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# NOTIFICATION OF DECISION TO GRANT OUTLINE PERMISSION PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (as amended) AND PLANNING REGULATIONS THEREUNDER

Decision Order Number:	1584	Date of Decision:	13-Dec-2022
Register Reference:	SD22A/0408	Date:	28-Oct-2022

**Applicant:** Alan, Peter & David McCormick

**Development:** Detached three bed two storey house to the side garden plot of the

existing dwelling, to include new independent vehicular access and

all associated site works.

**Location:** 2, Barton Road West, Rathfarnham, Dublin 14

Floor Area:

Time extension(s) up to and including:

**DECISION TO:** Pursuant to the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), it is hereby decided, for the reasons set out in the First Schedule hereto, to **GRANT OUTLINE PERMISSION** for the said development in accordance with the said plans and particulars, subject to the conditions specified in the Second Schedule hereto, the reasons for the imposition of the said conditions being as set out in the said Second Schedule and the said decision is subject to the said conditions.

### FIRST SCHEDULE

It is considered that the proposed development accords with the policies and objectives of South Dublin County Council, as set out in the South Dublin County Council Development Plan 2022 - 2028 and subject to the condition(s) set out hereunder is thereby in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE

# **Conditions and Reasons:**

- 1. No Development Shall Take Place Until an Application for Permission Consequent to the Grant of Outline Permission.
  - No development shall take place until an application for permission consequent on the grant of outline permission, has been granted permission in respect of details relating to layout, siting, height, design, external appearance and means of access thereto. REASON: In the interests of the proper planning and development of the area.
- 2. In the application for permission consequent to this outline permission the applicant shall submit details of the following:
  - 1. The boundary walls at vehicle access points shall be limited to a maximum height of 0.9m, and any boundary pillars shall be limited to a maximum height of 1.2m, in order to improve forward visibility for vehicles.
  - 2. The vehicular access point shall not exceed a width of 3.5 meters.
  - 3. Any gates shall open inwards and not outwards over the public domain.
  - 4. All vehicles parked in the driveways must exit the site in a forward direction. No vehicles to reverse onto the public roadway at any time.
  - 5. The entrance apron shall be dished and widened to the full width of the proposed widened driveway entrance and shall be constructed to the satisfaction of South Dublin County Council's Road Maintenance Department, and at the applicant's expense.
- 3. In the application for permission consequent of this outline permission the applicant shall submit the following;
  - 1. Landscape Plan
  - (i) There are concerns with the lack of information submitted in terms of a landscaping scheme and boundary treatment for the proposed development. The applicant is requested to provide a landscape design including details of boundary treatment for the proposed

development.

- (ii) In addition the applicant is require to provide a GI Plan in the case of small-scale developments this may consist of a simple landscape plan which includes objectives to protect or restore existing on site GI assets, provides for connection to local or primary GI corridors or includes elements which may allow the site to act as a local stepping stone.
- 2. Boundary Treatment

The applicant is requested to submit elevation drawings specifying the proposed boundary treatment to the front of the site.

3. Tree Protection

The applicant is required the submit the following information outline the tree protection measures to be employed in accordance with BS5837:2012: in order to ensure the protection of the existing trees located within the grass margin outside the property:

- a) The existing street trees located within the grass margin shall be protected by secure, stout exclusion fencing erected at a minimum distance equivalent to the branch spread of the trees and in accordance with BS 5837 (2012) Trees in Relation to Design, Demolition and Construction;
- b) Any works within the branch spread of the trees shall be by hand only. No materials,

supplies, plant or machinery shall be stored, parked or allowed access beneath the branch spread or within the exclusion fencing. Any trees that are damaged or felled during construction work must be replaced with semi mature trees of the same or similar species

