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PLANNING DECISION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990

PLANNING PERMISSION

Agent:

Applicant:

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Ceredigion
SY25 6PF

Part 1 - Particulars of application

Date of application: 04-07-2019

Application No: A190545

Particulars and location of development

Site Location: Graig, Llanddewi Brefi, Tregaron

Proposal: Demolition of existing garage and erection of an extension.

Part 2 - Particulars of decision

Cyngor Sir Ceredigion hereby give notice in pursuance of the provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 that PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED for the carrying out of the development referred to in Part 1 hereof in accordance with the application and plans submitted subject to the following conditions:-

1. The development shall begin no later than five years from the date of this decision.
2. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans and documents:
 - Existing Survey Drawings. Drawing No. 1. Received 4th July 2019.
 - Proposed Alterations and Extension. Drawing No. 2. Received 4th July 2019.
 - Proposed Alterations and Extensions. Drawing No. 3. Received 4th July 2019.
 - Location Plan. Received 4th July 2019.
 - Template Method Statement dated 19/06/2019 by Dave Rogerson. Received 4th July 2019.
3. Increased surface water run-off resulting from the construction of the new development shall be trapped and disposed of so as not to flow onto adjoining property.
4. The development shall provide ecological enhancements in the form of at least three bird boxes in a suitable location on the development site before the development is brought into use and remain thereafter in perpetuity.

5. Any exterior security or decorative lights shall be less than 3 m from the ground, and fitted with hoods to direct the light below the horizontal plane, at an angle of less than seventy degrees from vertical, and shall not be fixed to, or directed at, bat roost access points/boxes or gables or eaves. Lighting must be less than 3 lux at ground level and there shall be no light splay exceeding 1 lux along buildings, eaves or roof or adjacent hedgerows or trees. Any lighting shall be Passive Infrared (PIR) triggered.

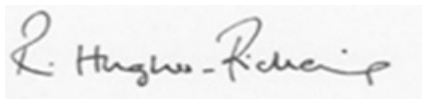
Reasons:

1. To ensure compliance with Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
2. To ensure compliance with the approved plans.
3. In order to reduce the risk of flooding within the catchment in line with TAN 15.
4. To enhance biodiversity in line with LDP policies DM06, DM14 and DM15.
5. To avoid adverse effects on European protected species (bats) in line with TAN 5.

Informatives:

1. Ecology - Bats Encountered If any bats are encountered during works, the development must stop immediately and Natural Resources Wales (NRW) contacted for advice on Tel: 03000653000.
2. Ecology - Nest in Building If birds are creating or using nests in or on the building before or during works then works must stop until the bird breeding season is completed or they have left the nest and there is no evidence of them returning.
3. Ecology - Nest in Vegetation If birds are creating or using nests on any vegetation to be removed or otherwise affected by the development before or during works then works must stop until the bird breeding season is completed or they have left the nest and there is no evidence of them returning.
4. Warning: A European protected species (EPS) Licence is required for this development. Bats and their breeding sites and resting places are protected under the Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2017 (as amended). Where bats are present and a development proposal is likely to contravene the legal protection they are afforded, the development may only proceed under licence issued by Natural Resources Wales, having satisfied the three requirements set out in the legislation. A licence may only be authorised if: i. the development works to be authorised are for the purpose of preserving public health or safety, or for other imperative reasons of overriding public interest, including those of a social or economic nature and beneficial consequences of primary importance for the environment. ii. There is no satisfactory alternative and iii. The action authorised will not be detrimental to the maintenance of the population of the species concerned at a favourable conservation status in its natural range. This planning permission does not provide consent to undertake works that require an EPS licence. It is an offence to deliberately capture, kill or disturb EPS or to recklessly damage or destroy their breeding sites or resting places. If found guilty of any offences, you could be sent to prison for up to 6 months and/or receive an unlimited fine. To

undertake the works within the law, you can obtain further information on the need for a licence from Natural Resources Wales on 0300 065 3000 or at <https://naturalresources.wales/conservation-biodiversity-and-wildlife/european-protected-species/?lang=en>



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The development plan covering Ceredigion is the Local Development Plan 2007 – 2022 (LDP). The following LDP policies were relevant to the consideration of this application:

DM06 - Design and Placemaking

DM10 - Design and Landscaping

DM14 - Nature Conservation/Ecological Connectivity

DM15 - Local Biodiversity Conservation

DM17 - General Landscape

DM18 - SLA

LU30 - Safeguarding

S01 - Sustainable Growth

S04 - Development in LS and OL

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

(1) Please note that for all decisions issued after 16th March 2016 for outline or full planning permission, a revised decision notice will be issued whenever a subsequent consent is given, for example providing details of any Reserved Matters approvals (outline applications only) and/or approval of conditions (including on Reserved Matters). This will ensure that the current status of the conditions applied to a consent is clear. Accordingly you are advised to visit **www.ceredigion.gov.uk/planning** to view the application documentation to see if this is the current version, or whether it has been superseded by a more up-to-date revision of this Decision Notice. For Reserved Matters approvals the revised Decision Notice will only be shown under the Outline approval.

(2) Please note that this consent is specific to the plans and particulars approved as part of the application. Any departure from the approved plans will constitute unauthorised development and may be liable to enforcement action. You (or any subsequent developer) should advise the Council of any actual or proposed variations from the approved plans immediately so that you can be advised how to best resolve the matter.

