

Board Direction BD-000776-18 ABP-301272-18

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 24/07/2018.

The Board decided to grant permission by a majority of 2 to 1 for the following reasons and considerations, and subject to the following conditions.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the zoning provisions for the site, to the nature and scale of the proposed development and to the existing pattern of development in the vicinity, that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not be out of character with development in the area, would be in keeping with the existing house on site and would not seriously injure the residential or visual amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

In deciding not to accept the Inspector's recommendation to refuse permission, the Board had regard to the planning history of the site, and did not consider that the proposed development was overbearing and out of character with established developments in the area or that it would be seriously injurious to the visual and residential amenities in the area.

1.0 Conditions

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. The proposed development shall be modified as follows:
 - The window on the east elevation of the first floor master bedroom shall be omitted.

Reason: In the interests of residential amenity.

3. The external finishes of the proposed extensions including roof tiles/slates shall harmonise with those of the existing dwelling in respect of colour and texture.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

4. Water supply and drainage arrangements, including the 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 and to ensure a proper standard of development.

5. Site development and building works shall be carried out between the hours of 0800 to 1800 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400

hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays or public holidays. Deviation from these times shall only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written approval has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: In order to safeguard the residential amenities of property in the vicinity.

6. 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 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:	24/07/2018
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