

Important – Planning permission & notices of consent

Compliance with conditions

- Your planning approval or consent is attached. It will contain conditions that you must comply with.
- Please read the conditions and understand their requirements and restrictions, for example submission and approval of details or measures to protect trees.
- Some conditions will require action before you start development and it is imperative that you seek to have these discharged before any work commences.
- Whilst every effort has been made to group conditions logically, it is your responsibility to ensure that you are aware of the requirements and/or restrictions of all conditions.
- If you fail to comply with the conditions this may result in a breach of planning control and this may lead to enforcement action.
- Failure to comply with conditions may also result in the development not being lawful.
- It is in your interests to demonstrate that conditions have been complied with. Failure to do so may cause difficulties if the property is sold or transferred.
- A fee is payable for each request to discharge conditions.
- For advice on any of these matters, please contact Planning, Manchester City Council, PO Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2LA or email planning@manchester.gov.uk

Town & Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Planning Permission

Applicant

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Agent (if used)

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Part 1 – Particulars of the application/development

Proposal: Elevational alterations including installation of louvres to sixth floor together with installation of rooftop plant in association with office refurbishment.

Location: Bridgewater House, 58 - 60 Whitworth Street, Manchester, M1 6LT

Date of application: 12 May 2023

Application number: 136957/FO/2023

Part 2 – Particulars of decision

Manchester City Council gives notice that the development referred to in Part 1 has been **Approved** in accordance with the application and plans submitted subject to the condition(s) listed below (if any).

Article 35 Declaration

Officers have worked with the applicant/agent in a positive and proactive manner based on seeking solutions to problems arising in relation to dealing with the planning application.

Condition(s) attached to this decision

1) The development must be begun not later than the expiration of three years beginning with the date of this permission.

Reason - Required to be imposed pursuant to Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

2) The development hereby approved shall be carried out in accordance with the following drawings and documents:

-Drawing - Proposed RF001 ROOF PLAN received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 12/05/2023

- Drawing - Proposed 483386-CBR-XX-06-DR-M-5701 6F VENTILATION LAYOUT
- Drawing - Proposed 483386-CBR-XX-06-DR-ME-7000 REV T2 ROOF FLOOR MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL LAYOUT
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -0001 REV P11 SIXTH FLOOR PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -0002 REV P04 DEMOLITION PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -2500 REV P04 INTERNAL WALL TYPES PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -2510 REV P04 DOOR SCHEDULE AND PATTERNS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -2512 REV T01 DOOR SCHEDULE AND PATTERN SHEET 2
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -3001 REV P06 REFLECTED CEILING PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -4011 REV P05 WALL FINISHES PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM -HLM -01 -06 -DR - I -7502 REV T01 FIRE STOPPING DETAILS SHEET 2
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-2501 REV P03 INTERNAL PARTITION DETAILS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-2502 REV P03 FOLDING PARTITION DETAILS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-2511 REV P04 INTERNAL SCREEN SCHEDULE AND PATTERNS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-3002 REV P03 CEILING DETILS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-3501 REV T01 RAMP DETAILS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-4010 REV P04 FLOOR FINISHES PLAN
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-4012 REV T01 FLOOR AND WALL FINISH DETAILS
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-7500 REV P02 SIXTH FLOOR FIRE STRATEGY
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-06-DR-I-7501 REV T01 FIRE STOPPING DETAILS SHEET 1
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-XX-DR-I-0022 REV P03 SECTIONS -SHEET 01
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-XX-DR-I-0023 REV P03 SECTIONS -SHEET 02
- Drawing - Proposed BCM-HLM-01-XX-DR-I-0032 REV P02 ELEVATIONS

All received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 27/02/2023.

- Correspondence COVERING LETTER
- Design & Access Statement DESIGN AND ACCESS STATEMENT
- Supporting Information APPENDIX 1 - SCHEDULE OF PLANNING APPLICATION DRAWINGS

All received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 27/02/2023.

- Supporting Information ENGINEERING SERVICES INFORMATION
- Supporting Information PLANNING STATEMENT
- Noise assessment or information BHM-BWB-ZZ-ZZ-RP-YA-0001_NIA_S2_P02

All received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 12/05/2023

- Supporting Information REV C CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT PLAN received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 07/03/2024

Reason - To ensure that the development is carried out in accordance with the approved plans. Pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Core Strategy, saved policy DC19.1 and Sections 12 of the National Planning Policy Framework.

