

NOTICE OF PLANNING PERMISSION

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015

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PART 1 - Particulars of Application

Application Number: 67596

Date of Registration: 01/11/2021

Proposal:

Demolition of 17 no. existing Gypsy and Traveller pitches, amenity blocks and management blocks for the proposed redevelopment of the site to provide 12 no. permanent Gypsy and Traveller pitches including new amenity buildings and management block.

Location:

Fernhill Caravan Site, Every Street, Bury,
BL9 5BE

PART 2 - Particulars of Decision

Bury Metropolitan Borough Council 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 must be begun not later than three years beginning with the date of this permission.
Reason. Required to be imposed by Section 91 Town & Country Planning Act 1990.
- 2 This decision relates to drawings - 19144 - Location plan 010-A; Existing site layout 005; Proposed site layout 101-G; Office & pitch 1 - existing plans and elevations 110-A; Typical twin utility (14&15) - existing plans and elevations 111-A; Typical quad utility (2,3,4&5) - existing plans and elevations 112-A; Utility block - plan and elevations 103-C; Management block plan and elevations 104-C; Topographical survey; Perspective views 105-A, 106-A, 107-A, 108 -A; Transport Statement, Air quality statement, Odour assessment, Noise assessment by Azymuth Acoustics UK refs AA0239; Crime Impact Statement Version A 29/7/21
and the development shall not be carried out except in accordance with the drawings hereby approved.
Reason. For the avoidance of doubt and to ensure a satisfactory standard of design pursuant to the policies of the Bury Unitary Development Plan listed.

- 3 No development shall commence unless and until:-
- A contaminated land Preliminary Risk Assessment report to assess the actual/potential contamination and/or ground gas/landfill gas risks at the site shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by, the Local Planning Authority;
 - Where actual/potential contamination and/or ground gas/landfill gas risks have been identified, detailed site investigation and suitable risk assessment shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority;
 - Where remediation/protection measures is/are required, a detailed Remediation Strategy shall be submitted to, and approved in writing by, the Local Planning Authority.

Reason. The scheme does not provide full details of the actual contamination and subsequent remediation, which is required to secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters, ground gas and the wider environment and pursuant to National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.

- 4 Following the provisions of Condition 3 of this planning permission, where remediation is required, the approved Remediation Strategy must be carried out to the satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority within agreed timescales; and A Site Verification Report detailing the actions taken and conclusions at each stage of the remediation works, including substantiating evidence, shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to the development being brought into use.

Reason. To secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters and the wider environment and pursuant to National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.

- 5 Prior to occupation the applicant shall provide 1 Electric Vehicle Chargepoint (minimum 7kW*) for each pitch.

*Mode 3, 7kW (32A) single phase, or 22kW (32A) three phase, and for 50kW Mode 4 rapid charging may be required. British Standard BS EN 61851-1:2011 to be used (note this version is due to be replaced by BS EN 61851-1:2019 on 5 July 2022).

Reason. In accordance with the NPPF, to encourage the uptake of ultra-low emission vehicles and ensure the development is sustainable. To safeguard residential amenity, public health and quality of life.

- 6 No development shall commence until a surface water drainage scheme has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The drainage scheme must include:

- (i) An investigation of the hierarchy of drainage options in the National Planning Practice Guidance (or any subsequent amendment thereof). This investigation shall include evidence of an assessment of ground conditions and the potential for infiltration of surface water;
- (ii) A restricted rate of discharge of surface water agreed with the local planning authority (if it is agreed that infiltration is discounted by the investigations); and
- (iii) A timetable for its implementation.

The approved scheme shall also be in accordance with the Non-Statutory Technical Standards for Sustainable Drainage Systems (March 2015) or any subsequent replacement national standards.

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out only in accordance with the approved drainage scheme.

Reason. The current application contains insufficient information regarding the

proposed drainage scheme to fully assess the impact. To promote sustainable development and reduce flood risk pursuant to Unitary Development Plan Policies EN5/1- New Development and Flood Risk , EN7/3 - Water Pollution and EN7/5 - Waste Water Management and chapter 14 - Meeting the challenge of climate change, flooding and coastal change of the NPPF.

- 7 Foul and surface water shall be drained on separate systems.
Reason. To promote sustainable development and reduce flood risk pursuant to Unitary Development Plan Policies EN5/1- New Development and Flood Risk , EN7/3 - Water Pollution and EN7/5 - Waste Water Management and chapter 14 - Meeting the challenge of climate change, flooding and coastal change of the NPPF.

