

Board Order ABP-321728-25

Planning and Development Acts 2000 to 2022 Planning Authority: Dublin City Council Planning Register Reference Number: WEB1593/24.

Appeal by Myles and Rupee O'Grady care of Hughes Planning of 85 Merrion Square, Dublin against the decision made on the 13th day of December 2024 by Dublin City Council to refuse permission for the proposed development.

Proposed Development: The provision of one number car parking space to the rear, enlargement of existing pedestrian gate to form a new vehicular entrance to the rear off Petty Lane, and all associated ancillary, landscaping and site development works at 15 Newbridge Avenue, Sandymount, 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.

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Reasons and Considerations

Having regard to the nature of the proposed development, the scale of the development, the pattern of development in the area and the existing residential use on site, and the provisions of the Dublin City Development Plan 2022-2028, it is considered, subject to compliance with the conditions set out below, that the proposed development would not seriously injure the amenities of the area or of property in the vicinity. 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 received by the planning authority on the 18th day of November 2024, 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.

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- 2. The proposal shall provide for:
 - (a) the continuing use of the front garden area of the existing dwelling with a maximum of one-off, street car, parking space.
 - (b) The entrance gateway serving the access onto Petty Lane shall be a maximum of three metres in width.

Reason: In the interest of clarity and orderly development.

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

Reason: In the interest of public health and to ensure a proper standard of development.

4. Site development and building works shall be carried out only between the hours of 0700 to 1900 Monday to Friday 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.

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5. 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.

Eamonn Dames Eamonn James Kelly

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

Dated this 8th day of May, 2025.

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