

**Similar Applications within the same “AGR” Zone on the Kam Tin North OZP**

**Approved Applications**

	<b><u>Application No.</u></b>	<b><u>Proposed Use</u></b>	<b><u>Date of Consideration (RNTPC/TPB)</u></b>	<b><u>Approval Conditions</u></b>
1	A/YL-KTN/465	Proposed Temporary Hobby Farm for a Period of 3 Years	3.7.2015 [revoked on 3.4.2016]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6)
2	A/YL-KTN/474	Proposed Temporary Hobby Farm for a Period of 3 Years	7.8.2015 [revoked on 7.8.2016]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (10)
3	A/YL-KTN/513	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	18.3.2016 [revoked on 18.2.2018]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6)
4	A/YL-KTN/516	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	18.3.2016 [revoked on 18.12.2016]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6)
5	A/YL-KTN/520	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm and Caravan Camp Site) for a Period of 3 Years	27.5.2016	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7)
6	A/YL-KTN/535	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm and Caravan Holiday Camp) for a Period of 3 Years	13.1.2017 [revoked on 13.12.2018]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7),
7	A/YL-KTN/536	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm and Caravan Holiday Camp) for a Period of 3 Years	13.1.2017	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7)
8	A/YL-KTN/538	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	23.12.2016 [revoked on 23.9.2017]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9)
9	A/YL-KTN/571	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	8.9.2017	(1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7)
10	A/YL-KTN/579	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	22.12.2017	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
11	A/YL-KTN/609	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	3.8.2018 [revoked on 3.2.2019]	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
12	A/YL-KTN/610	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	3.8.2018	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)

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13	A/YL-KTN/615	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	16.11.2018	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
14	A/YL-KTN/620	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	7.9.2018	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
15	A/YL-KTN/626	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	18.1.2019	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (11)
16	A/YL-KTN/630	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	18.1.2019	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (11)
17	A/YL-KTN/636	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	21.12.2018	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
18	A/YL-KTN/649	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 5 Years	16.8.2019	(1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)
19	A/YL-KTN/660	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	4.10.2019	(1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (11)
20	A/YL-KTN/665	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm and Caravan Holiday Camp) for a Period of 5 Years	5.7.2019	(1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (11)
21	A/YL-KTN/666	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 3 Years	4.10.2019	(1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (11)
22	A/YL-KTN/670	Proposed Temporary Place of Recreation, Sports or Culture (Hobby Farm) for a Period of 5 Years	16.8.2019	(1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (11)

**Approval Conditions:**

- (1) Restriction on operation hours/time / no reversing of vehicles into or out of the site or queuing of vehicles onto public road
- (2) Submission and implementation of landscape and tree preservation proposal/ implementation of the accepted landscape proposal
- (3) Submission and implementation of drainage proposal
- (4) Submission and implementation of fire service installations proposal
- (5) Revocation of the planning approval if any of the planning conditions is not complied by the specified date or during the planning approval period
- (6) Reinstatement of the site to an amenity area or to the original state

- (7) No public announcement system, portable loudspeaker or any form of audio amplification system on the site
- (8) No medium or heavy goods vehicles exceeding 5.5 tonnes, including container tractors/trailers, are allowed to be parked/stored on or enter the site
- (9) Submission of a proposal and implementation to provide buffer planting along the northern boundary in order to screen potential disturbance to the adjacent drainage channel
- (10) Submission and implementation of a revised layout plan with reduced paved area
- (11) Maintenance of the implemented drainage facilities on the site

**Rejected Application**

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1	A/YL-KTN/394	Proposed temporary field study/education centre and hobby farm for 5 years	14.6.2013 [on review]	(1), (2), (3)

**Rejection Reasons**

- (1) the site was the subject of unauthorized land filling. The filling materials on-site comprising sand, stones, debris and construction waste were not suitable for cultivation. There was no detailed information provided regarding the design and operation of the proposed development particularly the hobby farm, field study/education centre and the office with porch.
- (2) the applicant failed to demonstrate that the development would not generate adverse landscape and drainage impacts on the surrounding areas
- (3) approving the application would set an undesirable precedent for similar applications within the "AGR" zone, and the cumulative effect of which would result in a general degradation of the rural environment of the area

