

Hampshire Water Transfer and Water Recycling Project Application Form

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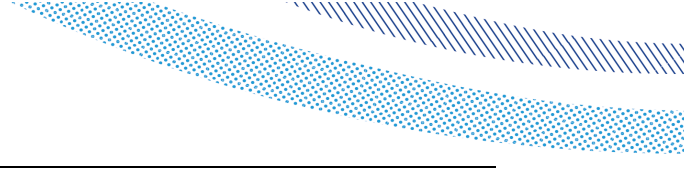
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Application Form





Application for Development Consent for Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects under the Planning Act 2008

* required information

Application Form

Please read guidance documents relating to the submission of applications prior to completing this form including [government guidance](#) and the Planning Inspectorate's [Advice Note Six: Preparation and submission of application documents](#).

* Do you have a reference number?

Yes No

* Reference number

1. Applicant

* Organisation

Address

* Building number or name

* Street

* City or town

County or administrative area

* Postcode

* Country

* Name of contact

* Telephone number

Fax number

* Email

2. Agent

* Are you an agent acting on behalf of the Applicant?

Yes No

* Organisation



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Address

* Building number or name	<input type="text"/>
* Street	<input type="text"/>
* City or town	<input type="text" value="London"/>
County or administrative area	<input type="text"/>
* Postcode	<input type="text" value="W1T 4RN"/>
* Country	<input type="text" value="United Kingdom"/>
* Name of contact	<input type="text" value="Nina Campbell"/>
* Telephone number	<input type="text"/>
Fax number	<input type="text"/>
* Email	<input type="text" value=" @stantec.com"/>

3. Fee

* State the arrangement for the application fee payment:

BACS CHAPS Cheque

* Please provide payment reference details

4. Confirming why the Planning Inspectorate should receive the application

* Brief statement to explain why this application is, or is to be treated as, a development for which development consent is required under the Planning Act 2008

The Proposed Development, referred to as "the Project" does not fall within the categories in sections(s) 14 to 30 of the Planning Act 2008 ('PA 2008') and therefore is not a NSIP in the prescribed terms of the PA 2008 at the date of application. However, it is to be treated as development for which a development consent order is required under the Planning Act 2008, following a direction issued by the Secretary of State under s35(1) dated 31 May 2022 (as varied on 19 November 2024) found in Appendix B of the Planning Policy Statement (Document reference 5.5, DCO Volume 5).

5. Non-technical description of the Proposed Development

* Brief non-technical description of the Proposed Development

The Project comprises the construction, operation and maintenance of the following components:

- Water Recycling Plant and associated pumping stations.
- Pipelines between Budds Farm Wastewater Treatment Works and the Water Recycling Plant site.
- Pipelines between the Water Recycling Plant site and Bedhampton Springs, connecting to pipelines being delivered by Portsmouth Water between Bedhampton Springs and Havant Thicket Reservoir.
- Pipeline between the Water Recycling Plant site and Otterbourne Water Supply Works.
- Above Ground Plant comprising Intermediate Pumping Stations and Break Pressure Tanks located along the Pipeline between the Water Recycling Plant site and Otterbourne Water Supply Works.

The Project would also comprise the use of the following infrastructure:

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- Havant Thicket Reservoir (which has been consented separately by Portsmouth Water and is currently under construction) for the storage of recycled water.
- The existing Eastney Long Sea Outfall, Eastney Pumping Station, and associated Eastney Transfer Tunnel for the release of reject water from the WRP site.
- Pipelines and other related works (which have been consented separately by Portsmouth Water) for the transfer of recycled water and source water between Bedhampton Springs and Havant Thicket Reservoir.

The construction and operation of the Project would be supported by other temporary and permanent works.

The Project will require the demolition, disassembly and/or temporary relocation of a number of small structures.

A detailed description of the Project can be found in ES Chapter 3 Description of the Proposed Development, Volume I (Document reference 6.1, DCO Volume 6). The Application Glossary (Document reference 1.7, DCO Volume 1) sets out the abbreviations and definitions used in the DCO application for the Project.

The Order Limits are shown on the Location Plan (Document reference 2.1, DCO Volume 2) and the Works Plans (Document reference 2.3, DCO Volume 2).

6. Location or route of the Proposed Development



* Description of location of application site(s), or route of development (reference to appropriate plans)

The Project is located in Hampshire, South East England, extending from Havant on the south coast, to Otterbourne near Winchester. The proposed Water Recycling Plant would be located off Harts Farm Way in Havant, approximately 0.5km northwest of Budds Farm Wastewater Treatment Works. Pipelines would connect the proposed Water Recycling Plant with Budds Farm Wastewater Treatment Works, Bedhampton Springs (approximately 1km to the north east) and Otterbourne Water Supply Works (approximately 35km to the north west). Above ground plant would be located along the pipeline route between the proposed Water Recycling Plant and Otterbourne Water Supply works, located off Portsdown Hill Road near Widley, Wickham Road near Crockerhill, Titchfield Lane near Wickham and Winters Hill near Durley Street.

