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Dear Councillor

PLANNING COMMITTEE - TUESDAY, 15TH MAY, 2018

Please find attached copies of the addendae and plans for the above meeting.

Agenda No Item

- 3. AREA EAST DETERMINATION OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS (Pages 3 60)
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Yours sincerely

Mark James CBE

Chief Executive

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Agenda Item 3

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REPORT OF THE HEAD OF PLANNING,
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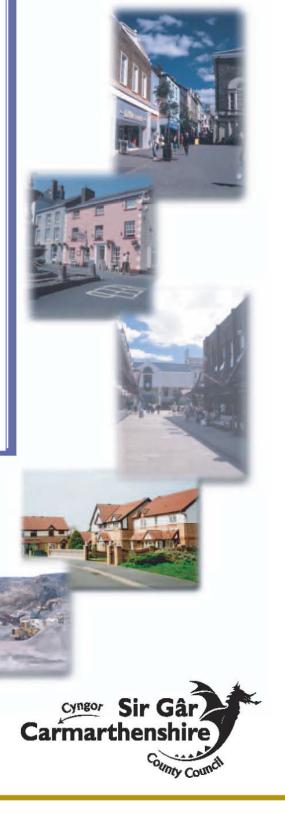
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TO CARMARTHENSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL'S PLANNING COMMITTEE

AR 15 MAI 2018 ON 15 MAY 2018

I'W BENDERFYNU FOR DECISION

ATODIAD ADDENDUM Ardal Dwyrain/ Area East



ADDENDUM - Area East

| Application Number | E/33695 |
|---------------------|---|
| Proposal & Location | FULL PLANNING FOR THE ERECTION OF A POULTRY UNIT ON FARM TO ACCOMMODATE FREE RANGE CHICKENS (EGG PRODUCTION) TOGETHER WITH ASSOCIATED FEED BINS, INTERNAL FARM ACCESS AND ASSOCIATED WORKS AT GODRE GARREG, LLANGADOG, SA19 9DA |

DETAILS:

CONSULTATIONS

Public Health and Protection – Noise - The new proposed location for the chicken shed is further away from residential properties which has resulted in the noise rating level from the proposed development being less at the nearest noise sensitive property.

For external areas this is generally considered as a low level of noise, especially given the fans will only be operated during the day time. Therefore based on this and subject to the proposed conditions being imposed, Environmental Health and Licencing do not object to this application.

Public Health and Protection - Odour – From the Odour Report submitted in the application it is not considered that there will be significant odour issues from the operation. It is noted that odours, albeit, low level, will exist at times, and could affect nearby properties. The property closest to the operation have not raised any objections to the application and are supportive of the development.

In terms of the ADAS odour emissions assessment submitted from a resident of Carregsawdde Common certain matters raised in this report identify potential issues with the manure store. I understand that the manure storage is not being considered as part of this application, and further permissions will be required for the manure store prior to the operation commencing. Concerns raised for further sensitivity assessments on the potential for odours at nearby properties could be of benefit, but given this is a rural agricultural area, having slight odours from time to time would not seem unreasonable. The prevailing wind direction is south westerly, and the properties located in this direction have no objection to the application.

Since the original application was received, I understand the proposed siting for the building has been moved and it will now be located further away from the residential properties that have raised concerns.

The proposed operation will be using a conveyor belt system for removing the manure from inside the unit, and this system is recognised as a method that reduces odours significantly from the unit in general. From visiting an identical operation in the County, it was apparent that there were no odours in the nearby vicinity. Slight odours were witnessed adjacent to the area used for manure removal, but these were very slight in nature and would not be noticeable off site. This operation also uses the same ventilation system through the roof as the proposed development. Due to the weather conditions the ventilation fans were not

in operation during the visit, so assessments were also made inside the unit. Odours were not strong inside, so any odours released when the fans would be operated would be low in intensity. This is due to the manure being removed from the unit twice weekly, so there is less manure present to generate odours. The manure is also kept dry, which again reduces the potential for odour intensity. I would add that removing the manure as opposed to using a deep litter system is also beneficial in reducing the potential for insect/fly problems.

Officers of this team have also previously dealt with a similar application in the County, which uses a deep litter system as opposed to a conveyor belt operation. This operation has not caused odour complaints, and I would therefore anticipate a conveyor system to reduce the likelihood and intensity of odours further.

The ventilation system will emit air through vents in the roof, which should also reduce the potential for odours to affect nearby properties as odours will be dispersed at height. I am aware that these units are operated on an automated system, whereby the fans will operate when required to maintain the temperature inside, so fans may operate during the day or night.

Therefore, from experience and assessing other operations of this nature, I would not envisage a problem in relation to odours.

Natural Resources Wales (NRW) - The drainage plan requested and submitted advises that all dirty water from wash down will be collected in an underground sealed tank. It will be tankered out as necessary and applied to the land in accordance with the Manure Management Plan. The drainage plan is to be conditioned in the planning permission. It remains that the test of likely significant effect has yet to the completed for the revised location and no permission shall be released until this has been completed and agreed by NRW.

Neighbours/Public – The 21 day notification period in the required press notice expires on 30 May 2018. Subject to no new material planning considerations being received in the interim, the decision notice shall not therefore be issued before this date.

ADDENDUM - Area East

| Application Number | E/35873 |
|---------------------|---|
| Proposal & Location | NEW HOUSE WITH INTEGRAL GARAGE AT PLOT 11 GWAUN HENLLAN, TIRYDAIL, AMMANFORD, SA18 2FD |

DETAILS:

The applicant has submitted an additional cross sectional drawing showing the finished level of the dwelling in relation to those of existing neighbouring properties. Condition no. 2 of the main report is to be amended as follows to reflect the submission of this additional plan:-

CONDITIONS

- 2 The development shall be carried out strictly in accordance with the following approved plans:-
 - 1:500 scale Block and Location Plans (02) received on 13 March 2017;
 - 1:50 and 1:100 scale Proposed Plans and Elevations (01) received on 13 March 2017.
 - 1:100 scale proposed elevations to road east (01) received on 26 April 2018.

REASONS

2 In the interests of visual amenity.



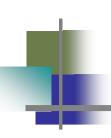
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RHANBARTH Y DWYRAIN AREA EAST





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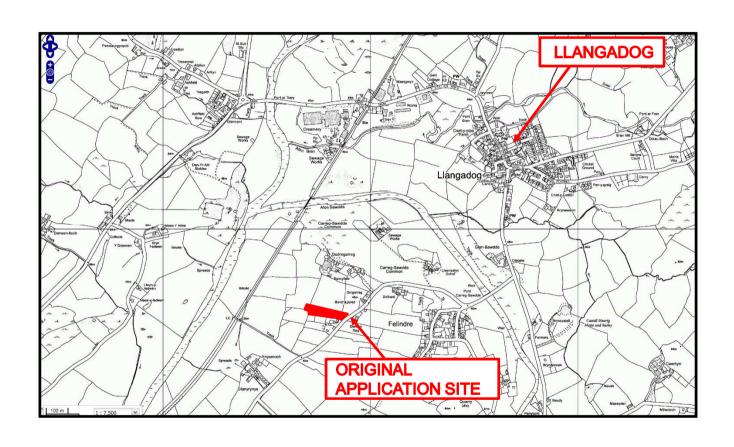




