### REPORT OF DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

## **MEETING HELD ON 17 OCTOBER 2007**

Chairman: \* Councillor Marilyn Ashton

Councillors: \* Don Billson \* Julia Merison

Keith Ferry \* Narinder Singh Mudhar
David Gawn (1) \* Joyce Nickolay

\* Thaya Idaikkàɗar

\* Denotes Member present

(1) Denotes category of Reserve Member

[Note: Councillors Mrs Kinnear and Navin Shah also attended this meeting to speak on the items indicated at Minute 141 below].

# **PART I - RECOMMENDATIONS - NIL**

**PART II - MINUTES** 

## 140. Attendance by Reserve Members:

**RESOLVED:** To note the attendance at this meeting of the following duly appointed Reserve Member:-

Ordinary Member Reserve Member

Councillor Mrinal Choudhury Councillor David Gawn

# 141. Right of Members to Speak:

**RESOLVED:** That, in accordance with Committee Procedure Rule 4.1, the following Councillors, who were not Members of the Committee, be allowed to speak on the agenda items indicated:

<u>Councillor</u> <u>Agenda item</u>

Councillor Mrs Kinnear Planning application 2/06
Councillor Navin Shah Planning application 2/08

[Note: Subsequently, planning application 2/06 was deferred, and so Councillor Mrs Kinnear did not speak].

## 142. **Declarations of Interest:**

**RESOLVED:** To note the following declarations of interest made by Members present relating to business to be transacted at this meeting:

- (i) Planning application 2/05 169 Malvern Avenue, Harrow
  Councillor Joyce Nickolay declared a prejudicial interest in the above item arising from the fact that she lived opposite. Accordingly, she would leave the room and take no part in the discussion or decision-making on the item.
- (ii) Planning application 2/12 6 Gerard Road, Harrow Councillor Narinder Mudhar declared a personal interest in the above item arising from the fact that he lived on the same road but not close to the site. Accordingly, he would remain in the room and take part in the discussion and decision-making on the item.
- (iii) Planning application 2/15 Elmgrove First School, Kenmore Avenue, Kenton Councillor Marilyn Ashton declared a personal interest in the above item arising from the fact that she had been a governor of the school for 13 years and had been Chair of the governors. She was no longer a governor. Accordingly, she would remain in the room and take part in the discussion and decision-making on the item.

### 143. Arrangement of Agenda:

**RESOLVED:** That (1) in accordance with the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, the following agenda item be admitted late to the agenda by virtue of the special circumstances and grounds for urgency detailed below:-

Agenda item Special Circumstances / Grounds for

<u>Urgency</u>

Addendum This contained information relating to various items on the agenda and was based

on information received after the agenda's dispatch. It was admitted to the agenda in order to enable Members to consider all information relevant to the items before

them for decision

Planning Applications
 Received: Item 1/01 –
 Carter House, Parr Road,

Stanmore

This item was deferred, to allow for expiration of the consultation period and consideration of replies, by the Strategic Planning Committee meeting on 10 October 2007, which was after the agenda had been printed and circulated. Members of the SPC

indicated that they wished to consider the application at the next planning meeting.

15. Enforcement Notices Awaiting Compliance This report was late due to low staff resources. The Chairman requested that it be submitted to this meeting for

consideration as a matter of urgency.

(2) all items be considered with the press and public present.

## 144. **Minutes:**

**RESOLVED:** That the minutes of the meeting held on 6 September 2007 be taken as read and signed as a correct record.

# 145. Public Questions:

**RESOLVED:** To note that no public questions were put under the provisions of Committee Procedure Rule 19 (Part 4B of the Constitution).

### 146. **Petitions:**

**RESOLVED:** To note receipt of the following petition, which was referred to the Head of Planning for consideration:

(i) Petitions regarding proposed residential development in the garden of Woodpeckers, Moss Lane, Pinner
The above petition, containing 281 signatures, was presented by Councillor

# 147. **Deputations:**

**RESOLVED:** To note that no deputations were received under the provisions of Committee Procedure Rule 17 (Part 4B of the Constitution).

# 148. References from Council and other Committees/Panels:

**RESOLVED:** To note that there were no references from Council or other committees.

# 149. Representations on Planning Applications:

Paul Osborn.

**RESOLVED:** That, in accordance with the provisions of Committee Procedure Rule 18 (part 4B of the Constitution), representations be received in respect of items 1/01, 2/06, 2/08, 2/12 and 2/13 on the list of planning applications.

[Notes: (1) Subsequently, planning applications 1/01, 208 and 2/12 were deferred, and so the representations were not received;

(2) during the discussion on the above item, it was moved and seconded that representations be received after the officer had presented the associated report. Having been put to a vote, this was lost].