# 4. Sustainable Drainage Systems

- (A) The applicant should demonstrate compliance with the SDCC SUDS Design Guide 2022, and Policies GI3, GI4, GI5, IE3, SM2, SM7, and sections 4.3.1, 12.7.6, 12.11.1, and 12.11.3. of the South Dublin County Development Plan 2022 2028 in relation to sustainable drainage systems.
- (B) In relation to SUDs, the applicant is requested to submit plans showing how surface water shall be attenuated to greenfield run off rates and showing what SuDS (Sustainable Drainage Systems) are proposed.
- (C) SUDs Management The applicant is requested to submit a comprehensive SUDS Management Plan to demonstrate that the proposed SUDS features have reduced the rate of run off into the existing surface water drainage network. A maintenance plan should also be included as a demonstration of how the system will function following implementation.
- (D) Natural SUDS features should be incorporated into the proposed drainage system for the development such as bio-retention/constructed tree pits, permeable paving, green roofs, filtration planting, filter strip etc. In addition, the applicant should demonstrate how the proposed natural SUDS features will be incorporated and work within the drainage design for the proposed development. Note: If tree pits are proposed, SuDS bioretention Tree pits to be installed in trees within /draining areas of hard standing. Tree Pits to incorporate SuDS bioretention features and sufficient growing medium. SuDS details need to show how the water drains from the road/pavement hard surface into the SUDS tree pit, clearly outlining how SuDS features within the tree pits will function. The applicant is requested to refer to the recently published 'SDCC Sustainable Drainage Explanatory, Design and Evaluation Guide 2022' for acceptable SUDS tree pit details. (E) The applicant is requested to submit a report to show surface water attenuation
- (E) The applicant is requested to submit a report to show surface water attenuation calculations for proposed development. Show on a report and drawing what surface water attenuation capacity each SuDS (Sustainable Drainage System) system has in m3. Show in report what surface water attenuation capacity is required for proposed development. Show what different surface types, areas in m2 are proposed such as, green roofs, permeable paving, buildings, roads and their respective run off coefficients. Submit a drawing showing the treatment train of SuDS and proposed natural flow controls for each SuDS system.

## 5. Green Infrastructure

The applicant is requested to provide additional information as follows and in accordance with the quoted policies and sections of the South Dublin County Development Plan 2022 - 2028:

- (a) To demonstrate how they intend to reduce fragmentation of existing green infrastructure. The applicant should provide a green infrastructure plan showing connections through the site and connections to wider GI network.
- 4. Requirements for Surface Water Drainage, Water Supply and Foul Drainage. In the application for permission consequent of this outline permission the applicant shall submit the following;
  - 1 Water

- 1.1 The applicant is required to submit a drawing and report showing the proposed watermain layout for the development.
- 1.2 Prior to the commencement of development the applicant or developer shall enter into a water connection agreement(s) with Irish Water.

Reason: In the interest of public health and to ensure adequate water facilities.

- 2. Foul
- 2.1 The applicant is required to submit a drawing and report showing the proposed wastewater layout for the development.
- 2.2 Prior to the commencement of development the applicant or developer shall enter into a wastewater connection agreement(s) with Irish Water.

Reason: In the interest of public health and to ensure adequate wastewater facilities. Surface Water

- 1.1 There are no soil percolation test results, design calculations or dimensions submitted for the proposed soakaway. The applicant is required to submit a report showing site specific soil percolation test results and design calculations for the proposed soakaway in accordance with BRE Digest 365 Soakaway Design.
- 1.2 The applicant is required to submit a revised drawing showing plan and cross-sectional views, dimensions, and location of proposed soakaway. Any proposed soakaway shall be located fully within the curtilage of the property and shall be:
- i) At least 5m from any building, public sewer, road boundary or structure.
- ii) Generally, not within 3m of the boundary of the adjoining property.
- iii) Not in such a position that the ground below foundations is likely to be adversely affected.
- iv) 10m from any sewage treatment percolation area and from any watercourse / floodplain.
- v) Soakaways must include an overflow connection to the surface water drainage network.

