Planning Appeals Received

13 May 2016 - 3 June 2016

The Royal Borough Windsor & Maidenhead

WINDSOR URBAN

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Parish/Ward:

Appeal Ref.: 16/60049/REF **Planning Ref.:** 15/03533/FULL **Plns Ref.:** APP/T0355/W/16/

3145654

Date Received: 18 May 2016 **Comments Due:** 22 June 2016

Type: Refusal **Appeal Type:** Written Representation **Description:** Erection of single storey detached two bed dwelling with associated parking and amenity

space.

Location: Land At 24 York Avenue Windsor

Appellant: Mrs H Gregory Osborne c/o Agent: Miss Michaela Mercer Mercer Planning Consultants Ltd

22 Tanglewood Close Pyrford Woking Surrey GU22 8LG

Appeal Decision Report

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Appeal Ref.: 16/00001/REF **Planning Ref.:** 15/02313/CLAS **Plns Ref.:** APP/T0355/W/1

SM 5/3141411

Appellant: Mr D Bolster c/o Agent: Mr Robert McLennan Heritage South West Ltd 26 Beauclerk

Green Winchfield Hook RG27 8BF

Decision Type: Delegated **Officer Recommendation:** Prior Approval

Required and

Refused

Description: Change of use of ground floor from A1 retail to bedsits.

Location: 339 - 341 St Leonards Road Windsor SL4 3DL

Appeal Decision: Dismissed **Decision Date:** 24 May 2016

Main Issue:

The Inspector considered that the proposed change of use could affect the adequate provision of services in this area and states that on the evidence available it is simply not possible to conclude that there is no reasonable prospect of the unit being used for a relevant use. The Inspector makes reference to paragraph W of Part 3 which allows the Council to refuse an application where, in the opinion of the Council, the developer has provided insufficient information to enable it to establish whether the proposed development complies with an applicable condition. The Inspector concludes that "On the evidence before him, the Inspector is unable to conclude that the loss of the retail unit would not have a harmful effect on the adequate provision of relevant services, and there is simply no evidence that there is not a reasonable prospect of the unit being used to provide such services. Accordingly, having considered all other matters raised, the Inspector concluded that the appeal should be dismissed" COSTS APPLICATION; "The basis of the application here is that the Council mis-directed itself regarding its responsibilities in dealing with a GPDO Schedule 2 Part 3 Class M prior approval application. It is submitted that the Council determined the application under the misapprehension that there was a requirement for the applicant to submit evidence to show that there is not a reasonable prospect of the unit being used to provide relevant services in the future. In essence, the appellant argues that the onus is on the Council to demonstrate the opposite. However, the Council can only determine an application on the evidence before it. Where little or no evidence is provided, as here, the Council is entitled to refuse the application. There is no merit whatsoever in this argument"

Appeal Ref.: 16/00021/REF **Planning Ref.:** 15/00926/FULL **Plns Ref.:** APP/T0355/W/16/

3142279

Appellant: Mr Bruce Juby c/o Agent: Mr Marcus Sturney Ridsdale Planning 14 Manor Road Windsor

SL4 5LP

Decision Type: Committee Officer Recommendation: Refuse

Description: 1 x 3 and 1 x 4 bedroom detached houses with associated parking following demolition of

existing dwelling

Location: Merlins St Leonards Hill Windsor SL4 4AT

Appeal Decision: Allowed **Decision Date:** 27 May 2016

Main Issue: The development could be accommodated without harm to the character and appearance of

the area or to existing trees on the site. Accordingly the development would not be in conflict with Policies DG1, H10, H11 and N6 of the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead Local Plan (as altered) 2003 (LP) or with the National Planning Policy Framework (the Framework) which seek to protect the character and appearance of the area, promote high quality design and allow for the retention of existing suitable trees. The proposed development would be sufficiently separated from other dwellings in the locality so as not to be harmful to the living conditions of residents there. The proposal would be unlikely to result in harm to any biodiversity interests on the site and that to withhold planning permission on

such grounds would be unjustified.

Appeal Ref.: 16/00028/REF **Planning Ref.:** 15/04247/FULL **Plns Ref.:** APP/T0355/D/16/3

145099

Appellant: Mr J Bainbridge c/o Agent: Mr Alex Frame ADS Property Services Taradale Little Lane Upper

Bucklebury Reading RG7 6QX

Decision Type: Delegated **Officer Recommendation:** Refuse

Description: Part two part single storey rear extension and raising of roof to form first floor habitable

accommodation.

Location: 15 Castle Avenue Datchet Slough SL3 9BA

Appeal Decision: Dismissed Decision Date: 27 May 2016

Main Issue: The proposal would result in a property that forms an incongruous and unsympathetic addition

to the street scene. Due to its increased size and bulk the property would appear overly large when compared with surrounding properties; breaking the uniformity in the area's appearance

and ultimately harming its character.