

Board Order ABP-318336-23

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022

Planning Authority: Wicklow County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: 23/113

Appeal by Marcus and Pam Magnier care of MacCabe Durney Barnes of 20 Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin against the decision made on the 29th day of September, 2023 by Wicklow County Council to refuse permission.

Proposed Development: Construction of a dwelling and all associated site works, all at 15 Eagle Valley, Enniskerry, County Wicklow.

Decision

GRANT permission for the above proposed development based on the reasons and considerations under and subject to the conditions set out below.

Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the information submitted with the planning application and the appeal and to the nature and scale of the proposed development, it is considered that, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, the proposed development would be in accordance with CPO 6.21 and Appendix 1, Section 3.1.5 of the Wicklow County Development Plan 2022 - 2028, with the zoning objective for the site and with the policies with respect to residential development, would not seriously injure the visual or residential amenities of the area and would, therefore, be in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

Conditions

1. The proposed development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the plans and particulars lodged with the application, as amended by further plans and particulars received by the planning authority on the 28th day of February, 2023 and on the 27th day of July, 2023 and by the further plans and particulars received by An Bord Pleanála on the 26th day of October, 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 proposed development shall be carried out and completed in accordance with the agreed particulars.

Reason: In the interest of clarity.

2. Details, including samples, 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.

3. Water supply and 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 and surface water management.

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

Reason: In the interest of public health.

5. Boundary details to the rear, front and side boundaries shall be submitted to, and agreed in writing with, the planning authority prior to commencement of development.

Reason: In the interest of proper planning and orderly development.

All service cables associated with the proposed development (such as 6. electrical, telecommunications and communal television) shall be located underground.

Reason: In the interests of visual and residential amenity.

 The developer shall ensure that the site is appropriately maintained and that the public road remains free of any dirt and debris during the construction phase of development.

Reason: In the interests of proper planning and orderly development.

8. The construction of 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 details of all intended construction practice for the proposed development, including noise management measures and off-site disposal of construction/demolition waste.

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

9. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 to 1900 from Mondays to Fridays, inclusive, between 0800 and 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 amenities of property in the vicinity.

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.

Mick Long

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

Dated this 28 day of June

2024.