#### 150. **Planning Applications Received:**

RESOLVED: That authority be given to the Head of Planning to issue the decision notices in respect of the applications considered, as set out in the schedule attached to these minutes.

#### 151.

<u>Grove End, Grove Hill, Middlesex, HA1 3HE:</u>
The Committee received a report of the Group Manager, Planning and Development in this regard.

RESOLVED: That, having regard to the provision of the Unitary Development Plan and all other material planning considerations (in accordance with Section 172 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)), the Director of Legal Services be authorised to:

- take all necessary steps for the preparation, issue and service of an (a) Enforcement Notice requiring:
  - the demolition of the outbuilding; (i)
  - the removal of all resultant debris and reinstatement of the land to its (ii) former condition;
- the period for compliance with the steps in (a) (i) and (ii) above would be three (b) months from the date the notice takes effect;
- (c) in the event of non-compliance with the above enforcement notice, to:
  - institute legal proceedings, should it be considered in the public (i) interest to do so, pursuant to Section 179 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990;
  - carry out works in default, should it be considered in the public interest (ii) and also financially viable to do so, under the provisions of Section 178 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

#### 152. **Member Site Visits:**

**RESOLVED:** That Member visits to the following sites take place on Saturday 3 November 2007 from 10.00 am:

2/12 - 6 Gerard Road 2/13 - 35 West Drive

#### 153. **Enforcement Notices Awaiting Compliance:**

The Committee received a report of the Head of Planning which listed enforcement notices awaiting compliance.

**RESOLVED:** That the report be noted.

(Note: The meeting, having commenced at 6.30 pm, closed at 8.15 pm).

(Signed) COUNCILLOR MARILYN ASHTON Chairman

# **SECTION 1 – MAJOR APPLICATIONS**

**LIST NO:** 1/01 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2348/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** Carter House, Parr Road, Stanmore, HA7 1LE

**APPLICANT:** Barker Perry Town Planning Ltd for L Lynch Holdings Ltd

**PROPOSAL:** Use of warehouse building (B8 use class) as plant hire / lorry hire service

(sui-generis use) with ancillary offices and off-street parking

**DECISION:** DEFERED to allow expiration of consultation period and consideration of

replies.

## **SECTION 2 – OTHER APPLICATIONS RECOMMENDED FOR GRANT**

**LIST NO:** 2/01 **APPLICATION NO:** P/1570/07/CFU

**LOCATION:** 224 High Road, Harrow

**APPLICANT:** Dalton Warner Davies LLP for Fruition Properties Ltd

**PROPOSAL:** Demolition of existing house and erection of part 2 and part 3 storey building

comprising of 7 flats; with associated car parking, landscaping and widening

of vehicle access to High Road

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, as amended on the Addendum, subject to the conditions

and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO:** 2/02 **APPLICATION NO:** P/1646/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** Woodlands, 7 West Drive Gardens, Harrow

**APPLICANT:** Anthony J Blyth and Co for Mr and Mrs A Skone

PROPOSAL: Single storey front and two storey rear extension; conversion of roof space

to habitable rooms and roof alterations; external alterations

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO:** 2/03 **APPLICATION NO:** P/1526/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** 50 Belmont Lane, Stanmore

**APPLICANT:** Mr A S Kassim for Mr Lakhman Lalji and Mrs Amratben Murji

PROPOSAL: Demolition of existing dwellinghouse, replacement single/two storey

dwellinghouse with integral garage (rvised)

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO:** 2/04 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2032/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** 39 Dudley Road, South Harrow

**APPLICANT:** Mr S Reade for Mr T Herlihy

PROPOSAL: Conversion of dwellinghouse into two flats, front porch and external

alterations

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, as amended on the Addendum, subject to the conditions

and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO:** 2/05 **APPLICATION NO:** P/0863/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** 169 Malvern Avenue, Harrow

**APPLICANT:** Mr J I Kim/ArchiTech for Ms J Pulpnova

PROPOSAL: External alterations; single/two storey side and rear extension and

conversion to two self-contained flats

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

(See also Minute 142).

**LIST NO:** 2/06 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2042/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** 43 Winchester Road, Harrow

**APPLICANT:** M D Designs for Mr S Sharma

**PROPOSAL:** Single storey rear extension, conversion to two flats

**DECISION:** REFUSED permission for the development described in the application and submitted plans, as amended on the Addendum, for the following reasons:

- (i) The proposal represents an over-intensive use of the property to the detriment of the amenities of the neighbouring properties by reason of the activity and disturbance which would be generated by converting one family dwelling into two separate units, contrary to HUDP policies D4 and D5.
- (ii) The shared drive gives rise to restricted space on the forecourt for parking and landscaping and will give rise to a cluttered and overcrowded appearance in the street scene, would be out of keeping and would be detrimental to the character of the area, contrary to HUDP policies D4 and D5.

