

LRB-2024-05 - 23/01192/IPL - Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle), land 20 metres east of Easter Drumatherty Cottage, Spittalfield, Perth

REPRESENTATIONS



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Dear Customer.

Land 20 Metres East Of, Easter Drumatherty Cottage, Spittalfield, PH1 4LE

Planning Ref: 23/01192/IPL Our Ref: DSCAS-0091815-D72

Proposal: Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle)

Please quote our reference in all future correspondence

Audit of Proposal

Scottish Water has no objection to this planning application; however, the applicant should be aware that this does not confirm that the proposed development can currently be serviced. Please read the following carefully as there may be further action required. Scottish Water would advise the following:

Water Capacity Assessment

Scottish Water has carried out a Capacity review and we can confirm the following:

This proposed development will be fed from Lintrathen Water Treatment Works. Unfortunately, Scottish Water is unable to confirm capacity currently so to allow us to fully appraise the proposals we suggest that the applicant completes a Pre-Development Enquiry (PDE) Form and submits it directly to Scottish Water via our Customer Portal or contact Development Operations.

Waste Water Capacity Assessment

Unfortunately, according to our records there is no public Scottish Water, Waste Water infrastructure within the vicinity of this proposed development therefore we would advise applicant to investigate private treatment options.

Please Note

The applicant should be aware that we are unable to reserve capacity at our water and/or waste water treatment works for their proposed development. Once a formal connection application is submitted to Scottish Water after full planning permission has been granted, we will review the availability of capacity at that time and advise the applicant accordingly.

Surface Water

For reasons of sustainability and to protect our customers from potential future sewer flooding, Scottish Water will not accept any surface water connections into our combined sewer system.

There may be limited exceptional circumstances where we would allow such a connection for brownfield sites only, however this will require significant justification from the customer taking account of various factors including legal, physical, and technical challenges.

In order to avoid costs and delays where a surface water discharge to our combined sewer system is anticipated, the developer should contact Scottish Water at the earliest opportunity with strong evidence to support the intended drainage plan prior to making a connection request. We will assess this evidence in a robust manner and provide a decision that reflects the best option from environmental and customer perspectives.

General notes:

- Scottish Water asset plans can be obtained from our appointed asset plan providers:
 - Site Investigation Services (UK) Ltd
 - Tel: 0333 123 1223
 - Email: sw@sisplan.co.uk
 - www.sisplan.co.uk
- Scottish Water's current minimum level of service for water pressure is 1.0 bar or 10m head at the customer's boundary internal outlet. Any property which cannot be adequately serviced from the available pressure may require private pumping arrangements to be installed, subject to compliance with Water Byelaws. If the developer wishes to enquire about Scottish Water's procedure for checking the water pressure in the area, then they should write to the Customer Connections department at the above address.
- If the connection to the public sewer and/or water main requires to be laid through land out-with public ownership, the developer must provide evidence of formal approval from the affected landowner(s) by way of a deed of servitude.
- Scottish Water may only vest new water or waste water infrastructure which is to be laid through land out with public ownership where a Deed of Servitude has been obtained in our favour by the developer.

- The developer should also be aware that Scottish Water requires land title to the area of land where a pumping station and/or SUDS proposed to vest in Scottish Water is constructed.
- Please find information on how to submit application to Scottish Water at our Customer Portal.

Next Steps:

All Proposed Developments

All proposed developments require to submit a Pre-Development Enquiry (PDE) Form to be submitted directly to Scottish Water via <u>our Customer Portal</u> prior to any formal Technical Application being submitted. This will allow us to fully appraise the proposals.

Where it is confirmed through the PDE process that mitigation works are necessary to support a development, the cost of these works is to be met by the developer, which Scottish Water can contribute towards through Reasonable Cost Contribution regulations.

