



ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS STATEMENT Rev A

LAND ADJACENT TO VINCENT AVENUE

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1. This statement has been produced to support the full planning application for the development of 8 dwellings
2. The proposed development is for the proposed erection of four five-bedroom detached houses and four five-bedroom semi-detached houses. The development will be accessed by forming an entrance off Vincent Avenue between plots nine and eleven. Access for the site will be a one way system existing on to Oswald Street.
3. For the site to be a viable development potential and considering its setting all other types of development such as mixed use development, B1 or other small commercial has been eliminated due to its inappropriateness to its surroundings. Elements such as highways and trip counts would greatly increase and add pressure to the local infrastructure.
4. The development will have a positive impact on the local environment. Currently there is a car mechanic garage and individual car garages, the site is likely to be contaminated due to its current use which will be having a negative impact on the local environment. By developing the site the spread of contamination will be stopped and cleaned up if required. The development does propose to remove some trees from the site to make way for the development but efforts have been made to avoid any trees of particular importance, the layout also takes in to consideration tree root zones to large trees along the southern edge.
5. In order to reduce environmental effects across the site we would include the planting of new trees as part of the landscaping design and where

possible preservation of any existing trees and planting. Any other environmental impact reduction would include the requirement for bat boxes and habitats of nesting birds

6. The development will include where possible the use of sustainable energy sources such as photovoltaics, ground source heat pumps, air source heat pumps and grey water harvesting.
7. The development shall seek to achieve no less than level C on all Energy Performance Certificates.

It is a key consideration and requirement that this development enhances the local environment by mitigating and reducing existing issues. Consideration has been given to the key elements which affect the local environment such as trees, contamination, bats and nesting birds; the proposal includes for the betterment of the local environment.