

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 (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007

Advertisement Consent

Applicant

Ocean Outdoor UK Ltd
C/o Agent

Agent (if used)

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Part 1 – Particulars of the application/development

Proposal: Replacement of an existing interactive totem with a 2.42m x 1.27m totem including full motion LED display of digital advertising.

Location: Land At St Anns Square , Opposite Royal Exchange, Manchester, M2 7HD

Date of application: 29 June 2023

Application number: 137115/AOH/2023

Part 2 – Particulars of decision

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

Condition(s) attached to this decision

1) No advertisement is to be displayed without the permission of the owner of the site or any other person with an interest in the site entitled to grant permission.

No advertisement shall be sited or displayed so as to:

- (a) endanger persons using any highway, railway, waterway, dock, harbour or aerodrome (civil or military);
- (b) obscure, or hinder the ready interpretation of, any traffic sign, railway signal or aid to navigation by water or air; or
- (c) hinder the operation of any device used for the purpose of security or surveillance or for measuring the speed of any vehicle.

Any advertisement displayed, and any site used for the display of advertisements, shall be maintained in a condition that does not impair the visual amenity of the site.

Any structure or hoarding erected or used principally for the purpose of displaying advertisements shall be maintained in a condition that does not endanger the public.

Where an advertisement is required under these Regulations to be removed, the site shall be left in a condition that does not endanger the public or impair visual amenity.

2) The advertisement hereby approved shall be displayed in accordance with the following drawings and documents:

Received by the City Council as local planning authority on 31 May 2023:
Proposed Manchester Loop Totem

Received by the City Council as local planning authority on 29 June 2023:
Site Plan 001B
Location Plan 001A

3) Lighting from illuminated signage shall be designed and installed so as to ensure:

a) The intensity of the illuminance of the advertisement shall be no greater than 600cd/m² during hours of darkness to accord with the recommendations of the ILP publication 'PLG05 The Brightness of Illuminated Advertisements' (2015).

b) The luminance level of the digital sign shall be controlled by a light sensor to adjust the screen brightness to reflect the ambient levels during the daytime and set to a maximum brightness of 600cd/m² during hours of darkness to accord with the recommendations of the ILP publication 'PLG05 The Brightness of Illuminated Advertisements' (2015). In the event of breakdown or malfunction the screen will automatically switch off.

c) The minimum display time for each piece of content on the digital display screens shall be 10 seconds.

d) Should a fault be detected or reported with the screen or advertisement, the screen will be programmed to automatically switch to a blank screen with black background.

Reason - To safeguard the amenities of the occupiers of nearby properties pursuant to policies SP1 and DM1 of the Manchester Core Strategy (2012) and extant policy 15.2 of the UDP (1995) for Manchester

4) Prior to the commencement of the development, a management plan shall be submitted to demonstrate how the units will be maintained to ensure the agreed light levels and noise levels (if appropriate) are maintained and not exceeded. The plan should include details of remote monitoring and control capability, how the operator is alerted if any fault is detected and details of what action is taken where a fault is identified or reported including response time to undertake repair. The plan should include details of proposed physical inspection and monitoring frequency.

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5) a) The express advertisement consent hereby granted is limited to a period ending on the 30 June 2026

b) On the date of the expiry of the express consent period on 30 June 2026, the advertisement hoardings and all associated development shall be removed, any use of the land/building authorised by this consent shall be discontinued, and the land/building shall be reinstated in accordance with a scheme previously approved.

Reason - To enable the City Council to consider the acceptability of the continuance of the display of the advertisement hoardings at the site on the expiry of the period of express consent, having regard to visual amenity and changing circumstances in the locality in order to comply with policies DM1, EN1, EN3, CC9, CC10, T1 and SP1 of the Adopted Core Strategy for the City of Manchester, paragraphs 2.10, 2.20, 12.6, 3.1 and 8.8 of the Guide to Development in Manchester SPD and saved policies E3.3, DC15.1 and 15.2, DC18.1 and DC19.1 of the Unitary Development Plan for Manchester

Informatives

Any requirements for licensing, hoarding / scaffolding, skips and any associated temporary traffic management arrangements, or any proposed construction or fitout arrangements, where there is an impact on the highway taking into consideration the surrounding traffic restrictions, will need discussion and agreement with the council's Highway Applications and Network Resilience teams via Email - highwaylicences@manchester.gov.uk or highwaynetworkmanagement@manchester.gov.uk

Due to the proximity of the development to the operational Metrolink line, please read the details of working safely near Metrolink which can be found on the Metrolink Website at; <https://www.tfgm.com/public-transport/tram/working-safely>. This document provides contact details for the Metrolink Operator in order that the proposed method of erection can be discussed and relevant permits obtained.

Date: 18 August 2023

Signed:



Julie Roscoe
Director of Planning, Building Control & Licensing

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

Notes

1. This consent refers only to that required under the Town and Country (Control of Advertisements) (England) Regulations 2007 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 consent or approval for the proposed development, or to grant consent or approval subject to conditions, he may appeal to the Secretary of State in accordance with section 78 of the Act as amended by the Regulations within eight weeks of the date of the notice of the decision.

The Planning Inspectorate have introduced an online appeals service that is available through the gov.uk website at www.gov.uk/appeal-planning-inspectorate. The Inspectorate will publish details of your appeal on the internet.

This may include a copy of the original planning application form and any supporting documents supplied to the local planning authority. By you or your agent, together with the completed appeal form and information you submit to the Planning Inspectorate. Please ensure that you only provide information, including personal information, that you are happy will be made available to others in this way. If you supply personal information belonging to a third party please ensure you have their permission. More detailed information about data protection and privacy matters is available on the Planning Portal.

Alternatively, appeals can be made on a form which is obtainable from Planning Inspectorate, Customer Support Unit, Room 3/15, Eagle Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 or by telephone 0117 372 6372.