NOTE: A Roads Opening Licence must be obtained from South Dublin County Council prior to the commencement of any works in the public domain in order to comply with the Roads Act 1993, Section 13, paragraph 10. Under this Act, non-compliance constitutes an offence.

The Developer is advised that under the provisions of the Construction Products Regulation 2013 (No.305/2011-CPR) All products sourced for use in building process must conform with the statutory requirements of the CPR. For more information on these responsibilities see http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/sectors/construction/legislation.

From March 1, 2014 the Building Control (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (SI 80 of 2013) come into effect. All Commencement Notices for works greater than 40sq.m are obliged to be accompanied by a number of certified undertakings as described by these Regulations.

Please note that upon receipt of this document you are obliged to remove the planning site notice in compliance with Article 20 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended.

Please note that any valid submissions or observations received in accordance with the provisions of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended, have been considered in the determination of this application.

Signed on behalf of the South Dublin County Council.

13-Dec-2022

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# **NOTES**

# (A) REFUND OF FEES SUBMITTED WITH A PLANNING APPLICATION

Provision is made for a partial refund of fees in the case of certain repeat applications submitted within a period of twelve months where the full standard fee was paid in respect of the first application and where both applications related to developments of the same character or description and to the same site. An application for a refund must be made in writing to the Planning Authority and received by them within a period of two months beginning on the date of the Planning Authority's decision on the second application. For full details of fees, refunds and exemptions the Planning & Development Regulations. 200 I should be consulted.

# (A) APPEALS

- 1. An appeal against the decision may be made to An Bord Pleanála. The applicant or ANY OTHER PERSON who made submissions or observations to the Local Authority may appeal within FOUR WEEKS beginning on the date of this decision. (N.B. Not the date on which the decision is sent or received).
- 1. Every appeal must be made in writing and must state the subject matter and full grounds of appeal. It must be fully complete from the start. In the case of a third party appeal it must be accompanied by the acknowledgement by the Planning Authority of receipt of the submissions/observations. Appeals should be sent to:
- 2. The Secretary, An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1.
- 3. An Appeal lodged by an applicant/ agent or by a third party with An Bord Pleanála will be invalid unless accompanied by the prescribed fee. A schedule of fees is at 7 below.
- 4. A party to an appeal making a request to An Bord Pleanála for an Oral Hearing of an appeal must, in addition to the prescribed fee, pay to An Bord Pleanála a further fee (see 7 (g) below).
- 5. A person who is not a party to an appeal must pay a fee to An Bord Pleanála when making submissions or observations to An Bord Pleanála in relation to an appeal.
- 6. If the Council makes a decision to grant permission/grant permission consequent on a grant of outline permission and there is no appeal to An Bord Pleanála against this decision, PERMISSIONIPERMISSION CONSEQUENT ON A GRANT OF OUTLINE PERMISSION will be granted by the Council as soon as may be after the expiration of the period for the taking of such an appeal. If any appeal made in accordance with the Acts has been withdrawn, the Council will grant the PERMISSION/PERMISSION CONSEQUENT ON A GRANT OF OUTLINE PERMISSION/RETENTION as soon as may be after the withdrawal.
- 7. Fees payable to An Bord Pleanála from 10th December 2007 are as follows:
- (a) Appeal against a decision of a Planning Authority on a planning application relating to <u>commercial development</u> made by the person by whom the planning application was made. where the application relates to unauthorised development .......€4.500.00 or €9.000 if an E.I.A.R. is involved
- (b) Appeal against a decision of a planning authority on a planning application relating to <u>commercial development</u> made by the person by whom the planning application was made.

  other than an appeal mentioned at (a)...... €1.500.00 or €3,000.00 if an E.I.A.R. is involved

Request from a party for an Oral Hearing ......€50.00

If in doubt regarding any of the above appeal matters, you should contact An Bord Pleanála for clarification at

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