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## **PLANNING DECISION NOTICE**

APPLICANT:	Monson Homes Ltd
DEVELOPMENT TYPE:	Minor Dwellings
APPLICATION REFERENCE:	17/01423/FULL
PROPOSAL:	Demolition of garages and erection of 2 No. dwellings with 7 No. parking spaces
ADDRESS:	Garages To The Rear Of 17 Tutsham Way, Paddock Wood, Tonbridge, Kent

The Council hereby **GRANTS** permission/consent for the proposal referred to above subject to the following Conditions:

(1) The development hereby permitted shall be begun before the expiration of 3 years from the date of this decision.

Reason: To comply with the requirements 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 not be carried out except in complete accordance with the details shown on the following submitted plans:

Proposed site plan, drawing number 692 069 PL02, received 27/04/17 Proposed GA Plans, drawing number 692 069 PL03, received 27/02/17 Proposed Elevations, drawing number 692 069 PL04, received 27/02/17

Reason: To clarify which plans have been approved

(3) Written details, including source and manufacturer and samples available to view on site, of all bricks, tiles and cladding materials to be used externally shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority before the development is commenced and the development shall be carried out using the approved external materials.

Reason: In the interests of visual amenity

- (4) The development hereby permitted shall not be commenced until the following components of a scheme to deal with the risks associated with contamination of the site have been submitted to and approved, in writing, by the local planning authority:
  - a) A preliminary risk assessment which has identified:
    - all previous uses
    - potential contaminants associated with those uses
    - a conceptual model of the site indicating sources, pathways and receptors
    - potentially unacceptable risks arising from contamination at the site.
  - b) A site investigation, based on (a) to provide information for a detailed assessment of the risk to all receptors that may be affected, including those off site.
  - c) A remediation method statement (RMS) based on the site investigation results and the detailed risk assessment (b). This should give full details of the remediation measures required and how they are to be undertaken. The RMS should also include a verification plan to detail the data that will be collected in order to demonstrate that the works set out in the RMS are complete and identifying any requirements for longer-term monitoring of pollutant linkages, maintenance and arrangements for contingency action.
  - d) A Closure Report is submitted upon completion of the works. The closure report shall include full verification details as set out in c. This should include details of any post remediation sampling and analysis, together with documentation certifying quantities and source/destination of any material brought onto or taken from the site. Any material brought onto the site shall be certified clean;

Any changes to these components require the express consent of the local planning authority. The scheme shall thereafter be implemented as approved.

Reason: The details are to be provided pre-commencement to ensure that risks from land contamination to the future users of the land and neighbouring land are minimised, together with those to controlled waters, property and ecological systems, and to ensure that the development can be carried out safely without unacceptable risks to workers, neighbours and other offsite receptors.

(5) Prior to commencement of any works including clearance or demolition hereby permitted, all trees to be retained must be protected by barriers and/or ground protection in accordance with the submitted Tree Protection Plan submitted as part of the Arboricultural Report and no equipment, machinery or materials shall be brought onto the site prior to the erection of approved barriers and/or ground protection except to carry out pre commencement operations approved in writing by the local planning authority. These measures shall be maintained until all equipment, machinery and surplus materials have been removed from the site. Nothing shall be stored or placed, nor fires lit, within any of the protected areas. No alterations shall be made to the siting of barriers and/or ground protection, nor ground levels changed, nor excavations made within these areas without the written consent of the local planning authority;

Reason: The details are to be provided pre-commencement to ensure the development can be carried out while safeguarding existing trees to be retained and to ensure a satisfactory setting and external appearance to the development.

(6) Prior to the completion or first occupation of the development, whichever is the sooner, a landscape scheme designed in accordance with the principles of the Council's landscape character guidance shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority. The scheme shall show all existing trees, hedges and blocks of landscaping on, and immediately adjacent to, the site and indicate whether they are to be retained or removed. The landscape scheme shall specifically provide details of all new tree planting and the hedge along the north east boundary.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory setting and external appearance to the development.

