1a. Contact Details	
Title	Mr
First Name	Jake
Last Name	Lambert
Job Title (where relevant)	Graduate Planner
Organisation (where relevant)	Bidwells
Address	16 Upper King Street, Norwich
Post Code	NR3 1HA
Telephone Number	01603 229317
Email Address	jake.lambert@bidwells.co.uk

1b. I am	
Owner of the site	Parish/Town Council
Developer	Community Group
Land Agent	Local Resident
Planning Consultant	Registered Social Landlord
Other (please specify):	<u>.</u>

1c. Client/Landowner Details (if different from question 1a)				
Title	Ms			
First Name	Sally			
Last Name	Dye			
Job Title (where relevant)				
Organisation (where relevant)				
Address				
Post Code				
Telephone Number				
Email Address				

2. Site Details	
Site location / address and post code	Land at High Breck Farm, Fir Covert Road, NR8 6HT
(please include as an attachment to this response form a location plan of the site on an scaled OS base with the boundaries of the site clearly shown)	
Grid reference (if known)	
Site area (hectares)	0.61ha

Site Ownership		
3a. I (or my client)		
Is the sole owner of the site	Is a part owner of the site	Do/Does not own (or hold any legal interest in) the site whatsoever
	$\boxtimes$	
•	ne, address and contact dete opies of all relevant title plar	
Elizabeth Clancy		
3c. If the site is in multiple		
landownerships do all landowners support your proposal for the site?	Yes	No
3d. If you answered no to the of the sites owners support	ne above question please pr your proposals for the site.	ovide details of why not all

# Current and Historic Land Uses

**4a. Current Land Use** (Please describe the site's current land use e.g. agriculture, employment, unused/vacant etc.)

High Breck is currently in residential use, with a substantial garden area. Within the High Breck site, there is a garage/workshop with an access from Fir Covert Road and parking area, constructed in accordance with planning permission ref 941366. High Breck Farm is a disused employment site, which has remained vacant for around 15 years.

# 4b. Has the site been previously developed?

**4c. Describe any previous uses of the site.** (please provide details of any relevant historic planning applications, including application numbers if known)

Yes

 $\square$ 

No

High Breck Farm has been used as a piggeries, scaffolding yard and a coach depot. The site therefore has an extensive planning history:

- 740893 Replacement Of Existing Agricultural Buildings. Approved: 24-09-1974.
- 750894 Tanks For Storage Distillate. Refused: 24-06-1975
- 771112 Office, Drivers Rest Room And Toilet. Temporary Approval: 26-07-1977
- 771844 Extension To Commercial Vehicle Workshop. Refused: 29-11-1977.
- 782361 Resiting Mobile Office. Temporary Approval: 24-10-1978
- 821327 Continue Use Of Office, Drivers Rest Room And Toilet. Temporary Approval: 05-08-1982
- 872055 Renewal Of PP 821327 Continue Use Of Office Drivers Rest Room And Toilet. Approved: 15-10-1987.
- 882347 Standing Of Caravan For Office Use. Approved: 02-11-1988.
- 890576 Portacabin Office. Approved: 31-05-1989.
- 920330 1) Resiting Of Caravan 2) Portable Office Building. Approved: 19-05-1992.
- 941167 Haulage Use (Class B8) (Application For A Certificate Of Lawfulness). Approved: 02-11-1995.

High Breck has always been in residential use, with two planning applications:

- 860305 Single Storey Side Extension. Approved: 20-03-1986.
- 941366 1. Garage/Workshop, 2. Formation Of New Vehicular Access. Approved: 21-03-1995.

#### **Proposed Future Uses**

**5a. Please provide a short description of the development or land use you proposed** (if you are proposing a site to be designated as local green space please go directly to question 6)

The site offers an exciting opportunity to redevelop a vacant brownfield site. The proposed development seeks to deliver residential development. The housing will be a mix of size, type and tenure, to be determined in discussion with the Greater Norwich Local Plan team.

