



REFUSAL OF PLANNING PERMISSION

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

APPLICATION NO. 2020/1152

To JR Planning
40 Northern Common
Dronfield Woodhouse
Dronfield
S18 8XJ

Proposal Conversion of building into residential use (14no flats)

At 48 - 50 Sheffield Road, Barnsley, S70 1HS

Permission is **refused** for the proposals which were the subject of the Application and Plans registered by the Council on 19/10/2020 and described above.

The reasons for the Council's decision to refuse planning permission are:

1. In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, given the position and orientation of the windows, the proposal would be materially detrimental to the amenities of the future occupants by reason of substandard outlook and natural light, contrary to Local Plan Policy GD1. The position of the windows and the close proximity of a classified road and late night commercial uses would also negatively impact residential amenity through noise and disturbance. Furthermore, no outdoor amenity space is proposed for the future occupants contrary the requirements of Supplementary Planning Document 'Design of Housing Development'.
2. In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority the loss of the active commercial frontage in this predominantly commercial area would be at odds with the immediately adjacent properties to the detriment of vitality and viability of Barnsley Town Centre and would be detrimental to the visual amenity of this predominant gateway location, contrary to Local Plan Policies TC1, D1 and BTC7.
3. The development would provide an insufficient mix of unit types contrary to Local Plan Policy H6 which requires housing proposals to include a broad mix of house size, type and tenure to help create mixed and balanced communities. Furthermore, no evidence has been provided to demonstrate that the development has been informed by the needs of the market, in order to meet the present and future needs of the community.

Pursuant to article 31(1)(cc) of the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) Order 2010 (as amended), the Local Planning Authority have, where possible, made a pre-application advice service available, complied with our Planning Service Charter for Business and otherwise actively engaged with the applicant in dealing with the application.

Please be aware that the Council monitors construction sites and open land within the vicinity such sites in an attempt to prevent fly tipping (i.e. unauthorised deposit of waste on land), which is illegal under the Environmental Protection Act 1990. The penalties for fly-tipping can include:

- a fine of up to £50,000 and*
- up to six months imprisonment on conviction.*

Therefore, if necessary, please ensure that all demolition waste and waste associated with the construction of the approved development is disposed of via approved methods and that documents are retained to prove this.

Signed

Dated 18/12/2020

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'JM Jenkinson', written in a cursive style.

Joe Jenkinson
Head of Planning and Building Control

NOTES:-

Appeals to the Secretary of State

If you are aggrieved by the decision of your local planning authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State under section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

If you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice.

Appeals can be made online at: <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate> If you are unable to access the online appeal form, please contact the Planning Inspectorate to obtain a paper copy of the appeal form on tel: 0303 444 5000.

The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal but will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.

The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to the Secretary of State that the local planning authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions they imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.

If you intend to submit an appeal that you would like examined by inquiry then you must notify the Local Planning Authority and Planning Inspectorate (inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk) at least 10 days before submitting the appeal. Further details are on GOV.UK.

Purchase Notices

If either the Local Planning Authority or the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and Regions refuses permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor can he render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted. In these circumstances, the owner may serve a purchase notice on the Council in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of part VI of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

Compensation

In certain circumstances compensation may be claimed from the Local Planning Authority if permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on reference to the application to him. These circumstances are set out in Sections 114 and related provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.