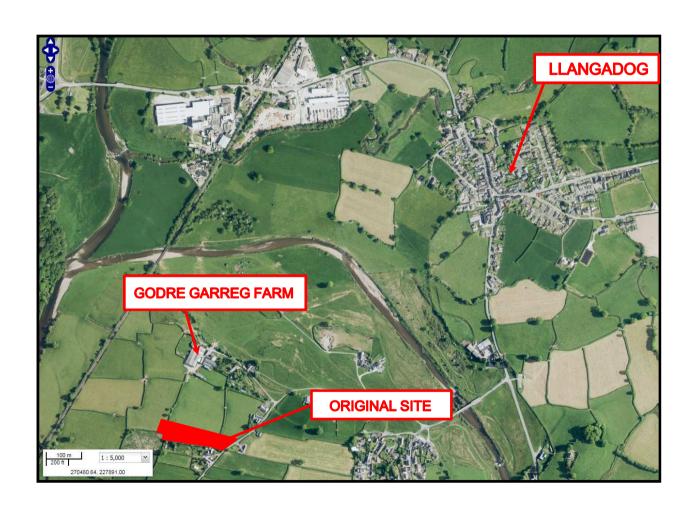
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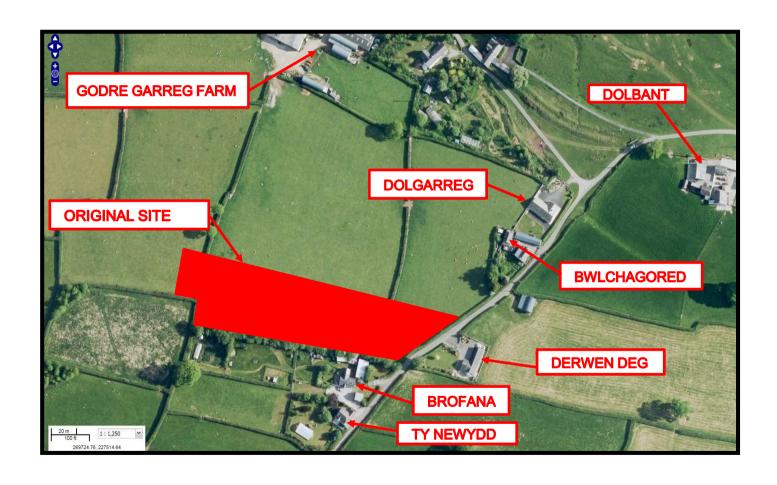
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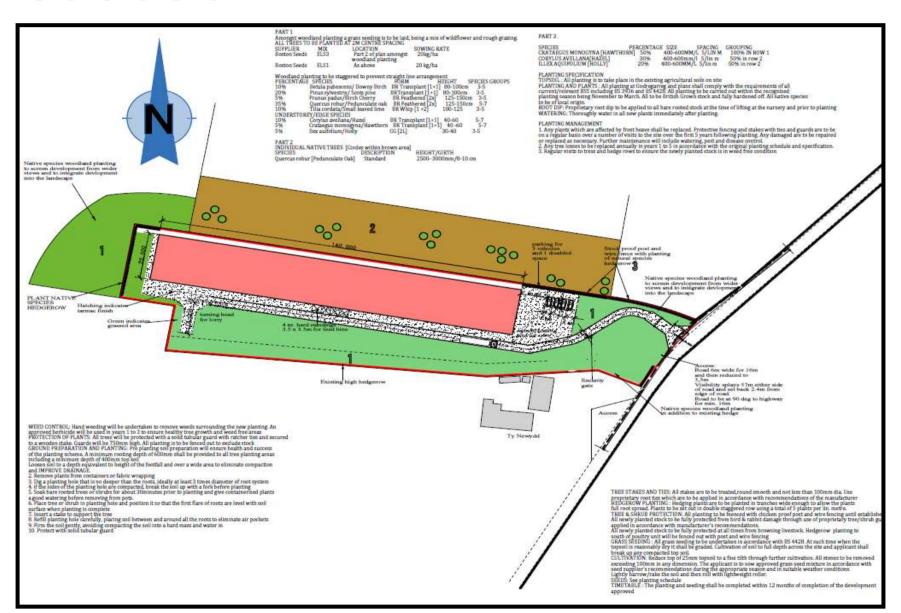
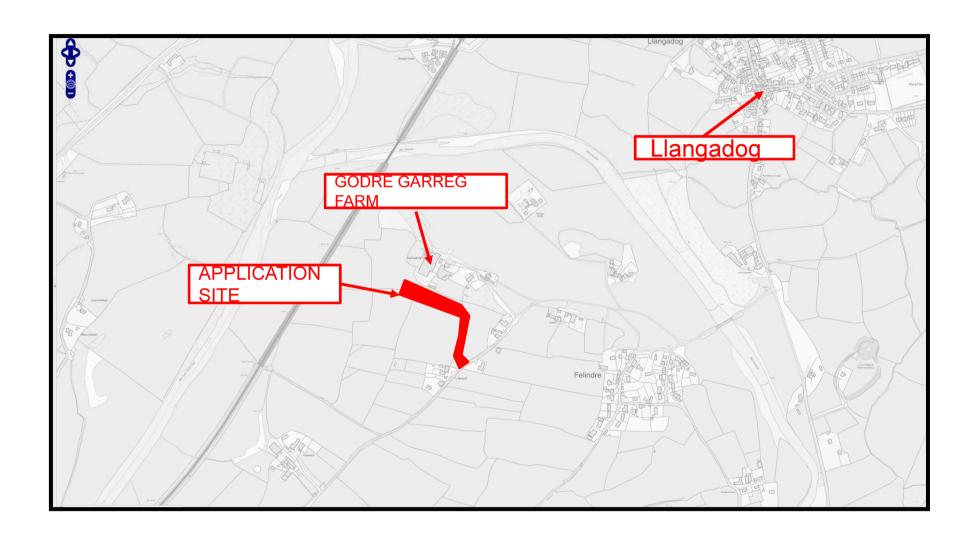


PHOTO OF GODRE GARREG FARM FROM SOUTH



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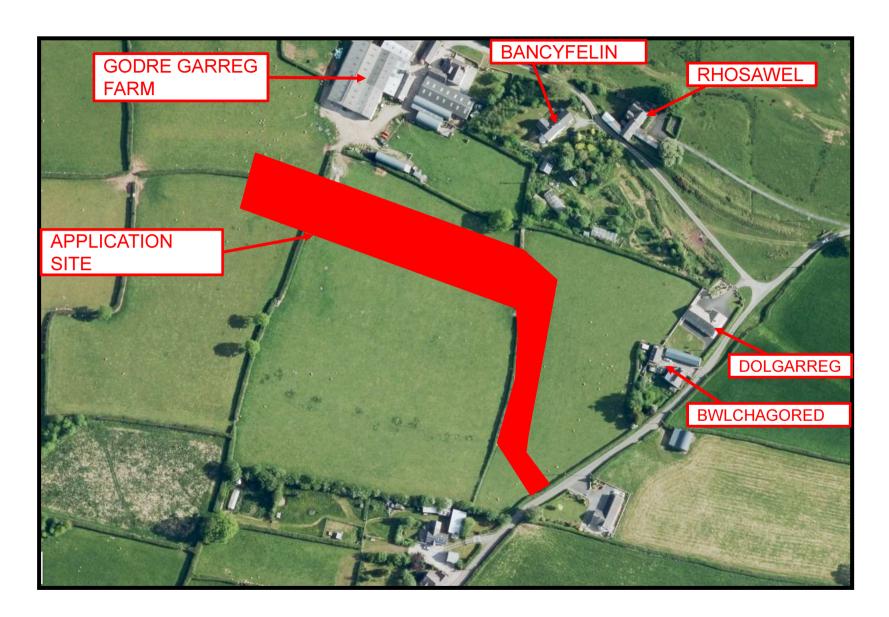


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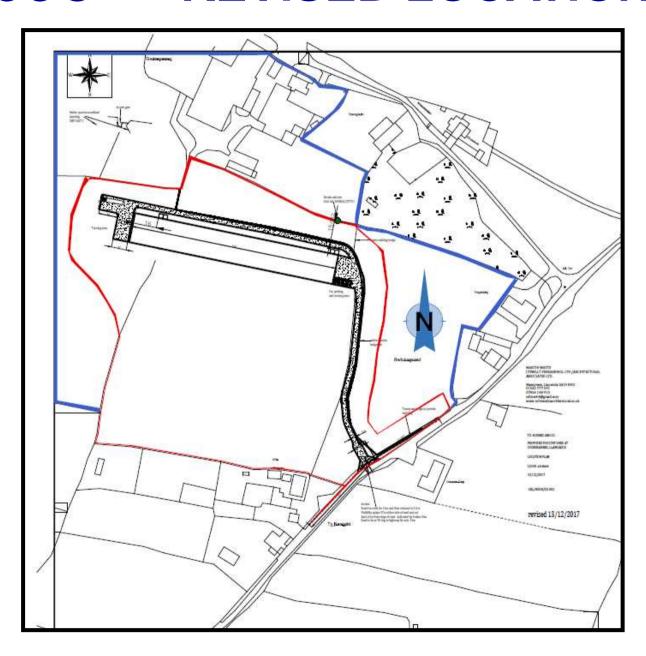


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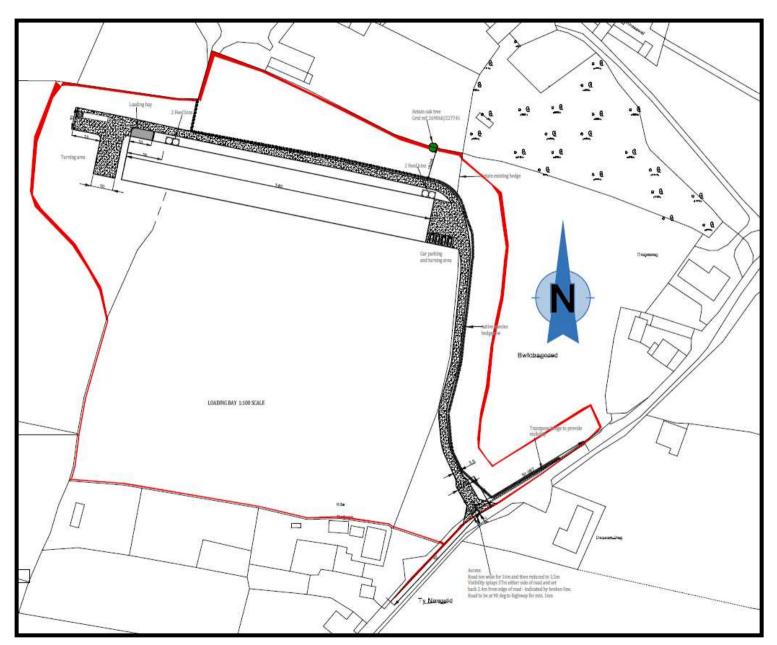
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E/33695 REVISED LOCATION PLAN



