



REFUSAL OF PLANNING PERMISSION

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

APPLICATION NO. 2017/0088

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Proposal Residential development of 21 dwellings (Outline including means of access)

At Land South of New Smithy Avenue, Thurlstone, Barnsley, S36 9QZ

Permission is refused for the proposals which were the subject of the Application and Plans registered by the Council on 30 January 2017 and described above.

The reason(s) for the Council's decision to refuse planning permission is/are:

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.

- 1 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority, due to the site's current allocation as Safeguarded Land, which is due to be carried forward within the Local Plan Publication Draft, and its location outside of Urban Barnsley and the Principle Towns, the proposal for residential development would be contrary to the Core Strategy Policy CSP8 which states that development in villages will only be allowed if it is consistent with Green Belt policy or is necessary for the viability of the settlement and to meet local needs. In addition the site is considered to be in an unsustainable location and is therefore contrary to Paragraph 14 of the NPPF.
- 2 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority the development of this land is considered to be piecemeal development, which would restrict access to and prejudice the potential comprehensive development of the larger area of Safeguarded Land should it be allocated in a future plan period, contrary to the SPD Designing New Housing Development and Saved UDP Policy H7.
- 3 In the opinion of the Local Planning Authority the access to the site is constrained and narrowed by existing on street parking. In addition the applicant has failed to demonstrate that the impact of vehicular movements associated with a residential development of the scale proposed would not add to highway safety problems and detrimentally impact on the efficiency of the highway for all road users. On this basis the scheme is contrary to Core Strategy policy CSP 26.

Signed 
Joe Jenkinson
Head of Planning and Building Control

Dated 30 June 2017

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*

NOTES:-

Appeals to the Secretary of State

If you are aggrieved by the decision of the Council to grant permission for the proposed development subject to conditions then you can appeal to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Transport and Regions under Section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act. If you want to appeal, then you must do so within six months of the date of this notice, using a form which you can get from The Planning Inspectorate, Room 3/24 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN.

The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but he 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 him that the Local Planning Authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions it imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of the development order and to any directions given under the order. In practice, the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the Local Planning Authority based its decision on a direction given by him.

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.