## 5b. Which of the following use or uses are you proposing?

Market Housing	$\boxtimes$	Business and offices		Recreation & Leisure		
Affordable Housing	$\boxtimes$	General industrial		Community Use		
				·		
Residential Care Home		Storage & distribution		Public Open Space		
Gypsy and Traveller		Tourism		Other (Please Specify)		
Pitches						
5c. Please provide furth	er d	letails of your proposal, i	inclu	ding details on number of		
houses and proposed fl	oor	space of commercial bu	uilding	ns etc		
Based on the site area of 0.61ha, and Taverham's position within Norwich's urban fringe, and the						
local context, an approximate number of dwellings proposed is up to 5 units. Further information						
will be submitted in due course to demonstrate how the site could be successfully redeveloped and						
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brought back into use. 5d. Please describe any benefits to the Local Area that the development of the site

#### could provide.

Redevelopment at this location will bring a long-unused brownfield site back into productive use, contributing market and affordable housing to the local area. Furthermore, housing growth at this site would reduce the need to build upon greenfield and good quality agricultural land in the local area.

The site is currently in a state of disrepair, and the redevelopment of the site will bring it back into viable use.

#### Local Green Space

If you are proposed a site to be designated as Local Green Space please complete the following questions. These questions do not need to be completed if you are not proposing a site as Local Green Space. Please consult the guidance notes for an explanation of Local Green Space Designations.

6a.Which community would the site serve and how would the designation of the site benefit that community.

N/A.

6b. Please describe why you consider the site to be of particular local significance e.g. recreational value, tranquillity or richness in wildlife.

N/A.

Site Features and Constraints

Are there any features of the site or limitations that may constrain development on this site (please give details)?

**7a. Site Access:** Is there a current means of access to the site from the public highway, does this access need to be improved before development can take place and are there any public rights of way that cross or adjoin the site?

The site benefits from an existing frontage and two access points onto Fir Covert Road. These access points may be replaced by one access onto Fir Covert Road, in accordance with more detailed design specifications. Further information will be provided in due course.

No public rights of way cross or adjoin the site.

**7b. Topography:** Are there any slopes or significant changes of in levels that could affect the development of the site?

The site levels are generally flat with no significant changes in level that could adversely affect the development of the site as a whole.

**7c. Ground Conditions:** Are ground conditions on the site stable? Are there potential ground contamination issues?

Ground conditions on the site are stable. Any potential ground contamination issues on the site will be investigated, and evidence provided, in due course.

**7d. Flood Risk:** Is the site liable to river, ground water or surface water flooding and if so what is the nature, source and frequency of the flooding?

The Environment Agency Flood Risk Map indicates that the site is not located in a high level flood risk area (Flood Zone 1). At any detailed planning application stage, a suitable drainage system solution can be implemented to eradicate any potential risk of flooding to the development site and the surrounding area.

**7e. Legal Issues:** Is there land in third party ownership, or access rights, which must be acquired to develop the site, do any restrictive covenants exist, are there any existing tenancies?

There are no known legal issues for the site, with the landowners owning the site outright.

**7f. Environmental Issues:** Is the site located next to a watercourse or mature woodland, are there any significant trees or hedgerows crossing or bordering the site are there any known features of ecological or geological importance on or adjacent to the site?

The site is not located next to a watercourse or mature woodland. The site contains a number of trees and vegetation. However, the trees are not acknowledged to be of high ecological importance. No trees on site have been designated with a Tree Preservation Order or other classification. Vegetation on the site, aside from the garden relating to High Breck, has become overgrown as a result of the disuse of the site.

**7g. Heritage Issues:** Are there any listed buildings, Conservation Areas, Historic Parklands or Schedules Monuments on the site or nearby? If so, how might the site's development affect them?

There are no heritage assets on the site or nearby.

**7h. Neighbouring Uses:** What are the neighbouring uses and will either the proposed use or neighbouring uses have any implications?

Residential properties adjoin the site to the north and south. Grazing land adjoins the site to the east, while Fir Covert Road is situated to the west. It is not envisaged that the proposed residential use of the site would have any negative implications upon these neighbouring uses. Rather, the regeneration of the brownfield portion of the site is more likely to bring about positive visual implications to the surrounding area.

**7i. Existing uses and Buildings:** are there any existing buildings or uses that need to be relocated before the site can be developed.

