

**BMA Planning
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**NOTIFICATION OF DECISION TO GRANT PERMISSION
PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ACT 2000 (as amended) AND
PLANNING REGULATIONS THEREUNDER**

Decision Order Number: 0479	Date of Decision: 05-May-2023
Register Reference: SD22A/0398	Date: 13-Apr-2023

Applicant: Greenacre Residential DAC

Development: Construction of a three storey creche and community centre facility of 1, 610sq.m gross floor area with associated external play area; car & cycle parking, hard and soft landscaping, bin storage, a revised layout to the northern edge of Cuil Duin Avenue to accommodate access to the proposed development including amendments to the existing footpath and cycle track and provision of set down car parking spaces and all associated site and development works.

Location: On lands at Cuil Duin Avenue, Citywest, Co. Dublin

Floor Area:

Time extension(s) up to and including:

Additional Information Requested/Received: 09-Dec-2022 /13-Apr-2023

Clarification of Additional Information Requested/Received:

DECISION TO: Pursuant to the Planning & Development Act 2000 (as amended), it is hereby decided, for the reasons set out in the First Schedule hereto, to **GRANT PERMISSION** for the said development in accordance with the said plans and particulars, subject to the conditions specified in the Second Schedule hereto, the reasons for the imposition of the said conditions being as set out in the said Second Schedule and the said decision is subject to the said conditions.

FIRST SCHEDULE

It is considered that the proposed development accords with the policies and objectives of South Dublin County Council, as set out in the South Dublin County Council Development Plan 2022 - 2028 and subject to the condition(s) set out hereunder is thereby in accordance with the proper planning and sustainable development of the area.

SECOND SCHEDULE

Conditions and Reasons:

1. Development to be in accordance with submitted plans and details.
The development shall be carried out and completed in its entirety in accordance with the plans, particulars and specifications lodged with the application, and as amended by Further Information received on 13/04/23, save as may be required by the other conditions attached hereto.
REASON: To ensure that the development shall be in accordance with the permission, and that effective control be maintained.
2. Minimise Air Blown Dust.
During the construction and or demolition phase of the development, Best Practicable Means shall be employed to minimise air blown dust being emitted from the site. This shall include covering skips and slack-heaps, netting of scaffolding, daily washing down of pavements or other public areas, and any other precautions necessary to prevent dust nuisances. The applicant/developer shall comply with British Standard B.S. 5228 Noise Control on Construction and Open sites and British Standard B.S. 6187 Code of Practice for demolition.
REASON: In the interest of public health and to uphold the Council's policies set out in the South Dublin County Council Development Plan.
3. Financial Contribution.
The developer shall pay to the Planning Authority a financial contribution of €69, 005.00 (Sixty nine thousand and five euro), in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefiting development within 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 2021 - 2025, made under Section 48 of the Planning and Development Acts 2000-2011 (as amended).
The contributions under the Scheme shall be payable prior to commencement of development or as otherwise agreed in writing by the Council. Contributions due in respect of permission for retention will become payable immediately on issue of the final grant of permission. Contributions shall be payable at the index adjusted rate pertaining to the year in which implementation of the planning permission is commenced.
REASON: The provision of such facilities will facilitate the proposed development. It is considered reasonable that the payment of a contribution be required, in respect of public infrastructure and facilities benefiting development in the area of the Planning Authority and that is provided, or that is intended will be provided, by or on behalf of the Local Authority.

NOTE RE: CONDITION - Please note that with effect from 1st January 2014, Irish Water is now the statutory body responsible for water services. Further details/clarification can be obtained from Irish Water at Tel. 01 6021000 or by emailing customerservice@water.ie.

