

THE LAND PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (GUERNSEY) LAW, 2005
AND THE LAND PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (GENERAL PROVISIONS)
ORDINANCE, 2007

NOTIFICATION OF GRANT OF PLANNING PERMISSION

PROPOSALS: Erect single storey detached car port to north boundary.

LOCATION: Unit 2 Birklands, Les Canus, St. Sampson.

APPLICANT: Mr P Gouveia

This permission is granted under the terms of Sections 15 and 16 of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005 (the 'Law').

Date of Grant of Permission: 10/10/2023

This notification of grant of permission refers solely to the proposals referred to above as described in your application received as valid on 03/08/2023 and the drawings referred to below. This grant of permission is subject to the following conditions:-

Drawing Nos: A7 Design - 20-1239-P5 PD/101 & PD/102

Application Ref: FULL/2023/1387

Property Ref: B013680000

Conditions and reasons:-

1.All development authorised by this permission must be carried out and must be completed in every detail in accordance with the written application, plans and drawings referred to above. No variations to such development amounting to development may be made without the permission of the Authority under the Law.

Reason - To ensure that it is clear that permission is only granted for the development to which the application relates.

2.The development hereby permitted shall be begun within 3 years from the date of grant of this permission.

Reason - This condition reflects section 18(1) of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005 which states that planning permission ceases to have effect unless development is commenced within 3 years of the date of grant (or such shorter period as may be specified in the permission).

3.The development hereby permitted and all the operations which constitute or are incidental to that development must be carried out in compliance with all such requirements of The Building (Guernsey) Regulations, 2012 as are applicable to them, and no operation to which such a requirement applies may be commenced or continued unless (i) plans relating to that operation have been approved by the Authority and (ii) it is commenced or, as the case may be, continued, in accordance with that requirement and any further requirements imposed by the Authority when approving those plans, for the purpose of securing that the building regulations are complied with.

Reason - Any planning permission granted under the Law is subject to this condition as stated in section 17(2) of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005.

4.No development, excluding demolition and site works, shall begin until a landscaping scheme, to include those details specified below, has been submitted to and agreed in writing by the Authority:

- i) full details of tree and hedge planting; and
- ii) planting schedules, noting the species, sizes, numbers and densities of plants.

Reason - In the interests of visual amenity and to ensure that the biodiversity enhancement planting scheme is carried out in a suitable timeframe in order to accord with the Strategy for Nature.

5.The landscaping scheme shall be fully completed, in accordance with the details agreed under the terms of the above condition 4, in the first planting season following the first use of the car port or the completion of the car port whichever is the sooner, or in accordance with a programme previously agreed in writing by the Authority. Any trees or plants removed, dying, being severely damaged or becoming seriously diseased, within 5 years of planting shall be replaced in the following planting season by trees or plants of a size and species similar to those originally required to be planted.

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Expiry Date: This permission will cease to have effect on 09/10/2026 unless development is commenced by that date.

ADVICE AND OTHER REMARKS:-

Effect of planning permission:

Section 18 of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005 ('the Law') defines the effect of the planning permission hereby granted, namely:

- (1) Planning permission ceases to have effect unless the development permitted by it is commenced within a period of three years immediately following the date on which it is granted (or such shorter period as may be specified in the permission).
- (2) Planning permission enures for the benefit of the land concerned and of every person for the time being having an interest in it.
- (3) Any conditions subject to which planning permission is issued are enforceable in accordance with the provisions of Part V of the Law.
- (4) Planning permission for the erection of a building is only permission to use it for the purpose specified in the permission or, subject to any restriction so specified, for any other purpose for which it is designed.
- (5) Planning permission is only permission to carry out the development specified in it (subject to any conditions so specified), and does not imply the giving of any other approval or consent required under this Law or any other enactment or under any rule of law.

Right of appeal against planning decisions:

Your attention is drawn to the provisions of Section 68(1) of the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law 2005, which provides a right of appeal, on the merits against a decision to grant planning permission subject to conditions (except a building condition), to the Planning Tribunal, which is independent of the States of Guernsey. An appeal to the Planning Tribunal under section 68 of the Law against this decision must be made before the expiry of the period of six months beginning with the date on which the Authority made this decision. The official Appeal Notice Forms are available on the States of Guernsey website at www.gov.gg/planningpanel and must be completed with all enclosures in multiples as requested and received within the six months deadline.

