

06/09/2018

Er sylw / For the attention of: Sharon Holman

Dear Ms Holman,

BWRIAD / PROPOSAL: Extension to form MOT testing station

LLEIOLIAD / LOCATION: Nos. 8 & 10, Rivulet Road, Wrexham - P/2018/0719

Thank you for consulting Cyfoeth Naturiol Cymru / Natural Resources Wales about the above, which was received on 03/09/2018.

Natural Resources Wales has no objection to the proposed scheme.

Protected Species

We recommend you seek the advice of your in-house ecologist to determine if there is a reasonable likelihood of bats, a European Protected Species, being present within the application site. If so, in accordance with Technical Advice Note 5: Nature Conservation and Planning (paragraph 6.2.2) a bat survey may be required.

The survey should be carried out in accordance with 'Bat Surveys; Good Practice Guidelines 3rd Edition' published by the Bat Conservation Trust 2016.

NRW therefore has no comments to make on the application, as submitted. Please consult us again if any survey undertaken finds that bats are present at the site and you require further advice from us.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require further information or clarification of any of the above.

Our comments above only relate specifically to matters that are included on our checklist “Natural Resources Wales and Planning Consultations” (March 2015) which is published on our website:

(<https://naturalresources.wales/media/5271/150302-natural-resources-wales-and-planning-consultations-final-eng.pdf>). We have not considered potential effects on other matters and do not rule out the potential for the proposed development to affect other interests, including environmental interests of local importance.

Advice for the Developer

Pollution Prevention:

Due to the proposed development of the MOT testing Station, we would draw attention to Pollution Prevention Guidance (PPG) 3 relating to groundwater protection from oil, available on the following link:

<https://www.sepa.org.uk/media/60086/ppg-3-use-and-design-of-oil-separators-in-surface-water-drainage-systems.pdf>

Waste:

The importation of any waste to the site for use in construction needs to be registered as an exempt activity under the Environmental Permitting Regulations 2016, or a permit sought. The following link will take the applicant to the relevant NRW webpage for registering such an exemption, or applying for a waste permit:

<https://naturalresources.wales/apply-for-a-permit/waste/?lang=en>

Waste produced during the construction phase of your development must be dealt with appropriately and be in line with all relevant waste legislation including Duty of Care Regulations and Hazardous Waste Regulations. As part of your waste duty of care you must classify the waste produced:

- before it is collected, disposed of or recovered
- to identify the controls that apply to the movement of the waste
- to complete waste documents and records
- to identify suitably authorised waste management options
- to prevent harm to people and the environment.

Any waste removed from site will be subject to waste management controls. The links below provided information on how to classify waste and register as a waste carrier or hazardous waste producer:

<http://naturalresources.wales/waste/how-to-classify-and-assess-waste/?lang=en>

<http://naturalresources.wales/apply-for-a-permit/waste/?lang=en>

Further guidance can be found on the GOV website here:

<https://www.gov.uk/managing-your-waste-an-overview/duty-of-care>

The applicant should be advised that, in addition to planning permission, it is their responsibility to ensure that they secure all other permits/consents relevant to their development.

Yn gywir / Yours sincerely,

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