REVISED SITE PLAN



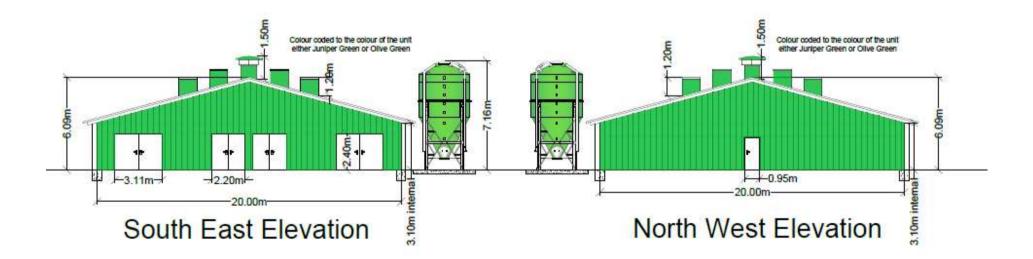
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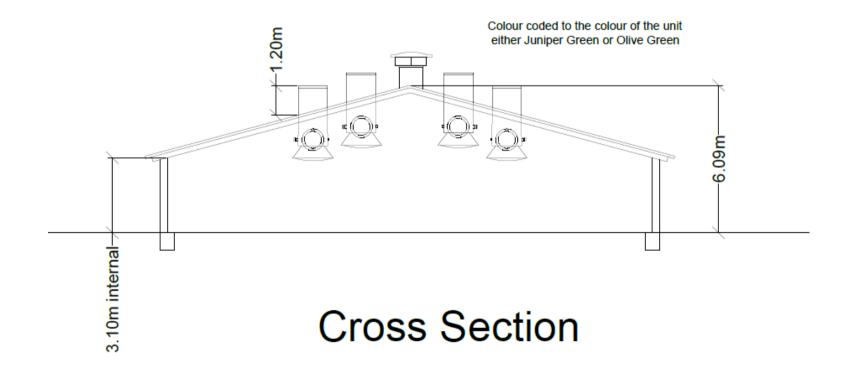


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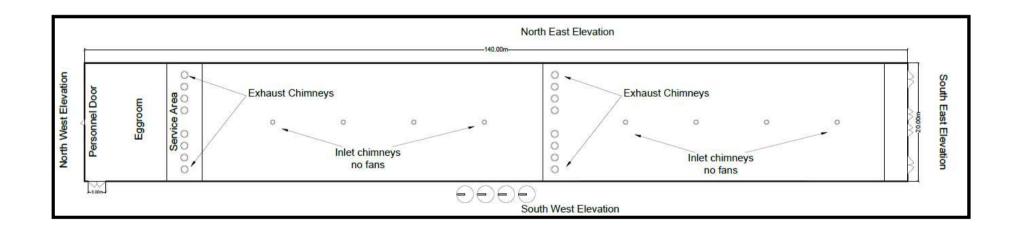
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CROSS SECTION OF REVISED BUILDING



LAYOUT PLAN OF REVISED BUILDING



REVISED LANDSCAPING PLAN

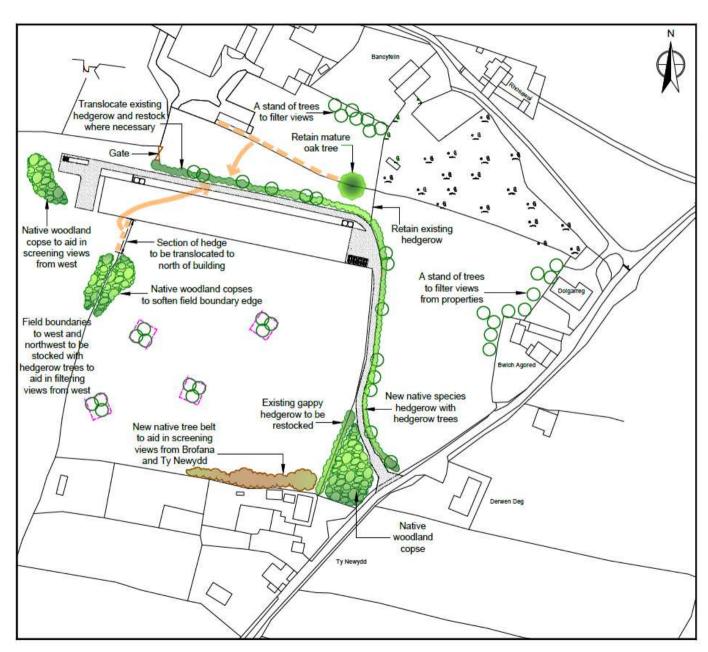


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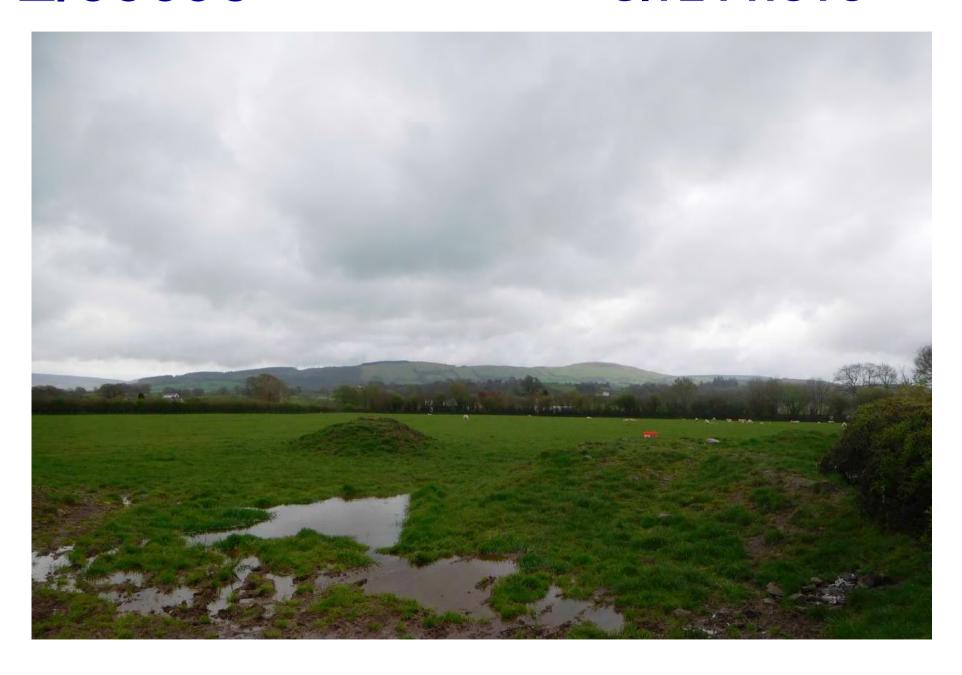








