

AN BORD PLEANÁLA
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Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry,
13/08/2024

An Bord Pleanála,
64 Marlborough Street,
Dublin

Dear Officer,

I wish to appeal a decision made by Kerry Co. Council enforcement office dated 30th July 2024. I believe this decision is unjust. This pertains to a shed. I am enclosing copy of all communication to and from Kerry Co. Council Planning Department. I am also enclosing copies of photos which we took showing before and after of shed. Enclosed is a money order for 220 Euro.

I am endeavouring to make you aware of the toxic environment we live in by giving you a condensed version of what we must live within the following paragraph.

I am nearly eighty years of age, and I believe we are being targeted because of vexatious allegations made by spiteful parttime neighbours who claim to have connections to K.C.C. I believe these people live in Kilkenny. I have also been made aware that they got the house next door by claiming squatters' rights in 2008 and that they intended to do the same with the house we bought in 2013. They got a grant to build an extension and put a door and window looking directly in our property. No planning applied for. When we inquired as to why our privacy was allowed to be breached, we were told they were exempt under section 4 of the planning act. They changed the exterior elevation without planning permission. They had cameras installed looking directly at us and we had to contact the Data Protection Commissioner, and they were instructed as was their installer to change the angle and install a shield to stop illegal viewing of our property. I was physically assaulted by the male when I asked him to stop cutting my plants, but as I did not have a witness there was nothing I could do. We are not the only ones to suffer as the woman who lives on the other side of their property was forced to cut down



5 Sheets of corrugated iron from
front shed! in front garden



These photos show the before and after

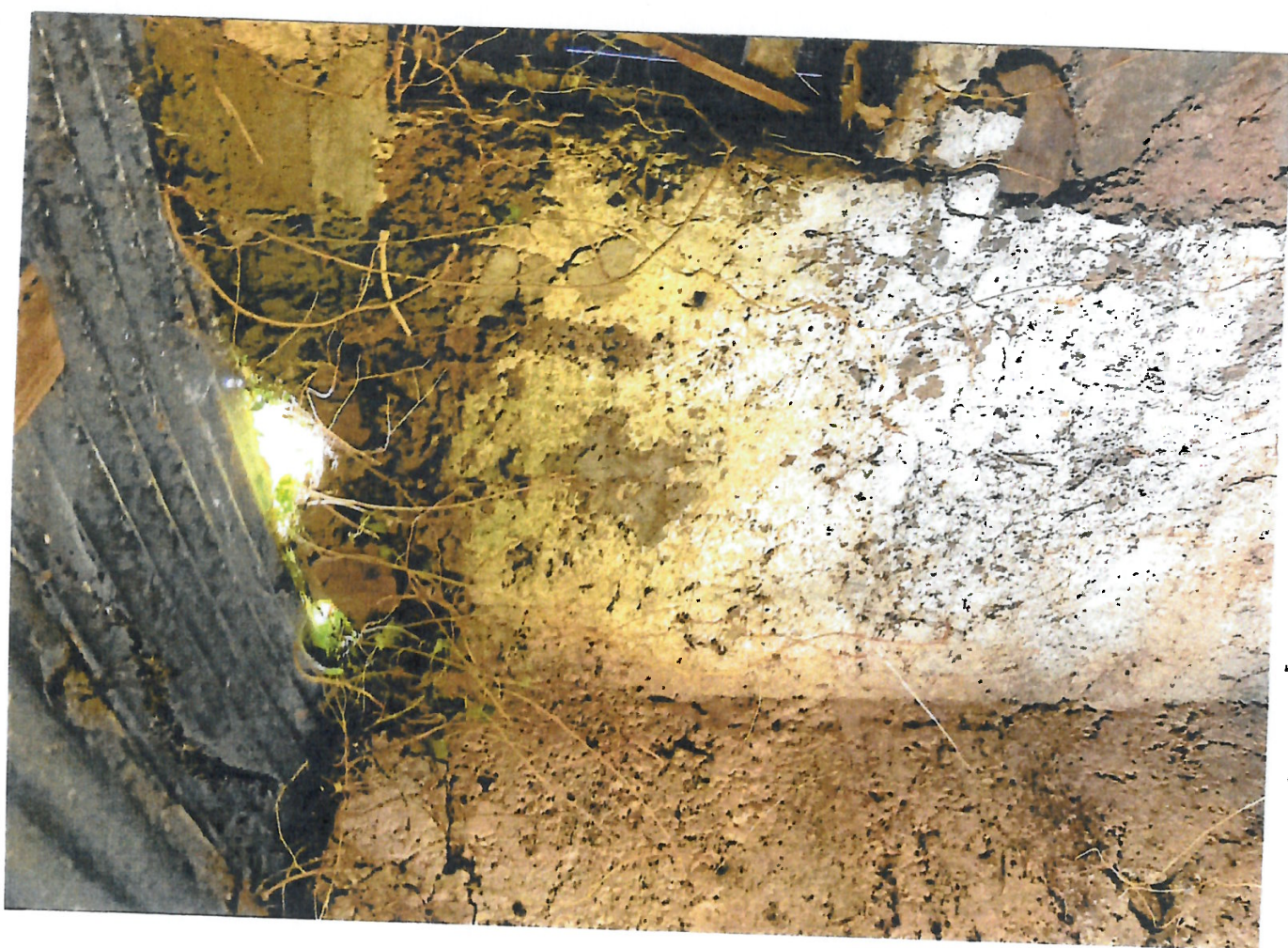




Prop supporting roof



concrete floor



interior of old shed



Before



after



TAKEN 11/08/2024
Looking East.



TAKEN 11/08/2024
LOOKING WEST

9761 – Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy

Oct 2009 – looking east



Oct 2009 – looking west



Refer to Google Maps Streetview – image capture Oct 2009

9761 – Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy

May 2011 – looking east



May 2011 – looking west



Refer to Google Maps Streetview – image capture May 2011

9761 – Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy

Aug 2023 – looking east



Aug 2023 – looking west



Refer to Google Maps Streetview – image capture Aug 2023

Margaret Kelly
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Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>
To: Emmett Kelly <emmettkelly00@gmail.com>

2 July 2024 at 12:09

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Siun Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>
To: Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>

12 July 2024 at 16:42

A Chara,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your email of 02/07/2024.

You can apply for a Section 5 if you believe the works are exempt.



Please provide your proposals by 19th July 2024 or otherwise we will need to take further enforcement action including the serving of an Enforcement Notice.

Mise le meas,

Siún Riordan

Planning Enforcement Unit,
Planning & Sustainable Development,
Kerry County Council,
County Buildings,
Co. Kerry

From: Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday 2 July 2024 12:08
To: Siun Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>
Subject: Re: 9761 - Poulawadda, Ballyseedy, Tralee

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Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>
To: Siun Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>

1 August 2024 at 16:05

CONTINUED overleaf. →

Ref: 9761

For the attention of Siun Riordan

Re: your email of the 12/07/2024 and your letter of 18/07/2024 when you quoted Google maps Streetview from May 2011 and October 2009. I requested a copy of both views on the 22/07/2024 when I submitted proposals as advised by your office and paid 80 Euros. You assured me that I would be provided with both. This was done in the presence of Dan Kearney. To date I have not received said maps or any notification from you. I am again requesting both.
Margaret Kelly

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Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>

13/554

1 message

Siun Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>
To: Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>

2 August 2024 at 17:04

Dear Margaret,

I refer to your request of 22/07/2024 to view the planning file 13/554.

The file has been ordered in and is available for viewing at the public counter of the planning department at your convenience.

