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Application: 20220827

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE)
(ENGLAND) ORDER 2015 (AS AMENDED)**

NOTIFICATION OF GRANT OF PERMISSION TO DEVELOP LAND
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To: **Mr Alfie Summers
Thornkirk
Meadow Lane
Culverstone
Gravesend
Kent
DA13 0UN**

TAKE NOTICE that the **GRAVESHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL**, the Local Planning Authority under the Town and Country Planning Acts, has **GRANTED PERMISSION** for development of land situate at:

**Thornkirk
Meadow Lane
Culverstone
Gravesend
Kent
DA13 0UN**

and being **Replacement of an existing garage and the erection of an annexe ancillary to the host dwelling** Your application dated 2nd August 2022 is permitted subject to the following:-

1. The development hereby approved shall be begun not later than 3 years following the date of this permission.

Reason: In pursuance of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, as amended by Section 51 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans and particulars:

Cover letter dated 27 July 2022
Application form
OS Plan (dated 27 September 2022)
Proposed Ground Floor Plan / S.E. Elevation
Proposed N.E and S.W. Elevations
Proposed N.W. Elevation
Existing Garage Plans
Existing Site Plan
Proposed Site Plan

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.

3. The materials used the construction of the external surfaces of the development hereby permitted shall match those used in the existing buildings on the site and be in accordance with the details in the application form and proposed elevation drawings.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory visual relationship between the existing and the new development in accordance with Policy CS19 of the Gravesham Local Plan Core Strategy 2014.

4. Within three months of the development commencing, a scheme detailing the proposed hard and soft landscaping associated with the development shall be submitted to and approved, in writing, by the Local Planning Authority. The details shall include:

- (i) the type and species of replacement planting to be carried out around the boundary of the development to include their quantity and size;
- (ii) measures to promote biodiversity enhancement to include planting of native and wildlife attracting species and installation of bat and bird nesting boxes;
- (iii) the type, materials, height and extent of any fences, gates, walls or other means of enclosure;
- (iv) a timetable for implementation.

The approved landscaping scheme shall thereafter be implemented in accordance with the approved timetable and maintained in accordance with the approved details. Any trees or plants that die, are damaged, removed or become diseased within five years from the date of planting shall be replaced with a species of a similar size and species during the next available planting season.

Reason: To ensure an acceptable standard of development upon completion through provision of soft landscaping and to enhance local provisions for wildlife and biodiversity to mitigate habitat lost by development, in accordance with Policies CS12 and CS19 of the Gravesham Local Plan Core Strategy 2014.

5. The development hereby permitted as an annexe / ancillary living accommodation shall only be occupied by persons related to a resident of the main dwellinghouse at any time, and in a manner in conjunction with the original dwellinghouse at Thornkirk, Meadow Lane, Meopham, as a (combined) single planning unit and shall not be used, let or sold at any time as a self-contained, separate unit of living accommodation.

Reason: To safeguard against subdivision of the existing single residential dwelling that would facilitate independent occupation of the extension, as a separate unit of accommodation would be inappropriate on this site in the Green Belt, in accordance with Policies CS02 and CS19 of the Gravesham Local Plan Core Strategy 2014.

6. Notwithstanding the provisions of Part 2, Class A of Schedule 2 to the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015, as amended (or any provision equivalent to those classes in any Order revoking or re-enacting that Order) no gate, fence or other means of enclosure shall be erected or constructed on the site which would have the effect of subdividing the existing residential curtilage.

Reason: To safeguard against subdivision of the existing single residential curtilage that would facilitate independent occupation of the extension, as a separate unit of accommodation would be inappropriate on this site, in accordance with Policies CS02 and CS19 of the Gravesham Local Plan Core Strategy 2014.

7. Notwithstanding the provisions of Part 1 of Schedule 2 of Article 3 to the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015, as amended (or any provision equivalent to that Order in any statutory instrument replacing, revoking or re-enacting that Order with or without modification), no enlargement, improvement or other alteration of the ancillary building hereby permitted shall be carried out, including

any additional doors, windows or other openings, or any dormers, roof lights or other roof alterations, or any porch constructed or erected outside any external door, without the grant of further specific planning permission from the Local Planning Authority.

