

IMPORTANT - THIS COMMUNICATION AFFECTS YOUR PROPERTY

Town and Country Planning Act 1990
(as amended by the Planning and Compensation Act 1991)

ENFORCEMENT NOTICE OPERATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Issued by: St Albans District Council

1. This Notice is issued by the council because it appears to them that there has been a breach of planning control, within paragraph (a) of section 171A(1) of the above Act, at the land described below. They consider that it is expedient to issue this notice, having regard to the provisions of the development plan and to other material planning considerations. The Annex at the end of the notice and the enclosures to which it refers contain important additional information.

2. The Land To Which The Notice Relates

14 High Street Wheathampstead Hertfordshire
Shown edged red on the attached plan.

3. The Matters Which Appear To Constitute The Breach Of Planning Control

It appears to the Council that the following breach of planning control has occurred within the last 4 years.

Insertion of first floor replacement window on shopping frontage.

4. Reasons For Issuing This Notice

The inappropriate use of modern materials and the absence of leaded glass in the replacement window fails to preserve or enhance the historic character and appearance of the Wheathampstead Conservation Area and the heritage asset contrary to Policy 85 of the St. Albans District Plan Review 1994 and Policies HE7 and HE10 of PPS 5 (Planning for the Historic Environment.)

5. What You Are Required To Do

Remove the first floor UPVC window and replace in timber to match the design and opening method of first floor windows on the shopping frontage.

6. Time For Compliance

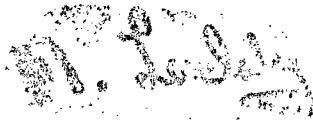
2 months after this notice takes effect.

7. When This Notice Takes Effect

This notice takes effect on 23 December 2011 unless an appeal is made against it beforehand.

Dated: 18 November 2011

Signed:



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On behalf of:

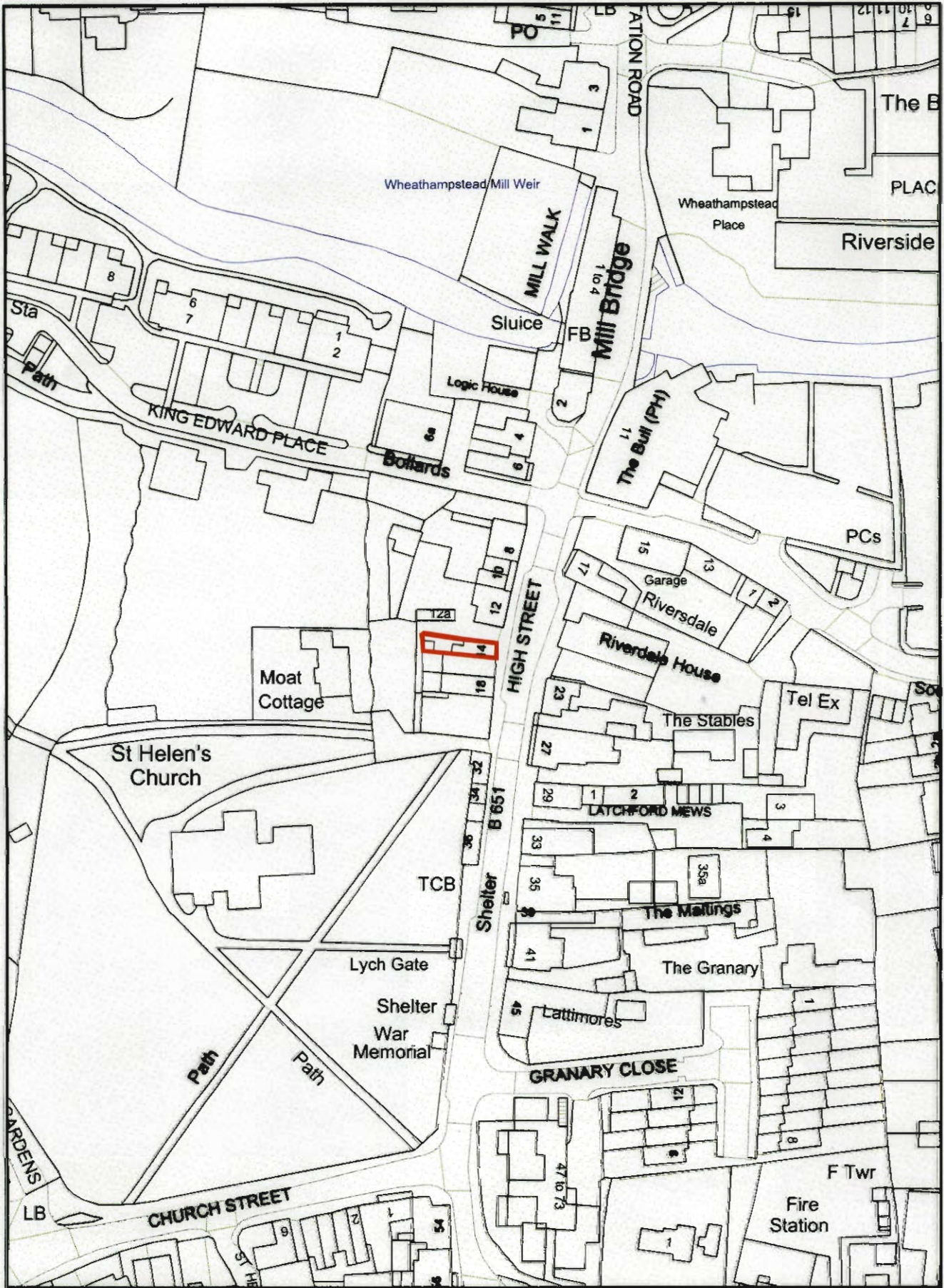
ANNEX

Your Right of Appeal

You can appeal against this notice, but any appeal must be received, or posted in time to be received, by the Secretary of State before the date specified in paragraph 7 of the notice. The enclosed information sheet and information in the letter give details of your rights of appeal.

What Happens If You Do Not Appeal

If you do not appeal against this enforcement notice, it will take effect on the date specified in paragraph 7 of the notice and you must then ensure that the required steps for complying with it, for which you may be held responsible, are taken within the period specified in paragraph 6 of the notice. Failure to comply with an enforcement notice which has taken effect can result in prosecution and/or remedial action by the Council.



14/14a High Street, Wheathampstead



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City & District Council