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Application for Planning Permission.
Town and Country Planning Act 1990

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Please note that the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents may be published on the Authority's website.
If you require any further clarification, please contact the Authority's planning department.

1. Applicant Name, Address and Contact Details

Title: Mr | First name: Paul | Surname: Blackmore

Company name: Northwards Housing

Street address: 35-39 Southchurch Parade
Collyhurst

Town/City: Manchester
County: Greater Manchester
Country: United Kingdom
Postcode: M40 7GE

	Country Code	National Number	Extension Number
Telephone number:			
Mobile number:			
Fax number:			

Email address:

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant? ○ Yes ◉ No

2. Agent Name, Address and Contact Details

No Agent details were submitted for this application

3. Description of the Proposal

Please describe the proposed development including any change of use:

Installation of a purpose built small modular plant room for housing two ground source heat pumps and a gas fired condensing boiler, for the renewal of the communal heating system at the block. The plant room is to be positioned in the existing rear garden areas, within the existing fenced area, next to the current plant room. Installation of 10 x 150mm x 120m deep bore holes on existing grassed area next to new plant room, linked under ground to a central valve pit. All holes and valve pit to be finished flush at ground level with cover grids

Has the building, work or change of use already started? ○ Yes ◉ No

4. Site Address Details

Full postal address of the site (including full postcode where available)

House: | Suffix:
House name: Aldbourne Court
Street address: 20 Aldbourne Close

Town/City: Manchester
County: Greater Manchester
Postcode: M40 8NE

Description of location or a grid reference
(must be completed if postcode is not known):

Easting: 385508
Northing: 400015

Description:

A Northwards Housing Sheltered Housing Block comprising of 25 tenanted flats plus one guest flat, over two storeys.

5. Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application? ○ Yes ◉ No

6. Pedestrian and Vehicle Access, Roads and Rights of Way

Is a new or altered vehicle access proposed to or from the public highway? ○ Yes ◉ No

Is a new or altered pedestrian access proposed to or from the public highway? ○ Yes ◉ No

Are there any new public roads to be provided within the site? ○ Yes ◉ No

Are there any new public rights of way to be provided within or adjacent to the site? ○ Yes ◉ No

Do the proposals require any diversions/extinguishments and/or creation of rights of way? ○ Yes ◉ No

7. Waste Storage and Collection

Do the plans incorporate areas to store and aid the collection of waste? ○ Yes ◉ No

Have arrangements been made for the separate storage and collection of recyclable waste? ○ Yes ◉ No

8. Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, I am:

(a) a member of staff
(b) an elected member
(c) related to a member of staff
(d) related to an elected member

Do any of these statements apply to you? ○ Yes ◉ No

9. Materials

Please state what materials (including type, colour and name) are to be used externally (if applicable):

Walls - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Main building red brick cavity walls

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Glass reinforced plastic, composite construction, with brick effect wall finish to match main building

Roof - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Main building - Grey tiled roof

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Glass reinforced plastic, dark grey finish

Windows - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Main building - White uPVC

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

No windows to be installed

Doors - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Various door types exist to block. Main entrance - steel powder coated, fire exits and communal exit doors - plastic / composite, individual flat doors - timber or composite

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Glass reinforced plastic. Colour to be decided

Boundary treatments - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Existing perimeter fence - black metal railings

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

No boundary treatment to be installed

Vehicle access and hard standing - description:

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Existing car park - tarmac

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

No new vehicle access or hardstanding

9. (Materials continued)

Lighting - add description

Description of *existing* materials and finishes:

Various communal and individual lighting both internal and external - plastic,metal fittings.

Description of *proposed* materials and finishes:

Internal strip light to be fitted inside boiler house for use when dark only - when servicing / repairing. No windows

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement? ○ Yes ○ No

If Yes, please state references for the plan(s)/drawing(s)/design and access statement:

10. Vehicle Parking

Please provide information on the existing and proposed number of on-site parking spaces:

Type of vehicle	Existing number of spaces	Total proposed (including spaces retained)	Difference in spaces
Cars	2	2	0
Light goods vehicles/public carrier vehicles	0	0	0
Motorcycles	0	0	0
Disability spaces	2	2	0
Cycle spaces	0	0	0
Other (e.g. Bus)	1	1	0
Short description of Other	Emergency Services Space		

11. Foul Sewage

Please state how foul sewage is to be disposed of:

☐ Mains sewer ☐ Package treatment plant ☐ Unknown

☐ Septic tank ☐ Cess pit

Other

Not applicable

Are you proposing to connect to the existing drainage system? ○ Yes ◉ No ○ Unknown

12. Assessment of Flood Risk

Is the site within an area at risk of flooding? (Refer to the Environment Agency's Flood Map showing flood zones 2 and 3 and consult Environment Agency standing advice and your local planning authority requirements for information as necessary.) ○ Yes ◉ No

If Yes, you will need to submit an appropriate flood risk assessment to consider the risk to the proposed site.

