

# **RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY**

CLIFTON PARK, GREAT NORTH ROAD, MORPETH, NORTHUMBERLAND, NE61 6DG

## **APPROXIMATE MILEAGES**

Morpeth 2 miles - Newcastle Upon Tyne 14 miles -Alnwick 25 miles

## PROPERTY SUMMARY

Residential development opportunity in the village of Clifton with full planning permission for the construction of 35no. 2-storey 3, 4 & 5 bed dwellings and associated infrastructure. Extending to over 6.5 acres, the site is situated in a semi-rural position only a short distance from Morpeth.

# **OFFERS INVITED BY NOON THURSDAY 23RD JANUARY**



## **Summary**

Residential development opportunity situated in Clifton village on the outskirts of Morpeth, for the construction of 35no market dwellings of 3, 4 and 5 bedrooms extending to over 6.5 acres.

#### The Area

The site is located 2 miles away from the historic and bustling town of Morpeth, which offers a wealth of facilities including restaurants, bars, cafes, shops and notable schools including the Morpeth First School and King Edward VI.

The site has excellent access to Newcastle, Edinburgh and beyond with the A1 located just half a mile away, and the stunning Northumbrian coast being reachable in only a twenty minute drive.

## **Planning**

Full planning permission was granted by Northumberland County Council on 12th February 2018, for the proposed change of use from light industry to a housing development containing 35no. 2 storey 3, 4 & 5 bed dwellings and associated infrastructure.

Full plans can be seen within the Planning folder in the Data Room. The full application can be seen at reference no. 14/02140/FUL

It is understood the planning has been commenced . Ground remediation has been undertaken on the site—the detail of these works are detailed further in the Technical Information section. The off-site affordable housing s106 contribution of £200,000 has been paid to the LPA.

A non-material amendment 20/04354/NONMAT to application 14/02140/FUL - variation of Conditions 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, 29 and 30 was permitted on 5th February 2021.

A non-material amendment (elevational updates to house type 1, 2, 3 and 5 to make more aesthetically pleasing and current - as a result the roof plans have changed on the site plans ) 22/03890/NONMAT on approved application 14/02140/FUL was permitted on 24th November 2022.

Discharge of conditions 4 (construction method statement), 6 (highway recording), 15 (landscape), 18 (noise barrier), 19 (ground gas) and 26 (planting/SUDs), 27 (Ecology) 20/03688/DISCON on approved planning application 14/02140/FUL.

#### Services

It is understood the site holds connections to relevant services, however purchasers are recommended connection of services to meet their requirements.









## Services (continued)

Interested parties are encouraged to seek independent advice as to the availability, suitability of existing and cost of services.

#### **Technical Information**

A Phase I Geo-Environmental Appraisal & Coal Mining Risk Assessment was completed in February 2021 and a Phase II Geo-Environmental Appraisal conducted in April 2021 by Coast Consulting.

Following the results of the Phase II Geo-Environmental Appraisal, a Remediation Strategy was prepared to allow for the recommended removal of unsuitable soils and the importation of clean soil.

In February 2022, a Mine Entry Investigation was undertaken by Coast Consulting to confirm locations of three mine entries (2 adits and 1 mineshaft). The remedial works for these entries are detailed within this report. The mineshaft has been capped off and pending final sign-off from the Coal Authority. The western adit has been exposed and pending confirmation on whether further investigation is to be undertaken.

Site preparation works have been undertaken by contractor St George including the clearance of trees and vegetation, excavation of soils to remove foundations and unsuitable materials and

excavation, stockpiling and re-use of site won natural soils from areas where cut is required to achieve finished levels.

Subsequently, an Earthworks and Remediation Validation Report was prepared by Coast Consulting in October 2023. This summarised some further remediation works, as is detailed in the remediation strategy prior to any future development.

Subject to site levels, a mix of foundation types will be required comprising conventional strip, trench fill and vibro / piles. Foundation and structure designs have been provided by Coast Consulting.

For full details, please refer to the Technical Information folder within the Data Room.

