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354 Barkham Road, Wokingham



A site of about 1.12 acres with a detached bungalow close to the road frontage. Ideal for replacement and possibly an additional two houses to the rear. Considered favourable pre-app response from WBC available. Mainly cleared but with woodland to the rear.

Considerable return frontage to an unmade private track serving other houses (No registered rights of way)

There is no relevant planning history for this site. As can be seen on the plan above adjoining property and others have recently been developed with substantial detached houses within back gardens. It is anticipated, in a development appraisal, there may be an opportunity for a further 2 houses to appear as a natural extension to the recent new build. Part of the site is wooded and will provide a wildlife haven to enhance the setting.

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DESCRIPTION / LOCATION: There is currently a small bungalow on the site comprising four rooms (2 bedrooms and 2 reception rooms or 3 bedrooms and 1 reception room) kitchen and bathroom. It is probably fair to say the current property is not habitable. The front part of the site has been cleared to the area of woodland at the rear. Development similar to the nearby new build would suggest a one for one replacement on the frontage with a new driveway serving two further houses at the rear. Beyond is the woodland, which is identified as being a priority habitat and is located within the countryside in planning terms. Any additional development on that land is considered very speculative and a longer-term project.

Wokingham railway station is just over one mile and the town centre a little further. Bus services pass along Barkham Road between Wokingham and The Royal Berkshire Hospital. Wokingham has an excellent reputation for secondary education with all five local schools being good or excellent.

Planning: The property is within the administration area of Wokingham Borough Council.

Redevelopment with three houses, one at the front and two at the rear has received an encouraging response from WBC following pre-app consultation. A copy of the

response is available on request.

Services: All mains services are available.

Tenure: Freehold (possessory title) with vacant possession upon completion of the purchase.

Viewing: By appointment with the Owner's Sole Agents and Auctioneers,

Martin & Pole, Wokingham, Tel: 0118 978 0777,

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Property Details

We have endeavoured diligently to ensure the details of this property are accurate. We have not tested the services, appliances, or fittings (if any) referred to in the details. We recommend that each of the statements is verified and the condition of the property and of the services, appliances, and fittings (if any) is investigated by you or your advisers before you finalise your offer to purchase, bid for the property or enter into a contractual commitment.

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The property is sold with all faults and defects whether of condition or otherwise and neither the Seller nor the Agents of the Seller are responsible for any faults or defects or for any statements contained in the Particulars of the property prepared by the Agents. The Buyer hereby acknowledges that he has not entered into this Contract in reliance on any of the said statements and they have satisfied themselves as to the correctness of each of the said statements by said Agents in relation to or in connection with the property.

















Possible location of 2 new houses – see plan below

Adjoining new development beyond the settlement boundary of "354"

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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT			
Date of Agreement:		day of	2024
Buyer:			
Address:			
			Postcode:
Buyer's Solicitor:			Contact:
Address:			
			Postcode:
Purchase Price	£		
Deposit	£		
Balance	£		
The Seller will sell, and the Buyer will buy the Property described as in the foregoing Particulars and Conditions of Sale for the Purchase Price in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions referred to in the Conditions of Sale. Martin & Pole acknowledge receipt of the Deposit in part payment of the Purchase Price. The Buyer agrees to pay the balance of the Purchase Price and to complete the purchase in accordance with the Conditions of Sale. Signed by or on behalf of:			
Buyer		Seller	

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Illustrative layout for 3 houses



