

# NOTICE OF PLANNING PERMISSION

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

**To:**

Holt  
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**On Behalf Of:**

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247  
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### PART 1 - Particulars of Application

**Application Number:** 67400

**Date of Registration:** 23/09/2021

**Proposal:**

Conversion of existing single storey barn to form 1 no. dwelling and replacement of two storey barn with an attached two storey 1 no. dwelling

**Location:**

Hollins House Farm, 247 Hollins Lane, Bury, BL9 8AS

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### 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 -  
Site block plan 17/492 SLP; Site location plan 17/492 SBP; Revised proposed ground floor/site plan 17/492.05G; Revised proposed first floor/site plan 17/492.6F; Revised proposed elevations 17/492.13D; New site entrance overlaid on existing level survey 17.49219  
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 4 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 EV chargepoint (minimum 7kW\*) for each dwelling.

\*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 works to trees or shrubs shall occur or ivy be removed between the 1st March and 31st August in any year unless a detailed bird nest survey by a suitably experienced ecologist has been carried out immediately prior to clearance and written confirmation provided that no active bird nests are present which has been agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

Reason. In order to ensure that no harm is caused to a Protected Species pursuant to policies EN6 - Conservation of the Natural Environment and EN6/3 - Features of Ecological Value of the Bury Unitary Development Plan and National Planning Policy Framework Section 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment.

- 7 The development hereby approved shall be carried out in accordance with the landscaping details submitted on ground floor/site plan 17/492.05G and provision for bird/bat boxes shown on proposed elevations plan 17/492.13 (D).

The approved scheme shall thereafter be implemented not later than 12 months from the date the building(s) is first occupied or within the first available tree planting season,; and any trees or shrubs removed, dying or becoming severely damaged or becoming severely diseased within five years of planting shall be replaced by trees or shrubs of a similar size or species to those originally required to be planted.

Reason. To secure the satisfactory development of the site and in the interests of visual amenity pursuant to Policies H2/2 - The Layout of New Residential Development, EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design and EN8/2 - Woodland and Tree Planting of the Bury Unitary Development Plan and chapter 15 - Conserving and enhancing the natural environment of the NPPF.

- 8 No development shall commence unless and until surface water drainage proposals have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The

scheme must be based on the hierarchy of drainage options in the National Planning Practice Guidance and be designed in accordance with the Non-Statutory Technical Standards for Sustainable Drainage Systems (March 2015). This must include assessment of potential SuDS options for surface water drainage with appropriate calculations and test results to support the chosen solution. Details of proposed maintenance arrangements should also be provided. The approved scheme only shall be implemented prior to first occupation and thereafter maintained.

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.

- 9 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:

- Dilapidation survey, to a scope to be agreed, of the footways and carriageways abutting the site in the event that subsequent remedial works are required following construction of the development, works to the site access and boundary and as a result of statutory undertakers connections to the site;
- Access point and route for demolition and construction traffic from the adopted highway;
- 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 of operatives' and construction vehicles together with storage on site of demolition and construction materials, including any requisite phasing of the development to accommodate this;
- If proposed, site hoardings/gate positions clear of the existing shared access/Public Footpath No. 91, Bury, including the provision, where necessary, of temporary pedestrian facilities/protection measures;
- Measures to ensure that all mud and other loose materials are not 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 turning/parking of vehicles and storage of construction materials. All highway remedial works 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 occupied.

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 residential streets, ensure adequate off street car parking provision and materials storage arrangements for the duration of the demolition and construction periods and ensure that the adopted highways are kept free of deposited material from the demolition/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.

10 Notwithstanding the details indicated on the approved plans, no development shall commence unless and until full details of the following have been submitted on a topographical survey of the site and adjacent adopted highways to, and agreed with, the Local Planning Authority:

- Alteration of the existing vehicular and pedestrian site access arrangements and widening of the existing unadopted access/Public Footpath No. 91, Bury, onto Hollins Lane to a scope and specification to be agreed, incorporating the provision of the new section of footway as shown, pedestrian connection to the site and associated works at the existing gate/steps to enable access to the proposed bin storage area, new kerb radii, dropped pedestrian crossing point, demarcation of the revised limits of the adopted highway, relocation/replacement of the affected public right of way pole and direction sign and all associated highway and highway drainage remedial works required as a result of the development;
- Scheme of surface water drainage works/hardstanding materials to ensure that surface water will not be discharged from the site, increased hardstanding areas and widened access onto the adjacent adopted highway.

The details subsequently approved shall be implemented to an agreed programme and to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority with all highway works completed prior to the development hereby approved being first occupied.

Reason. To secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of highway safety, 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 H2/2 - The Layout of New Residential Development, HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict and EN5/1 - New Development and Flood Risk.

