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

**APPLICATION NO:** 22/01845/FUL **DATE REGISTERED:** 18th November 2022

Proposed Development and Location of the Land:

Proposed new dwelling following planning approval under 20/00200/OUT. Rookwood Stables Brightlingsea Road Thorrington Essex

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;

1 COMPLIANCE: TIME LIMIT

The development hereby permitted shall be begun before the expiration of three years from the date of this permission.

REASON: To comply with the requirements of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, as amended by the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

# 2 COMPLIANCE: APPROVED PLANS AND DOCUMENTS

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the drawings/documents listed below (including materials details and block paving details) and/or such other drawings/documents as may be approved by the local planning authority in writing pursuant to other conditions of this permission or such drawings/documents as may subsequently be approved in writing by the local planning authority as a non-material amendment following an application in that regard.

- P04A Amended Site Plan
- P01 Proposed Elevations and Layout
- P02 Block Plan
- P03 Construction Method Statement (subject to amendments within Condition 4)

REASON: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper phased planning of the development.

## 3 COMPLIANCE: EV CHARGING

The EV charging points shown on approved drawing number P01 shall be provided prior to the occupation of the dwelling hereby approved and maintained in the approved form in working order thereafter.

REASON: For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper phased planning of the development and to provide facilities for drivers of Electric Vehicles and to support and encourage the use of low or no emission vehicles.

#### 4 COMPLIANCE: CONSTRUCTION WORKS & VEHICLES

Notwithstanding the Construction Method Statement details shown on approved drawing number P03, no construction works or deliveries in connection with the development shall take place outside the hours of:

- 07:30 to 19:00 Monday to Friday
- 08:00 to 13:00 Saturdays

with the exception of any piling or other percussive works which shall not take place outside the hours of 08:00 hours to 17:00 hours Monday to Friday.

No working of any kind is permitted on Sundays or any Public/Bank Holidays.

REASON: In the interests of highway safety and residential amenities.

## 5 COMPLIANCE: TREE PROTECTION MEASURES

The tree protection measures Appendix No 1 - BS 5837:2012 Figure 2 Protective Barrier and Appendix No 2 - BS 5837:2012 Figure 3 Details of Protective Barrier where construction encroaches within BS5837:2012 Root Protection Area (RPA) shown on approved drawing number P01 shall be erected prior to any demolition, site clearance or construction works and retained throughout the construction phase of the development hereby approved.

REASON: To ensure the retention of existing trees on site, in the interests of visual amenity and the quality of the development.

# 6 SPECIFIC RESTRICTION ON DEVELOPMENT: REMOVAL OF PD FOR ENCLOSURES

Notwithstanding Section 55 (2)(a)(ii) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended and the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015, Schedule 2, Part 2 Minor operations, Class A (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification):- no fence, gate, wall or any other means of enclosure, shall be erected forward of the front elevation of the dwelling hereby approved, except pursuant to the grant of planning permission on an application made in that regard.

REASON: In the interests of the visual amenity and the quality of the development and to ensure the parking and turning areas remain unobstructed.

#### 7 COMPLIANCE: IN ACCORDANCE WITH ECOLOGICAL APPRAISAL

All mitigation and enhancement measures and/or works shall be carried out in accordance with the details contained in the Preliminary Roost Assessment dated

09.02.2023. This may include the appointment of an appropriately competent person e.g. an ecological clerk of works (ECoW) to provide on-site ecological expertise during construction. The appointed person shall undertake all activities, and works shall be carried out, in accordance with the approved details.

REASON: To conserve and enhance protected and Priority species and allow the LPA to discharge its duties under the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 (as amended), the Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 as amended and s40 of the NERC Act 2006 (Priority habitats & species).

## 8 PRIOR TO OCCUPATION: WILDLIFE SENSITIVE LIGHTING DESIGN SCHEME

Prior to the installation of any external lighting to serve the development hereby approved, a lighting design scheme for biodiversity shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority. The scheme shall identify those features on site that are particularly sensitive for bats and that are likely to cause disturbance along important routes used for foraging; and show how and where external lighting will be installed (through the provision of appropriate lighting contour plans, drawings and technical specifications) so that it can be clearly demonstrated that areas to be lit will not disturb or prevent bats using their territory.

