

## Margaret Telfer

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**From:** DC Consultation  
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**To:** Colin Godfrey; Margaret Telfer  
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**From:** Gill Thompson  
**Sent:** 15 January 2018 16:50  
**To:** DC Consultation  
**Subject:** RE: Planning Application Consultation 17NP0131 Kirknewton House, Kirknewton, Wooler, Northumberland, NE71 6XF

Dear Colin,

I have read the bat risk assessment that accompanies this application and no have objections on ecological grounds. I note that to give an net gain for biodiversity that the report suggests the erection of swegler bat boxes. This is a welcome addition, but is it something that you can condition? I also note that some leylandii trees are to be removed. In the heritage statement rhododendron is mentioned as a replacement; I do not think this would be something to encourage and native hardwoods may be more appropriate depending on how close to the churchyard wall they are to be planted. Perhaps a landscaping condition could be put on if permission is granted. If you wish to discuss this further I am happy to do so.

Yours sincerely,  
Gill Thompson

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**From:** DC Consultation  
**Sent:** 09 January 2018 09:32  
**To:** Gill Thompson  
**Subject:** Planning Application Consultation 17NP0131 Kirknewton House, Kirknewton, Wooler, Northumberland, NE71 6XF

Please see the attached consultation regarding a planning application which has been received by Northumberland National Park Authority. Full details can be viewed at <http://nnpa.planning-register.co.uk/plaPlanningAppDisplay.aspx?AppNo=17NP0131>

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Gill Thompson, Ecologist