- 8 No development shall commence unless and until a 'Construction Traffic Management Plan' (CTMP), has been submitted to and agreed in writing with the Local Planning Authority and shall confirm/provide the following:

- Photographic dilapidation survey of the unadopted footways and carriageways abutting the site in the event that subsequent remedial works are required following construction of the development and as a result of any statutory undertakers connections to the development;
- Access point(s) for demolition/construction traffic from Every Street;
- Proposed site hoardings (if proposed) clear of the visibility splays indicated on approved site plan reference 19144-101 Revision G;
- Hours of operation and number of vehicle movements;
- A scheme of appropriate warning/construction traffic speed signage in the vicinity of the site and its access;
- Arrangements for the turning and manoeuvring of vehicles within the curtilage of the site, including any requisite phasing of the development to accommodate this;
- Parking on site (or on land under the applicant's control) of operatives' and demolition/construction vehicles together with storage on site of demolition/construction materials, including any requisite phasing of the development to accommodate this;
- Measures to ensure that all mud and other loose materials are not spread onto the adjacent adopted highways as a result of the groundworks operations or carried on the wheels and chassis of any vehicles leaving the site and measures to minimise dust nuisance caused by the operations.

The approved plan shall be adhered to throughout the demolition and construction periods and the measures shall be retained and facilities used for the intended purpose for the duration of the both periods. The areas identified shall not be used for any other purposes other than the parking of vehicles and storage of demolition/construction materials. All remedial works to the unadopted Every Street identified as a result of the dilapidation survey shall be implemented to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority prior to the development hereby approved being first occupied/brought into use.

Reason. Information not submitted at application stage. To maintain the integrity of the adopted highway, mitigate the impact of the construction traffic generated by the proposed development on the adjacent adopted highways, ensure adequate off street car parking provision and materials storage arrangements for the duration of the construction period and ensure that the adopted highways are kept free of deposited material from the ground works operations, in the interests of highway safety pursuant to Bury Unitary Development Plan Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design and HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict.

- 9 The development hereby approved shall not be first occupied/brought into use

unless and until the pedestrian and vehicular access improvements and bin storage arrangements indicated on approved plan reference 19144-101 Revision G, incorporating the provision of a sliding gate set back from Every Street and new access and hardstandings in porous/permeable materials and/or measures to prevent the discharge of surface water onto Every Street, have been implemented.

Reason. To ensure good highway design and maintain the integrity of the adopted highway in the interests of highway safety pursuant to Bury Unitary Development Plan Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design, EN5/1 - New development and Flood Risk, HT2/4 - Car Parking and New Development and HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict.

- 10 The visibility splays indicated on approved plan reference 19144-101 Revision G shall be implemented to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority before the development is first occupied/brought into use and subsequently maintained free of obstruction above the height of 0.6m.
Reason. To ensure the intervisibility of the users of the site and the adjacent highways in the interests of road safety pursuant to Bury Unitary Development Plan Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design and HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict. .
- 11 The turning facilities indicated on approved plan reference 19144-101 Revision G shall be provided before the development hereby approved is first occupied/brought into use and shall subsequently be maintained free of obstruction at all times.
Reason. To minimise the standing and turning movements of vehicles on the highway in the interests of road safety pursuant to Bury Unitary Development Plan Policies EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design and HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict. .
- 12 The car parking indicated on approved plan reference 19144-101 Revision G shall be made available for use to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority prior to the development hereby approved being first occupied/brought into use and thereafter maintained available for use at all times.
Reason. To ensure adequate off street car parking provision in the interests of road safety pursuant to policy HT2/4 - Car Parking and New Development of the Bury Unitary Development Plan.

Statement in accordance with Article 35(2) Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) (Amendment) Order 2015

The Local Planning Authority worked positively and proactively with the applicant to identify various solutions during the application process to ensure that the proposal comprised sustainable development and would improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area and would accord with the development plan. These were incorporated into the scheme and/or have been secured by planning condition. The Local Planning Authority has therefore implemented the requirement in Paragraph 38 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

The following policies of the Bury Unitary Development Plan, National and Regional Government were considered relevant:

NPPF	National Planning Policy Framework
EC2/1	EC2/1 - Employment Generating Areas
H1/3	H1/3 - Provision for Gypsies and Travellers
H4	H4 - Housing Need
H5	H5 - Housing Improvement
EN1/2	EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design
EN1/5	EN1/5 - Crime Prevention

EN5/1 EN5/1 - New Development and Flood Risk
EN7/1 EN7/1 - Atmospheric Pollution
HT2/4 HT2/4 - Car Parking and New Development
HT6/2 HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict

This decision relates only to the Town and Country Planning Acts and does not include any consent or approval under any other enactment or under the Building Regulations. Any other consent or approval which is necessary must be obtained from the appropriate authority.

