

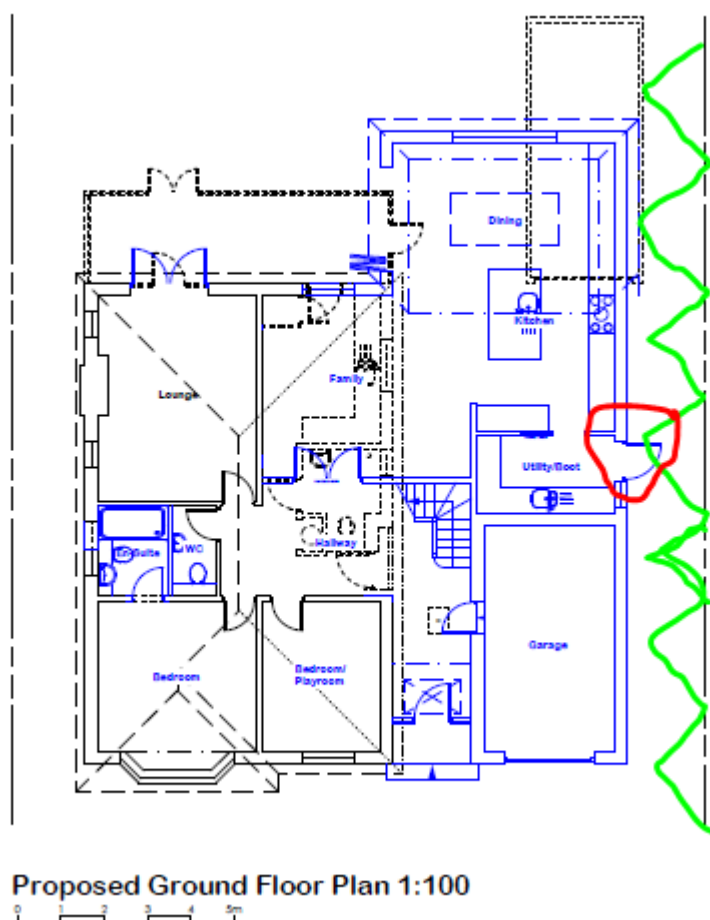
H/22/93507 21 Roselands Close, SO50 8GN
Ecology Comments 4.10.22

I've compared the latest proposals in drawing 324/04 (July 2022) with the approved plans in H/21/90304 and I can barely see any difference. Is it just the dormer height which has changed slightly? Please let me know if I've missed anything significant.

Therefore, comments remain similar to last time. This was placed on the decision notice last time and please can it be put on again:

Note to Applicant: Swifts' boxes should be installed with a clear drop of at least 4m below the box. You are advised to contact Hampshire Swifts at <https://hampshireswifts.co.uk> to determine whether there is anywhere on the proposed first floor alterations that would be suitable for an external swift nest box. If the building is not appropriate for a swift nest box you are advised to install a sparrow terrace on the house or a bird nest box on a suitable tree in the garden as a biodiversity enhancement.

The only additional observation I have is that it appears the door from the utility room (circled red below) will open out into an existing hedge (green zig zagged line). The application form states that there will be no loss or pruning of hedgerow required but I cannot see how access through this door can function practically without works to the hedge. Please can you get clarity on this matter?



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