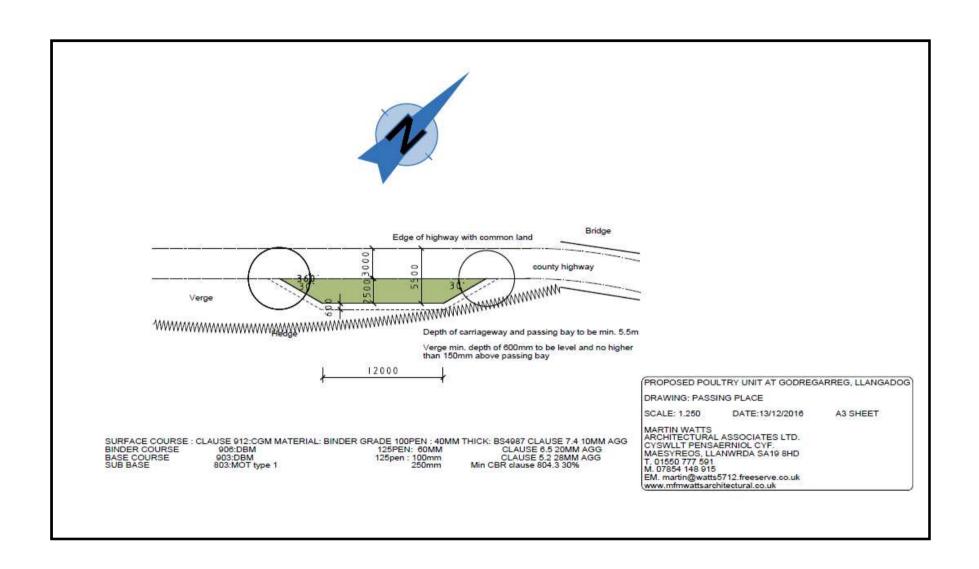




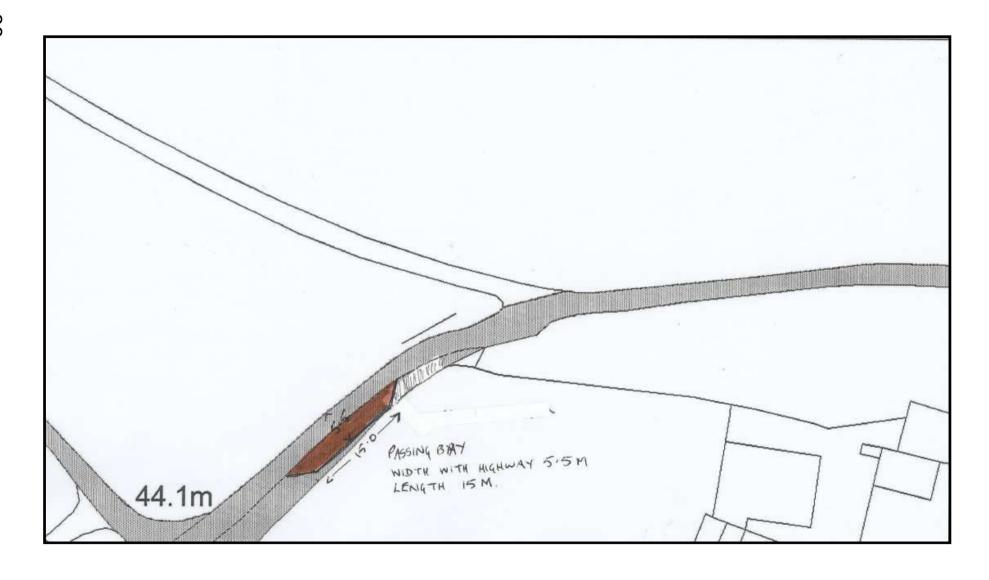


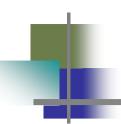


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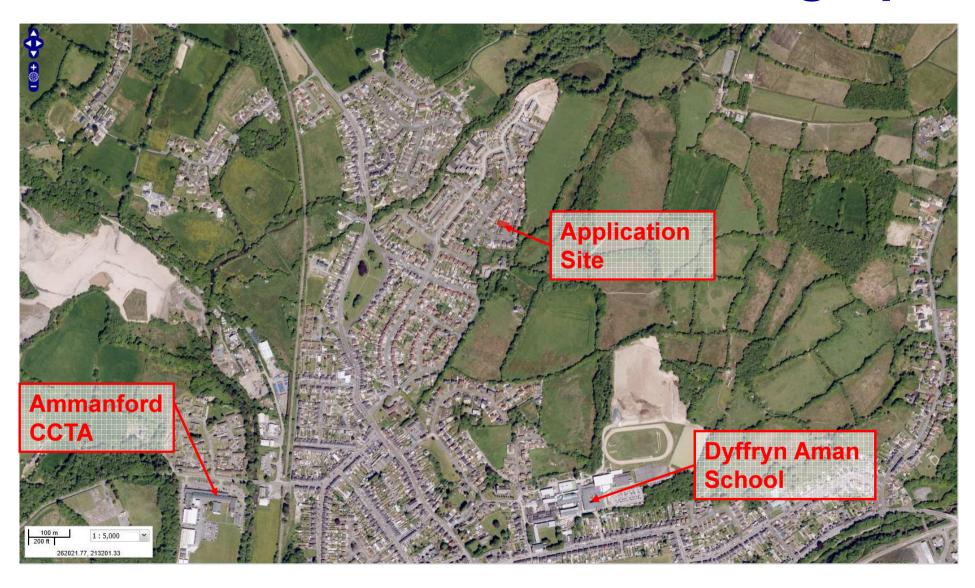
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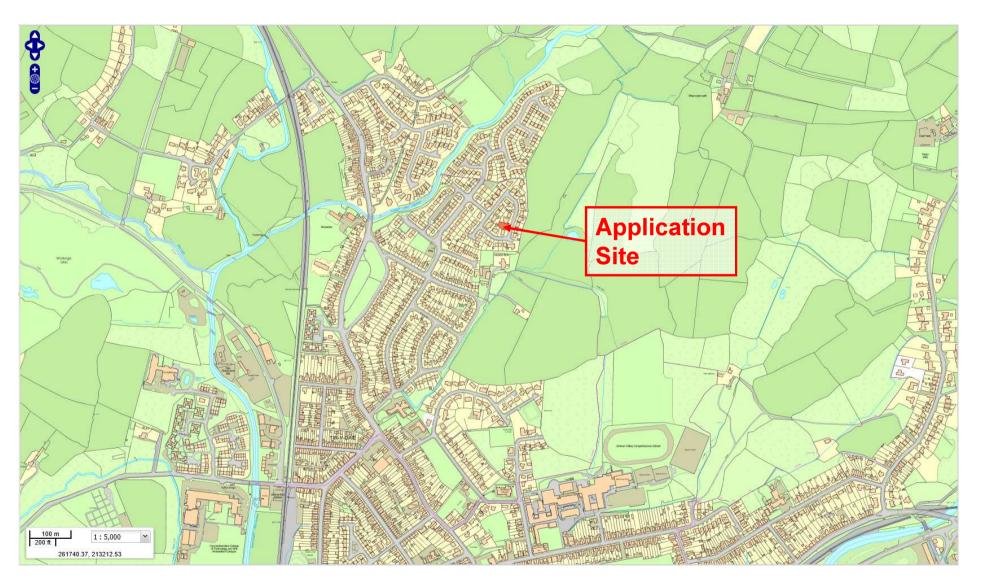




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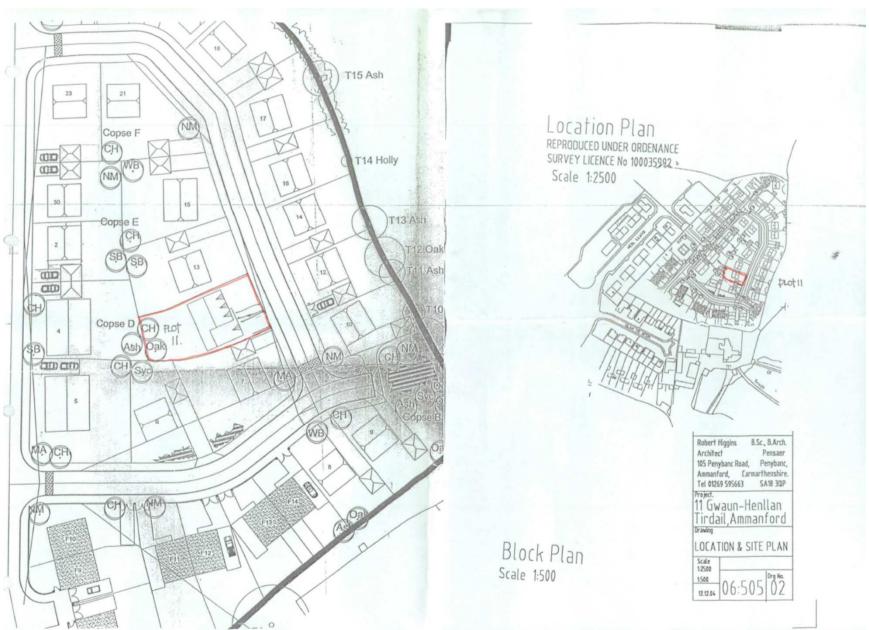
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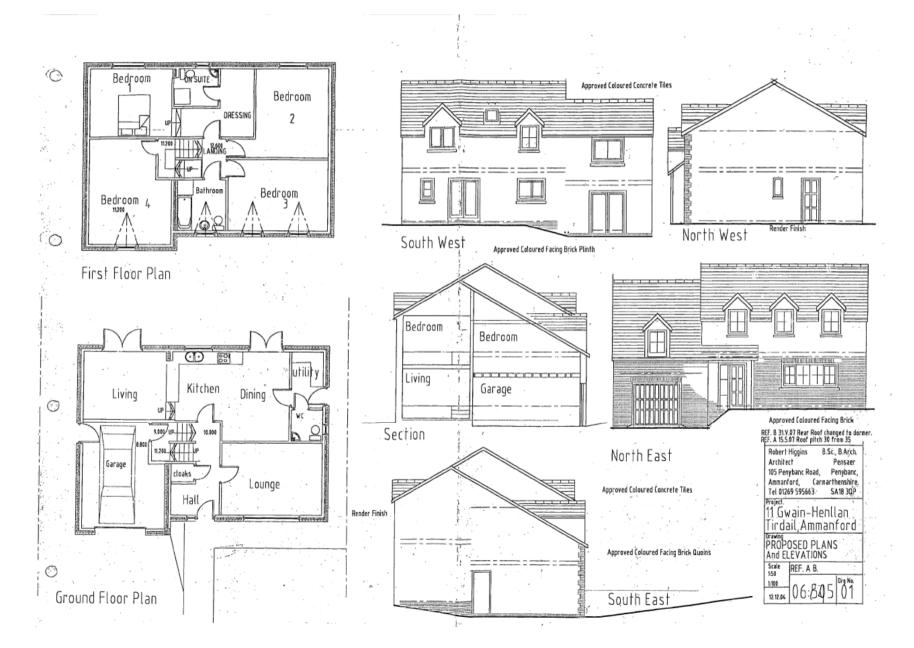
Location & Block Plans