The Project is located within the following host authorities:

- East Hampshire District Council
- Eastleigh Borough Council
- Fareham Borough Council
- Hampshire County Council
- Havant Borough Council
- Portsmouth City Council
- Winchester City Council

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* Is the site a single site or a linear site?

- Single site Linear site

Start grid reference

* Easting

* Northing

Middle grid reference

* Easting

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* Northing

End grid reference

* Easting

* Northing

* Document reference

7. Associated Development



* Associated Development is included within this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

8. a) Consultation Report



* Document reference

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* Document reference Consultation Report Appendix D – Consultation under EIA Regulations (Document reference 5.1, DCO Volume 5)
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* Document reference Consultation Report Appendix I – Statutory Spring 2026 Targeted Consultations (Document reference 5.1, DCO Volume 5)
Remove this reference

Add another reference

8. b) Copies of newspaper notices



* Document reference Appendices F.21 and G.24 Consultation Report Appendix F – Statutory Summer 2024 Consultation (Document reference 5.1, DCO Volume 5) and Consultation Report Appendix G – Statutory Spring 2025 Consultation (Document reference 5.1, DCO Volume 5)

Add another reference

9. Draft Development Consent Order



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* Document reference

10. Explanatory Memorandum



* Document reference

11. Land Plan



* Document reference

* Document reference

12. Works Plan



* Document reference

13. Compulsory Acquisition of land or an interest in land or right over land



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

Statement of reasons document reference

Funding statement document reference

Book of Reference document reference

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Add another reference

14. a) Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) ?

* Environmental Statement (ES) required:

- Yes No

* ES Document Reference

ES Volume I Chapters and Non-Technical Summary (Document reference 6.1, DCO Volume 6)
ES Volume II Appendices (Document reference 6.2, DCO Volume 6)
ES Volume III Figures (Document reference 6.3, DCO Volume 6)

Add another reference

14. b) Screening Opinion/ Direction and Scoping Opinion/ Direction ?

* Screening Opinion sought, or direction received:

- Yes No

* Scoping Opinion sought:

- Yes No

Document reference

ES Appendix 5.1 EIA Scoping Report, Volume II (Document reference 6.2, DCO Volume 6)

Document reference

ES Appendix 5.2 EIA Scoping Opinion, Volume II (Document reference 6.2, DCO Volume 6)

Remove this reference

Add another reference

14. c) Publicity required under Regulation 13 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 11 of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009) ?

In addition to publishing the notice, a copy of the notice was sent to:

* the consultation bodies

- * Yes

* the persons notified to the Applicant in accordance with Regulation 11(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 (or where the transitional provisions apply, Regulation 9(1)(c) of The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2009):

- Yes No, not applicable

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15. European sites (to which Regulation 63 of The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 and/ or Regulation 28 of the Conservation of Offshore Marine Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 applies) or a Ramsar site.

* Report required for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Habitats Regulations Assessment – Stage 2 Appropriate Assessment and Marine Conservation Zone – Stage 1 Assessment (Document reference 5.2, DCO Volume 5)

Add another reference

16. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of nature conservation, geological or landscape importance; habitats of protected species, important habitats or other diversity features; and water bodies in a River Basin Management Plan - together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development.



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Plans of statutory and non-statutory sites or features (Document reference 2.7, DCO Volume 2)

Add another reference

17. A plan, with accompanying information, identifying any statutory or non statutory sites or features of the historic environment such as scheduled monuments, World Heritage sites, listed buildings and other historic structures, archaeological sites and registered battlefields, together with an assessment of any effects likely to be caused by the Proposed Development



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Plans showing statutory or non-statutory historic or scheduled monument sites (Document reference 2.8, DCO Volume 2)

Add another reference

18. Flood Risk Assessment



* Flood Risk Assessment required:

Yes No

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* Document reference

ES Appendix 19.1 Flood Risk Assessment, Volume II (Document reference 6.2, DCO Volume 6)

Add another reference

19. Matters set out in section 79(1) (statutory nuisances etc) of the Environmental Protection Act 1990



* Statement required for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Statutory Nuisance Statement (Document reference 5.3, DCO Volume 5)

Add another reference

20. A plan with any accompanying information identifying any Crown land



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Crown Land Plans (Document reference 2.5, DCO Volume 2)

Add another reference

21. A plan identifying new or altered means of access, stopping up of streets or any diversions, extinguishments or creation or rights of way or public rights of navigation