Non Domestic/Commercial Property:

Since the introduction of the Water Services (Scotland) Act 2005 in April 2008 the water industry in Scotland has opened to market competition for non-domestic customers. All Non-domestic Household customers now require a Licensed Provider to act on their behalf for new water and waste water connections. Further details can be obtained at www.scotlandontap.gov.uk

Trade Effluent Discharge from Non-Domestic Property:

- Certain discharges from non-domestic premises may constitute a trade effluent in terms of the Sewerage (Scotland) Act 1968. Trade effluent arises from activities including; manufacturing, production and engineering; vehicle, plant and equipment washing, waste and leachate management. It covers both large and small premises, including activities such as car washing and launderettes. Activities not covered include hotels, caravan sites or restaurants.
- If you are in any doubt as to whether the discharge from your premises is likely to be trade effluent, please contact us on 0800 778 0778 or email TEQ@scottishwater.co.uk using the subject "Is this Trade Effluent?". Discharges that are deemed to be trade effluent need to apply separately for permission to discharge to the sewerage system. The forms and application guidance notes can be found here.
- Trade effluent must never be discharged into surface water drainage systems as these are solely for draining rainfall run off.
- For food services establishments, Scottish Water recommends a suitably sized grease trap is fitted within the food preparation areas, so the

- development complies with Standard 3.7 a) of the Building Standards Technical Handbook and for best management and housekeeping practices to be followed which prevent food waste, fat oil and grease from being disposed into sinks and drains.
- The Waste (Scotland) Regulations which require all non-rural food businesses, producing more than 5kg of food waste per week, to segregate that waste for separate collection. The regulations also ban the use of food waste disposal units that dispose of food waste to the public sewer. Further information can be found at www.resourceefficientscotland.com

I trust the above is acceptable however if you require any further information regarding this matter please contact me on **0800 389 0379** or via the e-mail address below or at planningconsultations@scottishwater.co.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Ruth Kerr.

Development Services Analyst PlanningConsultations@scottishwater.co.uk

Scottish Water Disclaimer:

"It is important to note that the information on any such plan provided on Scottish Water's infrastructure, is for indicative purposes only and its accuracy cannot be relied upon. When the exact location and the nature of the infrastructure on the plan is a material requirement then you should undertake an appropriate site investigation to confirm its actual position in the ground and to determine if it is suitable for its intended purpose. By using the plan you agree that Scottish Water will not be liable for any loss, damage or costs caused by relying upon it or from carrying out any such site investigation."

Memorandum

To Development Quality Manager From Regulatory Service Manager

Your ref 23/01192/IPL Our ref MA

Date 3 August 2023 Tel No 01738 476476

The Environment Service Pullar House, 35 Kinnoull Street, Perth PH1 5GD

Consultation on an Application for Planning Permission

Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle) Site Land 20 Metres East Of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE

I refer to your letter dated 31 July 2023 in connection with the above application and have the following comments to make.

Water (assessment date – 3/8/2023)

Recommendation

I have no objections to the application but recommend the undernoted informatives be included in any given consent.

Comments

The development is for a house in a rural area with private water supplies known to serve properties in the vicinity. To maintain water quality and supply in the interests of residential amenity and ensure the private water supply or septic drainage systems of neighbours of the development remain accessible for future maintenance please note the following informatives. No public objections relating to the water supply were noted at the date above.

WAYL - Informative 1

The applicant should ensure that any existing wayleaves for maintenance or repair to existing private water supply or septic drainage infrastructure in the development area are honoured throughout and after completion of the development.

PWS - Informative 2

The applicant shall ensure the private water supply for the dwellinghouse/ development complies with the Water Scotland Act 1980 (Section 63), The Private Water Supplies (Scotland) Regulations 2006 and The Water Intended for Human Consumption (Private Supplies) (Scotland) Regulations 2017. Detailed information regarding the private water supply, including the nature, location and adequacy of the source, any storage tanks/ pipework and the filtration and disinfection treatment proposed to ensure provision of an adequate and consistently wholesome water supply shall be submitted to Perth and Kinross Council Environmental Health in line with the above Act and Regulations.