Plot Photo



Elevation & Floor Plans





E/35873 View to Dwellings Opposite



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E/35873 View to Dwellings on the Estate



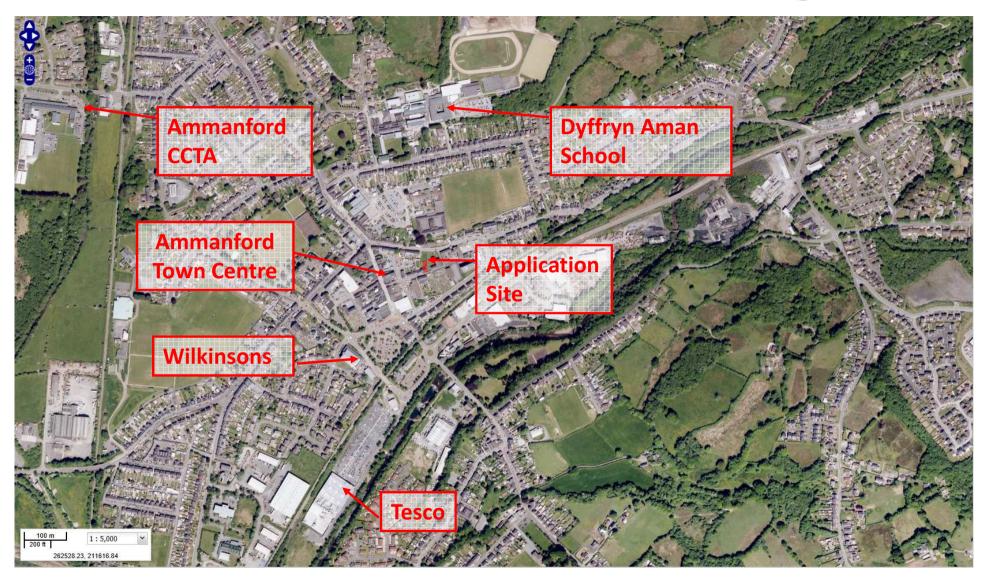
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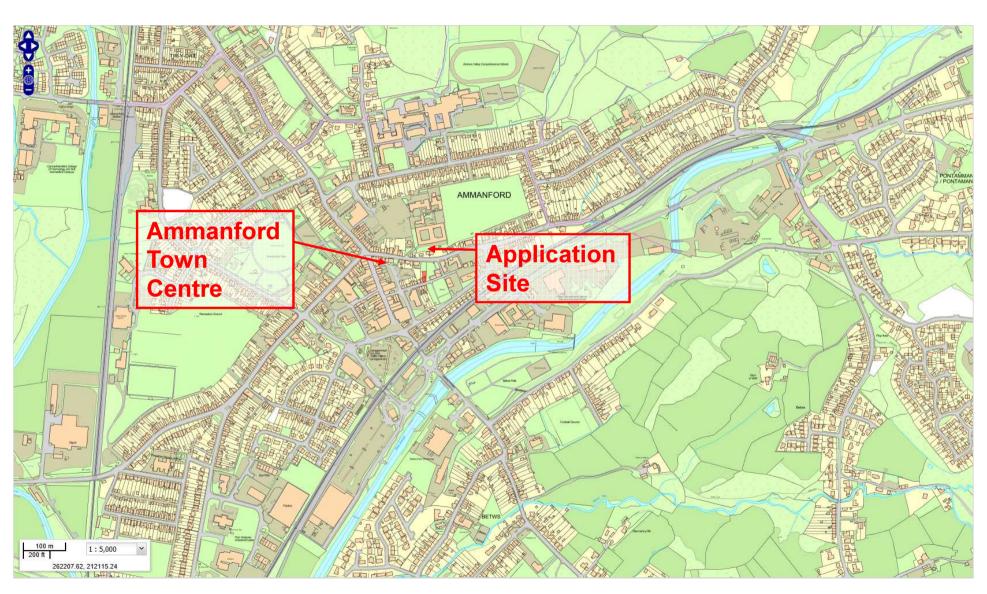


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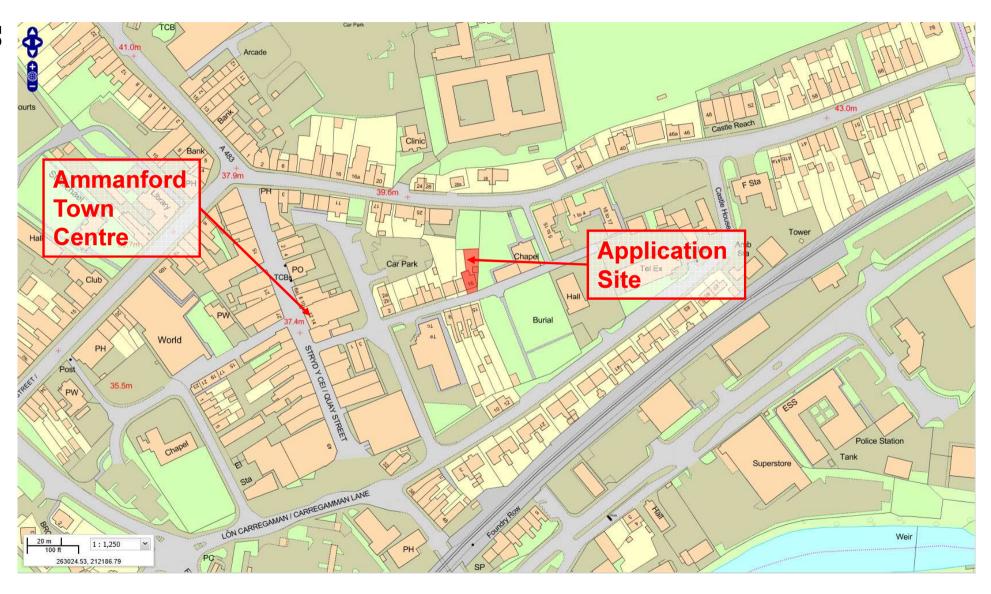
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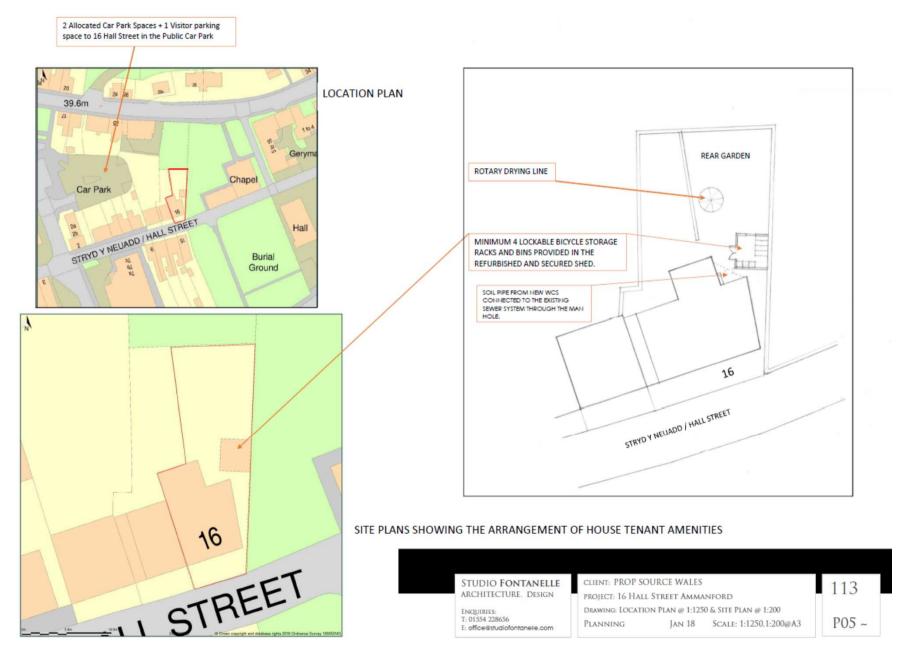
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Site Plan