Applicant Plan Numbers:

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NOTES TO APPLICANT

Environment Agency position

Advice to applicant

The developer must apply the waste hierarchy as a priority order of prevention, re-use, recycling before considering other recovery or disposal options. Government guidance on the waste hierarchy in England can be found here:
https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/69403/pb13530-waste-hierarchy-guidance.pdf

Site Waste Management Plans (SWMP) are no longer a legal requirement, however, in terms of meeting the objectives of the waste hierarchy and your duty of care, they are a useful tool and considered to be best practice.

Groundwater and Contaminated Land

We have been unable to provide a site specific review at this time due to a high workload and limited resources. We note that due to the former land uses, adverse concentrations of soil and/or groundwater contamination may exist at the site so the associated risks to controlled waters should be addressed.

We recommend that developers should:

" Follow the risk management framework provided in Guidance on Land contamination risk management (LCRM), when dealing with land affected by contamination.

" Refer to our Guiding principles for land contamination for the type of information that we require in order to assess risks to controlled waters from the site - the local authority can advise on risk to other receptors, such as human health.

" Consider using the National Quality Mark Scheme for Land Contamination Management which involves the use of competent persons to ensure that land contamination risks are appropriately managed.

" Refer to the contaminated land pages on gov.uk for more information

All investigations of land potentially affected by contamination should be carried out by or under the direction of a suitably qualified competent person and in accordance with BS 10175 (2001) Code of practice for the investigation of potentially contaminated sites.

Note to applicant

Should you wish us to review any technical documents or want further advice to address any of the environmental issues raised in this response, we may be able to do this as part of our charged for planning advice service.

Further engagement will provide you with certainty of our position as to what our response to a planning application will be. It should also result in a better quality and more environmentally sensitive development.

As part of our charged for service we will provide a dedicated project manager to act as a single point of contact to help resolve any problems. We currently charge £100 per person per hour, plus VAT. We will provide you with an estimated cost for any further discussions or review of documents. Our standard terms and conditions are available to view online at www.gov.uk/government/publications/planning-and-marine-licence-advice-standard-terms-for-our-charges/planning-and-marine-licence-advice-standard-terms-for-our-charges.

If you would like more information on our planning advice service, including a cost estimate, please contact us at SPPlanning.RFH@environment-agency.gov.uk

The Air Quality (Air Quality Assessment, Every Street, Bury, BL9 5BE, Reference: AA0239, September 2021) assessment report has found that air quality factors are not considered a constraint to the development. However, due to complaints regarding dust received by the Council from residents of the site, this Section recommends that dust monitoring and assessment is carried out to identify if there is a significant issue and to identify the source of the dust. If the assessment indicates that dust is detrimental to the residents then mitigation measures are to be considered.

The applicant's attention is drawn to the recommendations for the implementation of the security measures in section 4 of the The Crime Impact Statement.

With regards to the above development proposal, United Utilities Water Limited ('United Utilities') wishes to provide the following comments.

Drainage

In accordance with the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) and the National Planning Practice Guidance (NPPG), the site should be drained on a separate system with foul water draining to the public sewer and surface water draining in the most sustainable way.

We request the following drainage conditions are attached to any subsequent approval to reflect the above approach detailed above:

Condition 1 – Surface water

No development shall commence until a surface water drainage scheme has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The drainage scheme must include:

(i) An investigation of the hierarchy of drainage options in the National Planning

Practice Guidance (or any subsequent amendment thereof). This investigation shall include evidence of an assessment of ground conditions and the potential for infiltration of surface water;

(ii) A restricted rate of discharge of surface water agreed with the local planning authority (if it is agreed that infiltration is discounted by the investigations); and

(iii) A timetable for its implementation.

The approved scheme shall also be in accordance with the Non-Statutory Technical Standards for Sustainable Drainage Systems (March 2015) or any subsequent replacement national standards.