Mise le meas,

Siún Riordan

Planning Enforcement Unit,

Planning & Sustainable Development,

Kerry County Council,

County Buildings,

Co. Kerry

*Cé gur féidir liom ríomhphoist a léamh agus a sheoladh lasmuigh de ghnáthuaireanta oibre, nílín ag súil le freagra ná
gáirímh uaitse lasmuigh de d'uaireanta oibre féin. While I may read and send emails outside normal working hours I do not
expect a response or action outside your own working hours.*

01/00/2024

I attended K.C.C. planning office as you instructed in your Email dated the 02/08/2024. The files I requested were not made available to me.

These were Google Map Streetview Oct 2009 and May 2011. I again request a copy of same

Margaret Kelly



Luigh leas an iarratasóra sa suíomh le do thoil

Please state applicants interest in this site

IT IS OUR HOME

Luaighainm agus seo iad an
úinéara murar é/í an
t-iarratasóir

If applicant is not the owner
please provide owner's name
and address

Tabhair faoi deara go n-éireofar cóip den Dearbhú ar
Fhorbairt agus ar Díolúine Forbartha de réir Alt 5(2a)
den Acht um Pleanáil agus Forbairt 2000 don úinéir/
áititheoir.

Please note that in accordance with section 5(2a) of the
Planning & Development Act 2000 the owner/ occupier
of the site will be issued with a copy of the Declaration
on Development and Exempted Development.

Liosta pleananna, líníochtaí srl
curtha ar fáil leis an iarratas seo.

List of plans, drawings, etc
submitted with this application

4 SITE LOCATION MAPS AS REQUESTED + COPY OF PAGE 3 SECTION 12
OF PLANNING APPLICATION FORM SEPTEMBER 2013

Tabhair tuairisc ar na h-ábhair (má
bhaineann) nó ar an bhforbairt beartaithe.

(Tabhair faoi deara: Is iad na h-ábhair atá liostaithe
agus sonraithe, agus sin amháin, a dheinfear measúnú
orthu fé Alt 5. Úsáid leathanaigh breise más gá)

Please provide details of works (where
applicable) or proposed development.

(Note: only works listed and described under this
section will be assessed under this Section 5
application. Use additional sheets if required)

DUE TO HEALTH & SAFETY ISSUES URGENT REPAIRS WERE
CARRIED OUT TO SHED. WE BELIEVE THIS WAS DONE TO
PREVENT INJURY OR DEATH. YOU WERE MADE AWARE
OF THIS IN PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE.

An eol duit aon imeachtaí
fo rfheidhmithe ar an suíomh seo?
Má tá, tabhair sonraí le do thoil

Are you aware of any enforcement
proceedings connected to this site?
If yes, please supply details

YES. SEPTEMBER 2013. NOTICE OF ENFORCEMENT.
THIS WAS RESOLVED

Anraibh iarrata(i)s pleanála ar an suíomh seo
cheana? *Má bhí, tabhair sonraí le do thoil*

Were there previous planning application(s)
on this site? *If yes, please supply details*

WE BOUGHT THIS SITE IN 2013. WE HAVE NO
KNOWLEDGE OF ANYTHING PRIOR TO THIS

Sí nithe.
Signed

Emmet Kelly Margaret Kelly

Dáta:
Date

22-07-2024

NÓTAÍ:

Ní mór 4 chóip de léarscáil den láthair shuímh
leis an suíomh i mílínithe go soiléir i ndearg a
chur ar fáil agus táille €80 leis. Cuir 2 chóip de
pleanan na/tuairiscí breise sl. a theastaíonn
uait bheith mar chuid den iarratas.

NOTES:

Application shall include 4 copies of the Site
Location Map with the site clearly outlined in
red and a fee of €80. Please submit 2 copies
of any additional plans/reports etc you may
wish to be included as part of the application.

Seol na h-iarratais líonta go 'n seo laethíos

Send your completed applications to:

An Roinn Pleanála,
Omháirle Contae Chiarraí,
Ráth Teas, Trá Lí, Co. Chiarraí.

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Planning Department,
Kerry County Council,
Rathass, Tiralee, Co. Kerry.



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County Buildings, Tralee, Co. Kerry.
Tel: (066) 7183582 Fax: (066) 7120328
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24th July 2024

Margaret & Emmet Kelly
Poulawaddra
Ballyseedy
Tralee
Co Kerry

Re: Declaration and Referral on Development and Exempted
Development under and in accordance with Section 5 of the
Planning & Development Acts 2000 (as amended)

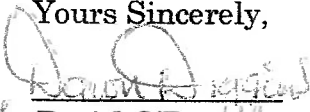
Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your application for a Section 5 Declaration.

Register No. EX1245 refers and the Planning Authority will be in touch with you in due course.

I attach receipt no. 93205 in respect of same.

Yours Sincerely,


David O'Brien
AO Planning

An Roinn Pleanála

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Áras an Chontae,
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**Ref: 9761
Date: 14/06/2024**

**Margaret Kelly,
Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry**

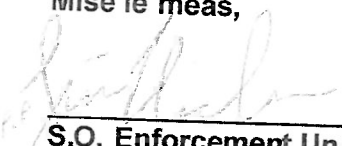
A Chara,

I refer to previous correspondence sent in relation to the construction of a shed to the front of the property at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry.

You are requested to submit firm proposals as to how you intend to regularise this unauthorised shed by **28/06/2024**.

Failure to respond by the requested date will result in further enforcement action and the issuing of an Enforcement Notice without further notification.

Mise le meas,


**S.O. Enforcement Unit,
Planning and Sustainable Development**





Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>

9761 - Poulawaddra, Ballyseed y, Tralee

5 messages

Siún Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>
To: Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>

2 July 2024 at 10:26

A Chara,

In reference to your correspondence dated 28/01/2024, we responded on 31/01/2024 to confirm that 'while there was previously a shed on this site, the current shed is newly constructed and requires planning permission'. We again wrote on 27/02/2024 confirming again that 'the shed would require Planning permission and in the absence of same, the shed is unauthorised'.

Section 4(1)(h) of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, relates to 'carrying out of works for the maintenance, improvement or other alteration of any structure, being works which affect only the interior of the structure or which do not materially affect the external appearance of the structure so as to render the appearance inconsistent with the character of the structure or of neighbouring structures'. The works which have been carried out involve the demolition of the original shed and construction of a new larger shed at the site. Therefore, Section 4(1)(h) is not applicable to this development and the works are not considered exempt under the Act.

The exemptions for construction of a shed within the curtilage of a house, described under Class 3 of Schedule 2, Part 1 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended, do not apply in this case as the structure has been constructed forward of the front wall of the house.

As outlined above, the shed is not exempt from planning and requires. We request you provide your proposals as to how you intend to regularise the matter by **16th July 2024**

Mise le meas,

Siún Riordan

Planning Enforcement Unit,
Planning & Sustainable Development,
Kerry County Council,
County Buildings,
Co. Kerry

Cé gur féidir liom ríomhphoist a léamh agus a sheoladh lasmuigh de ghnáthuaireanta oibre, nílím ag súil le freagra ná gníomh uaitse lasmuigh de d'uaireanta oibre féin. While I may read and send emails outside normal working hours I do not expect a response or action outside your own working hours.

Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>
To: Siún Riordan <siun.riordan@kerrycoco.ie>

2 July 2024 at 12:08

I believe your facts are not correct.



Poulawaddra,

Ballyseedy,

Tralee,

Co. Kerry

15-07-2024

Siun Reardon,
Enforcement Unit,
Planning Department,
Kerry County Council,
County Buildings,
Tralee

Ref: 9761

Re: your email of the 12th of July 2024, where you suggest I apply for a section 5.

