

Board Direction BD-009368-21 ABP-311004-21

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 05/11/2021.

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 following:

- The Telecommunications Antennae and Support Structures Guidelines for Planning Authorities, issued by the Department of Environment and Local Government in 1996,
- The Telecommunications Antennae and Support Structures and Department and Environment, Community and Local Government Circular Letter PL07/12,
- The Leitrim County Development Plan 2015-2021 and Carrick-on-Shannon Local Area Plan 2010-2019,
- The nature and scale and location of the proposed extension to the existing telecommunication lattice tower mast,

The Board considered that the proposed development, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, would not seriously injure the visual amenities of the area, would not adversely impact on nearby Protected Structures or the Carrick-on-Shannon Architectural Conservation Area, and would otherwise be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

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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. The antennae type and mounting configuration shall be in accordance with the

details submitted with this application, and notwithstanding the provisions of the

Planning and Development Regulations 2001, and any statutory provision amending

or replacing them, shall not be altered without a prior grant of planning permission.

Reason: To clarify the nature and extent of the permitted development to which this

permission relates and to facilitate a full assessment of any future alterations.

The proposed mast and all associated antennas, equipment and fencing shall

be demolished and removed from site when it is no longer required. The site shall be

reinstated to its predevelopment condition at the expense of the developer.

Reason: In the interest of orderly development.

Details of the proposed colour scheme for the telecommunications structure

extension and ancillary structures shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the

planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of the visual amenities of the area.

5. Site development and building works shall be carried out between the hours of 0700 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. No advertisement or advertisement structure shall be erected or displayed on the proposed structure or its appendages or within the curtilage of the site without a prior grant of planning permission.

Reason: In the interest of the visual amenities of the area.

Board Member
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