Planning Application ref.	23/01192/IPL	Comments provided by	Jody Blake	
Service/Section	Conservation	Contact Details		
Description of Proposal	Erection of a dwellinghouse	(in principle)		
Address of site	Land 20 Metres East Of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE			
Comments on the proposal	Easter Drumatherty Farm is a category C listed farmhouse dating to approximately 1830.			
	The substantial red sandstone farmhouse is particularly prominent in the existing open, flat farmland setting. The west gable is a significant landscape feature on the approach from the west, along a straight section of the Old Military Road (A984). Historic mapping shows a steading range to the northeast of the farmhouse, but it has remained undeveloped to the east or west, maintaining a clear visual and historic relationship to the wider agricultural landscape. The proposal is for the creation of one lot to the east of Eastern Drumatherty cottage (not the listed building). The proposed dwelling footprint would be setback approximately 11m from the front boundary line. This setback will retain views along Old Military Road across the fields to the listed building. The retention of the oak trees and implantation of landscaping is welcomed to lessen the visual impact of the proposed dwelling. There are no objections on heritage grounds to the current proposal.			
Recommended planning condition(s)	None			
Recommended informative(s) for applicant	None			
Date comments returned	10/08/2023			

Memorandum

To Development Management & Building Standards Service Manager

From

Regulatory Services Manager

Your ref 23/01192/IPL

Our ref CHF

Date 17/08/2023

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Pullar House, 35 Kinnoull Street, Perth, PH1 5GD

Consultation on an Application for Planning Permission 23/01192/IPL RE: Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle) at Land 20 Metres East Of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE for Robert Reid And Son

I refer to your letter dated 31 July 2023 in connection with the above application and have the following comments to make.

Contaminated Land

Comments

A search of the historical mapping has not identified any potential sources of contamination likely to impact upon the proposed development site and there is no further information held by the Authority to indicate that the application area has been affected by contamination. However, it shall be the responsibility of the applicant to satisfy themselves that the ground conditions are suitable for the development for which planning consent has been granted.

Recommendation

A search of the historic records did not raise any concerns regarding ground contamination and therefore I have no adverse comments to make on the application.

Planning Application ref.	23/01192/	PL	Comments provided by	Lucy Sumner
Service/Section	Strategy &	Policy	Contact Details	Development Contributions Officer: Lucy Sumner
Description of Proposal	Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle)			
Address of site	Land 20 Metres East Of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE			
Comments on the proposal	Primary Education With reference to the above planning application the Council Developer Contributions Supplementary Guidance requires a financial contribution towards increased primary school capacity in areas where a primary school capacity constraint has been identified. A capacity constraint is defined as where a primary school is operating at over 80% and is likely to be operating following completion of the proposed development, extant planning permissions and Local Development Plan allocations, at or above 100% of total capacity. This proposal is within the catchment of Glendelvine Primary School.			
Recommended planning condition(s)	Primary E	Education The development shall be in accordance with the requirements of Perth & Kinross Council's Developer Contributions and Affordable Housing Supplementary Guidance 2020 in line with Policy 5: Infrastructure Contributions of the Perth & Kinross Local Development Plan 2 (2019) with particular regard to primary education infrastructure, or such subsequent Guidance and Policy which may replace these. Reason – To ensure the development is in accordance with the terms of the Perth and Kinross Local Development Plan 2 (2019) and to comply with the Council's policy on Developer Contributions and Affordable Housing Supplementary Guidance 2020.		
Recommended informative(s) for applicant	N/A			
Date comments returned	22 August	2023		

