

Board Order ABP-303469-19

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2018

Planning Authority: Cork County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: 17/07429

Appeal by Imelda O'Riordan, E. Carl and James A. Cogan care of McCutcheon Halley of 6 Joyce House, Barrack Square, Ballincollig, County Cork against the decision made on the 10th day of December, 2018 by Cork County Council to refuse permission for the proposed development.

Proposed Development: (1) Demolition of existing dwelling, associated garage and front boundary wall; (2) the construction of eight number residential dwellings; and (3) all associated ancillary development works including landscaping, boundary treatments, drainage, lighting, solar panels, parking and vehicular access at Beauvoir, Cork Road, Carrigaline West, Carrigaline, County Cork as amended by the revised public notices received by the planning authority on the 14th day of November, 2018.

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 location of the site within the 'Existing Built up Area' of Carrigaline,
- the provisions of the Cork County Development Plan 2014 and the Project Ireland 2040 National Planning Framework, issued by the Department of Housing, Planning and Local Government in February, 2018,
- the existing pattern of development in the area, 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 be acceptable and would not seriously injure the amenities of the area. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

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Conditions

The development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application as shown on drawing number 16197/P/003, 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 windows on the first floor side (north) elevation of house number eight shall be permanently obscured with opaque glazing.

Reason: In the interest of privacy.

3. The landscape scheme shown on drawings entitled 'Landscape Plan' prepared by Ilsa Rugers Architect and received by An Bord Pleanála on the 15th day of January, 2019 shall be carried out within the first planting season following substantial completion of external construction works. In addition, details of the retaining wall and the proposed hedge along the southern and western boundaries shall be agreed in writing with the planning authority prior to commencement of development. All planting shall be adequately protected from damage until established. Any plants which die, are removed or become seriously damaged or diseased, until the development is taken in charge by the local authority, shall be replaced within the next planting season with others of similar size and species, unless otherwise agreed in writing with the planning authority.

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Reason: In the interest of residential and visual amenity.

4. Prior to commencement of development final details of the location and facilities to be provided in the neighbourhood play area shall be submitted to and agreed in writing with the planning authority.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity.

5. Proposals for a house numbering scheme and associated signage shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. Thereafter, all estate and street signs and house numbers, shall be provided in accordance with the agreed scheme.

Reason: In the interest of urban legibility.

6. 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 traffic management, noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

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

7. The internal road network serving the proposed development, including turning bays, junctions, parking areas, footpaths and kerbs shall

comply with the detailed standards of the planning authority for such roads works.

Reason: In the interest of amenity and of traffic and pedestrian safety.

8. Public lighting shall be provided in accordance with a scheme, details of which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interests of amenity and public safety.

9. All service cables associated with the proposed development (such as electrical, telecommunications and communal television) shall be located underground. Ducting shall be provided by the developer to facilitate the provision of broadband infrastructure within the proposed development.

Reason: In the interests of visual and residential amenity.

10. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 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.

11. Water supply arrangements shall comply with the requirements of Irish Water and the planning authority for such works and services as appropriate.

Reason: In the interest of public health and to ensure a proper standard of development.

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

Reason: In the interest of public health.

13. Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall lodge with the planning authority a cash deposit, a bond of an insurance company, or other security to secure the provision and satisfactory completion and maintenance until taken in charge by the local authority of roads, footpaths, watermains, drains, public open space and other services required in connection with the development, coupled with an agreement empowering the local authority to apply such security or part thereof to the satisfactory completion or maintenance of any part of the development. The form and amount of the security shall be as agreed between the planning authority and the developer or, in default of agreement, shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála for determination.

Reason: To ensure the satisfactory completion and maintenance of the development until taken in charge.

14. 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.

Terry Ó Niadh Member of An Bord Pleanála

duly authorised to authenticate the seal of the Board.

Dated this day of 2019.

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