

Householder Application for Planning Permission for works or extension to a dwelling, and for relevant demolition of an unlisted building in a conservation area

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website. If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

Site Location

Disclaimer: We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number	1
Suffix	
Property Name	
Address Line 1	Bedford Street
Address Line 2	
Address Line 3	Hertfordshire
Town/city	Hitchin
Postcode	SG5 2JG

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x)	Northing (y)
517925	229459
Description	

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Ms

First name

Haley

Surname

Bellerby

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

1 Bedford Street

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

Hitchin

County

Hertfordshire

Country

Postcode

SG5 2JG

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Applicant Contact Details

Primary number

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Agent Details

Name/Company

Title

First name

Surname

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

Address line 2

Address line 3

Town/City

County

Country

Postcode

Contact Details

Primary number

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Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

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Description of Proposed Works

Please describe the proposed works

Erection of stepped rear extensions at ground and first floor level including roof extension to provide additional accommodation, installation of conservation rooflights, replacement and repair of windows, roof repairs, and associated internal alterations to dwelling house.

Has the work already been started without consent?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

Explanation for Proposed Demolition Work

Why is it necessary to demolish all or part of the building(s) and/or structure(s)?

An existing rear extension was added at a later date and is not inkeeping with the historic fabric. It is to be removed and replaced with a more contemporary and sensitive intervention to improve the building use and longevity.

Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)

Type:

Windows

Existing materials and finishes:

Timber frames. PVC to existing rear extension.

Proposed materials and finishes:

Street facing timber framed windows retained and repaired. PVCs removed. New rear windows to be slimline aluminium full glazing.

Type:

Roof

Existing materials and finishes:

Slate roof tiles

Proposed materials and finishes:

Slate roof tiles overhauled and repaired. New sedum planted roof with roof lights to ground and first floor extension. New standing seam slate grey aluminium to roof extension to match existing roof tiles.

Type:

Walls

Existing materials and finishes:

Brickwork. White render rear extension.

Proposed materials and finishes:

White rendered rear extension removed. Ground and first floor rear extension: Matt finish, durable, standing seam powder coated aluminium, green RAL. Ground floor rear extension to garden: rainscreen buff brick detail Roof extension: Matt finish standing seam powder coated aluminium, slate grey RAL

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

☒ Yes

☐ No

If Yes, please state references for the plans, drawings and/or design and access statement

303 Bedford Road-001 Location Plan
303 Bedford Road-010 Plans as Existing
303 Bedford Road-020 Plans as Proposed with Downtakings
303 Bedford Road-020 Plans as Proposed
303 Bedford Road-022 Elevations as Existing and Proposed
303 Bedford Road-023 Site Elevation
303 Bedford Road-030 Section as Proposed

303 Bedford Road-DOC01 DAS
303 Bedford Road-DOC02 Heritage Impact Assessment

Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

Is a new or altered vehicle access proposed to or from the public highway?

☐ Yes

☒ No

Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Do the proposals require any diversions, extinguishment and/or creation of public rights of way?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Parking

Will the proposed works affect existing car parking arrangements?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Trees and Hedges

Are there any trees or hedges on the property or on adjoining properties which are within falling distance of the proposed development?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Will any trees or hedges need to be removed or pruned in order to carry out your proposal?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Biodiversity net gain

Paragraph 13 of Schedule 7A of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 sets out that every planning permission granted for the development of land in England shall be deemed to have been granted subject to the 'biodiversity gain condition' requiring development to achieve a net gain of 10% of biodiversity value.

This is subject to exemptions, an exemption applies in relation to planning permission for a development which is the subject of a householder application, within the meaning of article 2(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order (2015)*.

Applicants for planning permission are required to make a statement as to whether they believe the biodiversity gain condition will apply if permission is granted, please confirm:

☒ It is my belief that if permission is granted for the development to which this application relates the biodiversity gain condition would not apply

*A 'householder application' means an application for planning permission for development for an existing dwellinghouse, or development within the curtilage of such a dwellinghouse for any purpose incidental to the enjoyment of the dwellinghouse which is not an application for change of use or an application to change the number of dwellings in a building.

Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact?

- ☒ The agent
☐ The applicant
☐ Other person

Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

- (a) a member of staff
(b) an elected member
(c) related to a member of staff
(d) related to an elected member

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration

Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)

Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.

Is the applicant the sole owner of all the land to which this application relates; and has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/ the applicant was the owner* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding**

* "owner" is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run.

** "agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act.

NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Person Role

- ☐ The Applicant
☒ The Agent

Title

Ms

First Name

Antonia

Surname

Gampell

Declaration Date

15/05/2026

☒ Declaration made

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Householder planning & demolition in a conservation area as described in the questions answered, details provided, and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information.

I/We confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the person(s) giving them.

I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:

- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published as part of a public register and on the authority's website;
- Our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

☒ I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Michael Collins

Date

15/05/2026