None of the existing buildings or structures on the site need to be relocated as a result of the site's redevelopment.

7j. Other: (please specify):

The site is within close proximity to the Northern Distributor Road, situated to the north. However, from an initial site visit, the noise from the road was audible but not excessive, with surrounding development acting as a noise buffer. More detailed noise impact studies will be implemented to support the development of the site in due course.

#### Utilities

8a. Which of the following are likely to be readily available to service the site and enable its development? Please provide details where possible.

	Yes	No	Unsure
Mains water supply			
Mains sewerage		$\square$	
Electricity supply	$\square$		
Gas supply		$\boxtimes$	
Public highway	$\square$		
Broadband internet	$\square$		

Other (please specify):				
8b. Please provide any further in	nformation on the utilities available on the site:			
High Breck is connected to all relevant utilities. It is anticipated that only minor works will need to be undertaken to connect the remainder of the site to existing services.				

#### Availability

9a. Please indicate when the site could be made available for the land use or development proposed.

 $\boxtimes$ 

Immediately

1 to 5 years (by April 2021)

5 - 10 years (between April 2021 and 2026)

10 - 15 years (between April 2026 and 2031)

15 - 20 years (between April 2031 and 2036)

#### 9b. Please give reasons for the answer given above.

The land is available for development now with no private ownership ransom strips.

#### **Market Interest**

10. Please choose the most appropriate category below to indicate what level of market interest there is/has been in the site. Please include relevant dates in the comments section.

	Yes	Comments
Site is owned by a		
developer/promoter		
Site is under option to a		
developer/promoter		
Enquiries received		

Site is being marketed	
None	
Not known	

Delivery	
11a. Please indicate when you anticipate the proposed development cou begun.	ld be
Up to 5 years (by April 2021)	$\boxtimes$
5 - 10 years (between April 2021 and 2026)	
10 – 15 years (between April 2026 and 2031)	
15 - 20 years (between April 2031 and 2036)	
11b. Once started, how many years do you think it would take to complete proposed development (if known)?	e the
Not known - depends on final numbers.	

Viability			-		
12a. You acknowledge that there are likely to be policy requirements and Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) costs to be met which will be in addition to the other development costs of the site (depending on the type and scale of land use proposed). These requirements are likely to include but are not limited to: Affordable Housing; Sports Pitches & Children's Play Space and Community Infrastructure Levy					
	Yes	No	Unsure		
12b. Do you know if there are there any abnormal costs that could affect the viability of the site e.g. infrastructure, demolition or ground conditions?					
12c. If there are abnormal costs associated with the sit	e please j	orovide de	etails:		
Given that the site is brownfield, there will be abnormal costs involved in the demolition of existing structures and clearance of the site. Furthermore, a detailed investigation of ground conditions prior to the commencement of redevelopment works would need to be undertaken.					
12d. Do you consider that the site is currently viable for its proposed use taking into account any and all current planning policy and CIL considerations and	$\square$				

other abnormal development costs associated with the site?				
12e. Please attach any viability assessment or development appraisal you have undertaken for the site, or any other evidence you consider helps demonstrate the viability of the site.				
Further details would be submitted at the detailed planning application stage.				

### Other Relevant Information

13. Please use the space below to for additional information or further explanations on any of the topics covered in this form

Please refer to accompanying covering letter and OS Map.

Check List	
Your Details	Y
Site Details (including site location plan)	Y
Site Ownership	Y
Current and Historic Land Uses	Y
Proposed Future Uses	Y
Local Green Space (Only to be completed for proposed Local Green	N/A
Space Designations)	
Site Features and Constraints	Y
Utilities	Y
Availability	Y
Market Interest	Y
Delivery	Y
Viability	Y
Other Relevant Information	Y
Declaration	Y
14. Declaration	

I understand that:

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- to contact you, if necessary, regarding the answers given in your form
- to evaluate the development potential of the submitted site for the uses proposed within the form

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I agree that the details within this form can be held by Norfolk County Council and that those details can be shared with Broadland District Council, Norwich City Council and South Norfolk District Council for the purposes specified in this declaration.

Name	Date
Jake Lambert	22/03/18

# Land at High Breck Farm, Fir Covert Road