Planning	23/01192/IPL	Comments	Andrew Smith	
Application ref.	23/01132/1FL	provided by	Andrew Silliui	
Service/Section	HE/Flooding	Contact Details		
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Description of Proposal	Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle)			
Address of site	Land 20 Motros East Of Ea	star Drumathartu	Cottage, Spittalfield, Perth, PH1 4LE	
	Objection – further flood risk		Cottage, Spittamera, Pertil, Phi 4LE	
Comments on	Objection – further nood risi	Cilio required.		
the proposal	Site Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) to evaluate. in	particular, future flood risk, the close vicinity	
	to the River Tay catchment a	•	•	
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		•	ktent map and site/access topography, flood	
	risk should be negligible. SE	PA future flood map	os 2080 indicate that the site floods.	
	For further details regarding	CEDA flood mans n	lease refer to Flood Risk Management Maps	
	(sepa.org.uk).	JEFA HOULI Haps, ρ	iease refer to riood hisk infallagement infaps	
Recommended		1 above, a Flood Ri	sk Assessment (FRA) shall be submitted as	
planning			subject of a further formal planning	
condition(s)			anning Authority. The FRA shall consider	
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			: Protection Agency (eg Technical Flood Risk	
	Developer Guidance.	and the Council's Fig	ood Risk and Flood Risk Assessment	
	Developer Guidance.			
	PP02 Further to Condition 1 above, a Drainage Impact Assessment (DIA) shall be			
	submitted as part of the specified matters requiring to be the subject of a further formal			
	planning application for the approval of the Council as Planning Authority. The DIA shall be			
	developed in accordance with the Council's Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessment Developer			
	Guidance.			
	DR00 Development shall not commence on site until a detailed sustainable urban drainage			
	system (SUDS) has been submitted for the written agreement of the Council as Planning			
	Authority, in consultation with SEPA where necessary. The scheme shall be developed in			
	accordance with the technical guidance contained in The SUDS Manual (C753) and the			
	Council's Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessments Developer Guidance, and shall incorporate			
	source control. All works shall be carried out in accordance with the agreed scheme and be			
	operational prior to the bringing into use of the development.			
	DR01 Storm water drainage from all paved surfaces, including the access, shall be disposed			
	of by means of suitable a Sustainable Urban Drainage System to meet the requirements of			
	best management practices.			
Recommended	The applicant is advised to refer to Perth & Kinross Council's Supplementary			
informative(s)	guidance on Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessments 2021 as it contains advice			
for applicant	relevant to your development.			
Date				
comments	05/09/2023			
returned				



To: Clair Myles, Planning Officer

From: Grace Woolmer-White,

Historic Environment Officer

Tel: 01738 477056

Email: GWoolmer@pkht.org.uk

Date: 5th September 2023

23/01192/IPL | Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle) | Land 20 Metres East Of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE

Thank you for consulting PKHT on the above application. As per the previous planning application at this site (22/01650/IPL), I can confirm that the proposed development site lies within an area that is considered to have archaeological potential. Looking into the wider context of known monuments there is very rich evidence of prehistoric activity in the area, from the unenclosed settlement remains west of Wester Drumnatherty (SM7165), potential prehistoric pit cluster 300m south and Mains of Gourdie ring ditch and potential cursus (SM6875). No invasive archaeological work has been undertaken in the wider development area therefore given the above context and the fact the site is greenfield we recommend an evaluation is undertaken to assess archaeological potential at the site.

Therefore, if permission is granted for this development, it is recommended that a programme of archaeological works is attached to consent. Given the smaller scale of the proposed development within the single plot, it is most likely that archaeological monitoring of all groundbreaking works by a professional archaeologist be the most appropriate approach to ensure the recording of any associated archaeological deposits encountered. However, should the proposed scale or design change, this would need reassessed. The works will need clarified in a Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) and be submitted for PKHT for approval.