3) a) Externally mounted ancillary plant, equipment and servicing shall be installed and acoustically treated in accordance with the following:

-Noise assessment or information BHM-BWB-ZZ-ZZ-RP-YA-0001_NIA_S2_P02 received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 12/05/2023

b) Prior to the operation of the scheme a verification report shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the City Council as local planning authority to validate that the work undertaken throughout the development conforms to the recommendations and requirements in the approved acoustic report. The report shall also undertake post completion testing to confirm that the noise criteria have been met. Any instances of non-conformity with the recommendations in the report shall be detailed along with any measures required to ensure compliance with the agreed noise criteria.

Reason - To minimise the impact of the development and to prevent a general increase in pre-existing background noise levels around the site pursuant to policies DM1 and SP1 of the Manchester Core Strategy and saved policy DC26 of the Unitary Development Plan for Manchester (1995).

4) The development hereby approved shall be carried out in accordance with the approved construction management plan (-Supporting Information REV C CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT PLAN received by the City Council, as Local Planning Authority, on 07/03/2024). The approved details shall be implemented in full as part of the development.

Reason - To safeguard the amenities of nearby residents pursuant to policies SP1, EN19 and DM1 of the Manchester Core Strategy.

Informatives

Building Regulations 2010

This permission does not grant approval under Building Regulations.

Street Naming & Numbering Requirements

Manchester City Council is responsible for allocating street naming and numbering within Manchester for new developments or property conversions. Individuals or businesses are not permitted to allocate their own property numbers, building or street names.

If your development includes the creation of new dwellings (either new build or conversion of existing buildings), creation of new commercial properties or the subdivision of existing properties you must ensure that you request new or changes to addresses through us so they can be officially allocated and registered in accordance with the Public Health Act 1925 Sections 17-19 & Greater Manchester Act 1981 Section 22.

Failure to do this may result in difficulties for the developer/occupier when requiring services such as connections to utilities, phone lines and postal services and may delay your development.

You can apply online at the following address:

http://www.manchester.gov.uk/info/100011/roads_parking_and_transport/1988/naming_and_numbering_of_houses_buildings_streets_and_roads/2

Mining Information

The proposed development lies within an area which could be subject to current coal mining or hazards resulting from past coal mining. Please read the Standing Advice from the Coal Authority in Appendix A.

Date: 31 May 2024

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julie Roscoe', written over a horizontal line.

Julie Roscoe

Director of Planning, Building Control & Licensing

Manchester City Council, P O Box 532, Town Hall, Manchester M60 2LA

Notes

1. This permission refers only to that required under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 does not include any consent or approval under any other enactment, byelaw, order or regulation.

2 If the applicant is aggrieved by the decision of the local planning authority to refuse permission or approval for the proposed development, or to grant permission or approval subject to conditions, they may appeal to the Secretary of State in accordance with Section 78(1) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 within six months of the date of the notice of the decision.

The Planning Inspectorate have introduced an online appeals service that can be used to make appeals online. This service is available through the gov.uk website – www.gov.uk/appeal-planning-decision The Inspectorate will publish details of your appeal on the internet. Alternatively 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 has power to allow a longer period for the giving of a notice of appeal but they will not normally be prepared to exercise this power unless there are special circumstances that excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.

If you intend to submit an appeal that you would like examined by inquiry then you must notify the City Council (planning@manchester.gov.uk) and the Planning Inspectorate (inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk) at least 10 days before submitting the appeal. Further details are on GOV.UK.

3. The statutory requirements are those set out in Section 79(6) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, namely Sections 70(1) and 72(1) of the Act.

4. 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 they 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

5. In certain circumstances, a claim may be made against the local planning authority for compensation, where permission is refused or granted subject to conditions by the Secretary of State on appeal or on a reference of the application to them. The circumstances in which such compensation is payable are set out in Section 114 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

Appendix A



The Coal Authority

STANDING ADVICE - DEVELOPMENT LOW RISK AREA

The proposed development lies within a coal mining area which may contain unrecorded coal mining related hazards. If any coal mining feature is encountered during development, this should be reported immediately to the Coal Authority on 0345 762 6848.

Further information is also available on the Coal Authority website at:

www.gov.uk/government/organisations/the-coal-authority

Standing Advice valid from 1st January 2023 until 31st December 2024