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Dear Sir/Madam,

Discharge of conditions 7 (Levels & Retaining Walls), 8 (Access roads/lighting), 9 (Foul and Surface drainage) and 16 (Central garden spaces for Blocks B, C, D & E) of planning permission F/19/86233 for demolition of existing buildings and dwelling with the construction of a mixed use retail and residential development comprising an A1 retail convenience store and flexible retail floorspace (A1 and A2 Use Class), and 67 residential units (C3 Use Class) with associated access, parking, landscaping, drainage, and ancillary infrastructure including pedestrian and cycle links.

at Land to the North and East of Boorley Green, Winchester Road, Botley, SO32 2UA(Application No. DC/22/93211

Hampshire County Council as Lead Local Flood Authority has provided comments in relation to the above application in our role as statutory consultee on surface water drainage for major developments.

This response does not reflect the position of Hampshire County Council as the Highway Authority. If there is a potential for the drainage features to be offered for adoption, this will need to be discussed separately with Highways development planning as they might not be considered acceptable by the Highway Authority.

In order to assist applicants in providing the correct information to their Local Planning Authority for planning permission, Hampshire County Council has set out the information it requires to provide a substantive response at <https://www.hants.gov.uk/landplanningandenvironment/environment/flooding/planning>

Director of Universal Services
Patrick Blogg

The County Council has reviewed the following documents relating to the above application:

- SuDS Management & Maintenance Plan revD
- Swale and Retaining Wall Detail ref: 6663-MJA-SW-XX-DR-C-205 P1
- Storm Drainage Sheet 1 ref: 6663-MJA-SW-XX-DR-C-003 P1
- Storm Drainage Sheet 2 ref: 6663-MJA-SW-XX-DR-C-004 P1

To address our previous comments, a swale has been provided uphill of the proposed retaining wall. This is considered acceptable in principle but the outfall of this swale is connecting to the north and into the Phase 1 drainage network as opposed to the current situation where flows head south. It is not good practise to change flow characteristics and given the southern catchment is already having a reduction in flow rate, the proposed connection should be retained in a southern direction.

No evidence has been provided as to why the southern connection can not be retained and given that works are already proposed outside the red line boundary, it is requested that this is included.

If it is not technically feasible, additional flow rate assessment will need to be provided with updated calculations to demonstrate the impact on the phase 1 drainage.

All other points raised previously have been suitably addressed.

As a statutory consultee, the County Council has a duty to respond to consultations within **21 days**. The 21 day period will not begin until we have received sufficient information to enable us to provide a meaningful response.

Please ensure all data is sent to us via the relevant Local Planning Authority.

This response has been provided using the best knowledge and information submitted by the applicant as part of the planning application at the time of responding and is reliant on the accuracy of that information.

Yours faithfully,



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General guidance for the application

It is important to ensure that the long-term maintenance and responsibility for Sustainable Drainage Systems is agreed between the Local Planning Authority and the applicant before planning permission is granted. This should involve discussions with those adopting and/or maintaining the proposed systems, which could include the Highway Authority, Planning Authority, Parish Councils, Water Companies and private management companies.

For SuDS systems to be adopted by Hampshire Highways it is recommended that you visit the website at:

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/transport/developers/constructionstandards> for guidance on which drainage features would be suitable for adoption.

Where the proposals are connecting to an existing drainage system it is likely that the authorities responsible for maintaining those systems will have their own design requirements. These requirements will need to be reviewed and agreed as part of any surface water drainage scheme.

Works in relation to ordinary watercourses

*PLEASE NOTE: If the proposals include works to an ordinary watercourse, under the Land Drainage Act 1991, as amended by the Flood and Water Management Act 2010, prior consent from the Lead Local Flood Authority is required. **This consent is required as a separate permission to planning.***

Information on ordinary watercourse consenting can be found at the following link

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/landplanningandenvironment/environment/flooding/c/hangewatercourse>

It is strongly recommended that this information is reviewed before Land Drainage consent application is made.

*For guidance on providing the correct information, we recommend you use our **Ordinary Watercourse Consents Pre-application service** and help avoid delays occurring at the formal application stage. A Pre-application service for Ordinary Watercourse Consents is available, allowing consents to go through in a smoother, often more timely manner. For full information please visit:*

<https://www.hants.gov.uk/landplanningandenvironment/environment/flooding/c/hangewatercourse>