Recommendation: In line with the National Planning Framework 4's historic environment section (Policy 7, Historic Assets and Places, pages 45-47) it is recommended that the following conditions for a programme of archaeological works should be attached to consent, if granted:

HE25A Development shall not commence until the developer has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological work in accordance with a Written Scheme of Archaeological Investigation (WSI) which has been submitted by the developer and agreed in writing by the Council as Planning Authority, in consultation with Perth and Kinross Heritage Trust (PKHT). Thereafter, the developer shall ensure that the programme of archaeological works is fully implemented including that all excavation, preservation, recording, recovery, analysis, publication and archiving of archaeological resources within the development site is undertaken. Should the archaeological works, as required by the WSI, identify a requirement for post-excavation analysis, the development as approved shall not be occupied or brought into use until a Post-Excavation Research Design (PERD) has been submitted to and agreed in writing by the Council as Planning Authority, in consultation with PKHT. The PERD shall be carried out in complete accordance with the approved details. Furthermore, the developer shall afford access at all reasonable times to PKHT or a nominated representative and shall allow them to observe work in progress.

Notes:

- 1. Should consent be given, it is important that the developer, or their agent, contact me as soon as possible. I can then explain the procedure of works required and, if necessary, prepare for them written Terms of Reference.
- 2. This advice is based on information held on the Perth and Kinross Historic Environment Record. This database of archaeological sites and historic buildings is regularly updated



Claire Myles Planning Department Perth & Kinross Council

By email only to: DevelopmentManagement@pkc.gov.uk

Our Ref: 10065

Your Ref: 23/01192/IPL

SEPA Email Contact:

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06 September 2023

Dear Claire

Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Acts 23/01192/IPL

Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle)

Land 20 Metres East of Easter Drumatherty Cottage Spittalfield Perth PH1 4LE

Thank you for your consultation which was received by SEPA on 07 August 2023 in relation to the above application. The reason for consultation was specified as flood risk.

Advice for the planning authority

In line with the advice in the <u>Transitional Arrangements for National Planning Framework 4</u>
<u>letter</u>, issued by the Chief Planner, Fiona Simpson, on 8 February 2023 our position and advice given below is based on NPF4 policy.

We **object in principle** to the application and recommend that planning permission is refused. This is because the proposed development may put people or property at risk of flooding which is contrary to national planning policy. Please note the advice provided below.

If the planning authority proposes to grant planning permission contrary to this advice on flood risk, the Town and Country Planning (Notification of Applications) (Scotland) Direction 2009





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provides criteria for the referral to the Scottish Ministers of such cases. You may therefore wish to consider if this proposal falls within the scope of this Direction.

Flood risk

- 1.1 We have a shared duty with Scottish Ministers and other responsible authorities under the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009 to reduce overall flood risk and promote sustainable flood risk management. The cornerstone of sustainable flood risk management is the avoidance of flood risk as a first principle, and this is set out in NPF4 Policy 22.
- 1.2 In line with NPF4 Policy 22, a precautionary approach to flood risk should be taken by avoiding development within flood risk areas or areas at risk of flooding (land or built form with an annual probability of being flooded of greater than 0.5% which must include an appropriate allowance for future climate change). NPF4 strengthens resilience to flood risk by promoting avoidance as a first principle, new development therefore needs to be located outwith flood risk areas unless it falls under one of the four categories of permissible development set out in Policy 22. This proposal is for a dwellinghouse on a non-allocated and undeveloped site, as such we do not consider it to fall under any of the categories of permissible development. In addition, development must not result in any reduction in floodplain capacity increase risk for others or increase the need for future flood protection schemes.
- 1.3 The site is fully shown to be at risk of flooding based on the SEPA Future Flood Maps. This indicates that there is a risk of flooding from fluvial sources including the River Tay, Millhole Burn and Peathill Burn. You can view the SEPA Flood Maps and find out more about them at SEPA Flood Maps.
- 1.4 We also hold several records of flooding in the area:
 - 30 December 2015: Flooding on the Meikleour to Dunkeld road (A984) due to burns backing up due to high levels on the River Tay.
 - 07 January 2005: Extensive flooding to agricultural land and woodland.
 - 16 January 1993: Extensive flooding, estimated to be a 1 in 100 year return period event. Post flood survey found levels had reached 35.77mAOD near the site.
 - 26 January 1990: River Tay in flood and burns backed up.

