

Board Direction PL08.248682

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 18th October 2017.

The Board decided to grant permission generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations, and subject to the following conditions.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the location of the proposed café use in a retail park area where there is extensive parking already available and to the nature and scale of the development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed single-storey building would not detract from the vitality and viability of Tralee town centre, would not be visually incongruous within the context of the existing pattern of development, would not have an adverse impact on residential amenity, would be acceptable in terms of traffic safety and convenience and would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Having regard to the nature and scale of the development and its location on zoned and serviced land, the Board considered that no Appropriate Assessment issues arise and it is considered that the proposed development would not be likely to have a significant effect individually or in combination with other plans or projects on a European site.

Conditions

1. The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans

and particulars lodged with the application, except as may otherwise be required in

order to comply with the following conditions. Where such conditions require details

to be agreed with the planning authority, the developer shall agree such details in

writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development and the

development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the agreed

particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

2. Water supply and drainage arrangements, including the attenuation and disposal of

surface water, shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such

works and services.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

3. Lighting shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works

and services.

Reason: In the interest of public safety and to ensure a proper standard of

development.

4. The use of the restaurant shall be restricted. Details of opening hours for the use

hereby permitted shall be submitted to the planning authority for written agreement.

Reason: To protect the amenities of the adjoining properties.

 Prior to commencement of development, details of the materials, colours and textures of all external finishes inclusive of fascia treatment and signage shall be submitted to the planning authority for written agreement.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

No additional signs, symbols, nameplates or advertisements shall be erected on the
proposed site without a prior approval of the planning authority whether or not such
development would otherwise constitute exempted development.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

7. Prior to the commencement of any works on site, the applicants shall ascertain and comply with the environmental health requirements of the planning authority.

Reason: In the interests of public health.

8. The developer shall pay to the planning authority a financial contribution in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefiting development in the area of the planning authority that is provided or intended to be provided by or on behalf of the authority in accordance with the terms of the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended. The contribution shall be paid prior to the commencement of development or in such phased payments as the planning authority may facilitate and shall be subject to any applicable indexation provisions of the Scheme at the time of payment. Details of the application of the terms of the Scheme shall be agreed between the planning authority and the developer or, in default of such agreement, the matter shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála to determine the proper application of the terms of the Scheme.

Reason: It is a requirement of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, that a condition requiring a contribution in accordance with the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Act be applied to the permission.

Board Member		Date:	19 th October
-	Maria FitzGerald		