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### Item: 4

## DC/21/5479/FUL

Beach platform repairs and extension and provision of 6 new beach hut sites

Beach Platform, South Beach, Felixstowe



Planning committee meeting: Monday 7 March 2022

## Summary

This application seeks full planning permission for repairs and extensions to an existing beach platform to the southwest of Felixstowe Pier to provide 6 additional beach hut sites. The proposals comply with the relevant policies in the Local Plan and the application is recommended for approval subject to conditions.

As the applicant and landowner is East Suffolk Council, the proposal is to be determined at planning committee in accordance with the scheme of delegation.

## Site context



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# Site location plan



# Site location – policy context



limited to locations which complement th existing resort uses and do not fill the important gaps between huts.

Site location – Conservation Area



Looking south from promenade towards beach platform



Looking south from promenade towards beach platform



Looking south from promenade towards beach platform



Looking north towards beach platform



Looking north from beach platform



Looking north towards winter storage area



### **Existing Block Plan**



Existing platform accommodating 16 beach huts

#### **Proposed Block Plan - beach huts on platform**



#### Proposed Block Plan – beach huts in winter storage area



#### **Proposed Elevation – beach huts on platform**



#### Proposed Elevation – beach huts in winter storage area



#### **Existing and Proposed Elevations**







Material planning considerations and key issues The following material planning considerations have been considered – as addressed within the report:

• Visual impact

- Impact on the Conservation Area
- Coastal Management
- Contamination
- Ecology

#### Recommendation

Recommended for approval subject to conditions as outlined within the report – summarised below:

- Time limit for commencement
- Compliance with submitted plans
- Management and maintenance plan
- Provision for disabled access
- Materials
- Unexpected contamination