

TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL

Planning Services

Council Offices, Thorpe Road, Weeley, Clacton-on-Sea, Essex CO16 9AJ

AGENT: Mr Andy Cameron - Wright

APPLICANT: Chris Bloyce Ruffell Cameron 21 Johnson Road

Beaver House St Osvth

Plough Road Centre Clacton On Sea

Plough Road Essex **Great Bentley** CO16 8PL Essex CO7 8LG

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

APPLICATION NO: 20/00767/FUL **DATE REGISTERED:** 16th June 2020

Proposed Development and Location of Land:

Proposed two storey rear extension. 21 Johnson Road St Osyth Clacton On Sea Essex

THE TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL AS LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITY HEREBY **REFUSE PLANNING PERMISSION** in accordance with the application form, supporting documents and plans submitted for the following reason(s)

1 Paragraph 127 of the National Planning Policy Framework (2019) states Planning policies and decisions should ensure that developments: ... f) create places that are safe, inclusive and accessible and which promote health and well-being, with a high standard of amenity for existing and future users...

Saved Policy QL11 of the adopted Tendring District Local Plan (2007) requires that all new development should be compatible with surrounding land uses and minimise any adverse environmental impacts. Development will only be permitted if a number of criteria are met, with one criterion being that the development should not have a materially damaging impact on the privacy, daylight or other amenities of occupiers of nearby properties. Policy SPL3, at Part B e., of the emerging Tendring District Local Plan 2013-2033 and Beyond Publication Draft (June 2017) also refers to such requirements.

The Essex Design Guide confirms that obstruction of light and outlook from an existing window is avoided if the extension does not result in the centre of the existing window being within a combined plan and section 45 degree overshadowing zone.

The proposal would fail to retain a sufficient degree of residential amenity to the occupiers of the attached house in the pair of semi-detached houses of which the application property forms part. The proposed first floor built form by reason of its depth in combination with its proximity to a rear window of 23 Johnson Road would create a sense of enclosure and loss of outlook from that window to a degree which, in the opinion of the local planning authority, would represent a material detrimental impact to the residential amenity of the occupiers of 23 Johnson Road. As such the proposal is contrary to paragraph 127 at f) of the National Planning Policy Framework, in that its creation would not have a high standard of amenity, and would be contrary to Policy QL11 of the adopted Local Plan and contrary to Policy SPL3 of the emerging Local Plan. **DATED:** 11th August 2020

SIGNED:

Graham Nourse Acting Assistant Director

Planning Service

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:-

The local planning authority considers that the following policies and proposals in the development plan are relevant to the above decision:

NPPF National Planning Policy Framework February 2019

National Planning Practice Guidance

Tendring District Local Plan 2007

QL9 Design of New Development

QL10 Designing New Development to Meet Functional Needs

QL11 Environmental Impacts and Compatibility of Uses

HG9 Private Amenity Space

TR7 Vehicle Parking at New Development

Tendring District Local Plan 2013-2033 and Beyond Publication Draft (June 2017)

SP1 Presumption in Favour of Sustainable Development

SPL3 Sustainable Design

CP2 Improving the Transport Network

Local Planning Guidance

Essex County Council Car Parking Standards - Design and Good Practice

Essex Design Guide

Positive and Proactive Statement

The Local Planning Authority has acted positively and proactively in determining this application by identifying matters of concern with the proposal and determining the application within a timely manner, clearly setting out the reasons for refusal, allowing the Applicant the opportunity to consider the harm caused and whether or not it can be remedied by a revision to the proposal. The Local Planning Authority is willing to meet with the Applicant to discuss the best course of action and is also willing to provide pre-application advice in respect of any future application for a revised development.

The attached notes explain the rights of appeal.

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE

WHEN PLANNING PERMISSION IS REFUSED OR GRANTED SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS

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 you want to appeal, then you must do so within the set time frame as outlined below:
 - a. If this is a decision to refuse planning permission for a householder application, if 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. A Householder Appeal Form is required, available online at https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate
 - b. If this is a decision to refuse planning permission for a minor commercial application, if 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. A **Planning Appeal Form** is required, available online at https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate
 - c. If you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on a development which is not caught by a. and b. above then you must do so within **6 months** of the date of this notice. A **Planning Appeal Form** is required, available online at https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate
- Appeals must be made using the relevant form (as detailed above) which you can get from the Secretary of State at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN (Tel: 0303 444 5000) or online at https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate. Please note, only the applicant possesses the right of appeal.
- The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but 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 the Secretary of State that the local planning authority could not have granted permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions imposed having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.
- If you intend to submit an appeal that you would like examined by inquiry then you must notify the Local Planning Authority and Planning Inspectorate (inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk) at least 10 days before submitting the appeal. Further details are on GOV.UK.

ENFORCEMENT

• If this is a decision on a planning application relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as is already the subject of an enforcement notice, if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.

If an enforcement notice is served relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as in your application and if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of service of the enforcement notice, or within 6 months (12 weeks in the case of a householder or minor commercial appeal) of the date of this notice, whichever period expires earlier.