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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

In pursuance of the powers vested in the Amber Valley Borough Council under the above Act and Orders and taking into account Government policy and guidance and the saved policies of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006, and with reference to your application (**Office Code: AVA/2020/0771**) which was valid on the 19 August 2020 for permission for **Demolition of existing dwelling, construction of a replacement dwelling including amendments to the existing access at Mill Farm 18 Wood Lane Horsley Woodhouse**

In the manner described in the application and shown on the accompanying plan(s) and drawing(s) **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that permission for the proposed development is **GRANTED subject to the following conditions:**

Conditions/Reasons

1. 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(1) of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1990, as amended by Section 51 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

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2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out only in accordance with the details and specifications within the following documents:

   - Proposed block & location plans drawing no. 105 Rev A;
   - Proposed layouts & elevations drawing no. 101 Rev D;
   - Planning Design and Access Statement August 2020 (Revised December 2020);
   - Coal Mining Risk Assessment June 2020;
   - Ecological Appraisal dated July 2020; and,
   - Technical Note - Bat Mitigation Response letter prepared by Baker Consultants dated 20/10/2020.

   Reason: To ensure that the development takes the form envisaged by the Local Planning Authority when determining the application in accordance with policy LS3 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

3. No development shall take place on the external elevations of the hereby approved development until there has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority details and/or samples of the materials and finishes to be used for the external elevations and roof of the proposal, and the development shall be carried out with those materials.

   Reason: To ensure the satisfactory appearance of the completed development in accordance with saved policies LS3 and H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

4. No work shall commence on the footings of the hereby approved development until such time as a scheme indicating proposed floor levels of all buildings, and the relationship of such to the existing dwellings has been submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority, and the development shall be constructed in accordance with the agreed levels.

   Reason: To safeguard the privacy and amenities of the occupiers of adjoining properties in accordance with saved policies LS3 and H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

5. Prior to the occupation of the hereby approved development, full details of the proposed treatment of the boundary(ies) of the site shall be submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority. Any agreed scheme shall be implemented in full in accordance with a phasing scheme prior to the occupation of the development.

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Reason: To ensure both the satisfactory appearance of the completed development and an adequate level of amenity for the proposed dwellings in accordance with saved policy H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

6. The hereby approved development shall not be occupied until there has been submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority a scheme of hard and soft landscaping. All planting, seeding or turfing indicated on the approved landscaping scheme shall be carried out in the first planting and seeding seasons following the occupation of the buildings or the completion of the development, whichever is the sooner; and any trees or plants which within a period of five years from the completion of the development die, are removed, or become seriously damaged or diseased, shall be replaced in the next planting season with others of similar size and species, unless the Local Planning Authority gives written consent to any variation.

   Reason: To ensure the satisfactory overall appearance of the completed development and to help assimilate the new development into its surroundings in accordance with saved policy H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

7. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order) no development relating to Class A of Part 1 of Schedule 2 (erection of extensions) shall be undertaken without the prior written approval of the Local Planning Authority.

   Reason: To protect the character and visual amenities of the locality in accordance with saved policies LS3, EN2 and H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

8. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) Order 2015 (or any Order revoking and re-enacting that Order) no development relating to Class E of Part 1 of Schedule 2 (erection of buildings incidental to the enjoyment of the dwelling house) shall be undertaken without the prior written approval of the Local Planning Authority.

   Reason: To protect the character and visual amenities of the locality in accordance with saved policy LS3, EN2 and H12 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

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9. Before the first occupation of the dwelling, the subject of the application, space shall be provided within the application site for the parking and manoeuvring of residents' vehicles, laid out, surfaced and maintained throughout the life of the development free from any impediment to its designated use.

   Reason: In the interests of the safety of the users of the access and public highway safety in general in accordance with saved policies H12 and TP1 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

10. The development shall be carried out in accordance with the mitigation and compensation strategy detailed in the Technical Note - Bat Mitigation Response letter prepared by Baker Consultants dated 20/10/2020 unless varied by a European Protected Species licence subsequently issued by Natural England, a copy of which shall be submitted to the Local Planning Authority. The agreed features for roosting bats shall be permanently installed in accordance with the approved details prior to the occupation of the hereby approved development.

    Reason: To ensure the development does not have an adverse impact upon species specifically protected under the schedules of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 in accordance with saved policy EN13 and to improve the biodiversity of the local area in accordance with saved policy EN13 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

11. Notwithstanding the hereby approved plans, precise details of the screening to both the rear and front balconies shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The screening shall be installed in accordance with the agreed details prior to the occupation of development and retained in perpetuity.

