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Date: 10th May 2022

Dear Sir/Madam

**PLANNING APPLICATION AT J&K Business Units 2 Station Yard Traquair Road
Innerleithen Scottish Borders EH44 6PD**

**PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT: Part change of use from vehicle workshop to form
gymnasium**

APPLICANT: Mrs Annette Oliphant

Please find attached the decision notice for the above application.

Please read the schedule of conditions and any informative notes carefully.

Drawings can be found on the Planning pages of the Council website at
<https://eplanning.scotborders.gov.uk/online-applications/>. Please see the requirement for notification
of initiation and completion of development as well as for Street naming and numbering as
appropriate.

It should be noted that before works commence, where applicable, all necessary consents should
be obtained under the Building (Scotland) Act 2003. If you require any further information in this
respect, please contact the relevant Building Standards Surveyor.

Yours faithfully

John Hayward

Planning & Development Standards Manager

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 (as amended)

Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 2013

Application for Planning Permission

Reference : 22/00471/FUL

To : Mrs Annette Oliphant 2 Wells View Innerleithen EH44 6JD

With reference to your application validated on **23rd March 2022** for planning permission under the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) for the following development :-

Proposal : Part change of use from vehicle workshop to form gymnasium

**at : J&K Business Units 2 Station Yard Traquair Road Innerleithen Scottish Borders
EH44 6PD**

The Scottish Borders Council hereby **grant planning permission** in accordance with the approved plan(s) and the particulars given in the application and in accordance with Section 58 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended), subject to the following direction:

- That the development to which this permission relates must be commenced within three years of the date of this permission.

And subject to the conditions on the attached schedule imposed by the Council for the reasons stated

**Dated 9th May 2022
Planning and Regulatory Services
Environment and Infrastructure
Council Headquarters
Newtown St Boswells
MELROSE
TD6 0SA**

**John Hayward
Planning & Development Standards Manager**

APPLICATION REFERENCE : 22/00471/FUL

Schedule of Plans and Drawings Approved:

Plan Ref	Plan Type	Plan Status
	Location Plan	Approved
PLAN 1	Proposed Plans	Approved
PLAN 2	Proposed Plans	Approved

REASON FOR DECISION

Subject to compliance with the schedule of conditions, the development will accord with the relevant provisions of the Local Development Plan 2016 and there are no material considerations that would justify a departure from these provisions.

SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS

- 1 The approved use shall be limited to a gymnasium, and there shall be no permitted change to any other use within Class 11 of the Use Classes (Scotland) Order 1997 (as amended) unless a planning application for the same has been submitted to and approved by the Planning Authority. In the event that the approved gym use ceases, the lawful use of the unit shall revert to its previous lawful use (Class 5)
Reason: The development has been considered specifically with respect to the merits of the gym against the Local Development Plan 2016 and no other uses within Class 11 have been assessed, and in order to safeguard the employment land allocation in the event the gym use is no longer operational
- 2 The development shall operate in accordance with the following limitations:
 - a) The use shall operate only between 07:00 and 19:00 hours daily
 - b) Deliveries and servicing vehicles and activities shall be carried out only between 07:00 and 19:00 hours daily
 - c) There shall be no amplified music or vocals at any time
 - d) All external doors shall remain closed at all times during the operation of the use, with the exception only where temporarily open for access/egressReason: To limit potential effects on the amenity of neighbouring residential properties

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE APPLICANT

It should be noted that:

- 1 The former use of the site is potentially contaminative and may have resulted in land contamination. The land is not currently identified as contaminated land and the Council is not aware of any information which indicates the level of risk the potential contamination presents. The historic use of the site is recorded within a Council database. This database is used to prioritise land for inspection within the Council's Contaminated Land duties. Should the applicant wish to discuss these duties their enquiry should be directed to the Council's Environmental Health Service.

N.B: This permission does not include any consent, approval or licence necessary for the proposed development under the building regulations or any other statutory enactment and the development should not be commenced until all consents are obtained.

Under The Control of Pollution Act 1974, the Council recommends the following hours for noisy construction-related work:

Monday-Friday 0700-1900

Saturday 0800-1300

Sunday and Public Holidays - no permitted work (except by prior agreement with the Council)

Contractors will be expected to adhere to the measures contained in BS 5228:2009 "Code of Practice for Noise and Vibration Control on Construction and Open Sites".

