

Development Management, Economic Development and Planning,
County Hall, Bythesea Road, Trowbridge, BA14 8JN
Tel: 0300 456 0114 Email: developmentmanagement@wiltshire.gov.uk



Application for Hedgerow Removal Notice

The Environment Act 1995 (as amended); The Hedgerows Regulations 1997 (as amended)

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Site Location

Disclaimer: We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)

Northing (y)

Description

Hedgerow removal located behind 3 Rowdeford Cottages, Bromham, Chippenham (SN15 2DL). The hedgerow adjoins an agricultural field and public footpath.

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Max

Surname

Spurrell

Company Name

Wessex Water Services Limited

Address

Address line 1

Wessex Water Services Ltd,

Address line 2

Claverton Down Rd

Address line 3

Claverton Down

Town/City

Bath

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

BA2 7WW

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

***** REDACTED *****

Hedgerow Removal Notice

Please state the reasons for the proposed removal of hedgerow(s)

The hedgerow removal is required to provide access to a proposed underground stormwater storage tank. The stormwater storage tank will reduce the incidence of flooding and stormwater spills. Access is required for routine checks and maintenance. 12m of the hedgerow will require removal for construction access. Of this 12m, 4.5m will be reinstated following construction of the proposed storage tank, leading to a permanent net loss of 7.5m of hedgerow. More information is available on request.

Please state the reference number of the plan(s) showing the stretch(es) of hedgerow(s) to be removed

C00505-ENV-106-A, C00505-ENV-105-A

Please confirm the length of the hedgerows to be removed

Length

12.00

metres

Is the hedgerow to be removed less than 30 years old?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

What best describes your circumstances?

- ☐ I am/we are the owner(s) of the freehold of the land concerned
- ☐ I am/we are the tenant(s) of agricultural holding concerned
- ☐ I am/we are the tenant(s) under the farm business tenancy concerned
- ☒ I am/act for the utility operator concerned

Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

- ☐ The agent
- ☒ The applicant
- ☐ Other person

Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):

Officer name:

Title

First Name

***** REDACTED *****

Surname

***** REDACTED *****

Reference

ENQ/2024/01465

Date (must be pre-application submission)

16/12/2024

Details of the pre-application advice received

As a result of pre-app advice, site visit with Highways and the potential loss of hedgerow required for a new access from the A342, we now propose to locate the underground storage tank to another part of the field, using an existing access and therefore necessitating a much shorter length of hedgerow removal. This scheme can also proceed under Permitted Development (Certificate of Lawful Development pending), hence the need for a hedgerow removal application. This approach has been discussed with Kenny Green.

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Hedgerow removal notice as described in the questions answered, details provided, and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information.
I/We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the person(s) giving them.
I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:
- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published as part of a public register and on the authority's website;
- Our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Max Spurrell

Date

15/01/2026

