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£80,000—£90,000 Auction Guide Price

For Sale by Public Auction on Wednesday 2nd
September 2026 at Lifton Strawberry Fields,
Lifton, Devon, PL16 0DH at 7pm

Two-bedroom Cottage with character features
throughout

Located in a quiet rural hamlet yet close to
amenities

Private, south-facing garden

Fantastic opportunity to renovate and add
value

EPC Rating: E





Description

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Located within the rural hamlet of South Wonford, this charming property presents an excellent opportunity for buyers seeking a renovation project with considerable potential to enhance and add value.

The accommodation briefly comprises a kitchen, living room, two bedrooms and a bathroom. Externally, the property benefits from a delightful south-facing garden enjoying a sunny aspect, together with two sheds and a greenhouse.

Situation

South Wonford is situated on the edge of the village of Thornbury, surrounded by rolling Devon countryside whilst remaining conveniently accessible to nearby towns and amenities. The village itself offers a parish church and an active local community, with further everyday facilities available in the nearby market town of Holsworthy, approximately 4 miles away.

Holsworthy provides a comprehensive range of social, commercial and retail facilities, together with primary and secondary schooling, a Waitrose supermarket and leisure amenities. The regional centre of Exeter lies approximately 45 miles to the east, offering access to the M5 motorway, mainline rail links and an international airport.

The dramatic North Devon and Cornwall coastline is also within easy reach, with the popular coastal resort of Bude approximately 16 miles away, famed for its sandy beaches, surfing and scenic coastal walks.

Accommodation

ENTRANCE

Entrance via a door leading into:

LIVING ROOM

A well-proportioned reception room offering space for a range of furniture, featuring a central exposed stone fireplace with clome oven and log burner (currently not in working order). Character features continue throughout with exposed ceiling beams, a window seat and fitted carpet. Window to the front elevation overlooking the garden.

HALLWAY

Fitted carpet and storage cupboard housing the hot water cylinder. Door leading to:

BATHROOM

Comprising a three-piece suite including a WC, wash hand basin with tiled splashback and bath with electric shower over and tiled surround. Obscure glazed window to the front elevation, laminate flooring and radiator.

KITCHEN

Fitted with a range of eye and base-level units with work surface over incorporating a stainless steel sink and drainer with mixer tap. Windows to the rear elevation. Space and plumbing for a washing machine together with space for an undercounter fridge/freezer and a small dining table. Character features include exposed stone walls and ceiling beams. Electric storage heater and access to the loft hatch.

Stairs rise to the first floor:

LANDING

Fitted carpet and electric storage heater. Doors leading to:

BEDROOM ONE

A double bedroom featuring exposed stonework and an attractive feature fireplace with a fitted wardrobe to one side. Offering space for a range of bedroom furniture. Fitted carpet, radiator and access to the loft hatch. Window to the front elevation.

BEDROOM TWO

A versatile second bedroom with exposed ceiling beams, laminate flooring and radiator. Window to the front elevation.

OUTSIDE

To the front of the property is an enclosed south-facing garden, chiefly laid to lawn. The garden also benefits from a greenhouse and two timber sheds.

GARAGE

Up and over garage door.



Auction Details

Auction Venue

Lifton Strawberry Fields, Lifton, Devon PL16 0DH on Wednesday 2nd September 2026 at 7.00pm

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Solicitor

Peter & Peter Wright, Holsworthy.

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Local Authority

Torridge District Council

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Land Plan

Not to scale and for identification purposes only.

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Floor Plan

Floor plan for identification purposes only, not to scale





Services

Mains electricity and water. Shared private drainage.

Tenure

Freehold



EE Rating - E



Council Tax Band - B



Directions

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Available upon request.

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