(3) In addition, any conditions that the Council has imposed on this consent will be listed above and should be read carefully. It is your (or any subsequent developers) responsibility to ensure that the terms of all conditions are met in full at the appropriate time (as outlined in the specific condition). Please note that any works carried out without compliance with the conditions attached to this approval will be entirely at the risk of the persons involved and may result in formal action being taken by the Local Planning Authority.

(4) The developer should have regard to Sections 4, 7, 8 and 8A of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act 1970 and to the British Standards Institution's Code of Practice for "Design of buildings and their approaches to meet the needs of disabled people" (BS 8300:2009+A1:2010).

(5) From 1st October 2012 it has been an offence to install a public sewer or lateral drain without having an adoption agreement in place. From the 1st October 2012 the vast majority of all existing private sewers and lateral drains which link with the public sewer network were transferred to Welsh Water. For further details on how this will affect your development please contact: Welsh Water Developer Services, PO Box 3146, Cardiff, CF30 0EH. Telephone No. 0800 9172652 or email: developer.services@dwrcymru.com

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

The applicant's attention is drawn to the notes below.

1. If the applicant is aggrieved by the decision of the Local Planning Authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Welsh Government under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).
2. You can also appeal to the Welsh Government against a decision to refuse permission or grant subject to conditions in respect of applications made for :- Listed Building or Conservation Area Consent; Consent under a Tree Preservation Order; Advertisement Consent.
3. You can also appeal If your application for a Certificate of Lawful Existing Use or Lawful Proposed Use is partly or wholly refused or is granted differently from what you asked for (under Section 195/196) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).
4. If you are aggrieved of the LPAs decision, the following deadlines apply for appeals to be submitted to the Welsh Government (from the date of the Council's decision)
 - Planning Permission (with the exception of Minor Commercial and Householder Applications - see below) Within 6 Months
 - Householder Appeal see endnote i Within 12 Weeks
 - Minor Commercial Appeal see endnote i Within 12 Weeks
 - Listed Building or Conservation Area Consent Appeals Within 6 Months
 - Tree Preservation Order (TPO) Consent Within 28 Days
 - Advertisement Consent Within 8 Weeks
 - Certificate of Lawfulness of Existing (Section 191) or Proposed (Section 192) Use or Development Within 6 Months
 - Hazardous Substances Consent Within 6 Months

5. Appeals must be made on a form which is obtainable from the Planning Inspectorate, Crown Buildings, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ – Tel 0303 444 5938, or online at www.planningportal.gov.uk/pcs
6. The Welsh Government has power to allow a longer period for the giving of notice of appeal but they will not normally be prepared to exercise this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.
7. The Welsh Government is not required to entertain an appeal if it appears to them that permission for the proposed development could not have been granted having regard to the statutory requirements to the provisions of the development order, and to any directions given under the Order. They do not in practice refuse to entertain appeals solely because the decision of the Local Planning Authority was based on a direction given by them.
8. If permission to develop land is refused or granted subject to conditions, whether by the Local Planning Authority or by the Welsh Government, and the owner of the land claims that the land has become incapable of reasonable beneficial use in its existing state and cannot be rendered capable of reasonable beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted, he may serve on the County Borough Council, in which the land is situated, as the case may be, a purchase notice requiring that Council purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

Making an Appeal

9. Please note that for all applications received by the LPA after 5th May 2017, it is now a requirement that any appeal made to the Planning Inspectorate (other than Householder and Minor Commercial Appeals, and appeals against refusal to grant advertisement consent) must be accompanied by all the information and evidence you intend to rely upon (a “full statement of case”). You must also send a copy of the notice of appeal and full statement of case to the LPA.
10. In addition, for ‘planning appeals’ an amendment to an application following notice of appeal may only be made to correct an error.
11. Additional details and information on making an appeal to the Welsh Government is available from the Planning Inspectorate at the above address and website. The relevant documents are entitled “making your planning appeal” and “planning appeals Public Local Inquiries”.
12. Further correspondence regarding this application should bear the reference number quoted on the top of the decision notice

THIS NOTICE RELATES ONLY TO A PLANNING DECISION AND DOES NOT RELATE TO OTHER LEGISLATION INCLUDING ANY LEGISLATION UNDER:

- BUILDING REGULATIONS – Please contact buildingcontrol@ceredigion.gov.uk or 01545 572 484 to discuss all aspects of the service that is offered by Building Control
- HIGHWAY LEGISLATION – Please contact technical.services@ceredigion.gov.uk or 01545 572 405

IF PLANNING CONSENT HAS BEEN GRANTED IT IS ADVISABLE TO ESTABLISH WHETHER ANY OTHER FORM OF CONSENT IS REQUIRED AND TO OBTAIN SUCH CONSENT BEFORE COMMENCING DEVELOPMENT.

[i] Please see the Town and Country Planning (Referred Applications and Appeals Procedure) (Wales) Regulations 2017 for appeal procedures and for full definitions of:

- “householder application” (essentially an application for the enlargement, improvement or other alteration of a dwellinghouse, or development within the curtilage of such a dwellinghouse, or change of use to enlarge the curtilage of a dwelling house)
- “householder appeal” means an appeal in relation to a householder application, but excludes an appeal against conditions on the grant of planning permission; or an appeal which is accompanied by an enforcement or listed building consent appeal.
- “minor commercial application” (essentially relates to existing buildings of no more than 250 square metres gross external floor space at ground floor level, currently in use for any of the purposes set out in Schedule 1A to The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (Wales) (Amendment) Order 2015 which is an application for change of use from Class A1 to A2 or A3; or Class A2 to A3); or the carrying out of building or other operations to a shop front.

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