# WEST OXFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

# **UPLANDS AREA PLANNING SUB-COMMITTEE**

# 4 August 2014

# **Report of Additional Representations**



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14/0754/P/FP Penhurst School New Street Chipping Norton		
Date	10/06/2014	
Officer	Abby Fettes	
Recommendation	Grant, subject to the applicant first entering into a legal agreement	
Parish	CHIPPING NORTON	
Grid Ref:	431118,227247	

#### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

Retention of John Cory House and Cottage, demolition of redundant buildings and conversion of Monks Dene to allow erection of Care Home and Assisted Living Units, access roads, car parking and ancillary works.

# **APPLICANT**

Beechcroft Developments Ltd &Action for Children (C/O Agent)

#### **ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIONS**

Further evidence has been submitted by the applicant (by email on 31st July) that ensures that the derogation tests are met in respect of the protected species present on site. Therefore it is considered that the proposal is in accordance with policy NE15.

In an amendment to the committee report:

The care home is to be 58 beds not 53.

The care home has a lower eaves height than the existing drama building adjacent to the boundary, however it does increase in height towards the west, away from the boundary, as shown on drawing 13-087-153.

14/0833/P/FP Reeves Barn Pound Hill Charlbury		
Date	06/06/201406/06/2014	
Officer	Abby Fettes	
Recommendation	Provisional Approval	
Parish	CHARLBURY	
Grid Ref:	435493,219763	

#### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

Demolition of existing garage and erection of dwelling.

#### **APPLICANT**

Mr L Pratley, Reeves Barn, Pound Hill, Charlbury, Oxon, OX7 3QN

#### **ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIONS**

The following email has been received from Guy Ker of The Firs:

Following a conversation with Simon Wright I am writing to you to request that the agenda for the August 4 Uplands Committee Meeting is amended to address the following relevant factual points re the latest Reeves Barn planning application:

- 6.9 "unlike the existing garage building which has a window on the boundary". The window (and door, see attached photo) which appears to be part of the existing garage building is in fact a shed that belongs to The Firs. There are no windows or doors in the existing garage building that overlook The Firs. A covenant is in force, agreed by the owners of Reeves Barn and The Firs, which states that no windows or doors will be opened along the boundary.
- 6.10 "the proposal includes a terraced area to the rear with 1.5m high side walls". It is not mentioned here that this is a first floor roof terrace with a height of 4.2 meters (figure supplied by proposal architect Leslie Burton).
- 6.11 "There are two doors proposed on the north west elevation facing The Firs but it is proposed that there is a 1.8m wall along the shared boundary." In fact, the existing stone wall between the two properties tapers down to 1.4m at the position of the proposed glazed utility room door and then becomes open paddock-style fencing (see attached photo). Page 4 of the D&A Statement states that there will by "new fence and wall to Reeves Barn and the existing 1.8M stone wall to The Firs". It makes no mention of a new wall between the proposed new dwelling and The Firs. In addition the plans propose two opening windows in the dining room which is just 500-600mm (figures supplied by architect) away from the open fence boundary.
- NB In respect of 6.9 Officers wish to clarify that the existing window on the boundary belongs to The Firs and not Reeves Barn.
- 6.10 Members will view the plans at the sub-committee which will clarify the position of the terrace.
- 6.11 As above.

14/0897/P/FP Leafield Technical Centre Langley		
Date	17/06/201417/06/2014	
Officer	Mrs Kim Smith	
Recommendation	Grant, subject to conditions	
Parish	LEAFIELD	
Grid Ref:	430180,215462	

#### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

Installation of three mechanical extraction plant. (Retrospective)

#### **APPLICANT**

Caterham FI Team, Leafield Technical Centre, Langley, Oxfordshire, OX29 9EF

#### **ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIONS**

Mr P Warren of 3 Langley has commented as follows:

"We have read the above report and would comment (query) as follows:

- 2) Constraints. No mention of Industrial class use restriction B1(b).
- 5) Applicants case. 5.6 No stipulation as to when the "determined to be 34 dBL" applies. We note that the AAD acoustic survey (18-9-13) refers to this figure as being "typical daytime noise level" night time and early morning levels have been recorded as low as 23 25 dBLs (See Appeal Decision, Engine Test Cells application 27th September 2007)
- 5) Applicants case. 5.18 Air filtration plant on the South side facade of building B-No mention of top end attenuation to this plant, i.e. exhaust vents etc. as is the case for cyclones 1 and 2. This plant is closest to the Southern residences.

No mention of future monitoring for "secondary sources" of noise which may become obvious once mitigation work has been completed. — AAD survey 2-12-13. Page 11. 9.12."

14/0986/P/FP Village Hall Shipton Road Milton Under Wychwood		
Date	04/07/201429/07/2014	
Officer	Cheryl Morley	
Recommendation	Grant, subject to conditions	
Parish	MILTON UNDER WYCHWOOD	
Grid Ref:	426861,218244	

### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

Erection of single storey extension to create new bar area.

### **APPLICANT**

Mr Jeff Haine, 13 Poplar Farm Close, Milton Under Wychwood, Oxon, OX7 6LX

## **ADDITIONAL REPRESENTATIONS**

## **Environmental Health**

There are no adverse comments or objections to this proposal from this team.

## **OCC Highways**

This application should be granted but the suitable conditions applied (as below)

G36	Car parking in	The car parking areas (including where
	accordance with	appropriate the marking out of parking spaces)
	approved plans	shown on the approved plans shall be retained and
		used for no other purpose.
		REASON: To ensure that adequate car parking
		facilities are provided in the interests of road safety
		(Policy BE3 of the adopted West Oxfordshire
		Local Plan 2011)