

# Appendix 5: Consultation Bodies for a Planning Application

The [government's planning guidance](#) sets out the statutory consultees that Cambridge City Council or South Cambridgeshire District Council should consult. The bodies who are consulted will vary depending on the type of application and might include more or less than indicated within the lists below.

## Potential External Statutory Consultees

- Ancient Monument Society
- Anglian Water Services Ltd
- British Gas
- British Telecommunications plc
- Cambridge Water Company
- Cambridgeshire County Council (as Lead Local Flood Authority and Lead Local Transport Authority)
- Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority
- Canal and River Trust
- Coal Authority
- Control of Major-Accident Hazards Competent Authority
- Crown Estates Commissioners
- Council for British Archaeology
- Department of Energy Security and Net Zero
- Designated Neighbourhood Forums
- Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA)
- Department of Levelling Up, Housing and Communities
- Environment Agency (EA)
- Forestry Commission
- Health and Safety Executive
- Highways England
- Historic England
- Marine Management Organisation
- Mobile Operators Associations
- National Grid Transco
- Natural England
- Network Rail
- Parish Councils
- Rail Infrastructure Managers

- Rail Network Operators
- Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings
- Sport England
- Theatres Trust
- The Gardens Trust
- The Georgian Group
- Twentieth Century Society
- Victorian Society

## Examples of Non-Statutory Consultees that the Councils may consult

There are other organisations or individuals who are not are not statutory consultees as set out in the [government's planning guidance](#). Nevertheless, they are often consulted on applications, depending upon the type and significance of the application or policy document. Examples of organisations who could be consulted include:

- Adjoining Parish Councils and Local Authorities (as relevant)
- Cambridge Business Improvement District
- Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Integrated Care Board
- Civil Aviation Authority
- Emergency Services and Multi-Agency Emergency Planning
- Internal Council service areas where relevant, such as
  - Housing
  - Environmental Health
  - Built and Natural Environment (Conservation, Ecology, Landscape, Urban Design)
  - Accessibility officer
  - Tree officers
- Members of Parliament
- Ministry of Defence
- Office of Nuclear Regulation
- Police and Crime Commissioner
- Residents' Associations
- Royal Society for the Protection of Birds (RSPB)
- Wildlife Trust for Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Northamptonshire

If you wish to join our consultation database, please send your contact details to the email addresses shown below or if you would like to write to us, send your details to our offices shown below:

**Table 9: Email Address for GCSP**

Email address
planning@greatercambridgeplanning.org_

**Table 10: Postal Addresses for Councils**

Council	Postal address
<b>Cambridge City Council</b>	Application Support, Cambridge City Council, PO Box 700, Cambridge, CB1 0JH
<b>South Cambridgeshire District Council</b>	Planning Department, South Cambridgeshire Hall, Cambourne Business Park, Cambourne, CB23 6EA





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 [greatercambridgeplanning.org/about-us/statement-of-community-involvement/](https://greatercambridgeplanning.org/about-us/statement-of-community-involvement/)