All external lighting shall be installed in accordance with the specifications and locations set out in the approved details and maintained thereafter in accordance with the scheme. Under no circumstances should any other external lighting be installed without prior consent from the local planning authority.

REASON: To allow the LPA to discharge its duties under the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 (as amended), the Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 as amended and s40 of the NERC Act 2006 (Priority habitats & species).

## 9 FURTHER APPROVAL: BIODIVERSITY ENHANCEMENT STRATEGY

Prior to any works above slab level, a Biodiversity Enhancement Strategy for protected and Priority species shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority. The content of the Biodiversity Enhancement Strategy shall include the following:

- a) Purpose and conservation objectives for the proposed enhancement measures;
- b) detailed designs or product descriptions to achieve stated objectives;
- c) locations, orientations, and heights of proposed enhancement measures by appropriate maps and plans;
- d) timetable for implementation demonstrating that works are aligned with the proposed phasing of development;
- e) persons responsible for implementing the enhancement measures;
- details of initial aftercare and long-term maintenance (where relevant).

The works shall be implemented in accordance with the approved details prior to occupation and shall be retained in that manner thereafter.

REASON: To enhance protected and Priority species & habitats and allow the LPA to discharge its duties under the NPPF 2021 and s40 of the NERC Act 2006 (Priority habitats & species).

## 10 COMPLIANCE: PARKING & TURNING PRIOR TO OCCUPATION

Prior to the occupation of the dwelling hereby approved, the associated parking and

turning shall be provided in accordance with approved drawing numbers:

- P04A Amended Site Plan

- P01 Proposed Elevations and Layout

- P02 Block Plan

The approved parking and turning areas serving the dwelling hereby approved, shall be maintained in this approved form.

REASON: To ensure that vehicles using the site access do so in a controlled manner, in the interests of highway safety.

## 11 FURTHER APPROVAL: CONTAMINATED LAND RISK ASSESSMENT

No development shall commence, other than that required to carry out additional necessary investigation which in this case includes demolition, site clearance, removal of underground tanks and old structures, until an investigation and risk assessment has been submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority.

The risk assessment shall assess the nature and extent of any contamination on the site, whether or not it originates on the site. The investigation and risk assessment must be undertaken by competent persons and a written report of the findings must be produced. The report of the findings must include:

- a. a survey of extent, scale and nature of contamination.
- b. an assessment of the potential risks to:
- Human health,
- Property (existing or proposed) including buildings, crops, livestock, pets, woodland and service lines and pipes,
- Adioining land.
- Groundwaters and surface waters,
- Ecological systems; and,
- Archaeological sites and ancient monuments.
- c. an appraisal of remedial options, and proposal of the preferred option(s).

The development hereby permitted shall not commence until the mitigation and remedial measures set out in the approved report have been implemented.

REASON - To ensure that any risks (to future users of the land and neighbouring land and to controlled waters, property and ecological systems) arising from any land contamination are minimised and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors.

Note - The assessment required shall be conducted by competent persons and in accordance with the Essex Contaminated Land Consortium's 'Land Affected by Contamination: Technical Guidance for Applicants and Developers' and DEFRA and the Environment Agency's 'Model Procedures for the Management of Land Contamination, CLR 11' and other current guidance deemed authoritative for the purposes.

## 12 FURTHER APPROVAL: RESIDENTIAL TRAVEL PACK PRIOR TO OCCUPATION

Prior to first occupation of the dwelling hereby approved, a Residential Travel Information Pack (travel pack) shall be provided to its first occupiers. The travel pack shall be agreed, in writing, by the local planning authority prior to provision and shall include a

minimum of six one day travel vouchers for use with a local transport operator.

REASON: In the interests of reducing the need to travel by car and promoting sustainable development and transport.