I submit the following.

I believe that in line with E.U. Directives and Regulations the shed is exempt.

Due to damage caused I believe it was a Health and Safety issue which we addressed at considerable cost to our family. (Photographic evidence)

Location Where it has been for decades and as seen on Planning Application drawings 3003/11 which were submitted in 2013. I believe you have said documentation on file .See also K.C.C. maps of this area.

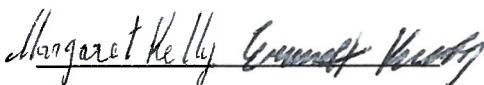
Usage To store garden furniture and delicate plants during winter.

Footprint Area 8 sq. metres.

Height 2 metres 23 centimetres.

It does not have electricity or water supply.

Yours Sincerely,



Margaret Kelly Emmett Kelly

An Roinn Pleanála

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Áras an Chontae,
Trá Lí, Co. Chiarraí.



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Our Ref: 9761

Date: 18/07/2024

**Margaret & Emmett Kelly,
Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry.**

A Chairde,

In response to your letter dated 15-07-2024, we would again outline that the shed constructed is not exempt and does need planning permission. As advised on 12 July 2024, if you believe the development to be exempt, you may apply for a Section 5 declaration to the Planning Authority to get their official response. We have attached the details of same.

As we have previously acknowledged, we do not dispute that there was a shed on the site previously, but the structure now constructed is a new larger shed. We also note the structure you reference as shown on the planning application drawings from 2013 (PRN 13/554).

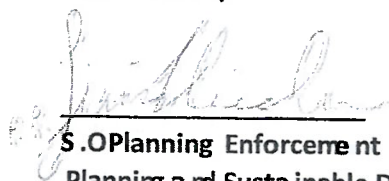
To be considered for exemption under Section 4(1)(h) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 as amended, renovation of the original shed without changing the external appearance of the shed would be the scope of work. However, that is not the case in this situation as the original shed has been demolished and a new larger shed constructed in a similar location.

The works which have taken place is demolition of the original shed and construction of a new shed, which is considered development under the Planning and Development Act which would need permission.

In your correspondence of 15/07/2024, you describe the floor area of the newer shed as 8m², but the shed on PRN 13/554 is 4.4m², therefore the size of the shed has been nearly doubled. In your correspondence you also note the height of the shed as 2m 23cm, but the original shed is lower as can be seen on Google Maps Streetview image captures of May 2011 and October 2009.

As the development does not have planning permission or a Section 5 declaration, it is considered unauthorised and as such we request your proposals to regularise the situation. Your proposals may be to apply for a Section 5 declaration, or to apply for retention permission, or other, but we request you inform this office of your intention.

Mise le meas,


S. O'Connell
Planning and Sustainable Development





Comh áile Contae Chiarraí
Kerry County Council

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FOIRM IARRATAIS ALT 5 SECTION 5 APPLICATION FORM

IARRATAS MAIDIR LE DEARBHÚ AR FHOIRBAIRT AGUS
AR DÍOLÚINE FORBARTHA (Alt 5 den Acht um Pleanáil
agus Forbairt leasaithe)

REQUEST FOR A DECLARATION ON DEVELOPMENT
AND EXEMPTED DEVELOPMENT (Section 5 of the
Planning & Development Act 2000 as amended)

TÁILLE €80 FEE

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Ainm MARGARET & EMMETT KELLY Name

Seoladh POULAWADDRA Address

BALLYSEEDY
TRALEE

Teil. 087 288 9778 Tel:

R-phost MAGKELLYT6@GMAIL.COM Email

Ainm/Seoladh Gníomhaíre _____ Name/Address of Agent

Teil. _____ Tel:

Láthair an Suímh Ábhartha POULAWADDRA BALLYSEEDY Location of Subject Site

An Struchtúr Cosanta é nó 'bhfuil sé laistigh
de chúirtealáiste Struchtúir Chosanta? NO

Is this a Protected Structure or within the
cartilage of a Protected Structure?

Más é, 'bhfuil Dearbhú faoi Alt 57 den Acht
um Pleanáil agus Forbairt 2000 iarrtha nó
eistithe don fhorbairt ag an tÚdarás Pleanála? _____

If yes, has a Declaration under Section 57 of
the Planning and Development 2000 been
requested or issued for the property by the
Planning Authority?

Poulawaddra,

Ballyseedy,

Tralee,

05-02-2024

Mr. Paul Neary,
Director,
Enforcement Unit,
Planning Department,
Kerry County Council,
County Buildings,
Tralee

Your Ref: 9761

Sir,

Regarding your letter of 31/01/2024. I beg to differ. I refer to the work carried out in respect of the flood relief in our area. The heavy machinery used by Kerry Co. Co. employees caused severe damage to our shed. In the interest of public safety, we made the shed safe. We have been advised to apply for compensation for our expenses.

X Following intensive investigations, it transpires that over forty new sheds of various sizes have been erected in this locality in recent years with no planning permission. It is my understanding that no action was taken by your office. I believe my son and I are being targeted.

You also state that you did not receive an email from me. I enclose copy of same which was sent ???

Sincerely,

Margaret Kelly

An Roinn Pleanála

Comhairle Contae Chiarraí,
Áras an Chontae,
Trá Lí, Co. Chiarraí.



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Date: 27/02/2024

Margaret Kelly,
Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry

Dear Margaret,

Your letter dated 05/02/2024 addressed to Mr Paul Neary has been referred to me for attention.

Claims outlined in the first paragraph of your letter regarding works by Kerry County Council are not a matter for the Planning Enforcement Unit.

Under the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), this Department is tasked with investigating all complaints of unauthorised development and it is in this respect that you have received a Warning letter (notwithstanding your claims of other unauthorised sheds erected in the locality).

Having carried out a search, it appears that we did not receive an email from your email address magkelly76@gmail.com on Thurs 25/01/2024 as shown on the copy email submitted. Our IT Department has confirmed this.

Our Enforcement Officer has reviewed the file and your letter. He has confirmed that the shed in question would require Planning permission and in the absence of same, the shed is unauthorised.

We are requesting firm proposals as to how you intend to regularise this unauthorised shed.

Mise le meas,


S. O. Enforcement Unit,
Planning and Sustainable Development



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Ref: 9761

Date: 05/04/2024

**Margaret Kelly,
Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry**

Dear Margaret,

I refer to previous correspondence sent on 27/02/2024 in relation to the construction of a shed to the front of the property at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry.

The Enforcement Officer has confirmed that the shed in question would require Planning permission and in the absence of same, the shed is unauthorised.

We are requesting firm proposals as to how you intend to regularise this unauthorised shed by 19/04/2024.

This file is being kept under review.

Mise le meas,


**S.O. Enforcement Unit,
Planning and Sustainable Development**



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**Ref: 9761
Date: 02/05/2024**

**Margaret Kelly,
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Tralee,
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A Chara,

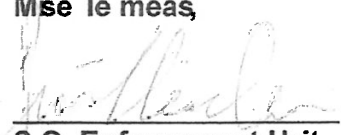
I refer to previous correspondence sent in relation to the construction of a shed to the front of the property at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry.

The Enforcement Officer has confirmed that the shed in question would require Planning permission and in the absence of same, the shed is unauthorised.

We are requesting firm proposals as to how you intend to regularise this unauthorised shed by 10/05/2024.

Failure to comply with this request will result further enforcement action being taken.