Is your proposal within 20 metres of a watercourse (e.g. river, stream or beck)? ○ Yes ◉ No

Will the proposal increase the flood risk elsewhere? ○ Yes ◉ No

How will surface water be disposed of?

☐ Sustainable drainage system ☐ Main sewer ☐ Pond/lake

☐ Soakaway ☒ Existing watercourse

13. Biodiversity and Geological Conservation

To assist in answering the following questions refer to the guidance notes for further information on when there is a reasonable likelihood that any important biodiversity or geological conservation features may be present or nearby and whether they are likely to be affected by your proposals.

Having referred to the guidance notes, is there a reasonable likelihood of the following being affected adversely or conserved and enhanced within the application site, OR on land adjacent to or near the application site:

a) Protected and priority species

○ Yes, on the development site ○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ◉ No

b) Designated sites, important habitats or other biodiversity features

○ Yes, on the development site ○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ◉ No

c) Features of geological conservation importance

○ Yes, on the development site ○ Yes, on land adjacent to or near the proposed development ◉ No

14. Existing Use

Please describe the current use of the site:

Sheltered Housing Block, comprising of 25 tenanted flats plus 1 guest flat, communal corridors and communal lounge.

Is the site currently vacant? ○ Yes ◉ No

Does the proposal involve any of the following?
If yes, you will need to submit an appropriate contamination assessment with your application.

Land which is known to be contaminated? ○ Yes ◉ No

Land where contamination is suspected for all or part of the site? ○ Yes ◉ No

A proposed use that would be particularly vulnerable to the presence of contamination? ○ Yes ◉ No

15. Trees and Hedges

Are there trees or hedges on the proposed development site? ○ Yes ◉ No

And/or: Are there trees or hedges on land adjacent to the proposed development site that could influence the development or might be important as part of the local landscape character? ○ Yes ◉ No

If Yes to either or both of the above, you may need to provide a full Tree Survey, at the discretion of your local planning authority. If a Tree Survey is required, this and the accompanying plan should be submitted alongside your application. Your local planning authority should make clear on its website what the survey should contain, in accordance with the current 'BS5837: Trees in relation to design, demolition and construction - Recommendations'.

16. Trade Effluent

Does the proposal involve the need to dispose of trade effluents or waste? ○ Yes ◉ No

17. Residential Units

Does your proposal include the gain or loss of residential units? ○ Yes ◉ No

18. All Types of Development: Non-residential Floorspace

Does your proposal involve the loss, gain or change of use of non-residential floorspace? ○ Yes ◉ No

19. Employment

If known, please complete the following information regarding employees:

	Full-time	Part-time	Equivalent number of full-time
Existing employees	0	0	0
Proposed employees	0	0	0

20. Hours of Opening

If known, please state the hours of opening for each non-residential use proposed:

Use	Monday to Friday		Saturday		Sunday and Bank Holidays		Not Known
	Start Time	End Time	Start Time	End Time	Start Time	End Time	

21. Site Area

What is the site area? 00.10 hectares

22. Industrial or Commercial Processes and Machinery

Please describe the activities and processes which would be carried out on the site and the end products including plant, ventilation or air conditioning. Please include the type of machinery which may be installed on site:

Installation of 10 x 150mm by 120 metre deep bore holes within 10 square metres of new modular plant room, all linked up by a central valve pit, immediately next to the new modular plant room. All bore holes and valve pit will be below ground level, denoted by covers, finished at ground level on the grassed area. The modular plant room to be positioned next to the existing boiler plant room. To be 3m long x 2m wide x 2.3 m high, finished in a brick effect finish to match existing main building brickwork and main building roof. Modular plant room to contain two ground source heat pumps and one gas fired boiler.

Is the proposal for a waste management development? ○ Yes ◉ No

23. Hazardous Substances

Is any hazardous waste involved in the proposal? ○ Yes ◉ No

24. Site Visit

Can the site be seen from a public road, public footpath, bridleway or other public land? (•) Yes ( ) No

If the planning authority needs to make an appointment to carry out a site visit, whom should they contact? (Please select only one)

( ) The agent (•) The applicant ( ) Other person

25. Certificates (Certificate A)

Certificate of Ownership - Certificate A
Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010 Certificate under Article 12

I certify/The applicant certifies that on the day 21 days before the date of this application nobody except myself/the applicant was the owner *(owner is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run)* of any part of the land to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding *("agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act)*.

Title: Mr First name: Paul Surname: Blackmore

Person role: Applicant Declaration date: 31/07/2013 ☒ Declaration made

26. Declaration

I/we hereby apply for planning permission/consent as described in this form and the accompanying plans/drawings and additional information. I/we confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge, any facts stated are true and accurate and any opinions given are the genuine opinions of the person(s) giving them.

☒ Date 31/07/2013