Draft SHLAA Sites As At June 28th 2011

Site ID: Site 3 Detail Site Name: Land to the r/o 82-90 Richmond Road Map ID: 003 Ward: Castle Site Area in Hestores: 0.14

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Number of units (unconstrained using density multiplier): 12 Owner: Unconfirmed

Availability

Site Assessment Criteria	Score (green,amber, red)
Site in use: Yes - garages (unsure as to how well used)	а
Buildings In Use: Yes - garages	а
Any Legal Issues: Unknown	

Suitability

Level 1 Strategic Considerations

Site Assessment Criteria	Score
In Green Belt: No	g
In Area Flood Risk: Sequential test has been applied according	g
to PPS25 and the site falls within EA flood zone 1 and is	
therefore at low risk of fluvial flooding	
European Nature Conservation Site: No	g
SSSI: No	g
Involve Demolition Listed Building: No	g
Affect Scheduled Ancient Monument: No	g
Affect Historic Park & Garden: No	g
Level 1 Conclusion: Development of this site will not have a	
negative impact on any of the Level 1 Strategic Considerations	

Does the Site Warrant further assessment?

Level 2: Significant Local Considerations

Site Assessment Criteria	Score
Site designated Protected OS or criteria: No	g
Local Nature Conservation importance No	g
Is site Protected Industrial Land Policy P7/3 or in B1c B2 B8	g
Use: No	
Protected Trees on site : While there are no TPOs on site, there	а
are a number of established trees	
Relevant Planning History: No	g
Level 2 Conclusion: Development of this site should not have a	
negative impact on any of the Level 2 Local Considerations,	
although early consideration of the trees would be needed	

Does the Site Warrant further assessment?

Level 3: Other Considerations

Site Assessment Criteria Environmental Considerations	Score
Is there potential contamination on site?	а
Potential contamination (Builder's Yard)	
Any potential noise problems ? Refer to	а

EH adjoining factory site	-
Could topography constrain	g
development? No known issues	
Affected by Air Quality Management Area	g
Site is not within an AQMA	
Access & Transport Considerations	а
Issues with car parking in local area Sites	
current use appears to be garages, although	
unsure how well used. Site is close to CPZ	
boundary on Huntingdon Road.	
Access meets highway standards Access	а
would be via lane to the side of 82	
Richmond Road, which appears quite	
narrow - could constrain the number of units	
acceptable on the site	
Does site provide access to other	а
properties/highway Unclear as site not	
publicly accessible - could provide access to	
rear gardens of properties on Richmond	
Road	
Within 400m of high quality public	а
transport route: Not as defined, but the site	
is within 400m of other bus services that link	
the site to the City Centre and other areas	
Design & Impact Considerations	а
Nearby buildings overlook site Could be	
impact on residential properties to the north-	
west, although any issues could be	
overcome with good urban design	
Site part of larger site or prejudice	g
strategic site development No	
Development would impact on setting of	g
Listed Building No	C
Site in or adjacent to Conservation Area	g
No	C
Development affect any Locally Listed	g
Buildings No	
Development affects archaeological	а
remains 17 CHER finds within 500m of the	
site. The implications of this for the	
development of this site need to be	
interpreted by county archaeology staff	
Site shape impacts on developability No	g
Sites integration with existing	a
communities Could be some issues with	
new residential being located at the back of	
existing houses, but these could be	
overcome with good urban design	
Access to Services & Facilities	а
Site within 400m of City Centre: No	
Site within 400m of Local Centre: Yes	g
Site within 400m of Doctors/School/POS:	9 No
Site within 400m of Nursery School	No
Site within 400m of Primary School	Yes
Site within 400m of Secondary School	No
Site within 400m of Public Open Space	Yes
Site within 400m of Public Open Space	100

Use of site associated with a community	g
facility: No	5
Planning Policy Considerations	g
What is site allocated for in Local Plan:	
No	
Is site allocated in Waste & Minerals	g
Local Plan: Site is not allocated for a	
minerals or waste use in the Cambridgeshire	
and Peterborough Minerals and Waste Site	
Specific Proposals Development Plan	
Document Submission Plan (Submitted July	
2010).	
Is the site in an area of major change: No	g
Will development be on previously	g
developed land: Yes	
Is site identified in the Council's	g
Employment Land Review: No	
Other Considerations	g
Any other constraints on site: No	
Level 3 Conclusion: While the site scores a	
number of amber scores against the Level 3	
criteria, it is considered that these do not	
necessarily render the site undevelopable.	
Further information would be required to	
ensure that development of the site would	
be justified.	

Desktop Suitability Assessment Conclusion:

Site 3 can be considered to be developable subject to consideration of issues such as the impact on trees, access, impact on archaeological remains and other issues.

Overall Suitability Assessment Conclusion (Planning Policy) The site is considered to be suitable for development