Mise le meas,


**S.O. Enforcement Unit,
Planning and Sustainable Development**



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Our Ref: 9761

Date: 23/01/2024

**Emmett Kelly
Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry,
V92 TKP8**

Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended)

A Chara,

It has come to the attention of the Planning Authority that development has been carried out, namely the construction of a shed to the front of the property at **Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry, V92 TKP8**

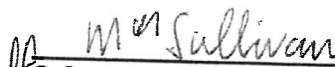
Development of this nature may require planning permission and in the absence of same is therefore unauthorised.

In this regard, I enclose herewith a Warning Letter under Section 152 of the Planning & Development Acts 2000 (as amended). You may make submissions or observations in writing to the Planning Authority regarding same not later than **20/02/2024**.

The Planning Authority wishes to inform you that in the event of unauthorised development taking place, an Enforcement Notice may be served on you under Section 154 of the Planning & Development Acts 2000 (as amended). You should note that you are liable for all costs and expenses incurred by Kerry County Council in relation to this matter

I trust your co-operation will be forthcoming in this matter.

Mise le meas,



S.O. Enforcement Unit

Planning and Sustainable Development



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Áras an Chontae,
Trá Lí, Co. Chiarraí.



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WARNING LETTER

This Warning Letter is issued under Section 152 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended), in relation to Unauthorised development

Name: Emmett Kelly

Address: Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry, V92 TKP8

Ref: No. 9761

Dear Sir,

It has come to the attention of Kerry County Council that an unauthorised development as described in the schedule hereunder may have been, is being or may be carried out on lands described in the schedule hereunder. You may make submissions or observations to Kerry County Council regarding the purported offence by the **20/02/2024**.

When Kerry County Council considers that unauthorised development has been, is being or may be carried out, an Enforcement Notice may be issued under Section 154 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended). Officials of Kerry County Council may at all reasonable times enter on the land for the purposes of carrying out an inspection in relation to the purported unauthorised development.

A person who is guilty of an offence in relation to an unauthorised development under the provisions of the Planning and Development Act 2000, as amended, shall be liable to the following:-

- (a) On conviction on indictment, to a fine not exceeding EUR 12,697,380 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 2 years or both.
- (b) On summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding EUR 5,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or both.

In addition, any costs reasonably incurred by Kerry County Council in relation to enforcement proceedings may be recovered from a person on whom an Enforcement Notice is served or where court action is taken. These costs can relate to remuneration and expenses of employees carrying out inspections and may be substantial.

SCHEDULE

Description of land and nature of works to which this Notice refers.

Lands at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry, V92 TKP 8 – namely the construction of a shed to the front of the property

Signature

S.O. Enforcement Unit

Planning and Sustainable Development

Date: 23/01/2024



Poulawaddra,
Ballyseedy,
Tralee.
Co. Kerry,
26-01-2024

Mr. Paul Neary,
Director,
Enforcement Unit.
Planning Dept.
Kerry Co. Co.
County Buildings,
Tralee

Your Ref: 9761

Sir,

In respect of warning letter received on the 24-01-2024.

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We would also draw your attention to Kerry Co. Co. own maps of this area where shed is clearly shown.

We believe we are being subjected to vexatious allegations from spiteful neighbours who I believe have connections to Kerry Co. Co.

We trust this clarifies the situation.

We await your reply.

Sincerely,

Margaret and Emmett Kelly

From: Margaret magkelly76@gmail.com
Subject: Fwd: Mr. Paul Neary Director
Date: 1 Feb 2024 at 09:16:02
To: Emmett Kelly emmettkelly001@gmail.com

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Margaret <magkelly76@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, 25 Jan 2024, 14:06
Subject: Mr. Paul Neary Director
To: <enforcement@kerryco.co.ie>

Copy

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Our Ref: 9761

Date 31/01/2024

Emmett Kelly,

Poulawaddra,

Ballyseedy,

Tralee,

Co. Kerry.

V92 TKP8

Planning and Development Acts 2000 (as amended)

A Chara,

I wish to acknowledge your correspondence of 28th January 2024 regarding the above enforcement file.

The contents of your letter have been noted.

The Enforcement Officer has reviewed the file and wishes you to note that while there was previously a shed on this site, the current shed is newly constructed and requires planning permission.

The Enforcement Officer requests you to submit proposals to regularise the matter before **16/02/2024**.



We have no record of receiving an email from you to this section. Please forward your future emails to enforcement@kerrycoco.ie

Mise Le Meas,

S.O Planning Enforcement

Planning & Sustainable Development

Kerry County Council.



Michael Burke.
Architectural Technician.
Computer Aided Design Drawing Service

Project: **RETAIN EXISTING DWELLING AS BUILT ON SITE
AT POULAWADDRA, BALLYSEEDY, TRALEE.**

Client: **EMMET KELLY**

Title: **SITE LAYOUT PLAN.**

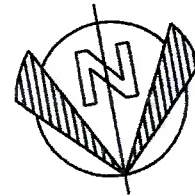
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EXISTING SOD AND STONE
BOUNDARY HEDGEROW.

NEW PARKING AND TURNING AREA

SOAKAWAY

DRIVEWAY

EAST SIDE OF EXISTING ENTRANCE
RETAINED AS IS AND WEST SIDE
CONSTRUCTED AS SHOWN TO MATCH
EAST SIDE.

EXISTING ROAD BOUNDARY TO
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PUBLIC ROAD

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BE REMOVED TO FACILITATE
NEW EXTENSION TO
EXISTING COTTAGE
SHOWN SHADED THUS.

EXTENT OF OLD COTTAGE THAT COLLAPSED
DURING CONSTRUCTION SHADED THUS.

EXISTING DWELLING ON SITE
EXISTING SHED

SOAKAWAY

EXISTING FRONT BOUNDARY WALL

EXISTING PEDESTRIAN ACCESS

SITE NOTICE

Site Layout Plan 1:500.

AREA SHOWN OUTLINED IN RED = 0.96 ACRES (0.389 HECTARES)