For more information or to make a request to carry out works outside the above hours, please contact an Environmental Health Officer at the Council.

Notice of Initiation of Development

Section 27 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) requires that any person who has been granted planning permission (including planning permission in principle) and intends to start development must, once they have decided the date they will start work on the development, inform the planning authority of that date as soon as is practicable. A form is available on the Council's website for this purpose.

Notice of Completion of Development

Section 27B of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) requires that any person who completes a development for which planning permission (including planning permission in principle) has been given must, as soon as practicable after doing so, give notice of completion to the planning authority.

When planning permission is granted for phased development then under section 27B(2) the permission is to be granted subject to a condition that as soon as practicable after each phase, other than the last, is completed, the person carrying out the development is to give notice of that completion to the planning authority.

In advance of carrying out any works it is recommended that you contact Utility Bodies whose equipment or apparatus may be affected by any works you undertake. Contacts include:

Transco, Susiephone Department, 95 Kilbirnie Street, Glasgow, G5 8JD

Scottish Power, Riccarton Mains Road, Currie, Edinburgh, EH14 5AA

Scottish Water, Developer Services, 419 Balmore Road, Possilpark, Glasgow G22 6NU

British Telecom, National Notice Handling Centre, PP404B Telecom House, Trinity Street, Stoke on Trent, ST1 5ND

Scottish Borders Council, Street Lighting Section, Council HQ, Newtown St Boswells, Melrose, TD6 0SA

Cable & Wireless, 1 Dove Wynd, Strathclyde Business Park, Bellshill, ML4 3AL

BP Chemicals Ltd, PO Box 21, Bo'ness Road, Grangemouth, FK2 9XH

THUS, Susiephone Department, 4th Floor, 75 Waterloo Street, Glasgow, G2 7BD

Susiephone System – **0800 800 333**

There are a number of risks created by built over gas mains and services; these are:

- Pipework loading – pipes are at risk from loads applied by the new structure and are more susceptible to interference damage.

- Gas entry into buildings – pipework proximity increases risk of gas entry in buildings. Leaks arising from previous external pipework able to track directly into main building from unsealed entry.
- Occupier safety – lack or no fire resistance of pipework, fittings, or meter installation. Means of escape could be impeded by an enclosed meter.

Please note therefore, if you plan to dig, or carry out building work to a property, site, or public highway within our gas network, you must:

1. Check your proposals against the information held at <https://www.linesearchbeforeudig.co.uk/> to assess any risk associated with your development **and**
2. Contact our Plant Protection team to let them know. Plant location enquiries must be made via email, but you can phone us with general plant protection queries. See our contact details below:

Phone 0800 912 1722 / Email plantlocation@sgn.co.uk

In the event of an overbuild on our gas network, the pipework must be altered, you may be temporarily disconnected, and your insurance may be invalidated.

Further information on safe digging practices can be found here:

- Our free Damage Prevention e-Learning only takes 10-15 minutes to complete and highlights the importance of working safely near gas pipelines, giving clear guidance on what to do and who to contact before starting any work <https://www.sgn.co.uk/damage-prevention>

Further information can also be found here <https://www.sgn.co.uk/help-and-advice/digging-safely>

If you are in a Coal Authority Area (Carlops or Newcastleton), please contact the Coal Authority at the following address: The Coal Authority 200 Lichfield Lane, Berry Hill, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire NG18 4RG.

If the applicant is aggrieved by the decision of the Planning Authority to refuse planning permission for or approval required by a condition in respect of the proposed development, or to grant permission or approval subject to conditions, the applicant may require the planning authority to review the case under Section 43A of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) within three months from the date of this notice.

The notice of review must be submitted on the standard form and addressed to the Clerk of The Local Review Body, Democratic Services, Scottish Borders Council, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells. TD6 0SA or sent by email to localreview@scotborders.gov.uk. The standard form and guidance notes can be found online at [Appeal a Planning Decision](#). Appeals to the Local Review Body can also be made via the Scottish Government Planning and Environmental Appeals Division by clicking on the following link [PEAD](#)

If permission to develop land is refused or granted subject to conditions, whether by the Planning Authority or by the Scottish Ministers, and the owner of the land claims that the land has become incapable of reasonably beneficial use in its existing state and cannot be rendered capable of reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted, the owner may serve on the Planning Authority a purchase notice requiring the purchase of his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part 5 of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended).