AGENT: Steve Norman 37 Gilderdale Close

Colchester Essex CO4 0NL **APPLICANT:** Mr & Mrs Brazier

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#### **TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**

**APPLICATION NO:** 20/01290/FUL **DATE REGISTERED:** 18th September 2020

Proposed Development and Location of the Land:

Erection of replacement detached dwelling and demolition of existing dwelling with alterations to existing vehicular access. Demolition of existing agricultural/domestic buildings and erection of replacement agricultural/domestic buildings.

**Bush Farm Hall Road Great Bromley Colchester** 

THE TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL AS LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITY <u>HEREBY GRANT PLANNING PERMISSION</u> in accordance with the application form, supporting documents and plans submitted, subject to the following conditions;

- Within 1 month of the new dwelling being first occupied the existing dwelling shall be demolished and all materials resulting therefrom shall be cleared from the site in accordance with a scheme to be agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
  - Reason The site lies outside any defined settlement limits where strict policies of constraint apply to new dwellings.
- The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans: Drawing number: 1709/1 Rev F, 1709/18 Rev C, 1709/19 Rev C, 1709/2 Rev B, 1709/22 Rev A, 1709/23 Rev A, 1709/24 Rev A, 1709/4 and 1709/3.
  - Reason For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.
- Proposed buildings 3 & 4, shown on the 'Site Layout' drawing (drawing no. 1709/1 Rev F) shall only be used for agricultural purposes unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
  - Reason To ensure the level of domestic accommodation remains ancillary to the main dwelling as the site lies outside any defined settlement limits where strict policies of constraint apply to new dwellings.
- 4 Prior to occupation of the hereby approved dwelling details of the provision, siting, design and materials of screen walls and fences shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The approved screen walls and fences shall be erected prior to the dwelling being occupied and thereafter be retained in the approved form.

- Reason In the interests of visual amenity and to preserve the landscape quality of the surrounding countryside.
- Prior to first occupation of the hereby approved dwelling, details of the hard and soft landscaping shall be submitted to and approved, in writing, by the Local Planning Authority.
  - Reason There are insufficient details within the submitted plans and this is a publicly visible area in a rural location where such development must be suitably integrated into the landscape.
- All changes in ground levels, hard landscaping, planting, seeding or turfing shown on the approved landscaping details shall be carried out during the first planting and seeding season (October March inclusive) following the commencement of the development or in such other phased arrangement as may be agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority. Any trees or shrubs which, within a period of 5 years of being planted die, are removed or seriously damaged or seriously diseased shall be replaced in the next planting season with others of similar size and species, unless the Local Planning Authority agrees in writing to a variation of the previously approved details.
  - Reason To ensure that the landscaping scheme is suitably implemented within an appropriate timescale.
- Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 3, Schedule 2 Part 1 Class A, B, C and D of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification), no extensions, alterations or additions to the dwelling or its roof shall be erected except in accordance with drawings showing the design and siting of such building(s) or enclosure(s) which shall previously have been submitted to and approved, in writing, by the Local Planning Authority.
  - Reason In the interests of visual amenity and to preserve the character of the development and landscape quality of the surrounding countryside.
- Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 3, Schedule 2 Part 1 Class E and Schedule 2 Part 2 Class A of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification), no provision of buildings, enclosures, swimming or other pool shall be erected except in accordance with drawings showing the design and siting of such building(s) or enclosure(s) which shall previously have been submitted to and approved, in writing, by the Local Planning Authority.
  - Reason In the interests of visual amenity and to preserve the landscape quality of the surrounding countryside.
- 9 Prior to occupation of the development, the remaining access at its centre line shall be provided with a clear to ground visibility splay with dimensions of 2.4 metres by the site maximum in both directions, as measured from and along the nearside edge of the carriageway. Such vehicular visibility splays shall be provided before the access is first used by vehicular traffic and retained free of any obstruction at all times.
  - Reason To provide adequate inter-visibility between vehicles using the access and those in the existing public highway in the interest of highway safety.
- 10 The vehicular access shall be constructed to a width of 5.5m and shall be provided with

an appropriate dropped kerb vehicular crossing of the footway/highway verge to the specifications of the Highway Authority.

Reason - To ensure that all vehicles using the private drive access do so in a controlled manner and to ensure that opposing vehicles may pass clear of the limits of the highway, in the interests of highway safety.

11 There shall be no discharge of surface water onto the Highway.

Reason - To prevent hazards caused by water flowing onto the highway and to avoid the formation of ice on the highway in the interest of highway safety.

No unbound materials shall be used in the surface treatment of the proposed vehicular access within 10m of the highway boundary.