11 The turning facilities indicated on the approved plans shall be provided before the development is first occupied and the areas used for the manoeuvring of vehicles 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 H2/2 - The Layout of New Residential Development and HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict.

12 The car parking indicated on the approved plans shall be surfaced and made available for use to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority prior to the development hereby approved being occupied and thereafter maintained 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.

13 The bin storage arrangements and hardstanding area to be used for the storage of bins on collection day indicated on the approved plans shall be implemented to the written satisfaction of the Local Planning Authority prior to the development hereby approved being first occupied and thereafter be maintained available for use at all times.

Reason. To ensure adequate off-highway bin storage arrangements are provided within the curtilage of the site, in the interests of highway safety pursuant to Bury Unitary Development Plan Policy H2/2 - The Layout of New Residential Development and EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design.

14 The development hereby approved shall use the materials (external facing materials/roofing slates) reclaimed from the demolished barn and any other external

facing materials/roofing tiles shall match.

Reason. No material samples have been submitted and are required in the interests of visual amenity and to ensure a satisfactory development pursuant to UDP Policy EN1/2 - Visual Amenity and H2/1 - The Form of New Residential Development.

- 15 Notwithstanding the terms of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015, as subsequently amended, no development shall be carried out within the terms of Classes A to G of Part 1 of Schedule 2 of the Order, without the submission and approval of a relevant planning application.

Reason. To ensure that future inappropriate alterations or extensions do not occur pursuant to policies of the Unitary Development Plan listed.

**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:**

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|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| H1/2  | H1/2 - Further Housing Development                                                        |
| H2/1  | H2/1 - The Form of New Residential Development                                            |
| H2/2  | H2/2 - The Layout of New Residential Development                                          |
| EN1/2 | EN1/2 - Townscape and Built Design                                                        |
| EN1/3 | EN1/3 - Landscaping Provision                                                             |
| EN2   | EN2 - Conservation and Listed Buildings                                                   |
| EN6   | EN6 - Conservation of the Natural Environment                                             |
| EN6/3 | EN6/3 - Features of Ecological Value                                                      |
| EN7   | EN7 - Pollution Control                                                                   |
| EN7/5 | EN7/5 - Waste Water Management                                                            |
| OL1/4 | OL1/4 - Conversion and Re-use of Buildings in the Green Belt                              |
| RT3/4 | RT3/4 - Recreational Routes                                                               |
| HT2/4 | HT2/4 - Car Parking and New Development                                                   |
| HT6/2 | HT6/2 - Pedestrian/Vehicular Conflict                                                     |
| SPD6  | Supplementary Planning Document 6 - Alterations and Extensions to Residential Properties. |
| SPD11 | Development Control Policy Guidance Note 11 - Parking Standards in Bury                   |
| NPPF  | National Planning Policy Framework                                                        |

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**

Prior to demolition of the structures on site an asbestos survey is to be carried out by an appropriately qualified contractor. Any asbestos identified shall be disposed of in an appropriate manner.

This is to secure the satisfactory development of the site in terms of human health, controlled waters and the wider environment and pursuant to the National Planning Policy Framework.

The applicant's attention is drawn to the fact that whilst it appears unlikely that bats are roosting within the buildings as with all refurbishment of buildings if a bat is found works should stop immediately and Natural England and a professional ecologist consulted.

#### 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.

The NPPG clearly outlines the hierarchy to be investigated by the developer when considering a surface water drainage strategy. We would ask the developer to consider the following drainage options in the following order of priority:

1. into the ground (infiltration);
2. to a surface water body;
3. to a surface water sewer, highway drain, or another drainage system;
4. to a combined sewer.

We recommend the applicant implements the scheme in accordance with the surface water drainage hierarchy outlined above.

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 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.

Details of both our S106 sewer connections and S104 sewer adoptions processes (including application forms) can be found on our website

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

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

#### 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 which should be accounted for in the project timeline for design and construction.

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](mailto: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](mailto:DeveloperServicesWater@uuplc.co.uk)

Wastewater assets – [WastewaterDeveloperServices@uuplc.co.uk](mailto: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.

For any further information regarding Developer Services and Planning, please visit our website at <http://www.unitedutilities.com/builders-developers.aspx>

. The applicant's attention is drawn to the need to consult the Department for Operations regarding the specification for and implementation of the required highway works. The cost of the works will be the responsibility of the developer.

. The applicant's attention is drawn to the existence of Public Right of Way No. 91, Bury, which abuts and forms the new access to the site. No development should take place which affects the Right of Way in the absence of an appropriate closure or diversion order.

. 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.

. It would be advantageous for the land affected by the highway proposals to be in the control of the Highway Authority. An appropriate course of action would be the free dedication of the land to the Highway Authority by the freeholder.

Signed:



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On behalf of the Council

**Date of Decision:** 01/06/2022