E/36854 Location and Site Plans



Existing Elevations



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HALL STREET ELEVATION OF NO. 16 [FACING SOUTH]

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E/36854 Photo of Existing Building



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E/36854 Proposed Elevations



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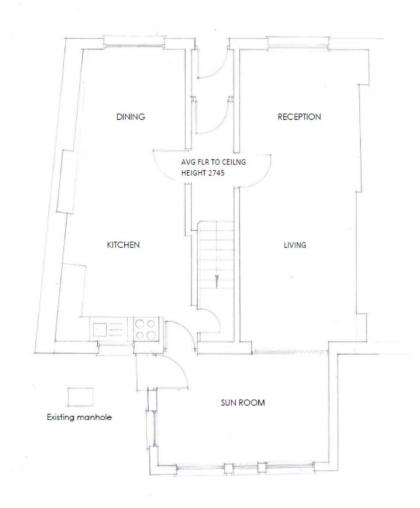
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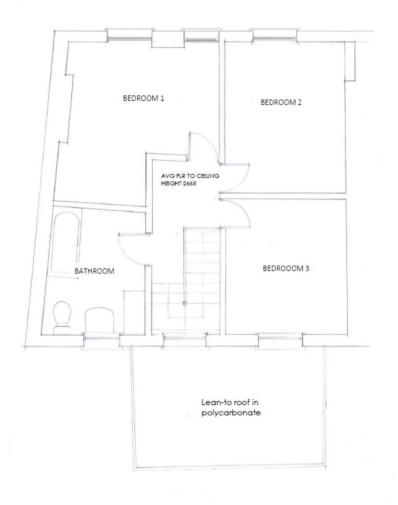
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E/36854 Existing Floor Plans





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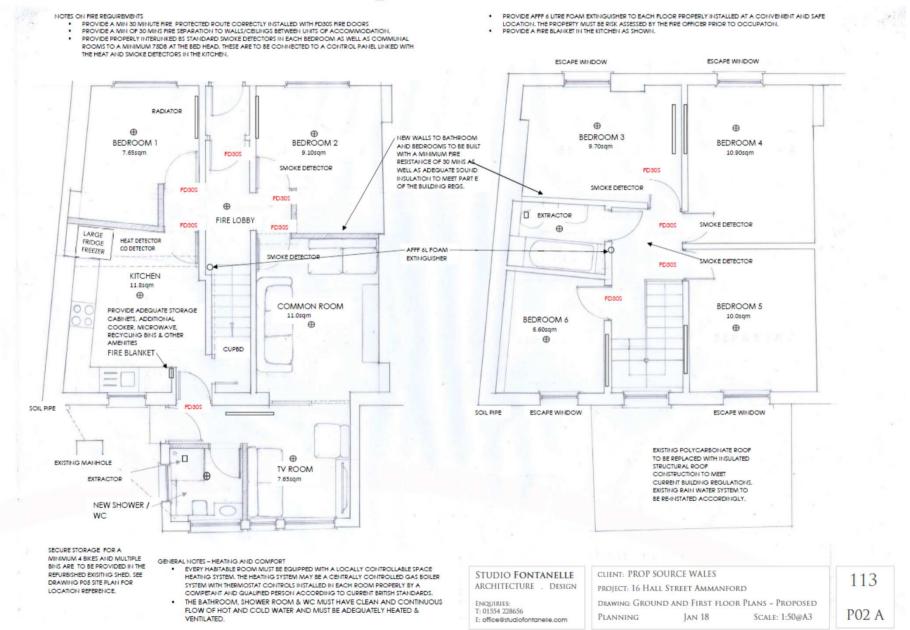
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View of Hall Street Looking to Quay Street





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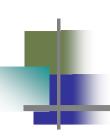
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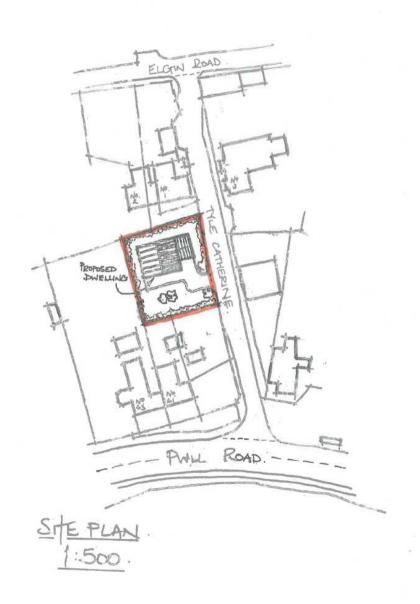


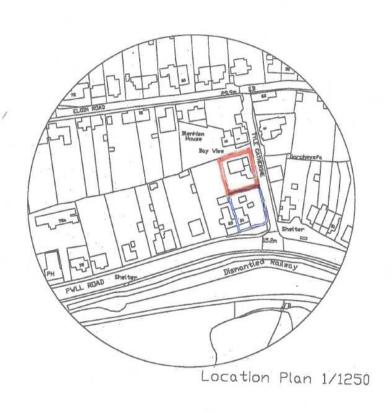
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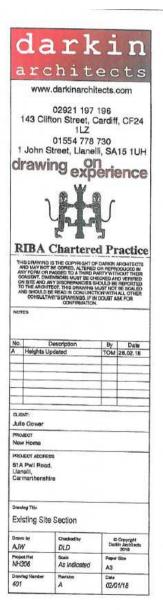








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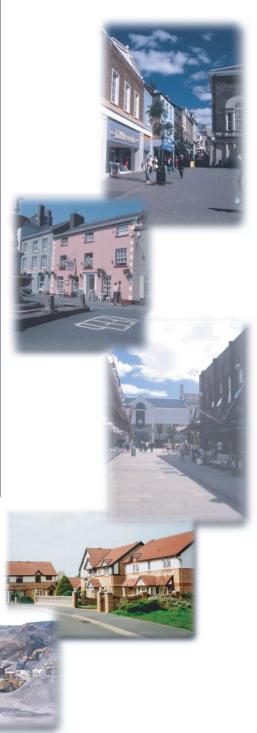
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ATODIAD ADDENDUM Agenda Item 5

Ardal Gorllewin/ Area West





ADDENDUM - Area West

| Application Number | W/35903 |
|---------------------|--|
| Proposal & Location | RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT – ALL MATTERS RESERVED AT LAND OFF LLUEST Y BRYN, CARMARTHEN |

DETAILS:

CONSULTATIONS

Natural Resources Wales – Have raised no objection to the proposal but have requested the imposition of a condition requiring survey work of any trees affected by the proposal.

CONDITIONS

Prior to the determination of any application for reserved matters seeking approval of 'layout', 'landscaping', or 'access' a tree survey is undertaken in accordance with 'Bat Surveys for Professional Ecologists; Good Practice Guidelines 3rd Edition' published by the Bat Conservation Trust 2016, and is submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority for any trees affected by the proposed development.

ADDENDUM - Area West

| Application Number | W/35730 |
|---------------------|---|
| Proposal & Location | CONSTRUCTION OF TWO A1 UNITS AND ONE A3 UNIT WITH ASSOCIATED CAR PARKING AT FORMER CARTREF TAWELAN, ASH GROVE, CARMARTHEN, SA31 3PY |

DETAILS:

CONSULTATIONS

Neighbours/Public – An e-mail has been received from Phillipa Cole stating:

"I have been asked by the applicants of the above application to review the officer's report and draft reasons for refusal which are due to be presented to committee on Tuesday. The applicants have been copied into this letter and can verify my instruction as necessary.

I will be grateful if the following comments including those in respect of the draft reasons for refusal could be brought to the attention of the planning committee.

Your officer's recommendation remains one of approval. Planning committee has resolved to refuse the planning application and in line with Welsh Government Development Manual the planning committee has deferred the application by using a 'cooling off period' to the next committee meeting when minded to determine an application contrary to an officer recommendation. The Welsh Government Development Manual states:

'This is in order to allow time to reconsider, manage the risk associated with this action, and ensure officers can provide additional reports and draft robust reasons for refusal or necessary conditions for approval.'

The applicants have not been asked for further information as there is no technical objection to the proposals from any consultee. Conditions have previously been recommended to secure an appropriate development that would manage the effect of the development and ensure appropriate sustainable development in a sustainable location.

Members are required in accordance with the guidance to reconsider and manage the risk associated with undertaking this action. The risk associated with this action is that of an appeal by the developer and the cost of that appeal to the council, the chances of that appeal being allowed and the risk of costs being awarded against the council in the face of clear evidence provided by the applicant. The Development Management Manual Annex 12 advises that councils risk having cost awarded against them in a number of circumstances including:

- Failure to produce evidence to substantiate the impact of the proposal, or each reason, or proposed reason for refusal (i.e. taking a decision contrary to professional or technical advice without there being reasonable planning grounds to do so);
- Refusing permission on a ground clearly being capable of being dealt with by way of condition, where it is concluded that suitable conditions would enable the development to proceed.