Reason: In order that any further enlargement, improvement or other alteration of the annexe building may be the subject of a separate planning application which the Local Planning Authority would wish to consider on its merits, having regard to adopted planning policy and guidance, and the amenity of nearby residents and in accordance with Policy CS19 of Gravesham Local Plan Core Strategy 2014.

INFORMATIVES:-

1 DEVIATION FROM APPROVED PLANS

It is possible that any proposed deviation from the approved plans could be classed as a 'material' change requiring a further application/permission. In the event that any change is proposed, applicants are advised to seek advice from the Local Planning Authority [as proceeding without the necessary permissions could nullify this permission].

2 BUILDING REGULATIONS AND PARTY WALL ACT

This decision DOES NOT imply any consent which may be required under the Building Regulations or under any other enactment or provision. Nor does it override any private rights which any person may have relating to the land affected by this decision, including the provisions of the Party Wall etc. Act 1996.

3 Public Rights of Way NS293 lies to the south of the site and may be affected by the application.

A public right of way must not be stopped up, diverted, obstructed or the surface disturbed and there must be no encroachment on the current width, at any time now or in future. This includes any building materials or waste generated during any of the construction phases. Please note that no furniture or fixtures may be erected on or across Public Rights of Way without the express consent of the Highways Authority.

4 STATEMENT OF POSITIVE AND PROACTIVE APPROACH TO DECISION-MAKING

In accordance with Article 35 (2) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended), and paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) 2021, the Local Planning Authority has approached the assessment and determination of this application in a positive and creative way and, where appropriate, has worked pro-actively with the applicant to secure a development that is sustainable and that improves the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area, and that is in accordance with the Development Plan for the area.

5 WORKS OF CONSTRUCTION

Hours of work of construction site plant, equipment and machinery, should be restricted to not earlier than 7.00 a.m. and not later than 6.00 p.m. weekdays and Saturday working should be restricted to not earlier than 8.00a.m. and not later than 1.00 p.m. No work shall be carried out on Sundays, Bank or Public Holidays.

i. Suitable sound attenuation shall be used at all times in respect of all plant, machinery and equipment in operation on site in order to aid prevention of noise nuisance. Compliance with BS 5228: Part 1: 1984 and subsequent amendments regarding the use of equipment on site will be required in appropriate cases.

ii. A suitable method of control shall be used in order to aid prevention of dust nuisance arising from work activities on site.

iii. Burning of waste materials shall not be carried out on site. Such materials are to be stored in a suitable receptacle, as far from residential accommodation as reasonably practicable, pending disposal off site.

iv. Adequate arrangements shall be made to remove all waste material from the site on a regular basis and to dispose of it at a suitably licensed waste disposal site.

Dated: 27 September 2022

Civic Centre
Windmill Street
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### **NOTIFICATION TO APPLICANT**

#### **APPEALS TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

- If you are aggrieved by the decision of your Local Planning Authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
- If this is a **householder application\*** which has been refused and you want to appeal against your Local Planning Authority's decision then you must do so within **12 weeks of the date of this notice**.
- For all other applications, refused or permitted, if you want to appeal against your Local Planning Authority's decision then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice.
- **Appeals must be made using a form which you can obtain from the Planning Inspectorate at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN; telephone: 0303 444 5000; email: [enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@pins.gsi.gov.uk) or online at [www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs](http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs).**
- The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but he will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.
- The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to him that the Local Planning Authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions they imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.
- In practice, the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the Local Planning Authority based their decision on a direction given by him.

#### **\*Householder applications**

These are:

- (a) applications for planning permission for development of an existing dwellinghouse, or development within the curtilage of such a dwellinghouse for any purpose incidental to the enjoyment of the dwellinghouse, or

- (b) an application for any consent, agreement or approval required by or under a planning permission, development order or local development order in relation to such development

but does **not** include –

- (i) an application for change of use;
- (ii) an application to change the number of dwellings in a building.

### **PURCHASE NOTICES**

If either the Local Planning Authority or the Secretary of State for the Environment refuses permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he/she can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor can he/she render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted.

In these circumstances, the owner may serve a purchase notice on the Council (District Council, London Borough Council or Common Council of the City of London) in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.