

Board Order ABP-312625-22

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2021

Planning Authority: South Dublin County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: SD21A/0106

Appeal by Louise Browne of 146A Monalea Grove, Firhouse, Dublin against the decision made on the 12th day of January, 2022 by South Dublin County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Peter and Barbara Thornberry care of Darren McGill of 28-30 Rathmines Park, Rathmines, Dublin in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council:

Proposed Development: Demolition of existing childcare facility and the construction of two number semi-detached, three bed residential units and the reinstatement of existing unit from childcare building back to former three bed residential unit, car parking, landscaping and all associated site works at 147 Monalea Grove, 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.



Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the provisions of the South Dublin County Development Plan 2016 – 2022, and the zoning of the site for residential purposes, to the location of the site in an established urban area within walking distance of public transport and to the nature, form, scale and design of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development, providing for a new house and the reinstatement of an existing unit, would not seriously injure the residential or visual amenities of the area. 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 6th day of December, 2021, 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 proposed development shall be amended as follows:
 - (a) The proposed development provides for the reinstatement of number 147 as a single residential unit and the provision of a new house, number 147A, to the side/east of 147 Monalea Grove.
 - (b) Bedrooms 3 and 4 of the proposed houses, number 147A at first floor level shall be fitted with windows in the eastern elevation, addressing the Ballycullen Road.

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: In the interests of clarity and residential amenity.

Details of the materials, colours and textures of all the external finishes
to the proposed dwellinghouses 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. The proposed development shall be amended as follows:
 - (a) A soak pit shall be provided in the rear garden of the new house– number 147A Monalea Grove.
 - (b) All paving shall be permeable and shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority in relation to surface water drainage.
 - (c) A suitable SuDS proposal shall be agreed with the planning authority and shall include water butts.
 - (d) A greater area of soft landscaping, such as grass and/or planting shall be provided to the front of the proposed new house. The boundary wall with the triangular area of public landscaping shall be replaced with a wooden fence that allows for surface water drainage between the site and this landscaping area.

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

Reason: In the interests of residential amenity and clarity.

 Water supply and drainage arrangements, including 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.

6. Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall enter into water and/or wastewater connection agreement(s) with Irish Water.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

7. 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.

8. 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 hours of working, noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

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

9. Construction and demolition waste shall be managed in accordance with a construction waste and demolition management plan, which shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development. This plan shall be prepared in accordance with the "Best Practice Guidelines on the Preparation of Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects", published by the Department of the Environment, Heritage and Local Government in July 2006. The plan shall include details of waste to be generated during site clearance and construction phases, and details of the methods and locations to be employed for the prevention, minimisation, recovery and disposal of this material in accordance with the provision of the Waste Management Plan for the Region in which the site is situated.

Reason: In the interest of sustainable waste management.

10. 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.



11. 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 15th day of June.