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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/2021/0308**) which was valid on the 7 April 2021 for permission for **Proposed two storey detached residential property. at Land Adj 51 Park Street Park Street Heanor**

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.

2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out only in accordance with the details and specifications set out below and the conditions within this decision notice:

   - Layouts and Elevations as proposed drawing no. N7929-01 C; and,
   - Coal Mining Risk Assessment, dated April 2021;

   Reason : In order to define the permission.

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3. Notwithstanding the hereby approved plans, no development shall take place on the external elevations or roof of the 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. 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.

   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.

5. The premises, the subject of the application, shall not be occupied until space has been provided within the application site in accordance with the revised application drawings 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 highway safety in accordance with saved policies TP1 and TP6 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

6. There shall be no gates or other barriers within 5m of the nearside highway boundary and any gates shall open inwards only.

   Reason : In the interests of highway safety in accordance with saved policies TP1 and TP6 of the Adopted Amber Valley Borough Local Plan 2006.

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7. No development shall commence until;
a) a scheme of intrusive 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 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 : This pre-commencement condition is required to ensure that effective remedial or mitigating measures are taken 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.

8. 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.

9. a) No development shall commence until:

i. A letter from a competent person confirming that a coal mining risk assessment intrusive investigation did not encounter any coal resources or coal mine features at shallow depth and the ground gas risk does not require further investigation shall be submitted to and accepted in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
ii. Should the coal mining risk assessment intrusive investigation encounter coal resources or coal mine features at shallow depth, a ground gas investigation and risk assessment shall be carried out and a report submitted to and accepted in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
iii. Where the approved risk assessment (required by ii) identifies ground gases posing unacceptable risks, a detailed scheme to address the risks shall be submitted to and accepted in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

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b) Any remedial actions required by the report submitted in fulfilment of (iii) above shall be undertaken and documented in a Verification Report which shall be submitted to and accepted in writing by the Local Planning Authority prior to the occupation of any structure.

Reason : To prevent any risk to human health from ground gas in accordance with saved policy EN18 of the Adopted Local Plan and paragraph 178 of the NPPF.

10. Prior to the occupation of the hereby approved development, a scheme of hard and soft landscaping shall be submitted to and approved by the Local Planning Authority. 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.

11. 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.

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Notes
Attention is drawn to the attached notes:

1 The Highway Authority advise the following:

- Pursuant to Section 127 of the Highways Act 1980, no work may commence within the limits of the public highway to close any redundant accesses and to reinstate the footway without the formal written Agreement of the County Council as Highway Authority. It must be ensured that public transport services in the vicinity of the site are not adversely affected by the development works. Advice regarding the technical, legal, administrative and financial processes involved in Section 127 Agreements may be obtained by contacting this Authority via email - highways.hub@derbyshire.gov.uk. The applicant is advised to allow approximately 12 weeks in any programme of works to obtain a Section 127 Agreement.

- The Highway Authority recommends that the first 5m of the proposed access driveway should not be surfaced with a loose material (i.e. unbound chippings or gravel etc). In the event that loose material is transferred to the highway and is regarded as a hazard or nuisance to highway users, the Authority reserves the right to take any necessary action against the householder.

- Pursuant to Section 163 of the Highways Act 1980, where the site curtilage slopes down towards the public highway, measures shall be taken to ensure that surface water run-off from within the site is not permitted to discharge across the footway margin. This usually takes the form of a dish channel or gulley laid across the access immediately behind the back edge of the highway, discharging to a drain or soakaway within the site.

- Pursuant to Sections 149 and 151 of the Highways Act 1980, steps shall be taken to ensure that mud or other extraneous material is not carried out of the site and deposited on the public highway. Should such deposits occur, it is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that all reasonable steps (e.g. street sweeping) are taken to maintain the roads in the vicinity of the site to a satisfactory level of cleanliness.

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2 The applicant is advised of the following general information from the Coal Authority:

Under the Coal Industry Act 1994 any intrusive activities, including initial site investigation boreholes, and/or any subsequent treatment of coal mine workings/coal mine entries for ground stability purposes require the prior written permission of The Coal Authority, since such activities can have serious public health and safety implications. Failure to obtain permission will result in trespass, with the potential for court action. In the event that you are proposing to undertake such work in the Forest of Dean local authority area our permission may not be required; it is recommended that you check with us prior to commencing any works. Application forms for Coal Authority permission and further guidance can be obtained from The Coal Authority's website at:
https://www.gov.uk/get-a-permit-to-deal-with-a-coal-mine-on-your-property

3 With regards to condition 10, the applicant is advised that when undertaking ground gas investigation and designing gas protection measures, reference should be made to the British Standards BS8576 "Guidance on investigations for ground gas" and BS8485 "Code of practice for the design of protective measures for methane and carbon dioxide ground gases for new buildings".

4 The applicant is advised to incorporate the provision of 32mm water riser in the hereby approved development in the interests of safety for future occupiers or users of the building.

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5 Air pollution is a significant environmental risk to human health in the UK. Using cleaner fuels in a cleaner appliance installed by a competent person, knowing how to operate it efficiently and ensuring that chimneys are regularly swept by a professional or registered chimney sweep all make a big difference. When considering a solid fuel appliance or wood-burning stove, you should ensure that:

- you use a HETAS approved retailer, appliance and registered installer (see www.hetas.co.uk/consumer/hetas-advice/)
- the installation will comply with Building Regulations and that your installer will provide you with a 'Certificate of Compliance' on completion
- if you are in a Smoke Control Area (see www.ambervalley.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/pollution/smoke-control-areas.aspx), the appliance is an exempted appliance' or can burn 'authorised smokeless fuels, approved for use in these areas (see www.gov.uk/smoke-control-area-rules) and
- your appliance will be serviced annually by a HETAS approved servicing technician.

Failure to comply with the above could result in enforcement action under environmental health legislation if smoke emissions lead to complaints.

6 The applicant is strongly urged to help meet the Government's commitments to achieve net-zero carbon emissions by 2050, and to meeting the NPPF's environmental objective of mitigating and adapting to meet climate change, including moving to a low carbon economy. Therefore, the applicant is strongly urged to include on-site renewable energy generation (e.g. solar panels), the de-carbonising of heating systems (e.g. air-/ground-source heat pumps) and enhanced levels of insulation beyond those required by present building standards.

7 Advice in relation to sustainable energy measures and any need for planning permission can be found at

https://www.planningportal.co.uk/info/200125/do_you_need_permission

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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:

LS1 - Sustainability criteria
LS3 - Design
H3 - Housing development within settlements
H12 - Design and amenity considerations
TP1 - Impact on the Transport Network
TP6 - Parking
EN18 - Derelict, Unstable And Contaminated Land

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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