Note: Please contact the Travel Plan Team at ECC Highways via email to Travel.PlanTeam@essex.gov.uk to obtain a Residential Travel Information Pack template and the associated day travel vouchers required.

#### 13 FURTHER APPROVAL: FENCES AND ENCLOSURES

No above ground works shall take place until a plan indicating the positions, design, materials and type of boundary treatment to be erected shall be submitted to and approved by the local planning authority. The approved boundary treatment shall be implemented before the dwelling hereby permitted is occupied and retained in this approved form unless otherwise agreed in writing by the local planning authority.

REASON: In the interests of providing adequate privacy for occupiers of the development and in the interests of visual amenity and quality of the development on this edge of settlement location.

**DATED:** 10th March 2023 **SIGNED:** 

John Pateman-Gee Planning Manager

## NATIONAL & LOCAL PLAN POLICIES AND GUIDANCE RELEVANT TO THIS DECISION:

National:

National Planning Policy Framework July 2021 (NPPF)

National Planning Practice Guidance (NPPG)

Local:

Tendring District Local Plan 2013-2033 and Beyond North Essex Authorities' Shared Strategic Section 1 Plan (adopted January 2021)

SP1 Presumption in Favour of Sustainable Development

SP2 Recreational disturbance Avoidance and Mitigation Strategy (RAMS)

SP3 Spatial Strategy for North Essex

SP4 Meeting Housing Needs

SP7 Place Shaping Principles

Tendring District Local Plan 2013-2033 and Beyond Section 2 (adopted January 2022)

SPL1 Managing Growth

SPL2 Settlement Development Boundaries

SPL3 Sustainable Design

LP1 Housing Supply

LP2 Housing Choice

LP3 Housing Density and Standards

LP4 Housing Layout

LP8 Backland Residential Development

PPL4 Biodiversity and Geodiversity

PPL5 Water Conservation, Drainage and Sewerage

PPL10 Renewable Energy Generation

CP1 Sustainable Transport and Accessibility

DI1 Infrastructure Delivery and Impact Mitigation

Supplementary Planning Documents

Essex Coast Recreational Disturbance Avoidance and Mitigation Strategy SPD 2020 (RAMS)

Essex Design Guide

Local Planning Guidance

Essex County Council Car Parking Standards - Design and Good Practice

## **INFORMATIVES:**

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.

Legal Agreement Informative - Recreational Impact Mitigation

This application is the subject of a legal agreement and this decision should only be read in conjunction with this agreement. The agreement addresses the following issues: mitigation against any recreational impact from residential developments in accordance with Regulation 63 of the Conservation of Habitat and Species Regulations 2017. Please note that any subsequent variation / removal of condition applications (s73 applications) will require a new legal agreement to secure this obligation unless the development has commenced (subject to all necessary condition discharges) and the contribution has already been paid.

#### Highways Informatives

1: 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

- 2: 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.
- 3: The Highway Authority cannot accept any liability for costs associated with a developer's improvement. This includes design check safety audits, site supervision, commuted sums for maintenance and any potential claims under Part 1 and Part 2 of the Land Compensation Act 1973. To protect the Highway Authority against such compensation claims a cash deposit or bond may be required.
- 4: Mitigating and adapting to a changing climate is a national and Essex County Council priority. The Climate Change Act 2008 (amended in 2019) commits the UK to achieving net-zero by 2050. In Essex, the Essex Climate Action Commission proposed 160+ recommendations for climate action. Essex County Council is working with partners to achieve specific goals by 2030, including net zero carbon development. All those active in the development sector should have regard to these goals and applicants are invited to sign up to the Essex Developers' Group Climate Charter [2022] and to view the advice contained in the Essex Design Guide. Climate Action Advice guides for residents, businesses and schools are also available.
- 5: Areas within the curtilage of the site for the purpose of the reception and storage of building materials shall be identified clear of the highway, to ensure that appropriate loading / unloading facilities are available to ensure that the highway is not obstructed during the construction period in the interest of highway safety.

<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.