

Board Order ABP-304900-19

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2019 Planning Authority: Dun Laoghaire Rathdown County Council Planning Register Reference Number: D19B/0226

**Appeal** by Pat and Deirdre Coakley care of Paul C. Mealy Architects Limited of 11 The Courtyard, Friar's Hill, Wicklow, County Wicklow against the decision made on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2019 by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Melissa and Trevor Hall care of Brendan Balfe Architects of 3 Nugent Road, Churchtown, Dublin in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council:

**Proposed Development:** Permission for a domestic extension and alterations to existing detached dwelling comprised of single storey extensions/modifications to bays to front and new roof canopy, modification of existing garage to side, including new roof and single storey extension to side and rear to link existing garage to house, single storey extensions to rear and side, two-storey extension to rear, elevation changes, modifications to existing house and all ancillary works, all at 26 Glenageary Woods, Glenageary, County Dublin.

## 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 provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2016-2022, to the pattern of development in the area and to its nature scale and layout, the Board considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not injure the visual amenities or character of the area or of the residential amenities of adjoining properties and would constitute an acceptable extension to the existing dwelling. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

In deciding not to accept the Inspector's recommendation to refuse permission, the Board was satisfied that the design of the proposed extension would not be visually incongruous and overbearing and would not have a negative impact on the scale and character of the existing dwelling, the character of the streetscape or the amenities of the area.

## Conditions

1. 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.

 The external finishes of the proposed extension (including roof tiles/slates) shall be the same as those of the existing dwelling in respect of colour and texture.

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. 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 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.

Paul Hyde Member of An Bord Pleanála duly authorised to authenticate the seal of the Board.

Dated this day of 2019.