EXISTING SEPTIC TANK PUT IN PLACE
BY K.C.C. IN 2006 FOR PREVIOUS OWNERS

EXTENT OF OLD DWELLING DEMOLISHED FOLLOWING
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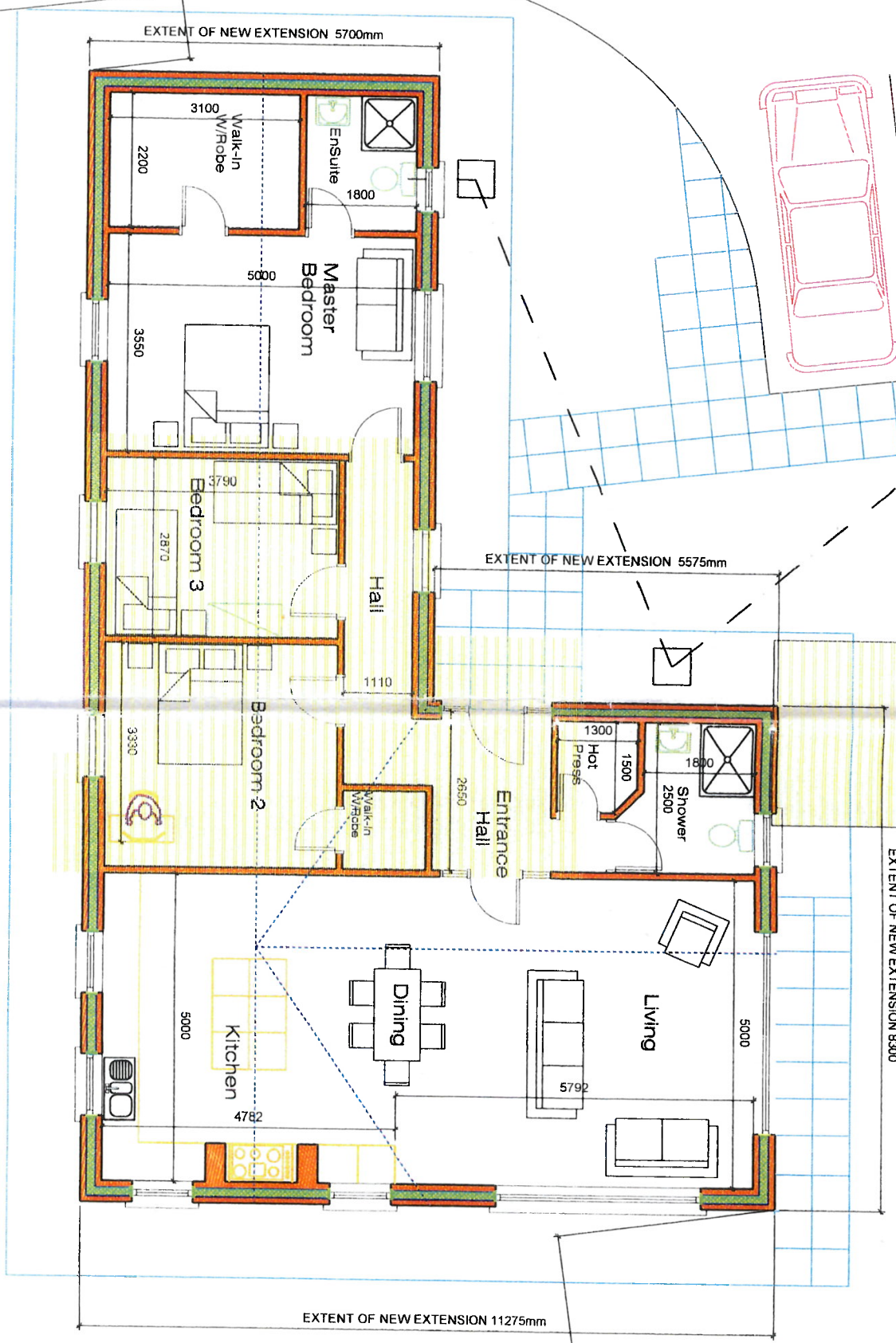
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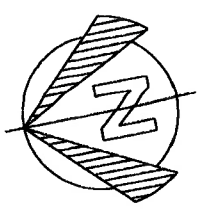
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Existing Ground layout Plan
R.F.L. Same as existing dwelling
that was demolished.

TOTAL AREA OF NEW BUILDING TO BE RETAINED = 131.12 SQ.M. (1411 SQ.FT.)



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PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN

EMMET KELLY

RETAIN EXISTING DWELLING AS BUILT ON SITE
AT POUAWADDRA, BALLYSEEDY, TRALEE.

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Our Ref: SOM U107-13

9th December, 2013.

Mr. Emmett Kelly,
c/o Margaret Kelly,
7 Suan Na Mara,
Ballygarron, The Spa,
Tralee, Co Kerry

Planning & Development Act 2000 to 2013
Planning Reg. No 13/554

Dear Mr Kelly,


I refer to previous correspondence with you regarding unauthorised works on your site at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co Kerry.

I wish to inform you that the Planning Enforcement Officer has now reviewed the case and considers that the grant of planning permission under 13/554 addresses the Enforcement issues on site.

Therefore, the Planning Authority will not be taking any further action in relation to this matter.

The Planning Authority wishes to thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Yours Faithfully,


S.O. Planning



Poulawaddra,

Ballyseedy,

Tralee,

Co. Kerry,

27-08-2023

The Data Protection Commission,

21 Fitzwilliam Square South,

Dublin 2

Dear Commissioner,

I feel that I have no option but to write to you for assistance. I have lived at the above address for over ten years with my son. I am seventy-six years old. My next-door neighbour died over a year ago and her daughter and her husband inherited the property. They are Aileen and Grant Cooley.

They recently hired a firm called Elite Fire and Security to install cameras on their property. These cameras are directly spying on my garden and looking in my windows. No signage has been erected. I spoke to the installer on the phone on the 25th inst. and made him aware that he was in breach of my right to privacy. I told him that what he was doing did not comply in full with the Data Protection law obligations. He was very abusive and told me he could do what he wanted as he was a registered installer. He said he would call the gardai if I did not mind my own business. I sent a message to the firm. He is the firm.

It is my understanding that the Courts of Justice of the European Union in January 2021 confirmed that having images and sounds recorded outside of the perimeter of their property was unlawful. I am aware that they are recording our conversations as they taunted me and repeated what I said.

I am now under severe stress and anxiety and my health is starting to deteriorate.

I would be grateful if you could help with this very stressful situation.

Yours Sincerely,

Margaret Kelly.

Ph. No. 0872889778 email magkelly76@gmail.com

5. Applicant:

<i>Name(s)</i>	Emmett Kelly
	Address to be supplied at the end of this form. (Question: 23)

6. Where Applicant is a Company (registered under the Companies Acts 1963 to 1999):

<i>Name(s) of company director(s)</i>	N/A
<i>Registered Address (of company)</i>	N/A

7. Person/Agent acting on behalf of the Applicant (if any):

<i>Name</i>	MICHAEL BURKE ARCHITECTURAL TECHNICIAN
	Address to be supplied at the end of this form. (Question 24)

8. Person responsible for preparation of Drawings and Plans³:

<i>Name</i>	MICHAEL BURKE ARCHITECTURAL TECHNICIAN
<i>Firm/Company</i>	CAD DESIGN DRAWING SERVICES

9. Description of Proposed Development:

<i>Brief description of nature and extent of development⁴</i>	Permission to retain demolition of old dwelling and also for permission to retain and complete existing dwelling house as built on site complete with all ancillary site works associated with the development
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10. Legal Interest of Applicant in the Land or Structure:

<i>Please tick appropriate box to show applicant's legal interest in the land or structure</i>	<i>A. Owner</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>B. Occupier</i>
	<i>C. Other</i>	
<i>Where legal interest is 'Other', please expand further on your interest in the land or structure</i>	N/A	

you are not the legal owner, please state the name and address of the owner and supply a letter from the owner of consent to make the application as listed in the accompanying documentation

1. Site Area:

Area of site to which the application relates in hectares

0.389ha

12. Where the application relates to a building or buildings:

Gross floor space of any existing building(s) in m ²	House 37.25 Sq.M Sheds 8.0 Sq.M.
Gross floor space of proposed works in m ²	
Gross floor space of work to be retained in m ² (if appropriate)	13112 Sq.M.
Gross floor space of any demolition in m ² (if appropriate)	37.25 Sq.M. old house + Shed 8 Sq.M



13. In the case of mixed development (e.g. residential, commercial, industrial, etc), please provide breakdown of the different classes of development and breakdown of the gross floor area of each class of development:

Class of Development	Gross floor area in m ²
N/A	N/A
NA	N/A
N/A	N/A

14. In the case of residential development please provide breakdown of residential mix:

Number of	Studio	1 Bed	2 Bed	3 Bed	4 Bed	4+ Bed	Total
Houses							
Apartment							
Number of car-parking spaces to be provided	Existing:		Proposed:			Total:	

15. Where the application refers to a material change of use of any land or structure or the retention of such a material change of use:

Existing use ⁶ (or previous use where retention permission is sought)	N/A
Proposed use (or use it is proposed to retain)	N/A

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6th September 2013

**Planning Department,
Kerry Co. Council,
County Buildings,
Rathass,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry.**

In respect of an application by Emmett Kelly for Retention permission for demolished old cottage retention and completion of existing dwelling as built on site complete with all ancillary site works associated with the development at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, County Kerry.

