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Householder Application for Planning Permission for works or extension to a dwelling

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (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	Avenham House
Address Line 1	Gas Lane
Address Line 2	
Address Line 3	Wiltshire
Town/city	Cricklade
Postcode	SN6 6BY

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

Easting (x)	Northing (y)
409896	193790
Description	

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Ian

Surname

Dodsworth

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Avenham House

Address line 2

Gas Lane

Address line 3

Town/City

Cricklade

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

SN6 6BY

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

Applicant Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Description of Proposed Works

Please describe the proposed works

I am applying for permission to have fence along the northern boundary of my property to a height of 2.4m (or a negotiable height as much as above 2m as possible). Of the 71.5m of this boundary, a shed of 2.4m and a car port of 6m run along the boundary (these fall under permitted development). There is 34m which was there when I moved in and has been there over two decades according to neighbours. The rest, 29m is newly erected by myself. It is timber posts, horizontal timber battens and vertical treated timber feather edge close-board to a height of 2.6m - 2.7m. It varies due to uneven ground and I thought it be easier to trim the height down after completion rather than try to level along the length of ground. The boards were longer than normal also as there was a deal on in which this length worked out cheaper in bulk than shorter boards. Again I was always going to trim down however I thought the 2m rule was more for boundary's that were shared with a neighbour. With this boundary, it is adjacent to a public path approximately 2m wide and I have also erected the fence about 0.5m in from my boundary to limit impact and to have room to plant bushes/plants to make it aesthetically pleasing.

The reason I would like a higher than normal fence is because the house and garden are adjacent to a busy path which at times can have anti-social behaviour especially on an evening after the pubs have closed. This can include noise, fighting, rubbish thrown over the fence and on two occasions, apples from a neighbour's apple tree being thrown and smashing a bathroom window (luckily the bathroom was empty at the time). Also just a bit more privacy from public and neighbours especially as we have young children playing in the garden etc.

I would like to mention that before I moved in to the house, where the newly constructed fence is, there was a dilapidated fence falling down and a leylandii hedge of 5m height which was too overgrown so what is there now is much improvement. In fact I have had nothing but good comments from people including many strangers who have complimented on the appearance and when I've questioned about the height they have said they didn't really notice it was a bit high. From a neighbour's point of view, considering they have a high brick wall at the back of their gardens (which backs on to the other side of the path) and the fence is 2.5m away and it is much improved on the what was there before for over two decades I would hope they would be more accommodating.

Signed:ian dodsworth.....

Name:IAN DODSWORTH.....

Date:01/04/2026.....

Has the work already been started without consent?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please state when the development or work was started (date must be pre-application submission)

Has the work already been completed without consent?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)

Type:

Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)

Existing materials and finishes:

wooden fence panels that are falling down

Proposed materials and finishes:

closeboard wooden fencing at 2.4m height

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Trees and Hedges

Are there any trees or hedges on the property or on adjoining properties which are within falling distance of the proposed development?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Will any trees or hedges need to be removed or pruned in order to carry out your proposal?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

Is a new or altered vehicle access proposed to or from the public highway?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Do the proposals require any diversions, extinguishment and/or creation of public rights of way?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Parking

Will the proposed works affect existing car parking arrangements?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Biodiversity net gain

Paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 sets out that every planning permission granted for the development of land in England shall be deemed to have been granted subject to the 'biodiversity gain condition' requiring development to achieve a net gain of 10% of biodiversity value.

This is subject to exemptions, an exemption applies in relation to planning permission for a development which is the subject of a householder application, within the meaning of article 2(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order (2015)*.

Applicants for planning permission are required to make a statement as to whether they believe the biodiversity gain condition will apply if permission is granted, please confirm:

☒ It is my belief that if permission is granted for the development to which this application relates the biodiversity gain condition would not apply

*A 'householder application' means an application for planning permission for development for an existing dwellinghouse, or development within the curtilage of such a dwellinghouse for any purpose incidental to the enjoyment of the dwellinghouse which is not an application for change of use or an application to change the number of dwellings in a building.

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

Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

- (a) a member of staff
- (b) an elected member
- (c) related to a member of staff
- (d) related to an elected member

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration

Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)

Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.

Is the applicant the sole owner of all the land to which this application relates; and has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/ the applicant was the owner* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding**

*** "owner" is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run.**

**** "agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act.**

NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Person Role

- ☒ The Applicant
☐ The Agent

Title

Mr

First Name

Ian

Surname

Dodsworth

Declaration Date

26/03/2026

☒ Declaration made

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Householder planning permission 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

Ian Dodsworth

Date

06/04/2026