**Advisory Clauses**

- (a) resolve any land issues relating to the development with the concerned owner(s) of the Site;
- (b) note DLO/YL, LandsD's comments that the Site comprises Old Schedule Agricultural Lots held under the Block Government Lease which contains the restriction that no structures are allowed to be erected without the prior approval of the Government. The Site is accessible from Fung Kat Heung Road via Government Land (GL). His office provides no maintenance work for the GL involved and does not guarantee any right-of-way over the GL to the Site. The Site falls within Shek Kong Airfield Height Restriction Area (SKAHRA). The height of the proposed structure shall not exceed the relevant airfield height limit within SKAHRA. The lot(s) owner(s) will need to apply to his office to permit the structures to be erected or regularize any irregularities on Site, if any. Besides, given the proposed use is temporary in nature, only application for regularization or erection of temporary structure(s) will be considered. No construction of New Territories Exempted Building(s) will be considered or allowed. Applications for any of the above will be considered by LandsD acting in the capacity as landlord or lessor at its sole discretion and there is no guarantee that such application will be approved. If such application(s) is approved, it will be subject to such terms and conditions, including among others the payment of premium or fee, as may be imposed by the LandsD;
- (c) note C for T's comments that the Site is connected to the public road network via a section of a local access road which is not managed by his department. The land status of the local access road should be checked with the LandsD. Moreover, the management and maintenance responsibilities of the local access road should be clarified with the relevant lands and maintenance authorities accordingly;
- (d) note CHE/NTW, HyD's comments that adequate drainage measures should be provided at the site access to prevent surface water flowing from the Site to nearby public roads or exclusive road drains. Fung Kat Heung Road is not maintained by his department. His department is not/ shall not be responsible for the maintenance of any access connecting the Site and San Tam Road;
- (e) note DEP's comments that the applicant should follow the relevant mitigation measures and requirements in the latest "Code of Practice on Handling the Environmental Aspects of Temporary Uses and Open Storage Sites" to minimize any potential environmental nuisance. Adequate supporting infrastructure / facilities should be provided for proper collection, treatment and disposal of waste / wastewater generated from the proposed use. If septic tank and soakaway system will be used in case of unavailability of public sewer, its design and construction shall follow the requirements of Environmental Protection Department (EPD)'s Practice Note for Professional Persons (ProPECC) PN 5/93 "Drainage Plans subject to Comment by the EPD";

- (f) note CTP/UD&L, PlanD's comments that the applicant is reminded that any proposed tree felling shall be approved by the relevant tree authority prior to commencement of works;
- (g) note D of FS's comments that in consideration of the design/nature of the proposal, FSIs are anticipated to be required. Therefore, the applicant is advised to submit relevant layout plans incorporated with the proposed FSIs to his department for approval. The layout plans should be drawn to scale and depicted with dimensions and nature of occupancy. The location of where the proposed FSI to be installed should be clearly marked on the layout plans. If the proposed structure(s) is required to comply with the Buildings Ordinance (BO) (Cap. 123), detailed fire service requirements will be formulated upon receipt of formal submission of general building plans;
- (h) note CBS/NTW, BD's comments that before any new building works (including containers/open sheds as temporary buildings, demolition and land filling) are to be carried out on the Site, prior approval and consent of the Building Authority should be obtained, otherwise they are unauthorized building works (UBW) under the BO. An Authorized Person (AP) should be appointed as the co-ordinator for the proposed building works in accordance with the BO. For UBW erected on leased land, enforcement action may be taken by the BD to effect their removal in accordance with the prevailing enforcement policy against UBW as and when necessary. The granting of any planning approval should not be construed as an acceptance of any existing building works or UBW on the Site under the BO. The Site shall be provided with means of obtaining access thereto from a street and emergency vehicular access in accordance with Regulations 5 and 41D of the Building (Planning) Regulations (B(P)R) respectively. The Site does not abut on a specified street of not less than 4.5m wide and its permitted development intensity shall be determined under Regulation 19(3) of the B(P)R at the building plan submission stage; and
- (i) note DFEH's comments that for any waste generated from such activities or operations, the applicant should arrange disposal properly at her own expenses. Proper licence/permit issued by Food and Environmental Hygiene Department (FEHD) is required if there is any catering service/activities regulated by the DFEH under the Public Health and Municipal Services Ordinance (Cap. 132) and other relevant legislation for the public. No FEHD's facilities will be affected and such work and operation shall not cause any environmental nuisance, pest infestation and obstruction to the surrounding.