Dear Sir or Madam

Please find enclosed the following:

Planning Application Fee €407.80

2 copies of completed application form.

2 copies of newspaper and site notice.

6 Copies of floor plans, elevations, cross-sections of existing and new structures

6 Copies of site layout plan and site Location maps.

6 Copies of photographs of demolished dwelling.

My client Emmett Kelly is applying for permission to retain old demolished dwelling and existing dwelling as constructed on site following discussions with the enforcement section of the council to regularize the planning permission on his site following an enforcement notice to cease all works on site received on the 4th of September. Following the initial planning permission 13/160 work commenced on the site and on removing the roof of the old dwelling the front and western gable walls collapsed. An engineer was brought in and inspected the structure and found there was no foundations under the walls that collapsed and he then investigated the remainder of the structure still standing to find no foundations there either so he advised my client's that the remainder of the structure be demolished for health and safety reasons. However he did not advise them at the time that they would require a new planning permission to continue with the development.

Unfortunately I was away on holidays at the time this all happened and did not become aware of it until my clients showed me the enforcement letter on the 4th of September. I suggested to them that a retention application be made to regularize the situation as soon as possible.

We look forward to a positive decision to this application in the near future.

Yours Sincerely



Michael Burke, Arch. Tech

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PLANNING APPLICATION FORM

1. Name of Relevant Planning Authority:

KERRY COUNTY COUNCIL

2. Location of Proposed Development:

<i>Postal Address or Townland or Location (as may best identify the land or structure in question)</i>	Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, County Kerry.
<i>Ordnance Survey Map Ref No (and the Grid Reference where available)¹</i>	KERRY O.S. DIGITAL MAP 5658- B

3. Type of planning permission (please tick appropriate box):

- ☐ Permission
☒ Permission for retention
☐ Outline Permission
☐ Permission consequent on Grant of Outline Permission

4. Where planning permission is consequent on grant of outline permission:

Outline Permission Register Reference Number: N/A

Date of Grant of Outline Permission: N/A

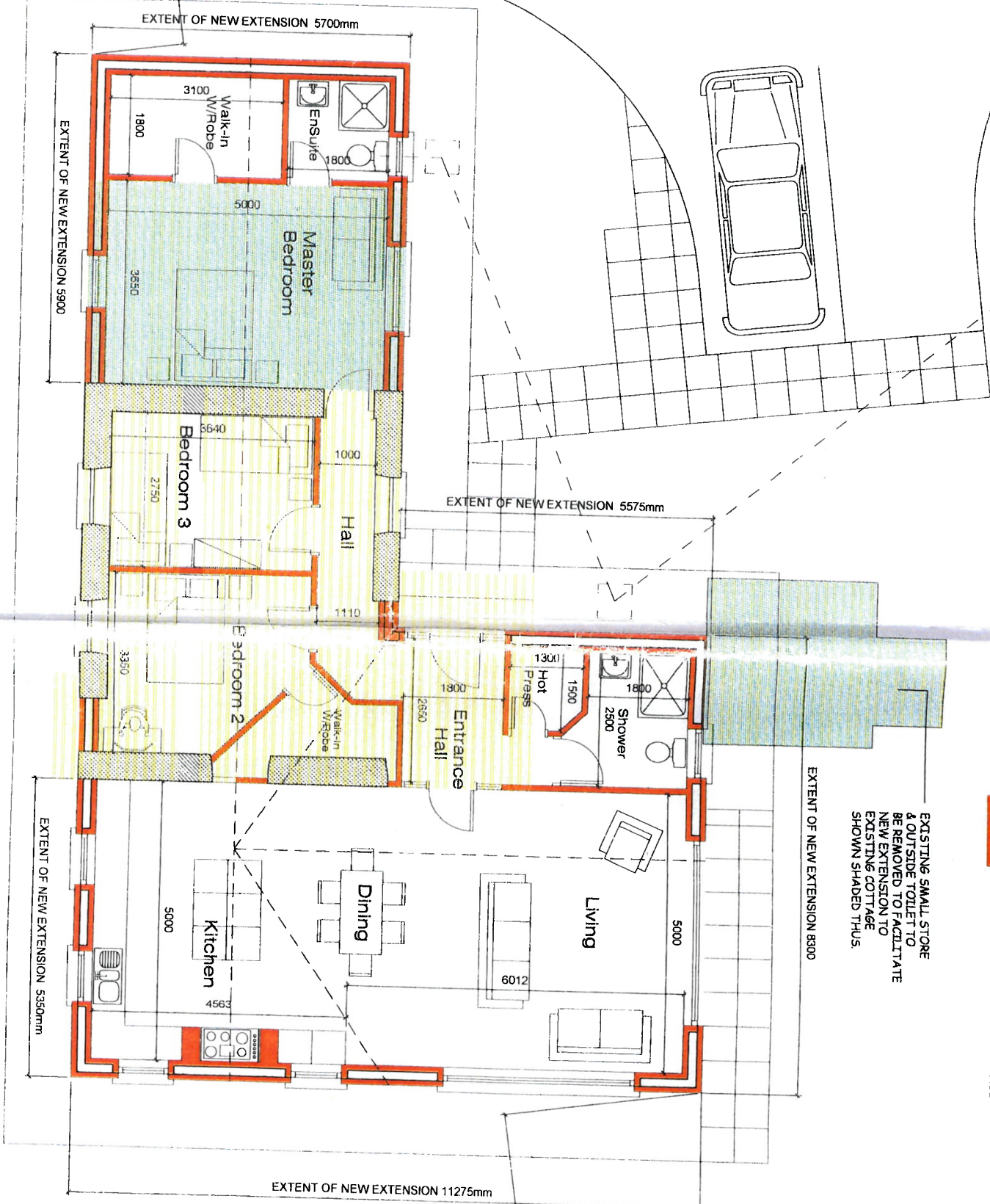
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EXISTING SMALL STORE
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BE REMOVED TO FACILITATE
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Proposed Ground layout Plan

TOTAL FLOOR AREA OF EXTENDED DWELLING = 118.34 SQ.M. (1273 SQ.FT.)
TOTAL AREA OF NEW
EXTENSION (SHADED YELLOW) = 81.85 SQ.M. (881 SQ.FT.)



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Project REFURBISH & EXTEND EXISTING DWELLING
AT POULAWADDRA, BALLYSEEDY, TRALEE.
Client: EMMET KELLY

Title: PROPOSED GROUND FLOOR PLAN

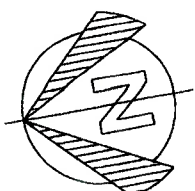
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Planning Department
Kerry County Council
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Co. Kerry.
11th July 2013.

Re: Extension to existing dwelling at Poukwaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co. Kerry.
Mr. Emmet Kelly

Dear Sir/Madam,

I refer to the above and wish to confirm as follows. I was retained by Mr. Kelly to set out the proposed extension to his dwelling and to monitor the existing structure while the roof was being removed and while excavation works were ongoing around the existing structure.

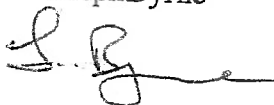
When the roof was removed, I inspected the existing stone wall structure. The walls were cracked and the lime mortar had perished, the entire wall structure was crumbling. It was obvious that the roof had been leaking on to the walls for some time.

As the walls were unstable and given the difficulty of forming a proper radon barrier, I advised that the walls and foundation be removed.

The new construction will be as the original building design.

Yours sincerely,

Joseph Byrne



s several trees as they claimed they were interfering with their television reception. It transpires this was not true.

