

Our ref: 495729.
Your ref: Brize Norton Neighbourhood Plan

Dear Ms Harvey

Brize Norton Neighbourhood Plan - Updated Regulation 16 Consultation

Thank you for your consultation.

Natural England has previously commented on this proposal and made comments to the authority in our response dated 18 November 2024, reference number 490424 (copy attached).

The advice provided in our previous response applies equally to this consultation.

Should the proposal be amended in a way which significantly affects its impact on the natural environment then Natural England should be consulted again. Before sending us the amended consultation, please assess whether the changes proposed will materially affect any of the advice we have previously offered. If they are unlikely to do so, please do not re-consult us.

Yours sincerely

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We strongly recommend using the SSSI Impact Risk Zones (SSSI IRZs) to decide when to consult Natural England on development proposals that might affect a SSSI. The SSSI IRZs tool is quick and simple to use and gives instant planning advice as a formal consultation response in certain circumstances and can reduce unnecessary delays in the planning process.

Natural England offers two chargeable services - the Discretionary Advice Service, which provides pre-application and post-consent advice on planning/licensing proposals to