The development hereby permitted shall be carried out only in accordance with the approved drainage scheme.

Reason: To promote sustainable development, secure proper drainage and to manage the risk of flooding and pollution.

Condition 2 – Foul water

Foul and surface water shall be drained on separate systems.

Reason: To secure proper drainage and to manage the risk of flooding and pollution.

The applicant can discuss any of the above with Developer Engineer, Robert Brenton, by email at wastewaterdeveloperservices@uuplc.co.uk.

Please note, United Utilities are not responsible for advising on rates of discharge to the local watercourse system. This is a matter for discussion with the Lead Local Flood Authority and / or the Environment Agency (if the watercourse is classified as main river).

If the applicant intends to offer wastewater assets forward for adoption by United Utilities, the proposed detailed design will be subject to a technical appraisal by an Adoptions Engineer as we need to be sure that the proposal meets the requirements of Sewers for Adoption and United Utilities' Asset Standards. The detailed layout should be prepared with consideration of what is necessary to secure a development to an adoptable standard. This is important as drainage design can be a key determining factor of site levels and layout. The proposed design should give consideration to long term operability and give United Utilities a cost effective proposal for the life of the assets. Therefore, should this application be approved and the applicant wishes to progress a Section 104 agreement, we strongly recommend that no construction commences until the detailed drainage design, submitted as part of the Section 104 agreement, has been assessed and accepted in writing by United Utilities. Any works carried out prior to the technical assessment being approved is done entirely at the developers own risk and could be subject to change.

Management and Maintenance of Sustainable Drainage Systems

Without effective management and maintenance, sustainable drainage systems can fail or become ineffective. As a provider of wastewater services, we believe we have a duty to advise the Local Planning Authority of this potential risk to ensure the longevity of the surface water drainage system and the service it provides to people. We also wish to minimise the risk of a sustainable drainage system having a detrimental impact on the public sewer network should the two systems interact. We therefore recommend the Local Planning Authority include a condition in their Decision Notice regarding a management and maintenance regime for any sustainable drainage system that is included as part of the proposed development.

Water Supply

If the applicant intends to obtain a water supply from United Utilities for the proposed development, we strongly recommend they engage with us at the earliest opportunity. If

reinforcement of the water network is required to meet the demand, this could be a significant project and the design and construction period should be accounted for.

To discuss a potential water supply or any of the water comments detailed above, the applicant can contact the team at DeveloperServicesWater@uuplc.co.uk. Please note, all internal pipework must comply with current Water Supply (water fittings) Regulations 1999.

United Utilities' Property, Assets and Infrastructure

Where United Utilities' assets exist, the level of cover to the water mains and public sewers must not be compromised either during or after construction.

For advice regarding protection of United Utilities assets, the applicant should contact the teams as follows:

Water assets – DeveloperServicesWater@uuplc.co.uk

Wastewater assets – WastewaterDeveloperServices@uuplc.co.uk

It is the applicant's responsibility to investigate the possibility of any United Utilities' assets potentially impacted by their proposals and to demonstrate the exact relationship between any United Utilities' assets and the proposed development.

A number of providers offer a paid for mapping service including United Utilities. To find out how to purchase a sewer and water plan from United Utilities, please visit the Property Searches website; <https://www.unitedutilities.com/property-searches/> You can also view the plans for free. To make an appointment to view our sewer records at your local authority please contact them direct, alternatively if you wish to view the water and the sewer records at our Lingley Mere offices based in Warrington please ring 0370 751 0101 to book an appointment.

Due to the public sewer transfer in 2011, not all sewers are currently shown on the statutory sewer records and we do not always show private pipes on our plans. If a sewer is discovered during construction; please contact a Building Control Body to discuss the matter further.

Should this planning application be approved the applicant should contact United Utilities regarding a potential water supply or connection to public sewers. Additional information is available on our website

<http://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers.aspx>

. This recommendation relates to the revised plans received by this Section on 29 & 30 November 2021.

. The applicant's attention is drawn to Section 80 of the Building Act 1984 and the need to give six weeks prior written notice to the Department for Business Growth and Infrastructure detailing any proposed demolition works in connection with the proposed development.

. The Council currently operates a curtilage system of refuse collection. The applicant is advised to liaise with Waste Management, Bradley Fold Depot on 0161 253 6621/7010, regarding the operation of this system.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Paul Harris', written in a cursive style.

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On behalf of the Council

Date of Decision: 26/01/2022