

Application for Hedgerow Removal Notice

NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- **A completed application form** or the form set out in Schedule 4 to the Hedgerow Regulations 1997
- **A plan which clearly shows the location and length of the hedgerow(s)** to be removed (if possible, please provide a plan to a scale of 1:2500. A different scale can be used so long as it shows clearly the location and length of the hedgerow or hedgerows that you wish to remove)
- **Any evidence of the date of planting**

LOCAL REQUIREMENTS

- **Aboricultural Statement:**
A statement outlining the reasons for the proposed work, and detailing the species contained within the hedgerow and condition of hedgerow

Policy Driver: National Planning Policy Framework 2019.

- **Biodiversity Checklist/Report**
Completion of the checklist is required **FOR ALL** applications with an accompanying ecology report if required as indicated on the checklist; the report to be undertaken by a qualified Ecologist.

<https://www.fenland.gov.uk/planningforms>

Ecology reports, undertaken by a qualified Ecologist, are also required if the site is within any international, national, regional or locally designated area for nature conservation.

More Information at:

<http://www.naturalengland.org.uk/>
(Search for: 'Standing Advice')

Policy Driver: National Planning Policy Framework 2021 and Policy LP19 of the Fenland Local Plan 2014.

**PLEASE NOTE:
ANY REPORTS OR STATEMENTS SUBMITTED ARE TO BE NO MORE
THAN 12 MONTHS OLD**