We purchased our property in 2013. We submitted plans in March 2013 (enclosed)

The shed is clearly visible. The property was not occupied at the time as the owner had died. The cistern had been pulled out and water had been flooding the property for circa ten years. The electricity had been turned off. We commenced refurbishment and while removing the roof, which was leaking, the gables collapsed. My son was injured. Our engineer told us the whole place was a health and safety hazard as all the mortar had perished (report enclosed). We were also told by KCC radon officer that she would have advised us to demolish the house and to install radon protection as the levels were extremely high. We rebuilt the house to reflect the plans we had submitted. During this process we were closed down in spite of the fact that we made the planning authorities aware of the reasons. We had to rent the house we had leashed for a further six months at a cost of 6000 Euro. This expense added to the cost of rebuilding the house, paying a fine and paying for a second set of plans caused massive stress. It contributed to me having emergency surgery for cancer at the end of Oct. 2013. This led to sepsis. I was given the all clear in 2015 and was in good health until the constant stress of all the letters from KCC threatening me with huge fines and imprisonment. I was admitted to hospital in June of this year for two major surgeries. I believe this is due to the stress I was under.

We submitted plans in September 2013 for retention. (enclosed) Again the shed is clearly visible. See page 3 section 12 for measurements.

We received a letter from KCC on the 09/12/2013 informing us that permission was granted.

We had to have an ESB pole erected in the front garden at a cost of 1800 Euro and had to pay KCC a further 1650 Euro for Development Contribution.

We had to purchase a second set of windows at a cost of 3500 Euros as white windows were not allowed under the conditions of permission.

We did some restoration work on the shed in the front garden in 2015+2016 + 2017 as the mortar was crumbling and we wanted to make it safe.

In July 2022 KCC began work to alleviate the flooding on our road. This necessitated the use of heavy machinery. While the work was a success, the vibrations caused further damage to our shed.

On 07/08/2023 Elite Security started the process of installing cameras next door. I told the installer that if he continued pointing the cameras into my property, I would have no option but to report him. He persisted and I rang him On the 25/08/2023. He was in the house next door. I sent a message re, Data Protection Act. He got very aggressive and

threatened me with the Gardai. The Gardai arrived next door and did not call to me. He had to turn one of the cameras the other way and had to fit something to the other. I believe it was a shield.

On the 13/08/2023 I saw a woman taking photos of my house and garden without my permission. She has a key to next door and seems to be some kind of caretaker. She ran when she saw me as I know she is aware that what she was doing was a blatant breach of privacy laws. She has done this on several occasions.

On the 27/08/2023 I sent a letter to the Data Protection Commissioner making a formal complaint. It is my understanding that following an investigation they were told not to invade my privacy or pass on any visual data to a third party.

On the 28/08/2023 we commenced restoration of the shed in the front of our house. This shed is clearly visible on the plans submitted to KCC in March 2013 and again in September 2013. As you can see from photos submitted it was in a bad state with perished mortar and we had to prop up the roof as we did not want a repeat of what had happened to the house in 2013. This was all done to prevent an accident and in the interest of Health & Safety. The shed was single block and plastered. It had a corrugated iron roof and two windows and a door. We removed five sheets of old corrugated iron from the roof which measured 2 feet 3 inches x 9 feet. We retained these. Photos enclosed. To renovate we could not use any machinery and had to use a block hammer to remove all the perished mortar and plaster. We managed to save sections of wall and restored the remainder. We built a cavity wall inside the old wall and tied them together as we were advised that this would make the structure safe. We had ordered two extra windows in 2013 to match the house and we bought a second-hand door.

On the 23/01/2024 We received a warning letter from the Enforcement Unit KCC. (see enclosed) This followed from a complaint from next door part-time neighbours who constantly boast of their connections to KCC.

We replied on the 26/01/2024. (see enclosed)

I sent an email to Mr. Paul Neary Director on 25/01/2024 (see enclosed)

We received a letter dated 31/01/2024 where they deny receiving my email. I did use the proper email address and forwarded same to my son's phone.

I replied on the 05/02/2024 (see enclosed)

I received a reply on the 27/02/2024 (see enclosed)

On 09/02/2024 the Grants again cutting my hedge, and she was making stupid faces at me. I know they were trying to provoke me, but I ignored her as I refuse to sink to that level.

On 06/03/2024 same woman/caretaker taking more photos.

On 08/03/2024 Gardai again next door and looking into our garden. We don't know why as they did not call to us.??

During a telephone conversation with Siun Reardon in the planning office she advised me to apply for a section 4 (1) (h) of the planning and development act (as amended) This I did as my knowledge of planning is zero, and I trusted her.

On the 18/07/2024 I received another letter from Siun Reardon. I was refused under section 4. She suggested I apply under section 5. She also states that the shed has doubled in size. This is a blatant lie as you will see from the plans we submitted in March and September 2013 on page three, section 12 the shed is 8 sq. meters. We kept the old corrugated iron from the roof and this will substantiate this. She also quotes Google Street Maps from May 2011 and Oct. 2009 (letter enclosed)

We applied for a copy of said maps.

On the 22/07/2024 we applied for a Section 5 as advised and paid 80 Euro.

On the 02/08/2024 we received an email telling us the file was available. When we went to the planning office the copies of maps were not available. I left a handwritten letter which I asked to be stamped. I also sent an email to Siun Reardon making her aware of this. I received a copy of street maps with an additional one from August 2023.

As you will see from the letter of the 30/07/ 2024 we were again refused. This follows a surprise visit from a member of the enforcement office on 25/07/2024. We showed him the shed and we offered him photos of our work. He refused. We showed him the original corrugated iron from the roof and asked him if he wanted to measure it. He refused.

He said we should apply for planning. When I asked him if he t thought we would get planning he said he couldn't say, and that I could apply to An Bord Plenala.

On the 12/08/2024 we took photos looking east and west(enclosed)

After the wild goose chase we were sent on previously with section 4 and section 5 and the fact that my integrity was called into doubt more than once, is it any wonder that I have lost all faith. To think that my late Father and his brother were veterans of the War of Independence. Whathave we come to.

I am sorry that this letter is so long, but I had to let you know what we are suffering over a shed with no water or electricity. I am enclosing copies of all documentation I have referred to in this letter. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Margaret Kelly (Enright)
Margaret Kelly



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Application No: **EX1245**
Decision Date: **30th July 2024** Registration Date: **22nd July 2024**
Applicant: **Margaret & Emmet Kelly, Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co Kerry.**
Agent: **N/A**
Development Location: **Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co Kerry.**

Development Description: **Replacement of unstable shed to the front of the applicant's property with a shed of similar scale and size.**

**DECLARATION ISSUED UNDER AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 5 OF THE
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTS, 2000 – (as amended)**

In pursuance of its functions under the Planning & Development Acts 2000 (as amended), Kerry County Council, being the Planning Authority for the County Health District of the County of Kerry, has by order dated 30th July 2024 authorised the issue of a declaration under the provisions of Section 5 of the Planning & Development Acts, 2000 (as amended) in accordance with plans and particulars submitted on 22nd July 2024 I hereby certify that, the Planning Authority considers that the works, the subject of the referral under the said Section 5 namely **replacement of unstable shed to the front of the applicant's property with a shed of similar scale and size at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, Co Kerry DOES NOT** constitute exempted development under the Planning & Development Acts 2000 (as amended) having regard to the considerations inserted hereunder:-

Schedule 1

- (i) The works would constitute works that would come within the scope of Section 2(1) of the Planning and Development Act 2000 (as amended),
- (ii) The said works would constitute development that comes within the scope of Section 3(1) of the said Act,
- (iii) The nature and extent of the proposed works comprising the construction of a shed does not fall for consideration under exemption at Class 3, (Condition 1) Part 1, Schedule 2 of the Planning and Development Regulations, 2001 (as amended), as the development has occurred forward of the front wall of the house.