    Reason: To safeguard the privacy and amenities of the occupiers of adjoining properties in accordance with policies H12 and LS3 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

12. The first floor, north facing window serving the en-suite and the first floor, south facing window serving the playroom shall be glazed in highly obscured (non see through) glass and be top-opening only. Such work shall be completed prior to the commencement of use of the development and maintained as such thereafter.

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Reason: To safeguard the privacy and amenities of the occupiers of adjoining properties in accordance with saved policies H12 and LS3 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

13. No development shall commence until;

    a) a scheme of intrusive site investigations has been carried out on site to establish the risks posed to the development by past coal mining activity, and;
    b) any remediation works and/or mitigation measures to address land instability arising from coal mining legacy, as may be necessary, have been implemented on site in full in order to ensure that the site is made safe and stable for the development proposed.

    The intrusive site investigations and remedial works shall be carried out in accordance with authoritative UK guidance.

    Reason: The undertaking of intrusive site investigations, prior to the commencement of development, is considered to be necessary to ensure that adequate information pertaining to ground conditions and coal mining legacy is available to enable appropriate remedial and mitigatory measures to be identified and carried out before building works commence on site. This is in order to ensure the safety and stability of the development, in accordance with saved policy EN18 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006 and paragraphs 178 and 179 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

14. Prior to the occupation of the development, or it being taken into beneficial use, a signed statement or declaration prepared by a suitably competent person confirming that the site is, or has been made, safe and stable for the approved development shall be submitted to the Local Planning Authority for approval in writing. This document shall confirm the methods and findings of the intrusive site investigations and the completion of any remedial works and/or mitigation necessary to address the risks posed by past coal mining activity.

    Reason: To ensure that effective remedial or mitigating measures have been undertaken to treat, control or contain unstable land in accordance with saved policy EN18 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006 and paragraphs 178 and 179 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

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15. a) No development shall commence until:

i. The approved development site has been subjected to a detailed investigation to determine the extent, scale and nature of any contamination and an assessment of the potential risks (the "Assessment") has been carried out.
ii. A report providing the details of the site investigation and the Assessment been submitted and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
iii. A Remediation Method Statement (the "RMS") to address any remediation required by the Assessment including a plan for how the remediation methods will be verified, has been submitted and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

b) The development shall be undertaken in strict compliance with the requirements contained within the approved RMS. Any proposed revisions to the RMS must be submitted and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to any changes in remediation methods.

c) If during development works, any contamination is encountered which was not previously identified and is derived from a different source and/or of a different type to those already identified, then no further works shall take place until a revised RMS is submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority and the works shall then be carried out in accordance with the revised RMS.

d) If during development work, site contamination is found in areas previously expected to be uncontaminated, then the remediation of those areas shall be carried out in accordance with the approved RMS.

e) No building shall be occupied unless and until a Verification Report in accordance with the RMS has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

f) All investigations, assessments and reports must be carried out by a suitably qualified competent person previously agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority and in accordance with the most recent version of BS 10175: Code of practice for the investigation of potentially contaminated sites.

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Reason: The undertaking of a site investigation prior to the commencement of development is necessary to ensure that adequate information pertaining to risks arising from land contamination is available to inform an assessment that the site is either suitable for its proposed use or appropriate remedial measures could make the site suitable for its proposed use. In order to ensure the safety of the development, in accordance with paragraphs 178 and 179 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

Notes
Attention is drawn to the attached notes:

1 The developer should seek professional advice if they suspect Asbestos Containing Material (ACM) is present on any building to be demolished or altered. The developer/land owner/ land manager may be liable if they fail to identify and manage any ACM appropriately. More information regarding ACM can be found on the Health and Safety Executives web page (www.hse.gov.uk/asbestos).

2 With regards to condition 11, the applicant is advised that the Local Planning Authority would require balcony screening details to include an opaque screen no lower than 1.8m high on the side, south facing elevation of the front balcony and on the side, north facing elevation of the rear balcony.

3 No removal of trees, hedgerows or shrubs or demolition of buildings or structures that may be used by breeding birds shall take place between 1st March and 31st August inclusive, unless a competent ecologist has undertaken a careful, detailed check for active birds' nests immediately before the work is commenced and provided written confirmation that no birds will be harmed and/or that there are appropriate measures in place to protect nesting bird interest on site.

