

## Board Direction BD-005270-20 ABP-304979-19

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 26/02/2020.

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 provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County

Development Plan 2016–2022, and in particular the objectives of this plan that seek
to promote infill residential development and increased residential densities, and
having regard to the pattern of existing development in the area and the design,
scale and layout of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to
compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not
seriously injure the residential or visual amenities of the area and would be
acceptable in terms of pedestrian and traffic safety. The proposed development
would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable
development of the area.

**Conditions** 

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

and particulars lodged with the application, as revised by the further plans and

particulars submitted to the Planning Authority on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 2019 and to An

Bord Pleanála on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2019, 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.

(a) Standard IW

(b) 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. Details of materials, colours and textures of all the external finishes shall be

submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to

commencement of development.

**Reason:** In the interest of visual amenity.

4. No additional development shall take place above roof parapet level, including lift

motor enclosures, air handling equipment, storage tanks, ducts or other external

plant, telecommunication aerials, antennas or equipment, unless authorised by a further grant of planning permission.

**Reason:** To protect the residential amenity of property in the vicinity and the visual amenity of the area.

- 5. (a) The site access arrangements and the internal road network serving the proposed development, including parking areas, footpaths and kerbs, and the basement car park, shall be in accordance with the detailed requirements of the planning authority for such works.
- **(b)** All of the communal parking areas serving the residential units shall be provided with functional electric vehicle charging points. Details of how it is proposed to comply with these requirements shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

**Reason:** In the interest of orderly development and sustainable transport.

6. Details of all boundary treatment shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development (including any demolition works) on the site.

**Reason:** In the interests of visual and residential amenity.

7. Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall appoint and retain the services of a qualified Landscape Architect (or qualified Landscape Designer) as a Landscape Consultant, throughout the life of the construction works and shall notify the planning authority of that appointment in writing prior to commencement. A Practical Completion Certificate shall be signed off by the Landscape Architect when

all landscape works are fully completed to the satisfaction of the planning authority and in accordance with the permitted landscape proposals.

**Reason:** To ensure full and verifiable implementation of the approved landscape design.

8. All service cables associated with the proposed development (such as electrical, telecommunications and communal television) shall be located underground. Ducting shall be provided by the developer to facilitate the provision of broadband infrastructure within the proposed development. All existing over ground cables crossing or bounding the site shall be relocated underground as part of the site development works, at the developer's expense.

Reason: In the interests of visual and residential amenity.

9. Proposals for a development name and apartment numbering scheme and associated signage shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. Thereafter, all development signs and numbers, shall be provided in accordance with the agreed scheme. The proposed name shall be based on local historical or topographical features, or other alternatives acceptable to the planning authority. No advertisements/marketing signage relating to the name of the development shall be erected until the developer has obtained the planning authority's written agreement to the proposed name.

**Reason:** In the interests of urban legibility, and to ensure the use of locally appropriate place names for new residential areas.

10. Site development and building works shall be carried only out between the hours of 08.00 to 19.00 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 08.00 to 14.00 hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from these times

will 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.

11. The mitigation measures outlined in the Bat Assessment 2019, submitted to An Bord Pleanála on 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2019, shall be carried out in full except where otherwise required by conditions attached to this permission.

**Reason:** In the interest of protecting the bat population.

12. The construction of the development shall be managed in accordance with a Construction Management Plan, which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. This plan shall provide details of intended construction practice for the development, noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

**Reason:** In the interests of public safety and residential amenity.

## 13. Urban Manage 1

14. A plan containing details for the management of waste within the development, including the provision of facilities for the storage, separation and collection of the waste and, in particular, recyclable materials and for the ongoing operation of these facilities shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. Thereafter, the waste shall be managed in accordance with the agreed plan.

**Reason:** In the interests of residential amenity and proper waste management.

15. Public lighting shall be provided in accordance with a scheme, details of which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development and shall include details of any relocation of existing

street lighting. Such lighting shall be provided prior to the making available for occupation of any unit.

**Reason:** In the interests of residential amenity and public safety.

16. Prior to commencement of development, the applicant or other person with an interest in the land to which the application relates shall enter into an agreement in writing with the planning authority in relation to the provision of housing in accordance with the requirements of section 96(4) and 96(2) and 3 (Part V) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, unless an exemption certificate shall have been applied for and been granted under section 97 of the Act, as amended. Where such an agreement is not reached within eight weeks from the date of this order, the matter in dispute (other than a matter to which section 97(7) applies) may be referred by the planning authority or any other prospective party to the agreement to An Bord Pleanála for determination.

**Reason:** To comply with the requirements of Part V of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, and of the housing strategy in the development plan for the area.

17. Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall lodge with the planning authority a cash deposit, a bond of an insurance company, or other security to secure the provision and satisfactory completion of roads, footpaths, watermains, drains, open space and other services required in connection with the development, coupled with an agreement empowering the local authority to apply such security or part thereof to the satisfactory completion of any part of the development. The form and amount of the security shall be as agreed between the planning authority and the developer or, in default of agreement, shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála for determination.

**Reason:** To ensure the satisfactory completion of the development.

18. 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.

<b>Board Member</b>		Date:	02/03/2020
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