Officers have drafted reasons for refusal based on the previous committee discussion and resolution. These are considered below.

Reason 1 states that the proposals are contrary to policy GP1 because the use does not conform with or enhance the character and appearance of the area and because the proposed number of car parking spaces would be insufficient resulting in cars parking along local roads to the detriments of the free flow of traffic during the peak periods.

This is not accepted by the applicant. The proposed development is modest in scale and has been designed to complement existing development in the area. In particular the applicants have proposed a single storey development the impact of which is further reduced by proposed changes in level on the site. Appropriate boundary treatments including a hedge and fence are also proposed.

The proposed car parking accords fully with the council's adopted standards – the CSS Wales 2014 Parking Standards. The parking standards are based on sound evidence as to the demand for and duration of use of car parking throughout South Wales. These standards are set as maximum standards for this and for the development. To provide more car parking would mean that the development would be contrary to policy TR3 of the Local Development Plan. The site is also very sustainable and is likely to attract a significant % of walk in trade.

Reason 2 asserts that the application is contrary to policy GB4 of the LDP as local infra structure is inadequate to meet the needs of the proposed development by reason of the impact of additional traffic on the local network. The traffic impact of the development has been scrutinised by officers of the council and Welsh Government (including additional testing requested by Welsh Government) and no objection has been raised by either party. The developer has proposed to improve accessibility to the site through the widening of the access and a new pedestrian access. Other matters such as the detailed layout, travel plan, visibility splays and the provision of a single motor cycle space can be secured by conditions already recommended by the officer.

Reason 3 asserts that the development is contrary to policy SP14 in that the proposal will result in the loss of an attractive green space within the urban area. The green space is not public open space it is part of the grounds of a former care home. The council ecologist has considered the proposal in the context of impact on the natural environment and has raised no objection to the proposals. Policy SP14 lists a number of areas and designations to which the policy applies and it is not considered that any of the designations applies to this site.

Reason 4 asserts that the proposal is contrary to policy RT8 of the LDP as it asserts it will result in the loss of a local shop and that there are local shops within walking distance of the site. The supporting text to Policy RT 8 is clear that this policy is intended to protect existing shops in certain locations from being redeveloped for alternative higher value uses which would leave the community without a retail facility. This is not the case here. The proposed development is not the redevelopment of an existing shop or community facility and will enhance the choice of retail facilities available in easy walking distance of local residents, workers and students.

It is the firm view of the applicants that the proposed development will enhance the provision of facilities in the area to the benefit of the local community, that necessary access and other improvements that can be secured by condition that the impact of the proposals particularly

in respect of traffic and parking will be negligible. No demonstrable harm has been identified as a result of the proposals. This has been confirmed by the independent assessments that have been submitted and reviewed by your council and other statutory consultees including Welsh Government. In addition to the improved local facilities the development will result in the creation of 31 new jobs which is a material consideration in favour of the development.

I trust that this sets out the applicant's views. I am happy to discuss this with you before the committee meeting. In the meantime, I will be grateful if you would confirm safe receipt of this email."





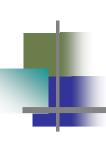
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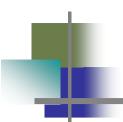


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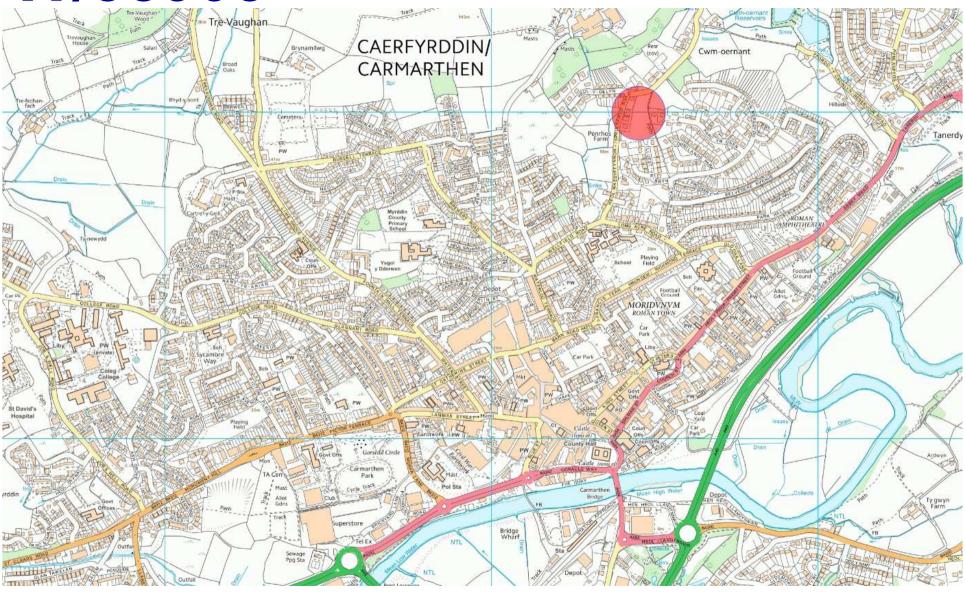


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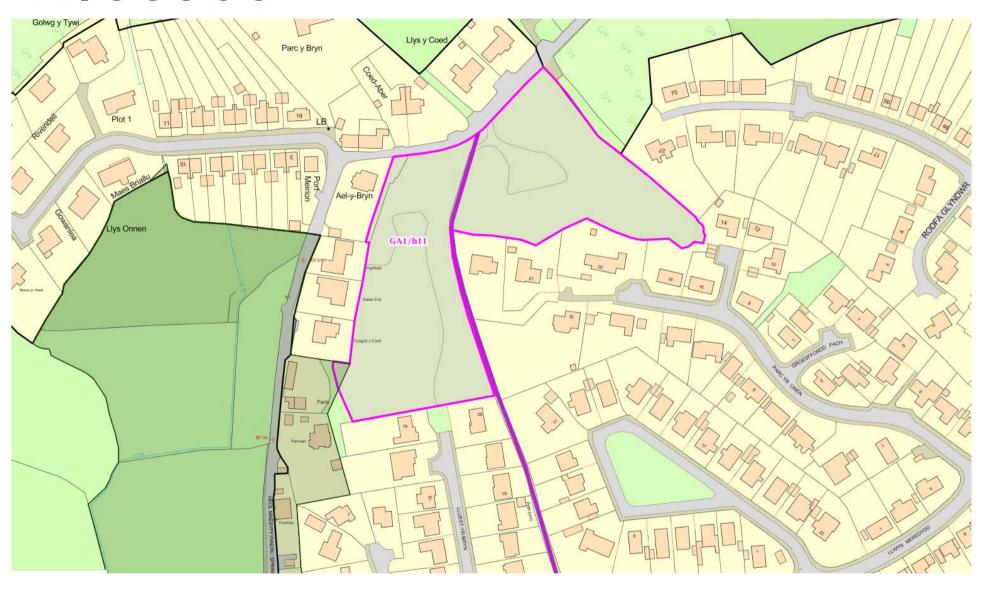




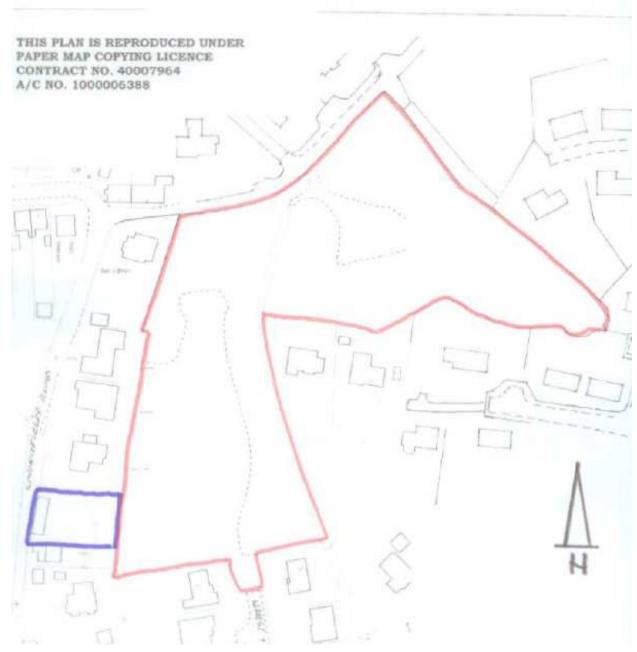




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W/35903 — view from Lluest Y Bryn





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W/35903 — view towards PROW adj to Lluest Y Bryn





