

Board Direction BD-008773-21 ABP-309567-21

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 22/07/2021.

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 'Residential 1' zoning which applies to the site under the Dundalk & Environs Development Plan 2009-2015, under which residential development is permissible, together with the nature and scale of the proposed development and the pattern of development in the vicinity, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions below, the proposed development would represent an appropriate form of development, which would not be seriously injurious to the amenities of residential property in the area. The proposed development would therefore be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application on 13th October 2020, as amended by further information submitted on 11th January 2021, 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.

Water supply and drainage arrangements, which shall incorporate SUDS measures, shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services, details of which shall be agreed in writing prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

- a) Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall enter into water and wastewater connection agreements with Irish Water.
 - b) Any proposal to build over or divert existing water or wastewater services shall be submitted to Irish Water for written approval prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

Details regarding landscaping and boundary treatments for the site, which shall include privacy protection measures, shall be agreed with the Planning Authority prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity.

5. The proposed access to the site shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority, details of which shall be agreed in writing prior to the commencement of development.

Reason: In the interests of road and traffic safety.

6. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 to 1900 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400 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.

7. 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: 22/07/2021

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