

Board Order PL 06D.248790

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2017 Planning Authority: Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council Planning Register Reference Number: D17A/0346

Appeal by Frances Keely and Donal O'Raghallaigh care of BPS of 23 Saval Park Road, Dalkey, County Dublin against the decision made on the 7th day of June, 2017 by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council to refuse permission for the proposed development.

Proposed Development: Construction of a single storey extension including replacing the entire single storey roof to the rear, a single storey extension at first floor level to the side, alterations to the converted attic including raising part of the ridge line, rebuilding and extending part of the roof to the rear, including rooflights, adding a dormer window and a rooflight to the front and widening the vehicular entrance onto Mapas Road, all at 6 Mapas Road, Dalkey, County Dublin.

Decision

GRANT permission for the above proposed development in accordance with the said plans and particulars based on the reasons and considerations under and subject to the conditions set out below.

Matters Considered

In making its decision, the Board had regard to those matters to which, by virtue of the Planning and Development Acts and Regulations made thereunder, it was required to have regard. Such matters included any submissions and observations received by it in accordance with statutory provisions.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2016-2022, the innovative design approach, the scale of the proposed development and the palette of materials used, the Board considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenities of the adjacent properties and would be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

In deciding not to accept the Inspector's recommendation, the Board noted the Inspectors concerns, however, it considered that, subject to the omission of the attic and dormer window elements of the extension, the proposed development would represent an appropriate level of development in this instance.

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.

 The proposed attic level conversion and dormer window shall be omitted. Revised drawings showing compliance with this condition shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

 Water supply and drainage arrangements, including the attenuation and disposal of surface water, shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

4. 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 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.

Member of An Bord Pleanála duly authorised to authenticate the seal of the Board.

Dated this day of 2017