

## Board Order ABP-313204-22

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022

Planning Authority: Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: D21A/0658

**Appeal** by Richard and Tara Cooke of Lynmere, 88 Carysfort Avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin against the decision made on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2022 by Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Council to grant subject to conditions a permission to Lizheng Wang and Xiduo Cao care of McAuley Rice Architects of 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Green Tree House, Fitzwilliam Square, Wicklow Town, County Wicklow in accordance with plans and particulars lodged with the said Council.

**Proposed Development:** Full planning permission for the demolition and removal of an existing commercial property formerly known as Carysfort Glass and Glazing and the construction of a proposed new dwelling which will include a new two-storey infill front section with single storey sections to rear, a new courtyard, new boundary walls, on-site parking and connection to all services as well as all associated site works at 86 Carysfort Avenue, Blackrock, County Dublin as revised by the further public notices were received by the planning authority on the 17th day of February, 2022.

## 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.

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## Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the provisions of the Dún Laoghaire-Rathdown County Development Plan 2022-2028, to the 'A' zoning objective for the site, as set out in the Plan, which seeks "to provide residential development and improve residential amenity while protecting the existing residential amenities", to the existing pattern of development and to the nature, scale and design of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would not adversely affect the architectural heritage of the structure, site and streetscape, would not seriously injure the visual amenities of the area or the residential amenities of property in the vicinity and would be acceptable in terms of pedestrian and traffic safety. The proposed development would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

## Conditions

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 to the planning authority on the 8th day of December, 2021 and the 17th day of February 2022, 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.

 Notwithstanding the exempted development provisions of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001, and any statutory provision replacing or amending them, no development falling within Class 1 or Class 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 2 to those Regulations shall take place within the curtilage (front and rear garden areas) of the proposed dwelling without a prior grant of planning permission.

Reason: In the interest of the amenities of the area.

Details of the materials, colours, and textures of all the external finishes to the
proposed development, including boundaries, shall be submitted to, and agreed
in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of visual amenity.

 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 interests of public health and surface water management.

 The developer shall enter into water and/or wastewater connection agreement(s) with Uisce Eireann, prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interests of public health and orderly development.

6. 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. All existing over ground cables shall be relocated underground as part of the site development works.

Reason: In the interests of visual and residential amenity.

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 or public holidays. Deviation from these times shall 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. Prior to the commencement of development, the developer or any agent acting on its behalf, shall prepare a Resource Waste Management Plan (RWMP) as set out in the EPA's Best Practice Guidelines for the Preparation of Resource and Waste Management Plans for Construction and Demolition Projects (2021) including demonstration of proposals to adhere to best practice and protocols. The RWMP shall include specific proposals as to how the RWMP will be measured and monitored for effectiveness; these details shall be placed on the file and retained as part of the public record. The RWMP must be submitted to the planning authority for written agreement prior to the commencement of development. All records (including for waste and all resources) pursuant to the agreed RWMP shall be made available for inspection at the site office at all times.

Reason: In the interest of sustainable waste management.

9. The proposed 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, inter alia, applicable provisions of the Structural Report submitted as further information to the planning authority on the 8th day of December 2021, details and location of site offices, staff facilities, site compounds, on-site parking facilities, intended construction practice for the development including noise and dust management measures, a traffic management plan with details on access arrangements, storage locations (for plant, machinery, materials), timing and routing details for deliveries and disposal trips, measures to prevent the spillage or deposit of clay, rubble or other debris on the public road network, and directional signage, an invasive species management plan, and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste and/or by-products.

Reason: In the interests of amenity and public safety.

10. 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.

Patricia Calleary

Member of An Bord Pleanála duly authorised to authenticate

the seal of the Board.

Dated this O3 day of August 2023