

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
PLANNING AND COMPENSATION ACT 1991
THE TOWN & COUNTRY PLANNING
(DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2015**

Application for Householder planning permission

Applicant: HAC Designs

READING BOROUGH COUNCIL as Local Planning Authority Approve with Conditions planning permission for the following development in accordance with the plans and supporting information submitted in connection with this application.

Proposal: Part garage conversion and single storey side extension

At: 7 Mapledene, Caversham, Reading, RG4 7DQ

Subject to such conditions and for such reasons as may be attached:

**OTHER STATUTORY CONSENTS MAY BE REQUIRED
PLEASE READ THE NOTES ISSUED WITH THIS DECISION NOTICE**

Date: 8 August 2024



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**Assistant Director of Planning, Transport
and Public Protection Services**

Application At: 7 Mapledene, Caversham, Reading, RG4 7DQ

Application No: PL/24/0489

Application type: Householder planning permission

CONDITIONS & REASONS

1. The development hereby permitted shall begin no later than three years from the date of this planning permission.
REASON: to prevent an accumulation of unimplemented planning permissions, and in accordance with Section 91 of the Town & Country Planning Act 1990 as amended by the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.
2. The development hereby permitted shall ONLY be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-05 Option D Proposed Ground Floor Plan – dated Apr 24
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-06 Option D Proposed First Floor Plan – dated Apr 24
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-07 Option D Proposed Loft Floor Plan – dated Apr 24
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-08 Proposed Elevations – dated Apr 24
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-09 Location Plan – dated Apr 24
Drawing no: 23096.S.PD-10 Block Plan (Additional Footprint) – dated Apr 24
Arboricultural Report (Certhia Consulting Ltd) – dated June 24
Received by the Local Planning Authority on 18th April 2024
REASON: For the avoidance of doubt and to ensure that the development is carried out and adhered to in accordance with the application form and associated details hereby approved.
3. The materials to be used in the construction of the external surfaces of the development hereby permitted shall match those used on the existing building.
REASON: In the interests of visual amenity and ensuring the new development responds positively to the local context and character in accordance with Policy CC7 & of the Reading Borough Local Plan 2019.
4. Protective measures, including fencing, ground protection, supervision and working procedures shall be carried out in accordance with the Arboricultural Report and Method Statement / Tree Protection Plan prepared by Certhia Consulting Ltd dated June 2024. Any deviation from the works prescribed or methods agreed in the report will require prior written approval from the Local Planning Authority.

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REASON: In order to ensure that reasonable measures are taken to safeguard trees in the interests of local amenity in accordance with Policy EN14 of the Reading Borough Local Plan 2019.

5. The extension hereby permitted shall not be occupied at any time other than for purposes ancillary to the residential use of the main dwelling known as:
7 Mapledene, Caversham, Reading, RG4 7DQ

REASON: To accord with the terms of the application, and to ensure that separate occupation of the extension would not detract from the amenities or living conditions of neighbouring residential properties (or the character of the locality) in accordance with Policy H9 of the Reading Borough Local Plan 2019.

INFORMATIVES

1. Your attention is drawn to the terms and conditions of this permission. Any development which is carried out but which differs materially from the approved plans and details, or does not comply with any condition(s) or planning obligation(s) attached to the permission may result in the Council taking action to remedy the breach of planning control. If you are in any doubt please contact the Council.
2. Your attention is drawn to the requirement for submission of a Building Regulations application for the proposed development. Please contact Building Control on 0118 937 2449 for advice.
3. Complaints are commonly received about noise and dust caused by construction and demolition works, particularly working outside reasonable hours and smoke from bonfires associated with the burning of waste on site. The developer is reminded that construction and demolition associated with the approved development will be subject to environmental health law.
4. During the course of construction, the developer should take care to ensure that no part of this development (foundations, eaves, guttering, etc.) would encroach on, under or across the boundary line with the adjoining property, as the requisite Notice has not been served on the owner of that property. This permission does not confer any right of access onto land that is not under the developer's control. The developer should also be mindful of the obligations and requirements of the Party Wall Act (1996) details of which can be found at:
www.communities.gov.uk/publications/planningandbuilding/partywall

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5. The decision to grant planning permission follows the positive and proactive consideration of the issues raised by this planning application and issuing the decision within the eight week time period.
6. You are advised that no tree works are approved by virtue of this consent. Any works to trees subject to a Tree Preservation Order status will require submission of a tree works application or Section 211 Notice respectively.

NOTES

APPEALS TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE

If you are aggrieved by the decision of the Council 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 this is a decision on a planning application relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as is already the subject of an enforcement notice, if you want to appeal against the Council's decision on the application you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.

If an enforcement notice is served relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as in your application and you want to appeal against the Council's decision on your application, you must do so within 28 days of the date of service of the enforcement notice, or within 6 months (or 12 weeks in the case of a householder appeal) of the date of this notice, whichever period expires earlier.

If the above circumstances do not apply, any appeal must be made within the following time limits. If this is a householder application and you want to appeal against the Council's decision then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice. If this is an advertisement application and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 8 weeks of the date of this notice. If you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision for any other type of application (which is not a householder or advertisement application, or an application for a Certificate of Lawfulness) then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice.

Appeals can be made online at: <https://www.gov.uk/appeal-householder-planning-decision>

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

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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 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 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.

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