Copy of representations made:

In reaching this decision the Authority took into account any written consultations made under Section 11(1) of the Land Planning and Development (General Provisions) Ordinance, 2007 ('the Ordinance'). A copy of any consultation responses made under section 11 will be included with this decision in accordance with section 19 of the Ordinance.

Other Remarks:

Please note that any work which abuts or affects the public highway requires prior approval by Traffic and Highway Services. Please contact Traffic & Highway Services (highways@gov.gg) for further advice. You must also ensure that any access/es to the development are constructed to meet the existing road/footway levels in accordance with their requirements.

This document is not a Building Licence and confers no approval under the Building Regulations.

A separate Building Control Licence may be required and it is the responsibility of the developer to ensure that ALL necessary consents are obtained and that any pre-commencement conditions are discharged prior to development being commenced.

A J ROWLES

Director of Planning
Planning Service



PLANNING APPLICATION REPORT

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Applicant: Mr P Gouveia

RECOMMENDATION - Grant: Planning Permission with Conditions:

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OFFICER'S REPORT

Brief Description of the site:

Planning permission is requested to erect a single storey detached hipped roof triple car port to the north boundary of unit 2.

The application site previously comprised a redundant vinery site, formerly known as Birklands Vinery, which is located to the south of Les Canus. Following the grant of planning permission to convert and extend the packing shed into 3 dwellings work has commenced on site and is now largely complete.

The site is situated Outside of the Centres as designated in the Island Development Plan.

Relevant History:

11/09/2023 - FULL/2023/1380 – Permission granted to erect single storey detached garage/outbuilding to east of unit 3.

13/07/2023 – FULL/2023/0729 – Permission granted to erect extension at first floor level to east (side) elevation, erect single storey detached outbuilding/dower unit to west boundary.

24/01/2023 – FULL/2022/1485 – Permission granted for the change of use of agricultural land to create additional parking area and communal amenity area, erect fence and gate and associated landscaping (380sqm).

22/09/2022 – FULL/2022/1257 – Permission granted to erect single storey extension to south (rear) elevation to Unit 2 and balconies to all elevations of Units 1 & 3.

08/12/2021 - FULL/2021/0013 – Permission granted for variations to plans previously approved to convert and extend packing shed to 3 dwellings with associated landscaping and parking - increase footprint of Units 1 and 3, alteration to fenestration of unit 2 and alter unit boundary lines.

27/04/2021 - FULL/2021/2255 – Permission granted for variations to plans previously approved to convert and extend packing shed to 3 dwellings with associated landscaping and parking - Erect garage/carport to west boundary and resurface service road.

02/10/2020 - FULL/2020/0926 – Permission granted to convert and extend packing shed to 3 dwellings with associated landscaping and parking.

Existing Use(s):

Residential use class 1: dwelling house

Assessment: *(Tick as appropriate)*

no representation

✓
✓
✓
✓

accords with policy

within curtilage

design acceptable

visual amenity acceptable

no material neighbour impact

traffic not affected

✓
✓
✓

Policies considered most relevant:

GP8 Design

GP9 Sustainable Development

GP13 Householder Development

Conclusion/Brief comment:

During the consideration of the previously approved application (FULL/2022/1257) it was concluded that due to the progress of the works undertaken the dwellings were watertight and constituted dwellings in their own right. As a result, the previous

application and this current application fall to be considered principally under Policy GP13.

The car port would be situated in front of the dwellings and would be partially located on an area set aside for biodiversity enhancements as part of application FULL/2022/1485 which involved the change of use of agricultural land to domestic land. However, the car port would be set back approximately 60 metres from the highway which would reduce its prominence in public views. In addition, the proposed hedging and small trees to the north of the car port would further limit the visual impact of the car port and together with the planting to the west, the proposed landscaping would be sufficient to mitigate planting that would be lost as part of the biodiversity enhancements of application FULL/2022/1485 (precise details of planting can be requested by condition). The design and materials of the car port achieves a satisfactory standard of design and the proposal would have no significant adverse effects on the character and visual amenity of the area.

All material considerations as set out in the Land Planning and Development (Guernsey) Law, 2005 and the Land and Planning (General Provisions) Ordinance 2007 have been taken into account in the assessment of this application.

It is recommended that the application is approved.

Recommendation:

Grant with Conditions



Date: 09/10/2023