide det	tails of wh	y not all
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Current and Historic Land U	ses			
4a. Current Land Use (Please employment, unused/vaca	se describe the site's current ant etc.)	land use	e.g. agric	ulture,
Greenfield undeveloped a	oricultural land			
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4b. Has the site been previous	ously		Yes	No
developed?			0	\otimes

4c. Describe any previous uses of the site. (please provide details of any relevant historic planning applications, including application numbers if known)					
Agricultural land No planning history. The site is allocated in the South Norfolk Site Specific Policies and Allocations Plan adopted in October 2015 for 15 dwellings and associated infrastructure (Policy SCO1)					
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Proposed Future Uses		dosprintion of the start	005-	ant or land use year	
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5b. Which of the follow	ing ι	use or uses are you prop	osin	g?	
Market Housing	Χ	Business & offices		Recreation & Leisure	
Affordable Housing	Χ	General industrial		Community Use	
Residential Care Home		Storage & distribution		Public Open Space	
Gypsy & Traveller Pitches		Tourism		Other (Please Specify)	
-	5c. Please provide further details of your proposal, including details on number of houses and proposed floorspace of commercial buildings etc.				
a development which is re	flectiv		of sur	ore efficient use of land, provide rounding development and in the supply of housing	
5d. Please describe an could provide.	y be	enefits to the Local Area	that	the development of the site	
New homes including affordable housing to meet local needs including					
small units and bungalows, biodiversity enhancements and financial					
contributions towards	ser	vices and facilities			

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

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

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?

Access is available via the adjacent Orbit Homes rural exception site of 12 affordable dwellings (planning permission reference 2009/1991)

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

The site is flat

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

No known ground conditions

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?

The site is located entirely within Flood Zone 1

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?

No

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?					
No known ecological or geological constraints					
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?					
The site is not within a Conse within close proximity	rvation Area and t	there are no listed	buildings		
7h. Neighbouring Uses: What ar proposed use or neighbouring uses.			ther the		
Residential development					
7i. Existing uses and Buildings: a be relocated before the site ca		ing buildings or us	es that need to		
The site is undeveloped gree	nfield land				
7j. Other: (please specify):					
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8a. Which of the following are likely to be readily available to service the site and enable its development? Please provide details where possible.					
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Mains sewerage					
Electricity supply	Electricity supply 💮 🔘				
Gas supply	\otimes	0	0		
Public highway	$\overline{\otimes}$	0	0		
Broadband internet	\otimes	0	0		

Other (please specify):			
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15 - 20 years (between April 2031 and 2036)			
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9b. Please give reasons for th	e answe	er given above.	
Market Interest			
10. Please choose the most a	nnronria	ate category below to indica	te what level of
market interest there is/has b			
comments section.			
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developer/promoter			
Site is under option to a developer/promoter	\otimes		
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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.
N/A
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
Please refer to accompanying letter

Check List	
Your Details	X
Site Details (including site location plan)	X
Site Ownership	X
Current and Historic Land Uses	X
Proposed Future Uses	X
Local Green Space (Only to be completed for proposed Local Green	
Space Designations)	
Site Features and Constraints	X
Utilities	
Availability	
Market Interest	X
Delivery	X
Viability	X
Other Relevant Information	X
Declaration	X

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:

- 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.

Disclaimer

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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	Date
Geoff Armstrong	8th July 2016



Ref: GA/EW/05016/L0001

7th July 2016

Sent by email to callforsites@gnlp.org.uk

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

Dear Sirs

Representations to the Greater Norwich Plan Call for Sites Consultation

Please accept this letter as a formal representation on behalf of our client part owners of the site, in support of the promotion of land to the South of Norwich Road, Scole for a residential development of up to 35 dwellings.

The following documentation accompanies this submission:

- Completed Greater Norwich Call for Sites Submission Form
- Red line site plan
- Draft layout
- Aerial photograph layout

Site Location and Features

The site comprises undeveloped greenfield land approximately 1 hectare in size located on the northern edge of the Service Village of Scole in South Norfolk District. It is approximately 0.5km from the village centre and opposite Scole Primary School. There is existing high density single and two storey residential development to the south and open fields to the north and east.

Directly adjoining the site to the west is a rural exception site of 12 affordable dwellings approved under planning permission reference 2009/1991 and delivered by Orbit Homes. Scole Park is located to the south east of the site.

The site is of open aspect and flat. There are no known ground condition issues associated with the site. It is located entirely within Flood Zone 1 defined as areas in which flooding is very unlikely to occur. It is not within a Conservation Area and there are no listed buildings in close proximity. There are no Tree Preservation Orders or statutory or non-statutory designated ecological sites within the site. The site is bounded by hedgerows which provide natural definitions to development.

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The site is allocated in the South Norfolk Site Specific Policies and Allocations Plan adopted in October 2015 for 15 dwellings and associated infrastructure (Policy SCO1). It forms the only housing allocation in the village. During the preparation of the Plan, the site (reference 891) was assessed for up to 20 dwellings. The 2013 Sustainability Appraisal confirmed: 'Access can be achieved through the recently completed affordable housing scheme which fronts Norwich Road and from which development of this site would act as logical extension. Would have little visual impact in wider landscape, including from Norwich Road given existing vegetation. Very close to school, bus route and employment opportunities at garage.'

There is no available planning history associated with the site.

Proposed Future Use

The site is promoted for continued residential allocation for up to 35 dwellings including affordable housing. Access is available via the adjacent affordable housing development which retain control over. The accompanying draft layout provides an indication of how the site could be developed which includes a footpath link proposed to the Norwich Road which leads to the village centre and primary school opposite. A further pedestrian link is proposed through the south east corner of the site in order to provide access to Scole Park.

In light of the need to make more efficient use of land, provide a development which is reflective of the density and pattern of surrounding development and in the context of the NPPF's overall imperative to boost significantly the supply of housing, it is considered that the site should be allocated for an increased number of units to that suggested in the current allocation to include smaller houses and bungalows to meet local needs.

Existing hedgerows can be retained and enhanced and additional planting would result in ecological betterments and would ensure that the development on the site would have a limited impact on the open countryside and landscape of the surrounding area.

Summary

The accompanying draft layout has demonstrated that the site can be developed in a manner which has regard to and responds positively to the area and would bring with it a number of material benefits, including the provision new homes with affordable housing to meet local needs, biodiversity enhancements and financial contributions towards services and facilities.

The site comprises an allocated residential site which is not covered by any landscape, ecological or heritage designations and is within a sustainable location within walking distance of a range of services and facilities. Development on the site would form a logical extension to the village and is capable of being developed at a higher density in order to make better use of land, provide a more complementary development and assist in meeting local housing needs.

The site is available, suitable, achievable, viable and therefore entirely deliverable option for development. It is requested therefore that the site is allocated for residential development in the emerging Greater Norwich Local Plan for an increased number of up to 35 dwellings.

We look forward to making further representations to the Plan as its preparation progresses.

Yours faithfully

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Draft Urban Design Response



