

Board Order ABP-318427-23

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022

Planning Authority: Fingal County Council

Planning Register Reference Number: F23A/0505.

Appeal by Niall Barry care of Hughes Planning and Development Consultants of 85 Merrion Square, Dublin against the decision made on the 18th day of October, 2023 by Fingal County Council to refuse permission for the proposed development.

Proposed Development: Alterations to the development previously approved under planning authority register reference F22A/0246 (ABP-314182-22) which provided for the construction of a single storey one bedroom dwelling. The alterations will comprise of (i) provision of a recessed first floor level; (ii) provision of two number rooflights (one number atop ground floor and one number atop first floor level); (iii) provision of new door to link carport area to rear garden and bin store location, and (iv) all associated site works including landscaping, boundary works and SuDs drainage necessary to facilitate the development. The proposed alterations will allow for the provision of a part-single, part two-storey two-bedroom dwelling at the rear of number 1 Seabury Lawns, Malahide, County Dublin.

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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 Fingal Development Plan 2023-2029, including the RS zoning objective for the site, the specific characteristics of the site and the pattern of development in the surrounding 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, would not be prejudicial to public health, would not represent a traffic hazard, would be in accordance with Objectives DMSO31 and Objective SPQHO42 of the Fingal Development Plan 2023-2029, 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 proposed development shall comply with the plans and particulars received by the planning authority 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. In default of agreement the matter(s) in dispute shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála for determination.

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Reason: In the interest of clarity.

 Prior to commencement of development, the developer shall enter into a water and wastewater connection agreement with Uisce Éireann.

Reason: In the interest of public health.

 Drainage arrangements, including the disposal of surface water, shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority for such works and services.

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4. The design and layout of the proposed vehicular entrance shall comply with the requirements of the planning authority. In default of agreement the matter(s) in dispute shall be referred to An Bord Pleanála for determination.

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

5. Development described in Classes 1 or 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 2 to the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended), or any statutory provision modifying or replacing them, shall not be carried out within the curtilage of the proposed dwelling without a prior grant of planning permission.

Reason: In the interest of residential amenity.

6. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0800 to 1900 Mondays to Fridays, inclusive, between 0900 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 amenities of property in the vicinity.

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 the 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 the Board to determine the proper application of the terms of the Scheme.

Reason: It is a requirement of the Planning and Development Act 2000 that a condition requiring a contribution in accordance with the Development Contribution Scheme made under section 48 of the Act be

Joe Boland

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

Dated this 26 day of June

2024

applied to the permission.