(7) The landscaping shall be implemented in accordance with the approved landscape scheme and associated landscape and arboricultural details unless the Local Planning Authority gives written consent to any variation and shall be carried out during the first planting season following completion or first occupation of the development which ever is the sooner. Any seeding or turfing which fails to establish or any trees or plants which, within five years from the first occupation of a property, commencement of use or adoption of land, die or become so seriously damaged or diseased that their long term amenity value has been adversely affected shall be replaced in the next planting season with plants of the same species and size as detailed in the approved landscape scheme unless the local planning authority gives written consent to any variation.

Reason: To ensure a satisfactory setting and external appearance to the development.

(8) The proposed boundary treatments as shown on the approved drawings shall be implemented prior to the first occupation of the building hereby permitted and shall thereafter be retained.

Reason: In the interests of protecting the character and amenities of the locality.

(9) The area shown on drawing 692 069 PL02 as vehicle parking space shall be provided before the use is commenced or the premises occupied, and shall be retained for the use of the occupiers of, and visitors to, the development, and no permanent development, whether or not permitted by the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (As Amended) (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order), shall be carried out on that area of land so shown or in such a position as to preclude vehicular access to this reserved parking space.

Reason: Development without provision of adequate accommodation for the parking of vehicles is likely to lead to parking inconvenient to other road users

(10) Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order), no windows or similar openings shall be constructed in the roof of the building, other than as hereby approved.

Reason: In the interests of the amenity of occupants of the adjoining property.

(11) Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and/or re-enacting that Order), no development shall be carried out within Classes A and B of Part 1 of Schedule 2 of that Order (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order).

Reason: In the interests of protecting the character and amenities.

## Informatives:

- (1) As the development involves demolition and / or construction, it is recommended that the applicant is made aware of the Mid Kent Environmental Code of Development Practice. Broad compliance with this document is expected.
- (2) Adequate and suitable measures should be carried out for the minimisation of asbestos fibres during demolition, so as to prevent airborne fibres from affecting workers carrying out the work, and nearby properties. Only contractors licensed by the Health and Safety Executive should be employed. Any redundant materials removed from the site should be transported by a registered waste carrier and disposed of at an appropriate legal tipping site
- (3) A formal application for connection to the public sewerage system is required in order to service this development, Please contact Southern Water, Sparrowgrove House, Sparrowgrove, Otterbourne, Hampshire SO21 2SW (Tel: 0330 303 0119) or www.southernwater.co.uk".

The Council's approach to this application:

In accordance with paragraphs 186 and 187 of the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF), the Council takes a positive and proactive approach to development proposals focused on solutions. We work with applicants/agents in a positive and proactive manner by:

- Offering pre-application advice.
- > Where possible, suggesting solutions to secure a successful outcome.
- As appropriate, updating applicants/agents of any issues that may arise in the processing of their application.

In this instance:

> The applicant/agent was provided formal pre-application advice.

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Stephen Baughen Building Control and Development Manager Tunbridge Wells Borough Council

IMPORTANT: YOUR ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE ATTACHED NOTES

## NOTIFICATION TO APPLICANT FOLLOWING REFUSAL OF CONSENT OR GRANT OF CONSENT SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS

## Appeals to the Secretary of State

If you are aggrieved by the decision of your local planning authority (LPA) to refuse permission for the proposed development, or to grant it subject to Conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State (SoS) under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 or Control of Advertisements Regulations1989.

Please see "Development Type" on page 1 of the decision notice to identify which type of appeal is relevant for the following:

- If this is a decision to refuse planning permission for a Householder application or a Minor Commercial application and you want to appeal the decision, or any of the conditions imposed, then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice.
- In all other cases, you will need to submit your appeal against the decision, or any of the conditions imposed, within 6 months of the date of this notice.

For applications relating to Enforcement Notices:

- 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 and if you want to appeal against the decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.
- If an enforcement notice is subsequently served and relates to the same or substantially the same land and development and if you want to appeal against the 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 application decision] of the date of this notice, whichever period expires earlier.

Appeals must be made using a form which you can get from The Planning Inspectorate, Room 3/13, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN or online at <a href="http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs">www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs</a>.

The SoS 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 SoS need not consider an appeal if it seems to the SoS that the LPA could not have granted advertisement consent 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.