

# Sustainable Communities

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24th March 2023

Dear Mr Steve Ball

## **TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 APPEAL UNDER SECTION 78**

**Appeal Reference:** APP/D3505/W/22/3306364

**Appeal by:** Firstgrade Recycling Systems Limited  
**Proposal:** Planning Application - Erection of new workshop building with the existing access to the site from the A1141 upgraded.  
**Location:** Land To The East Of, Sudbury Road, Cockfield, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP30 0LN

**Appeal Start Date:** 29/12/2022

Further to the adjournment of the appeal hearing that took place on 09 March 2023, I am able to confirm that this has now been re-arranged for Wednesday 10 May 2023.

The Planning Inspectorate has asked that this is held virtually and therefore it will take place on Microsoft Teams. This is a free digital conference and meetings application that can be accessed by downloading the app or via your web browser. It operates in a similar way to other platforms such as Whatsapp, Skype and Zoom.

You may attend the Hearing and at the inspectors discretion, give your views. Anyone wishing to attend the Hearing must make that interest known to the Local Planning Authority by close of business on Tuesday 2 May 2023 by emailing [planning@baberghmidsuffolk.gov.uk](mailto:planning@baberghmidsuffolk.gov.uk) or by telephoning 0300 123 4000 option 5 option 3. Before contacting the Local Planning Authority to make your interest known please first read the Participation Information set out below.

### **Hearing Attendance Information**

Before deciding whether to take an active part in the Hearing, you need to think carefully about the points you wish to make. All written submissions from application and appeal stage will be taken into account by the Inspector and re-stating the same



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points won't add any additional weight to them.

If you feel that taking part in the Hearing is right for you, you will need to have access to Microsoft Teams (via an app or web browser). This link gives further information on how to use this: <https://support.office.com/en-us/teams> . Alternatively, you can take part by telephone. You will need to call 01473 526554 which may incur charges, you will be sent a unique code to enter upon calling.

If you wish to take an active part in the discussions, please make clear in your response to the Local Planning Authority, if possible, which topic areas you are particularly interested in.

If you want to take an active part but feel unable to for any reason, and/or the points you want to make are not covered in the evidence of others, consider whether someone else could raise them on your behalf.

Registered participants via Microsoft Teams will receive individual joining instructions, providing details of any requirements, guidance and support.

The appeal decision will be published on the planning case on our website and on the Planning Inspectorate website <https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/>

Full details of the application, and all appeal documents can be viewed on our website <https://planning.baberghmidsuffolk.gov.uk/online-applications/> and search DC/20/03116

There is also a dedicated webpage that will allow you to view key appeal documents. You can find that page here:

<https://www.midsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/development-management/planning-appeals/current-appeals/>

Yours sincerely

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