4. The open hours for the creche shall be from 7am to 6.30pm on weekdays, unless otherwise agreed with the Planning Authority
REASON: In the interests of orderly development
5. 1. A Mobility Management Plan is to be completed within six months of opening of the proposed development. The Mobility Management Plan shall be submitted for the written agreement of the Planning Authority.
REASON: In the interest of sustainable transport and in compliance with the CDP
6. (a) Prior to commencement a Public Lighting Design for the development must be submitted and agreed by the South Dublin County Council Lighting Department.
(b) Prior to commencement of development, the applicant shall submit a developed Construction & Demolition Waste Management Plan (C&DWMP) for the written agreement of the Planning Authority
(c) Prior to commencement of development, the applicant shall submit the Construction Traffic Management Plan for the written agreement of the Planning Authority.
REASON: In the interests of orderly development
7. It appears to the Planning Authority, the proposed attenuation is significantly under-sized and shared with another development. Prior to the commencement of development, revised attenuation details shall be submitted for the written agreement of the Planning Authority. Thereafter the revised details as agreed shall be implemented on the site. The applicant is advised to liaise with the Drainage Department for discussion in advance of the submission of the required details.
REASON: In the interests of orderly development
8. (a) The Developer shall ensure that there is complete separation of the foul and surface water drainage for the proposed development.
(b) All works for this development shall comply with the requirements of the Greater Dublin Regional Code of Practice for Drainage Works.
REASON: In the interests of Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems
9. (i) The proposed landscaping scheme shown on Landscape Masterplan (Dwg. No. 22262-2-101) shall be implemented in full, within the first planting season following completion of the development, in addition:
 - a) All hard and soft landscape works shall be completed in full accordance with the submitted plans.
 - b) All trees, shrubs and hedge plants supplied shall comply with the requirements of BS: 3936, Specification for Nursery Stock. All pre-planting site preparation, planting and post-planting maintenance works shall be carried out in accordance with the requirements of BS: 4428 (1989) Code of Practice for General Landscape Operations (excluding hard surfaces).
 - c) All new tree plantings shall be positioned in accordance with the requirements of Table 3 of BS 5837: 2012. Trees in Relation to Design, Demolition and Construction – Recommendations.

d) Any trees, shrubs or hedges planted in accordance with this condition which are removed, die, become severely damaged or become seriously diseased within three years of planting shall be replaced within the next planting season by trees, shrubs or hedging plants of similar size and species to those originally required to be planted.

(ii).Retention of Landscape Architect & Certificate of Effective Completion

The Landscape Architect shall be retained by the developer for the duration of the project, to pay periodic site visits to ensure that construction works will not compromise the agreed and approved landscape development, to ensure adequate protection of the existing trees approved for retention and to supervise the implementation of the landscape plans from start to finish.

A certificate of effective completion for the agreed and approved landscape scheme shall be submitted to the Planning Authority upon completion of the landscape works, such certificate to be prepared by the qualified Landscape Architect for the project.

REASON: To ensure that the development achieves a high standard of design, layout and amenity and makes provision for hard and soft landscaping which contributes to the creation of a high quality, accessible, safe and attractive public realm in accordance with relevant policies in the CPD 2022-2028.

10. Prior to the commencement of Development, A detailed play strategy using Nature-based Solutions for the subject site to be submitted and agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority. Such details shall comprise:

- i. a specification of all play equipment to be installed including provision for children with disabilities and special sensory needs;
- ii. a specification of the surface treatment within the play areas; and arrangements for ensuring the safety and security of children using the play areas.

All play equipment and ancillaries shall conform to European Standards EN 1176-1-11 and EN 1177 Playground equipment and surfacing, and to BS/EN standards 2017/18 for Playground Installations for HIC (Head Injury Criterion) and CFH (Critical Fall Height).

REASON: To ensure that the development makes appropriate provision for play and informal recreation in accordance with relevant policies in the CPD 2022-2028.

11. (i) A comprehensive SUDS Management Plan shall be submitted to demonstrate that the proposed SUDS features have reduced the rate of run off into the existing surface water drainage network. A maintenance plan shall also be included as a demonstration of how the system will function following implementation. Additional natural SUDS features shall be incorporated into the proposed drainage system for the development such as, detention basins, filter drains, swales etc. In addition, the applicant shall provide the following:

- Demonstrate the treatment train, biodiversity value and amenity value of the SUDS proposals for the catchment in the residential areas.
- Demonstrate how the proposed natural SUDS features will be incorporated and work within the drainage design for the proposed development including drainage / attenuation calculations for same.
- The applicant shall show further proposed SuDS features for the development such as green roofs, grass areas, channel rills, swales, permeable paving and other such SuDS and show what attenuation capacity is provided by such SuDS. Bio retention tree pits should be designed so that they enable tree pits to both support healthy tree growth while at the same time to help treat and attenuate water coming from hard landscaping areas.
- Natural Suds measures should be detailed to remove/ reduce the requirement for

underground attenuation tanks in line with the development plan objectives.

- Tree Pits to incorporate SuDS bioretention features and sufficient growing medium. SuDS details need to show how the water drains from the road/pavement hard surface into the SUDS tree pit, clearly outlining how SuDS features within the tree pits will function. The applicant is requested to refer to the recently published 'SDCC Sustainable Drainage Explanatory, Design and Evaluation Guide 2022' for acceptable SUDS tree pit details.