Reasons for Granting Permission

In granting permission for this development the Borough Council has taken into account all material planning considerations arising from the views of statutory and other consultees and public representations about the application, Government guidance as detailed in the National Planning Policy Framework and the saved policies of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006:

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LS1 - Sustainability criteria
LS3 - Design
EN1 - Countryside
EN2 - Green Belt
EN7 - Landscape Character Areas
EN13 - Nature Conservation
EN18 - Derelict, Unstable And Contaminated Land
H5 - Housing development outside settlements
H12 - Design and amenity considerations
TP1 - Impact on the Transport Network
TP6 - Parking

In detail:

The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) is a material consideration in planning decisions. In accordance with Paragraph 38 of the NPPF the local planning authority has approached the decision making process in a positive way to foster the delivery of sustainable development and has worked proactively with the applicant/agent to secure a development to improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area.

The development complies with the provisions of the development plan for the locality and raises no unresolved issues in relation to the location of the site, privacy, amenity, sunlight/daylight, character and design, landscape or heritage features and highway safety.

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NOTES

1. **If the applicant is aggrieved by the decision of the Local Planning Authority to refuse planning permission or approval for the proposed development or to grant permission or approval subject to conditions, he may appeal to the Secretary of State for the Environment in accordance with Section 78/79 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, within six months of the date of this notice. The Secretary of State has power to allow a longer period for the giving of a notice but will not normally be prepared to exercise this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal. The Secretary of State is not required to entertain an appeal if it appears to him that permission of the proposed development could not have been granted by the Local Planning Authority or could not have been so granted otherwise that subject to the conditions imposed on them, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provision of the development order, and to any directions given under the order.**
2. **Cadent Gas own and operate the gas infrastructure within the area of your development. Contact Cadent's Plant Protection Team for approval before carrying out any works on site and ensuring requirements are adhered to. Email plantprotection@cadentgas.com. Alternatively you can register on www.beforeyoudig.nationalgrid.com**
3. **If permission to develop land is refused or granted subject to conditions, whether by the Local Planning Authority or by the Secretary of State for the Environment, and the owner of the land claims that the land has become incapable of reasonably beneficial use in its existing state and cannot be rendered capable of reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted, he may serve on the Council of the County/District in which the land is situated, a purchase notice requiring that council to purchase his interests in the land in accordance with the provisions of Section 180 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.**
4. **In certain circumstances a claim may be made against the Local Planning Authority for compensation where permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on a reference of the application to him. The circumstances in which such compensation is payable are set out in Sections 137 and 138 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.**
5. **This permission relates to planning controls only. Any other statutory consent necessary including submission under the building regulations must be obtained from the appropriate Authority.**
6. **If it is intended to give notice of appeal in accordance with Paragraph 1 above, this should be done on the appropriate form obtainable from:-**

   The Planning Inspectorate
   3/23 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square Temple Quay Bristol BS1 6PN
   (Tel. No. 0117 372 8000) www.planning-inspectorate.gov.uk

7. **If the condition of consent or reasons for refusal, make reference to a Division of the Department, the appellant may, if he so wishes, require the attendance of a representative from the Department by notification to the Local Planning Authority. Such a representative would not be liable to cross-examination on questions of departmental policy, but only on matters of fact and expert opinion in relation to the appeal site.**
8. **Where a vehicle is habitually drive across a grass verge or kerbed footway to and from premises adjoining a highway, the occupier of the premises may after being given due notice by the appropriate authority, be required to pay the cost of construction of a carriage crossing or the strengthening of a footway, as the authority considers it necessary, or may be required to comply with conditions imposed by the authority.**
9. **In the case of building or premises to which the public are to be admitted whether on payment or otherwise, attention is drawn to Sections 4 and 7 of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act 1970 and the associated Code of Practice (BS5810:1979). In the case of premises to which the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act 1963 or the Factories Act 1962 applies, attention is drawn to Sections 7 and 8A of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act and to the same code of practice. In the case of Educational Buildings, attention is drawn to Sections 7 and 8 of the Chronically Sick and Disabled Persons Act 1978 and to the Design Note 18 "Access for the Physically Disabled Educational Buildings".**
10. **If the development site is crossed by an electric line or is within 15 metres (50ft) of the nearest part of a line (measure horizontally along the ground) or if there is reason to believe that it may be crossed by an underground electric cable, the applicant should contact the Electricity Board to ascertain if and what special safety precautions are necessary.**
11. **The grant of planning permission does not entitle developers to obstruct a public right of way. Development on so far as it affects a right of way, should not be started, and the right of way should be kept open for public use, until the necessary order under Section 247 and 257 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 for the diversion of extinguishment of the right of way has been made and confirmed.**

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