W/35903 — view west towards Springfield Road



W/35903 — view north towards 22 Parc yr Onnen

W/35903 — view from Sprinfield Road





W/35903 — view towards Cysgod y Coed, Springfield Road























W/35903 — view towards Springfield Road



W/35903 - view towards 22 Parc yr Onnen





W/35903 - view north east toward Llwynmeredydd



















W/35903 – footpath entrance

W/35903 — view from Courtlands Park





W/35903 — view from Llwynmeredydd





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W/36577 - Indicative layout



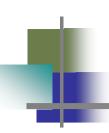




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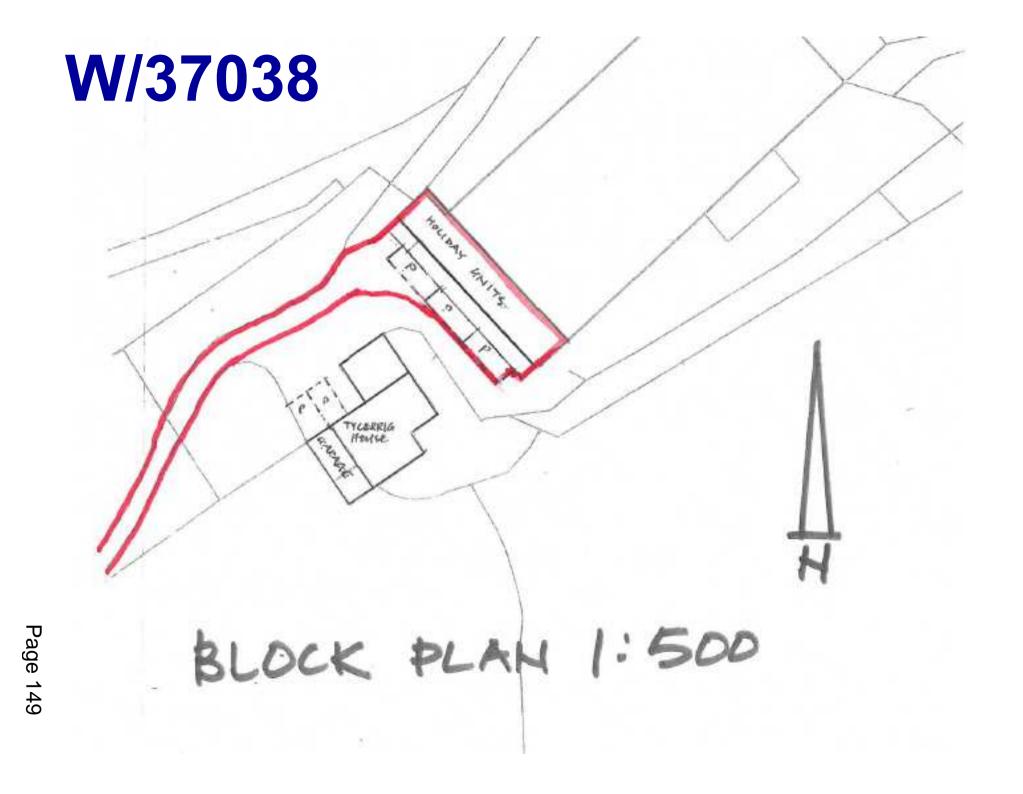


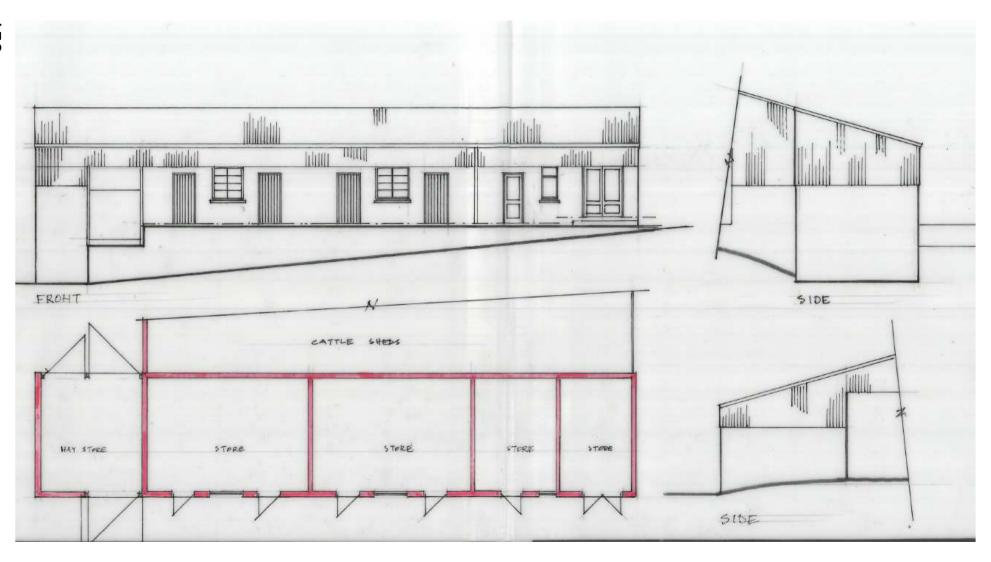




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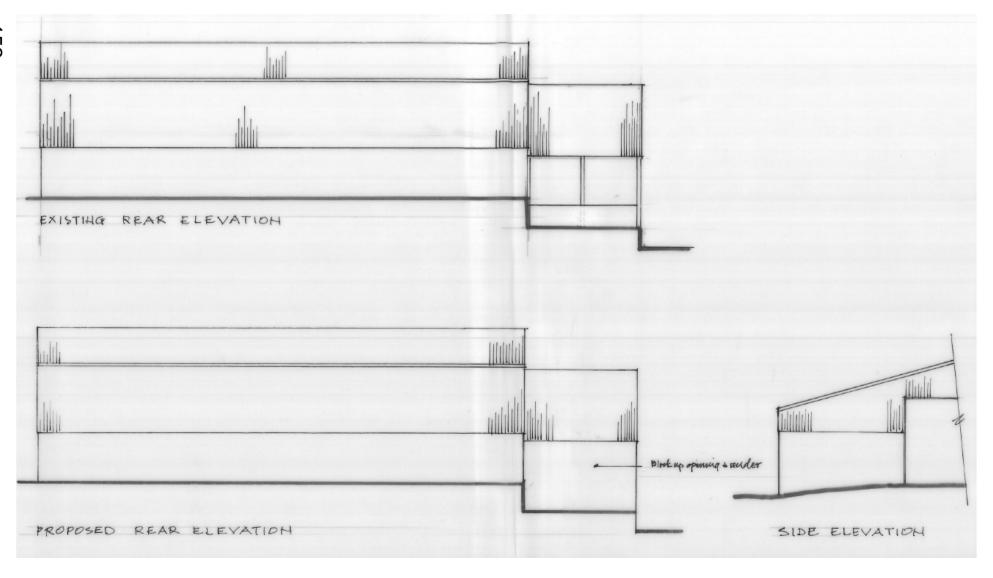


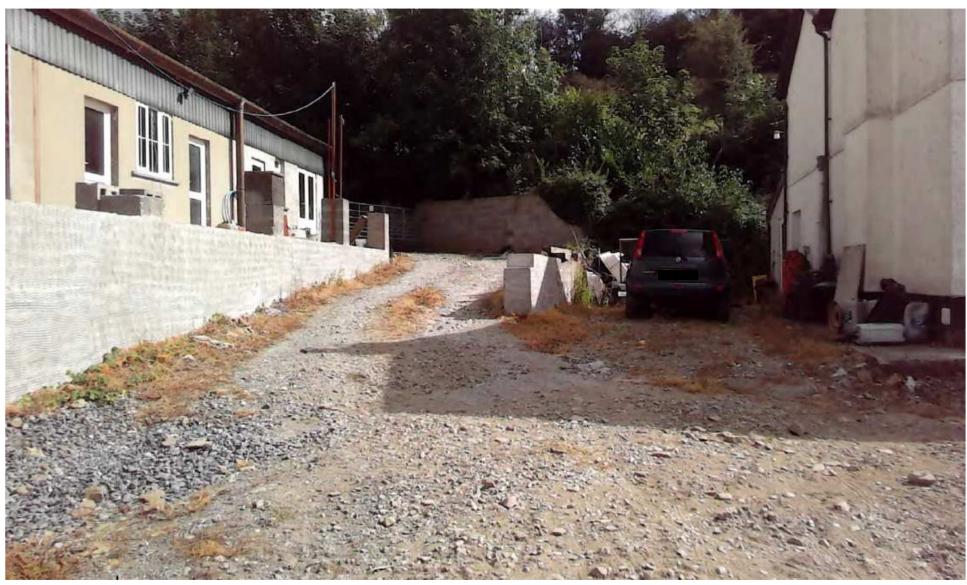






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