(ii) The submitted SuDS scheme shall be implemented within a timescale to be agreed and approved by the Planning Authority and thereafter managed and maintained in accordance with the approved details.

REASON: To prevent the increased risk of flooding and to improve and protect water quality, in accordance with policies under the CDP 2022-2028.

The Developer is advised that under the provisions of the Construction Products Regulation 2013 (No.305/2011-CPR) All products sourced for use in building process must conform with the statutory requirements of the CPR. For more information on these responsibilities see <http://ec.europa.eu/enterprise/sectors/construction/legislation>.

From March 1, 2014, the Building Control (Amendment) Regulations 2013 (SI 80 of 2013) come into effect. All Commencement Notices for works greater than 40sq.m are obliged to be accompanied by a number of certified undertakings as described by these Regulations.

Please note that upon receipt of this document you are obliged to remove the planning site notice in compliance with Article 20 of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended.

Please note that any valid submissions or observations received in accordance with the provisions of the Planning and Development Regulations 2001, as amended, have been considered in the determination of this application.

Signed on behalf of the South Dublin County Council.

Pamela Hughes
for **Senior Planner**

05-May-2023

NOTES

(A) REFUND OF FEES SUBMITTED WITH A PLANNING APPLICATION

Provision is made for a partial refund of fees in the case of certain repeat applications submitted within a period of twelve months where the full standard fee was paid in respect of the first application and where both applications related to developments of the same character or description and to the same site. An application for a refund must be made in writing to the Planning Authority and received by them within a period of two months beginning on the date of the Planning Authority's decision on the second application. For full details of fees, refunds and exemptions the Planning & Development Regulations, 2001 should be consulted.

(A) APPEALS

1. An appeal against the decision may be made to An Bord Pleanála. The applicant or ANY OTHER PERSON who made submissions or observations to the Local Authority may appeal within FOUR WEEKS beginning on the date of this decision. (N.B. Not the date on which the decision is sent or received).
1. Every appeal must be made in writing and must state the subject matter and full grounds of appeal. It must be fully complete from the start. In the case of a third party appeal it must be accompanied by the acknowledgement by the Planning Authority of receipt of the submissions/observations. Appeals should be sent to:
 2. The Secretary, An Bord Pleanála, 64 Marlborough Street, Dublin 1.
3. An Appeal lodged by an applicant/ agent or by a third party with An Bord Pleanála will be invalid unless accompanied by the prescribed fee. A schedule of fees is at 7 below.
4. A party to an appeal making a request to An Bord Pleanála for an Oral Hearing of an appeal must, in addition to the prescribed fee, pay to An Bord Pleanála a further fee (see 7 (g) below).
5. A person who is not a party to an appeal must pay a fee to An Bord Pleanála when making submissions or observations to An Bord Pleanála in relation to an appeal.
6. If the Council makes a decision to grant permission/grant permission consequent on a grant of outline permission and there is no appeal to An Bord Pleanála against this decision, PERMISSION/PERMISSION CONSEQUENT ON A GRANT OF OUTLINE PERMISSION will be granted by the Council as soon as may be after the expiration of the period for the taking of such an appeal. If any appeal made in accordance with the Acts has been withdrawn, the Council will grant the PERMISSION/PERMISSION CONSEQUENT ON A GRANT OF OUTLINE PERMISSION/RETENTION as soon as may be after the withdrawal.
7. Fees payable to An Bord Pleanála from 10th December 2007 are as follows:
 - (a) Appeal against a decision of a Planning Authority on a planning application relating to commercial development made by the person by whom the planning application was made.
where the application relates to unauthorised development €4,500.00 or €9,000 if an E.I.A.R. is involved
 - (b) Appeal against a decision of a planning authority on a planning application relating to commercial development made by the person by whom the planning application was made.
other than an appeal mentioned at (a)..... €1,500.00 or €3,000.00 if an E.I.A.R. is involved
 - (c) Appeal made by the person by whom the planning application was made, where the application relates to unauthorised development other than an appeal mentioned at (a) or (b) €660.00
 - (d) Appeal other than an appeal mentioned at (a), (b), (c) or (f) €220.00
 - (e) Application for leave to appeal €110.00
 - (f) Appeal following a grant of leave to appeal €110.00
 - (g) Referral..... €220.00
 - (h) Reduced fee (payable by specified bodies)..... €110.00
 - (i) Submission or observations (by observer) €50.00
 - (j) Request from a party for an Oral Hearing €50.00

If in doubt regarding any of the above appeal matters, you should contact An Bord Pleanála for clarification at

Telephone 01-858 8100