

Board Direction BD-016632-24 ABP-318762-23

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a Board meeting held on 18/06/2024.

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

The application site is zoned with the objective "to provide residential development and improve residential amenity while protecting existing residential amenities" in the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2022-2028. Having regard to the modest scale of the proposed house, its location in a built up area where public services and community facilities already exist and subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, it is considered that the proposed development would not seriously injure the visual amenity of the area or the residential amenity of property in the vicinity and would, therefore, be in accordance with the provisions of the County Development Plan and 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 amended by the further plans and particulars submitted on the 7th day of November 2023, except as

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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.

The first-floor windows on the east and west elevations shall be glazed with obscure glass.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity.

3. The developer shall enter into water and wastewater connection agreements with Uisce Éireann.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

 Surface water drainage arrangements shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such services and works.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

 Details of the external finishes of the proposed development shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

6. The hedgerows along the eastern boundary with 54 Dale Road shall be retained and be protected from damage during construction works.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

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 the 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 Farron James Kelly Date: 18/06/2024

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