[Notes: (1) Prior to discussing the above application, the Committee received representations from an objector, which was noted;

- (2) there was no indication that a representative of the applicant was present and wished to respond;
- (3) during discussion on the above item, it was moved and seconded that the application be refused. Upon being put to the vote, this was carried;
- (4) the Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to refuse the application was unanimous;
- (5) the Head of Planning had recommended that the above application be granted].

**LIST NO:** 2/07 **APPLICATION NO:** P/1971/07/DFU

LOCATION: 41 Elm Park Road, Pinner

**APPLICANT:** The Gillett Macleod Partnership for Mr F J Balloch

**PROPOSAL:** Redevelopment to provide two storey detached house with accommodation

at loft level, detached garage at rear with access from West End Lane, new

crossover to forecourt

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, as amended on the Addendum, subject to the conditions

and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

LIST NO: 2/08 APPLICATION NO: P/1936/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** John Lyon School, Middle Road, Harrow on the Hill

APPLICANT: Kenneth W Reed and Associates for The John Lyon School

**PROPOSAL:** Retention of temporary classroom for a further period of 3 years

**DECISION:** DEFERRED for further consideration of an appropriate period for retention.

**LIST NO:** 2/09 **APPLICATION NO:** P/1669/07/CFU

**LOCATION:** 7 Rickmansworth Road, Pinner

**APPLICANT:** The Gillett Macleod Partnership for Rylex Investments

**PROPOSAL:** Three storey block comprising 4x2 bed flats, 4 covered parking spaces at

ground level, one space on forecourt, vehicular access

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO:** 2/10 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2381/07/CFU

**LOCATION:** Land at Fentiman Way, South Harrow

**APPLICANT:** W J Macleod Architect for M D Properties

PROPOSAL: Three storey block of 8 flats; bin store and parking (resident permit

restricted)

**DECISION:** GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and

submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

LIST NO: 2/11 APPLICATION NO: P/2164/07/DFU

**LOCATION:** 31 Bellfield Avenue, Harrow, HA3 6ST

APPLICANT: Adrian Salt and Pang Ltd for Mr and Mrs Saad Raja

PROPOSAL: Single and two storey rear extension; two storey infill extension and

alterations

#### **DECISION:** INFORM the applicant that:

- The proposal is acceptable subject to the completion of a legal (a) agreement within six months (or such period as the Council may determine) of the date of the Committee decision on this application to require the implementation of either planning permission P/1425/06/DFU only or the proposal subject to this application P/2164/07/DFU, but not both.
- A formal decision notice granting permission for the development described in the application and submitted plans, subject to the (b) conditions and informatives reported, will be issued only upon the completion of the aforementioned legal agreement.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the application was unanimous].

LIST NO: 2/12 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2400/07/DFU

LOCATION: 6 Gerard Road, Harrow

APPLICANT: Magan D Solanki for Mr and Mrs J Broughton

PROPOSAL: Two storey side extension; one rear dormer; velux windows on front roof

slope; demolition of existing garage and outbuilding

**DECISION:** DEFERRED for Member site visit.

(See also Minutes 142 and 152).

LIST NO: APPLICATION NO: P/2317/07/DFU 2/13

LOCATION: 35 West Drive, Harrow

**APPLICANT:** Home Plans for B Landau/Basic Focus

Single storey front and rear extensions; roof alterations to form front and PROPOSAL:

rear dormers

**DECISION:** DEFERRED for Member site visit.

[Notes: (1) Prior to discussing the above application, the Committee

received representations from an objector, which was noted;

(2) there was no indication that a representative of the applicant was

present and wished to respond;

(3) during discussion on the above item, it was moved and seconded that

the application be deferred for a Members site visit. Upon being put to the

vote, this was carried].

(See also Minute 152).

LIST NO: 2/14 **APPLICATION NO:** P/2241/07/CFU

LOCATION: Silver Trumpet Public House, 41-43 Station Road, Harrow

APPLICANT: Robin Bretherick Associates for Goldplex Properties Ltd

First and second storey rear infill extensions and alterations to existing two flats and conversion of first and second floors of public house building to PROPOSAL:

provide eight self-contained flats and provision of plant room and solar

panels at roof top level

GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and submitted plans, as amended on the Addendum, subject to the conditions **DECISION:** 

and informative reported.

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

**LIST NO: APPLICATION NO:** P/2558/07/CFU 2/15

Elmgrove First School, Kenmore Avenue, Kenton LOCATION:

David Kann Associates for Harrow Council **APPLICANT:** 

PROPOSAL: Alterations and extensions to school

GRANTED permission for the development described in the application and submitted plans, subject to the conditions and informatives reported. **DECISION:** 

[Note: The Committee wished it to be recorded that the decision to grant the

application was unanimous].

(See also Minute 142).