



**OXFORDSHIRE
COUNTY COUNCIL**

Date: 10 October 2023
OCC ref: R3.0142/23

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Rachel Wileman
Director of Planning, Environment
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Dear Mrs Groth

Planning application by Oxfordshire County Council, County Hall, New Road, Oxford, OX1 1ND for planning permission: Section 73 to continue the development permitted by R3.0039/22 (construction of two new west-facing slip roads at the Shores Green junction of the A40; an off-slip to allow eastbound vehicles to exit the A40 on to the B4022 towards Witney and an on-slip to allow westbound vehicles to enter the A40 from the B4022 at this junction. Two existing lay-bys to the west of the A40 overbridge will be removed to accommodate the construction of the slip roads) without complying with conditions 1 and 18 in order to replace a proposed shared-use path with a footway, merge two balancing ponds into one, re-align a drainage ditch, extend the highway boundary and make amendments to the landscaping scheme to include additional planting at A40/B4022 Shores Green Junction

The above application has been submitted to this council for determination.

You can view the application and comment online through the link below, using ref R3.0142/23.

Please note that the below link is unique to you and therefore should not be shared with anyone else. Members of the public are able to make comments on the application via the council's planning applications website as set out in the county council's publicity for the application.


I should be grateful for any observations you may wish to make on the application by 18 November 2023, you can comment online using the above link and reference. If you require more time, please contact me as soon as possible.

The application may be considered by the Planning and Regulation Committee if there are objections to it. However, if there are no objections or none that cannot be the application may be delegated to the Director of Planning, Environment and Climate Change for decision.

I will notify you of the decision in due course. Details will be available online at the above link.

NOTE Consideration of the development may take place in public and representations may be published. The proposal may be considered by the Council's Planning & Regulation Committee (Only comments relating to planning issues will be taken into account when reaching a decision).

The Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended requires the determination of planning applications to be a public process. The Council will make information submitted in relation to planning applications available for public inspection and so it is not possible to take into account in the determination of the application any comments which are submitted confidentially. If you wish to submit any comments regarding this application, your comments as well as your name and postal address may be disclosed to third parties including those who have submitted the planning application.

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Yours sincerely,

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