

Direction CD-020076-25 ABP-322146-25

The submissions on this file and the Inspector's report were considered at a meeting held on 26/06/2025.

The Commission decided to grant permission generally in accordance with the Inspector's recommendation, for the following reasons and considerations, and subject to the following conditions.

Planning			
Commissioner:	May Junie	Date:	02/07/2025
	Mary Gurrie		

DRAFT WORDING FOR ORDER

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the information submitted with the application and the nature and scale of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would comply with the zoning objective for the site and the relevant policies as set out in the Galway County Development Plan 2022-2028 and the Loughrea Local Area Plan 2024-2030 and would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenities of the area. The

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proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

The development shall be carried out in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application on the 15th day of January 2025, 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 dwelling house shall be used as a single residential unit only and shall not be sub-divided or used for any commercial purposes, and shall not be sold, let (including short-term letting), leased or otherwise transferred or conveyed, by way of sale, letting or otherwise save as a single residential dwelling unit.

Reason: In the interest of clarity and proper planning.

Details of the materials, colours and textures of all the external finishes to the 3. proposed building shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity and to ensure an appropriate high standard of development.

- 4. The attenuation and disposal of surface water shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services. **Reason:** To prevent flooding and in the interests of sustainable drainage.
- Site development and building works shall be carried out between the hours of 5. 0700 to 1900 hours Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400 hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from

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these times shall only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written agreement has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: To safeguard the amenity of property in the vicinity.

6. 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.

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.

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