

Board Order ABP-303458-19

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2018

Planning Authority: Cork County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: 18/06003

Appeal by Siobhan and Brian Fox of "Cherry Lodge", Hillsboro, Model Farm Road, Cork and by Fiona and John Kenefick of Rose Hill Cottage, Model Farm Road, Cork against the decision made on the 13th day of December, 2018 by Cork County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Mary Delaney care of McCutcheon Halley of 6 Joyce House, Barrack Square, Ballincollig, County Cork in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council.

Proposed Development: Demolition of an existing dwelling and sub-division of an existing residential site, to provide for the construction of two number new dwelling houses and all associated ancillary development works including landscaping, boundary treatments, drainage, parking and vehicular access at Hillsborough and Model Farm Road, Carrigrohane, County Cork.

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 Ballincollig Carrigaline Municipal District Local Area Plan 2017 and the Quality Housing for Sustainable Communities Best Practice Guidelines, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would be appropriate from land use and density perspectives, would not seriously injure the visual and residential amenities of the area, would be acceptable in terms of traffic safety and convenience and would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

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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 27th day of November 2018, 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 front boundary wall to Model Farm Road and Hillsborough shall be composed of natural stone.

Revised drawings showing compliance with these requirements shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: To ensure that turning manoeuvres can occur on site and in the interest of visual amenity.

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

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

4. 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.

5. Footpaths shall be dished at the entrance to driveways in accordance with the requirements of the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of pedestrian safety.

6. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0800 to 1900 Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 to 1400 hours on Saturdays and not at all on Sundays and public holidays. Deviation from these times will only be allowed in exceptional circumstances where prior written approval has been received from the planning authority.

Reason: In order to safeguard the residential amenities of property in the vicinity.

7. The construction of the development shall be managed in accordance with a Construction Management Plan, which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. This plan shall provide details of intended construction practice for the development, including noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

Reason: In the interests of public safety and residential amenity.

- 8. The site shall be landscaped in accordance with a comprehensive scheme of landscaping, details of which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. This scheme shall include the following:
 - (a) A plan to scale of not less than 1:500 showing:-
 - (i) existing trees and shrubs specifying which are proposed for retention as features of the site landscaping,

- (ii) the measures to be put in place for the protection of these landscape features during the construction period,
- (iii) the species, variety, number, size and locations of all proposed trees and shrubs,
- (iv) hard landscaping works, specifying surfacing materials, and
- (v) subject to condition number 2(b) below, the boundary treatments shown on drawing number 18082/P/003A revision P2 submitted to the planning authority on 27th day of November, 2018.
- (b) A timescale for implementation.

All planting shall be adequately protected from damage until established. Any plants which die, are removed or become seriously damaged or diseased, within a period of five years from the completion of the development, shall be replaced within the next planting season with others of similar size and species, unless otherwise agreed in writing with the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of residential and visual amenity.

9. Development described in Class 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 2 to the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, or any statutory provision modifying or replacing them, shall not be carried out within the curtilage of any of the proposed dwelling houses without a prior grant of planning permission.

Reason: In order to afford the planning authority control over such development, in the interest of residential amenity.

10. 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 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.

Michelle Fagan

Member of An Bord Pleanála

duly authorised to authenticate
the seal of the Board.

Dated this day of 2019.

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