

Board Order ABP-317389-23

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022

Planning Authority: Cork County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: 22/05774

Appeal by Frank and Nicola Murphy care of Dennehy Architects of 7
Rockgrove Industrial Estate, Little Island, County Cork against the decision made on the 24th day of May, 2023 by Cork County Council in relation to the application by Frank and Nicola Murphy for permission for development comprising the construction of extensions to front and rear of existing dwelling house, alterations to existing elevations and construction of a new patio area, all at 2 Emerald Hill, Knocknagore, Crosshaven, County Cork in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the said Council (which decision was to grant subject to conditions a permission for the construction of extension to front of existing dwelling house and alterations to existing elevations and to refuse permission for the construction of extension to the rear of existing dwellinghouse and the construction of a new patio area.

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 Cork County Development Plan 2022 -

2028, to the residential use on site, to the nature of the proposed

development, to the planning history of the site and to the pattern of

development in the area, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the

conditions set out below, the proposed development would not seriously injure

the residential or visual amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity and

would constitute an acceptable form of development at this location. 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 27th day of April, 2023,

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 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 all intended construction practice for the development, including measures for protection of existing development and boundary walls, construction traffic routing and management, construction parking, materials storage, site compound, noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

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

3. Site development and building works shall be carried only out between the hours of 0700 and 1800 from Mondays to Fridays inclusive, between 0800 and 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.

4. Details of the materials, colours and textures of all the external finishes to the proposed development, 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 interest of public health.

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

Reason: In the interest of public health.

7. 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.

Tom Rabbette

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

Dated this day of 2023.