

Board Order ABP-301894-18

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2018 Planning Authority: Galway City Council Planning Register Reference Number: 18/106.

**Appeal** by Terry and Ela Lydon care of Planning Workshop of Studio 204, Business Innovation Centre, NUI Galway against the decision made on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018 by Galway City Council to refuse a permission for the proposed development.

**Proposed Development:** Erection of a single-storey carport structure to front and side of existing dwellinghouse at 53 Hazelwood Grove, Taylor's Hill, Galway.

## 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**

It is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed construction of a carport in the front of the dwellinghouse, would not seriously injure the residential or visual amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity and would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

## Conditions

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

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

3. Water supply and drainage arrangements, including the 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. This permission shall be for a period of 10 years from the date of this Order. The carport shall then be removed unless prior to the end of this period permission for its retention shall have been obtained.

**Reason:** To allow for review of the development having regard to the circumstances then pertaining and in the interest of visual amenity.

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

Dated this day of 2018.