



Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2019

Planning Authority: Limerick City and County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: 18/1199

Appeal by Tom and Karen Butler care of Adam Kearney Associates of Mill Road, Corbally, Limerick against the decision made on the 4th day of April, 2019 by Limerick City and County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Ann Grennan and Ian Reidy care of Noel Kerley Architects of 6 The Crescent, Limerick in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council.

Proposed Development: Construction of a two-storey extension to the side of the dwelling, widening of the entrance piers and increased car-parking space to the front and all ancillary site works at 68 The Fairways, Monaleen Road, Limerick.

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 residential land use zoning for the area, the pattern of development in the area and the scale, nature and design of the proposed extension, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would be acceptable in terms of scale, design and use, and would not seriously injure the amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity. 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 25th day of March, 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 existing dwelling and proposed extension shall be jointly occupied as a single residential unit and the extension shall not be sold, let or otherwise transferred or conveyed, save as part of the dwelling.

Reason: To restrict the use of the extension in the interest of residential amenity.

3. The external finishes of the proposed extension shall match those of the existing dwelling in respect of colour and texture.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

4. The two proposed side bay windows facing the property along the north-east boundary, and the side gable bathroom window, shall be glazed with obscure glass.

Reason: To prevent overlooking of the adjoining residential property.

5. No chimney or flue linked to a solid fuel burning appliance shall be constructed on the proposed extension.

Reason: In order to avoid any potential adverse impact from smoke/fumes, at the boundary with adjoining property.

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. 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.

8. 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 the 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.

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

Dated this day of 2019.