* Issues are relevant for this application:

Yes No

* Document reference

Access and Public Rights of Way Plans (Document reference 2.4, DCO Volume 2)

Add another reference

22. Additional information for specific types of infrastructure



* Additional information is required to be submitted in accordance with Regulation 6 of The Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009:

Yes No

23. Any other plans, drawings and sections necessary to describe the proposal for which development consent is sought, and any other documents, reports or information to support the application



Provide a brief description of any other plans, drawings and sections that are being submitted with this application

Tree Preservation Orders Plan (Document reference 2.9, DCO Volume 2)

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Provide a brief description of any other documents considered necessary to support the application

Application Cover Letter (Document reference 1.2, DCO Volume 1)
Guide to the Application (Document reference 1.3, DCO Volume 1)
Section 55 Acceptance of Application List (Document reference 1.4, DCO Volume 1)
Electronic Application Index (Document reference 1.5, DCO Volume 1)
Pre-application Programme Document (Document reference 1.6, DCO Volume 1)
Application Glossary (Document reference 1.7, DCO Volume 1)
Pre-application Land and Rights Negotiations Tracker (Document reference 4.4, DCO Volume 4)
Other Consents and Licences Position Statement (Document reference 5.4, DCO Volume 5)
Planning Policy Statement (Document reference 5.5, DCO Volume 5)
Case for the Project (Document reference 5.6, DCO Volume 5)
Potential Main Issues for Examination (Document reference 5.7, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - Eastleigh Borough Council (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - East Hampshire District Council (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
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Draft Statement of Common Ground - South Downs National Park Authority (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - Winchester City Council (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
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Draft Statement of Common Ground - Marine Management Organisation (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - Natural England (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - Historic England (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Draft Statement of Common Ground - Ministry of Defence (Document reference 5.8, DCO Volume 5)
Statement of Engagement (Document reference 5.9, DCO Volume 5)
Scheme Development Report (Document reference 5.10, DCO Volume 5)
Design Principles Document (Document reference 5.11, DCO Volume 5)
Design Approach Document (Document reference 5.12, DCO Volume 5)
Outline Construction Environmental Management Plan (Document reference 7.1, DCO Volume 7)
Framework Construction Traffic Management Plan (Document reference 7.2, DCO Volume 7)
Traffic Management Strategy (Document reference 7.3, DCO Volume 7)
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Outline Landscape and Ecology Management Plan (Document reference 7.5, DCO Volume 7)
Outline Written Scheme of Investigation (Document reference 7.6, DCO Volume 7)
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Outline Skills and Employment Plan (Document reference 7.9, DCO Volume 7)
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Biodiversity Gain Plan (Document reference 7.11, DCO Volume 7)
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Location Plan (Document reference 2.1, DCO Volume 2)

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DCO Volume 2)

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24. Other consents/ licences required under other legislation



* Other consents/ licences are required:

Yes

No

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* Provide a list of consents/licences

As set out in the Other Consents and Licences Position Statement (Document reference 5.4, DCO Volume 5), the following permits, consents and licences may need to be sought separately from the DCO:

- Consent to the inclusion in DCO of provision authorising compulsory acquisition of interests in Crown Land
- Consent to the inclusion in DCO of any other provision applying in relation to Crown Land
- Mobile Plant Environmental Permit
- Medium Combustion Permit
- Building Regulation Approval
- Licence required for any intrusive works on or near identified military crash sites
- Protected Species Licence – Badger
- European Protected Species Licence - Hazel Dormouse, Great crested newt, Bat, Water vole, Otter
- Schedule 1 Birds licence
- Standard Rules Environmental Permit may be required for the storage, treatment, use, recovery or disposal of waste during construction
- Standard rules mobile plant permit
- Section 61 Consent
- Permit for Transport of Abnormal Indivisible Loads
- Ordinary Watercourse Consent
- Environmental Permit for (temporary) water discharge activity
- Environmental Permit for water discharge activity
- Abstraction Licence
- Temporary abstraction licence
- Trade Effluent Discharge consent

You must cite the document references as appropriate

* Document reference

Other Consents and Licences Position Statement (Document reference 5.4, DCO Volume 5)

Add another reference

25. Declaration



I declare to the best of my knowledge that the information given in this form and enclosed maps, plans and other documents are true.

Please note there is a requirement for one hard copy of the form to be signed. Please ensure that when you submit you include at least one signed copy. Further copies do not require the hand written signature.

Signature

(For and on behalf of the Applicant)



* Name

IAN FROST

(In block letters)

* Date

21 / 05 / 2026
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* Organisation

Southern Water Services Limited

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* Position within the organisation

Planning and Consents Lead, HWTWRP