

H/22/93117 91 HIGH STREET, WEST END, SOUTHAMPTON, SO30 3DS

Single Storey Side Extension

Thank you for consulting Ecology, my observations are as follows:

The property is located in a residential setting in West End. The nearest priority habitats of raised interest are those located to the west at Hatch Grange. I have no records of protected species which can be considered directly relevant to this application. There are records of bats within the general area.

Given the location and the property type it is unlikely that the proposed single storey extension will impact upon protected species. I raise **no objection** on grounds of ecology. In the extremely unlikely event that a bat is found should permission be granted, works should stop immediately and Natural England informed: <https://www.bats.org.uk/advice/im-working-on-a-building-with-bats/ive-found-a-bat-during-works>

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