Therefore, the proposed works would constitute development which is not exempted development.

An Appeal against the decision of the Planning Authority under Section 5 of the Planning & Development Act 2000 may be made to An Bord Pleanála within four weeks beginning on the date of the issuing of the declaration by the Planning Authority. An Appeal should be addressed to: An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin and should be accompanied by the appropriate fee.

Signed on behalf of Kerry County Council

Date 30th July 2024



Michael Burke

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20th March 2013

Planning Department,
Kerry Co. Council,
County Buildings,
Rathass,
Tralee,
Co. Kerry.

In respect of an application by Emmett Kelly for permission to refurbish and extend existing cottage, consisting of elevational changes and erect a new extension to the east, west and south of same and complete with all ancillary site works associated with the development at Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, County Kerry.

Dear Sir or Madam

Please find enclosed the following:

- 2 copies of completed application form.
- 2 copies of newspaper and site notice.
- 6 Copies of floor plans, elevations, cross-sections of existing and new structures
- 6 Copies of site layout plan and site location maps.
- 6 Copies of photographs of existing dwelling.

My client Emmett Kelly is refurbishing and extending his old cottage. He has had to move out recently due to the deterioration of the house and has moved in with his mother until the refurbishment and extension is complete. Rising damp and the lack of a proper heating system has made it an unhealthy environment to live in. Part of the structure lean-to to the east side has already been taken down for health and safety reasons. The existing cottage had 3 small bedrooms and a small kitchen/dining/living with an outside toilet for which a new septic tank was fitted by KCC back in 2006/2007 to serve the old council cottage. The refurbished dwelling will have 3 good sized bedrooms and kitchen/dining/living and an inside bathroom so that it can become a family home in the future. As soon as planning is granted work will commence on the development as Emmett is anxious to move back into his refurbished and extended cottage as soon as possible.

We look forward to a positive decision to this application in the near future.

Yours Sincerely


Michael Burke, Arch. Tech

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PLANNING APPLICATION FORM

1. Name of Relevant Planning Authority:

KERRY COUNTY COUNCIL

2. Location of Proposed Development:

Postal Address or Townland or Location (as may best identify the land or structure in question)	Poulawaddra, Ballyseedy, Tralee, County Kerry.
Ordnance Survey Map Ref No (and the Grid Reference where available)¹	KERRY O.S. DIGITAL MAP 5658 – B

3. Type of planning permission (please tick appropriate box):

☒ [X] Permission

☐ [] Permission for retention

☐ [] Outline Permission

☐ [] Permission consequent on Grant of Outline Permission

4. Where planning permission is consequent on grant of outline permission:

Outline Permission Register Reference Number: N/A

Date of Grant of Outline Permission: N/A

5. Applicant:

<i>Name(s)</i>	Emmett Kelly
	Address to be supplied at the end of this form. (Question: 23)

6. Where Applicant is a Company (registered under the Companies Acts 1963 to 1999):

<i>Name(s) of company director(s)</i>	N/A
<i>Registered Address (of company)</i>	N/A

7. Person/Agent acting on behalf of the Applicant (if any):

<i>Name</i>	MICHAEL BURKE ARCHITECTURAL TECHNICIAN
	Address to be supplied at the end of this form. (Question 24)

8. Person responsible for preparation of Drawings and Plans³:

<i>Name</i>	MICHAEL BURKE ARCHITECTURAL TECHNICIAN
<i>Firm/Company</i>	CAD DESIGN DRAWING SERVICES

9. Description of Proposed Development:

<i>Brief description of nature and extent of development⁴</i>	Permission to refurbish existing dwelling house with elevational changes complete with new extensions to the east, west and south of same and for all ancillary site works associated with the development on my site
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10. Legal Interest of Applicant in the Land or Structure:

<i>Please tick appropriate box to show applicant's legal interest in the land or structure</i>	<i>A. Owner</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>B. Occupier</i>
	<i>C. Other</i>	
<i>Where legal interest is 'Other', please expand further on your interest in the land or structure</i>	N/A	

If you are not the legal owner, please state the name and address of the owner and supply a letter from the owner of consent to make the application as listed in the accompanying documentation

11. Site Area:

Area of site to which the application relates in hectares	0.389ha
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12. Where the application relates to a building or buildings:

Gross floor space of any existing building(s) in m ²	House 37.25 Sq.M Sheds 80 Sq.M.
Gross floor space of proposed works in m ²	House 81.85 Sq.M.
Gross floor space of work to be retained in m ² (if appropriate)	Not Applicable
Gross floor space of any demolition in m ² (if appropriate)	Rear annex of house 6.90 Sq.M.

13. In the case of mixed development (e.g. residential, commercial, industrial, etc), please provide breakdown of the different classes of development and breakdown of the gross floor area of each class of development:

Class of Development	Gross floor area in m ²
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A
N/A	N/A

14. In the case of residential development please provide breakdown of residential mix:

Number of	Studio	1 Bed	2 Bed	3 Bed	4 Bed	4+ Bed	Total
Houses	N/A						
Apartments							
Number of car-parking spaces to be provided	Existing:		Proposed:			Total:	

15. Where the application refers to a material change of use of any land or structure or the retention of such a material change of use:

Existing use ⁶ (or previous use where retention permission is sought)	N/A
Proposed use (or use it is proposed to retain)	N/A

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Project: **REFURBISH & EXTEND EXISTING DWELLING
AT POULAWADDRA, BALLYSEEDY, TRALEE.**

Client: **EMMET KELLY**

Title: **SITE LAYOUT PLAN.**

Scale: **1:500.** Date: **MARCH '13** Drawn: **13003/05**

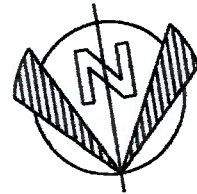
Address: **Curraheen, Tralee, Co. Kerry. Fax/Phone 086-7127578**

Email Address: **kadman1@eircom.net**

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EXISTING SOD AND STONE
BOUNDARY HEDGEROW.

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EXISTING SHED

EXISTING PERCOLATION AREA

EXISTING SEPTIC TANK PUT IN PLACE
BY K.C.C. IN 2006 FOR PREVIOUS OWNERS.

EXISTING SMALL STORE
& OUTSIDE TOILET TO
BE REMOVED TO FACILITATE
NEW EXTENSION TO
EXISTING COTTAGE
SHOWN SHADED THUS.

EXTENT OF EXISTING COTTAGE PRIOR TO
PROPOSED EXTENSION SHADED THUS.

PROPOSED EXTENSION

EXISTING SHED

SOAKAWAY

EXISTING FRONT BOUNDARY WALL

EXISTING PEDESTRIAN ACCESS

EXISTING SOD AND STONE
BOUNDARY HEDGEROW.

NEW PARKING AND TURNING AREA

SOAKAWAY

DRIVEWAY

EAST SIDE OF EXISTING ENTRANCE
RETAINED AS IS AND WEST SIDE
CONSTRUCTED AS SHOWN TO MATCH
EAST SIDE.

EXISTING ROAD BOUNDARY TO
ADJACENT PROPERTY AS SOD
AND STONE DITCH.

PUBLIC ROAD

SITE NOTICE

Site Layout Plan 1:500.

AREA SHOWN OUTLINED IN RED = 0.96 ACRES (0.389 HECTARES)