

**Board Direction BD-012468-23 ABP-313115-22** 

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 15/06/2023.

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

## Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the provisions of Waterford City and County Development Plan 2022-2028, in particular Policy DM32, the location of the development proposed to be retained relative to the neighbouring dwelling, and having regard to the appearance of the structure and its unfinished form, it is considered that the development proposed to be retained would result in a discordant feature in the rural environment, would seriously injure the visual and residential amenities of property in the vicinity and would, therefore, be contrary to the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Board Member Mary Creege

Date: 15/06/2023