## **Local Authority**

Northumberland County Council

## **EPC Rating**

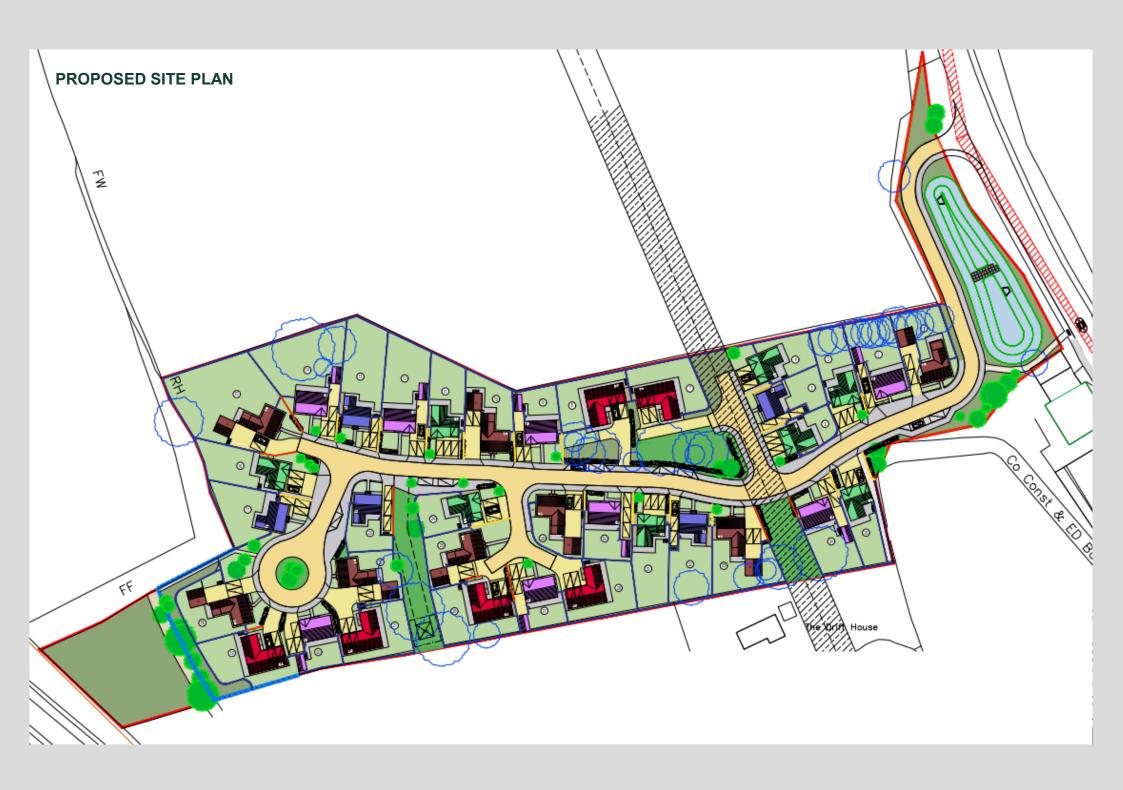
Any new build dwelling is required to have an EPC assessment once the development is complete, using the SAP methodology approved within Building Regulations Document L, Volume 1.

#### **Tenure & Possession**

The site is offered for sale as freehold with vacant possession upon completion.

#### What3words

The location of the property can be found here <u>//remission.listen.posts</u>.







#### **Method of Sale**

We are inviting offers for the property by no later than:

## **Noon Thursday 23rd January**

Interested parties are to express their interest and request bid requirements from the agent.

#### **Viewings**

Viewings are strictly by prior appointment, please see the agent's details below.

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#### **Rhys Jones**

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#### **Data Room**

Access to an electronic data room, containing information on technical reports and planning information is available by request or by using the link in the further information section.

## **Anti-Money Laundering**

In accordance with anti-money laundering regulations, two forms of identification and confirmation of the source of funding will be required from the successful bidder.

## **Legal Costs**

Each party to bear their own legal costs

incurred in the transaction unless otherwise agreed.

#### **Important Notice**

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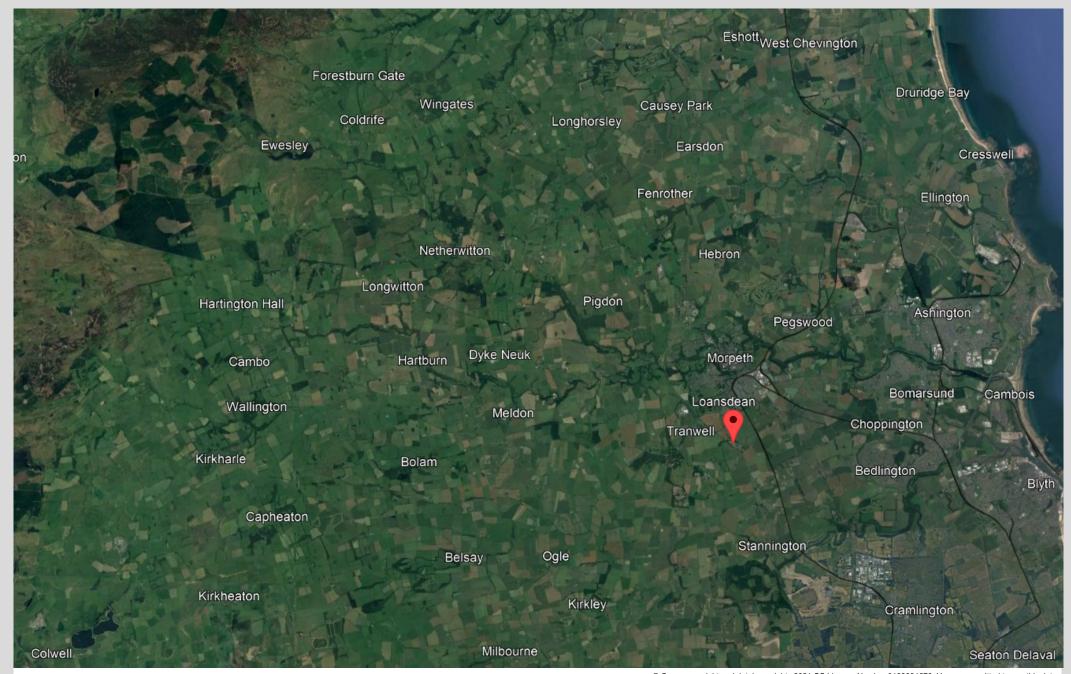
Particular Date: October 2024

# FURTHER INFORMATION

The information below is available online to view and/or download.

- Data Rooi
- <u>Planning Application</u>

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## **LOCATION PLAN**

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