

**Consultation Response from KC,
Ecology Unit**

2022/92837 44, Oaklands Drive, Dalton, Huddersfield, HD5 8PR

Erection of first floor side extension

Date Responded: 29/03/23

Responding Officer: Gareth Hey

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Following on from my previous comments, a bat survey report has been submitted with the application.

The survey determined that the building provides moderate suitability for roosting bats.

Therefore, in line with current guidance (Collins, 2016), two bat surveys are required. The surveys must be carried out between May and September with at least one of the surveys between May and August. The surveys must take place in suitable weather conditions and with a minimum of 14 days between each survey. The findings of these additional surveys should be provided in a report suitable to determine the potential impacts of the development.

The application should not be determined until the additional surveys have been undertaken and suitable report received.