Reason - To ensure that loose materials are not brought out onto the highway, in the interests of highway safety.

Any gates provided at the vehicular access shall be inward opening only and shall be set back a minimum of 6 metres from the back edge of the highway.

Reason - To enable vehicles using the access to stand clear of the highway whilst gates are being opened and closed and to allow parking off street and not causing an obstruction or hindrance to use in the interest of highway safety.

The existing southern access shall be suitably and permanently closed to the satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority, incorporating the reinstatement of the highway verge to the satisfaction the Highway Authority immediately the proposed new access is brought into use.

Reason - To ensure the removal of and to preclude the creation of unnecessary points of traffic conflict in the highway in the interests of highway safety.

All new driveways, parking areas and areas of hardstanding shall be made of porous materials, or provision shall be made to direct run-off water from the hard surface to a permeable or porous area within the site area.

Reason - In the interests of sustainable development and to minimise the risk of surface water flooding.

Any new boundary planting shall be planted a minimum of 1 metre back from the highway boundary and any visibility splay.

Reason - To ensure that the future outward growth of the hedge does not encroach upon the highway or interfere with the passage of users of the highway and to preserve the integrity of the highway, in the interests of highway safety.

**DATED:** 23rd December 2020 **SIGNED:** 

Graham Nourse 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

HG12 Extensions to or Replacement of Dwellings Outside Settlement Development Boundaries

EN1 Landscape Character

EN16 Agricultural and Related Development

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

SP1 Presumption in Favour of Sustainable Development

SPL1 Managing Growth

SPL3 Sustainable Design

LP4 Housing Layout

PPL3 The Rural Landscape

Positive and Proactive Statement

The Local Planning Authority has acted positively and proactively in determining this application by assessing the proposal against all material considerations, including planning policies and any representations that may have been received and subsequently determining to grant planning permission in accordance with the presumption in favour of sustainable development, as set out within the National Planning Policy Framework.

**Highways Informatives** 

The applicant must ensure that no mud or detritus is taken onto the highway, such measures include provision of wheel cleaning facilities and sweeping/cleaning of the highway Under Section 148 of the Highways Act 1980 it is an offence to deposit mud, detritus etc. on the highway. In addition, under Section 161 any person, depositing anything on a highway which results in a user of the highway being injured or endangered is guilty of an offence.

On the completion of the Development, all roads, footways/paths, cycle ways, covers, gratings, fences, barriers, grass verges, trees, and any other street furniture within the Site and in the area it covers and any neighbouring areas affected by it, must be left in a fully functional repaired/renovated state to a standard accepted by the appropriate statutory authority.

All work within or affecting the highway is to be laid out and constructed by prior arrangement with and to the requirements and specifications of the Highway Authority; all details shall be agreed before the commencement of works.

The applicants should be advised to contact the Development Management Team by email at development.management@essexhighways.org or by post to:

SMO1 - Development Management Team Ardleigh Depot, Harwich Road, Ardleigh, Colchester, CO7 7LT

Under Section 23 of the Land Drainage Act 1991, prior written consent from the Environment Agency is required to build any culvert (pipe) or structure (such as a dam or weir) to control or alter the flow of water within an ordinary watercourse. Ordinary watercourses include ditches, drains and any other networks of water which are not classed as Main River.

If you believe you need to apply for consent, please contact the Environment Agency as soon as possible to discuss your plans. Planning permission does not negate the requirement for consent, and full details of the work you propose will be required at least two months before you intend to start. Once preliminary details have been agreed, you will be asked you to fill in an application form, which must be returned with the appropriate fee.

Please call the Environment Agency on 08708 506 506 and ask for the Essex Development and Flood Risk Team to discuss this requirement further.

<u>Standard Informative 1:</u> The Provisions of the Essex Act 1987, Section 13 (Access for the Fire Brigade) may apply to this Development and will be determined at Building Regulation Stage.

<u>Standard Informative 2:</u> You are reminded that the carrying out of building works requires approval under the Building Regulations in many cases as well as a grant of planning permission. If you are in doubt as to whether or not the work, the subject of this planning permission, requires such approval, then you are invited to contact the Building Control section at Tendring District Council.

<u>Standard Informative 3:</u> If the development includes the construction of a new building on or at the boundary of 2 properties, work to an existing party wall or party structure or involve excavation near to and below the foundation level of neighbouring buildings, you are advised that the provisions of the Party Wall Act 1996 may apply to this development. An explanatory booklet concerning the implications of this Act is available online or from the District Council.

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 <a href="https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate">https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate</a>
  - 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 <a href="https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate">https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate</a>
  - 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 <a href="https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate">https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate</a>
- 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 <a href="https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate">https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate</a>. 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.