

Board Order ABP-304234-19

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2019 Planning Authority: Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council Planning Register Reference Number: D18A/1108

Appeal by Ronbow Management CLG care of Feargal Kenny of 45 Hainault Drive, Foxrock, County Dublin against the decision made on the 22nd day of March, 2019 by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Maebh Gallagher care of Donnchadha Gallagher of 1 Bromfield Street, Islington, London, England in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council:

Proposed Development: 1. Demolition of existing garden store, and 2. construction of two number two-storey mews dwellings with internal car parking spaces and respective vehicular access to Castlepark Road and Elton Court with associated site works to the rear of Glencormac, 1 Elton Park, Sandycove, County Dublin (A Protected Structure).

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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 nature and scale of the proposed development, the pattern of development in the vicinity, the existing development on site and the policies of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2016 - 2022, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not seriously injure the amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity and would not detract from the character or setting of the adjacent Protected Structure. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

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 28th day of February, 2019, 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 mews dwellings shall be used as single dwelling units only.

Reason: To ensure that the proposed development will not be out of character with the existing residential development in the area.

3. Development described in Classes 1 or 3 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 dwellinghouses without a prior grant of planning permission. In addition, the integrated garages shall not be converted into habitable accommodation.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity and in order to ensure that a reasonable amount of private open space is provided for the benefit of the occupants of the proposed dwellings.

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.

 The developer shall enter into a water and/or wastewater connection agreement(s) with Irish Water prior to commencement of this development.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

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 naming and numbering of the proposed dwelling units shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of orderly street numbering.

9. 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.

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

Dated this day of 2019.