- 24 January 1928: Flood from river, Meikleour and Eastor Drumatherty affected. Road impassable near Spittalfield.
- 1.5 Based on the SEPA Flood Maps and records of past flooding, we consider the proposed development to be within a flood risk area. Any new residential development in this location would put people and property at risk of flooding contrary to NPF4. We therefore object in principle to the proposed development as avoidance cannot be achieved.

2. Other planning matters

2.1 For all other planning matters, please see our <u>triage framework and standing advice</u> which are available on our website: www.sepa.org.uk/environment/land/planning/.

Advice for the applicant

3. Regulatory advice

3.1 Details of regulatory requirements and good practice advice, for example in relation to private drainage, can be found on the <u>regulations section</u> of our website. If you are unable to find the advice you need for a specific regulatory matter, please contact a member of the local compliance team at: <u>FASP@sepa.org.uk</u>.

If you have queries relating to this letter, please contact us at the email above including our reference number in the email subject.

Yours sincerely

Jonathan Werritty
Senior Planning Officer
Planning Service

Disclaimer: This advice is given without prejudice to any decision made on elements of the proposal regulated by us, as such a decision may take into account factors not considered at this time. We prefer all the technical information required for any SEPA consents to be submitted at the same time as the planning or similar application. However, we consider it to be at the applicant's commercial risk if any significant changes required during the regulatory stage necessitate a further planning application or similar application and/or neighbour notification or advertising. We have relied on the accuracy and

completeness of the information supplied to us in providing the above advice and can take no responsibility for incorrect data or interpretation, or omissions, in such information. If we have not referred to a particular issue in our response, it should not be assumed that there is no impact associated with that issue. For planning applications, if you did not specifically request advice on flood risk, then advice will not have been provided on this issue. Further information on our consultation arrangements generally can be found on our www.sepa.org.uk/environment/land/planning/.

Planning	23/01192/IPL	Comments	Lachlan MacLean	
Application ref.		provided by	Project Officer – Transport Planning	
Service/Section	Transport Planning	Contact Details	TransportPlanning@pkc.gov.uk	
Description of Proposal	Erection of a dwellinghou	use (in principle	e)	
Address of site	Land 20 Metres East Of , PH1 4LE	Easter Drumat	herty Cottage , Spittalfield , Perth ,	
Comments on the proposal	Erection of a dwellinghouse (in principle) Land 20 Metres East Of , Easter Drumatherty Cottage , Spittalfield , Perth ,			

	location.
	Insofar as the Roads matters are concerned, I have no objections to this proposal on the following conditions.
Recommended planning condition(s)	The development shall not commence until the following specified matters have been the subject of a formal planning application for the approval of the Council as Planning Authority: the siting, design and external appearance of the development, the hard and soft landscaping of the site, all means of enclosure, means of access to the site, vehicle parking and turning facilities, levels, drainage and waste management provision.
	Reason - This is a Planning Permission in Principle under Section 59 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 as amended by Section 21 of the Planning etc. (Scotland) Act 2006.
	As part of the first application for the Approval of Matters Specified by Condition (AMSC) or detailed application a detailed design showing the full visibility splays of 215 metres along the channel line shall be provided to the left and right of the access, at a set-back of 2.4 metres to the standard and specification required by the Council as Roads Authority to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority. The visibility splays shall be physically formed on the ground and any existing fences, walls, hedges or other means of enclosure or obstructions within the splays shall be removed and relocated outwith the splays. Once formed, the visibility splays shall be permanently retained thereafter, and no visual obstruction of any kind shall be permitted within the visibility splays so formed. The visibility splays, as approved in writing, shall be implemented in accordance with the approved details to the satisfaction of the Council as Planning Authority and undertaken prior to the commencement of construction associated with the AMSC or detailed application.
	Reason - In the interests of road safety; to ensure an acceptable standard of construction within the public road boundary.
Recommended informative(s) for applicant	
Date comments returned	13 October 2023