

## **Email of 19 July 2021 from Annabelle Holland re 8 Arches**

Subject: FW: Eight Arches Farm

Dear Parish Council

I support the planning application for Eight Arches Farm for the following reasons:

1. The proposed position of the buildings constitutes sympathetic ribbon development to the village, this is preferable to further infill.
2. Rural business should be encouraged in Barrowden, as many farms have over the years been 'lost' to housing development in the village e.g. Durant Farm, Welland Farm and Pollard's Farm. A valid business plan which supports this rural economy is professional and shows the applicant is experienced and successful in managing the Charolais sheep.
3. Environmental diversity should be encouraged in rural areas, especially in Barrowden.
4. The impact on the local environment has been carefully considered by the applicant and in addition native trees will be planted.
5. The impact on the local ecology has also been carefully considered by the applicant.

I see no reason why this development should not be given full planning permission and wholeheartedly support it.

Annabelle Holland