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Householder Application for Planning Permission for works or extension to a dwelling

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended)

Publication of applications on planning authority websites

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.

Site Location

Disclaimer: We can only make recommendations based on the answers given in the questions.

If you cannot provide a postcode, the description of site location must be completed. Please provide the most accurate site description you can, to help locate the site - for example "field to the North of the Post Office".

Number

Suffix

Property Name

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

Address Line 3

Town/city

Postcode

Description of site location must be completed if postcode is not known:

Easting (x) Northing (y)

Description

Applicant Details

Name/Company

Title

Mr

First name

Ed

Surname

Parkin

Company Name

Address

Address line 1

5 Brookes Lane

Address line 2

Whalley

Address line 3

Lancashire

Town/City

County

Country

United Kingdom

Postcode

BB7 9RG

Are you an agent acting on behalf of the applicant?

Yes

No

Contact Details

Primary number

***** REDACTED *****

Secondary number

Fax number

Email address

Description of Proposed Works

Please describe the proposed works

We had driveway gates and a wooden fence erected in March of this year. A few weeks later we received a letter from Ribble Valley Council informing us that a confidential complaint had been made in relation to the installation of a boundary fence and that a breach of planning control may have occurred. We have subsequently learned about the 1m height limit for fences at the edge of a road but were unaware of that when the fence was built.

We moved in to our house in March 2022. The garden and drive are at the side of the house. There is a low stone wall running along the front of the house and garden. The previous owners had planted a beech hedge in the garden which grows about 1.5m higher than the wall.

Since moving in, there have been several instances where a stranger has been standing on the road (Brookes Lane) and spoken to our children through the beech hedge. This was very worrying for us which is why we had the gates and fence built. The fence is attached to our side of the stone wall and reaches up to eye level to deter strangers from looking in to our garden. Then the beech hedge protrudes above the fence.

Brookes Lane is uphill so the height of the wall and fence vary at different points

Has the work already been started without consent?

- Yes
 No

If Yes, please state when the development or work was started (date must be pre-application submission)

Has the work already been completed without consent?

- Yes
 No

If Yes, please state when the development or work was completed (date must be pre-application submission)

Materials

Does the proposed development require any materials to be used externally?

- Yes
 No

Please provide a description of existing and proposed materials and finishes to be used externally (including type, colour and name for each material)

Type:

Boundary treatments (e.g. fences, walls)

Existing materials and finishes:

Existing garden wall was stone with a beech hedge growing above it.

Proposed materials and finishes:

The new fence is wooden featherboard. It is attached to the garden side of the existing wall and reaches around halfway up the height of the beech hedge.

Are you supplying additional information on submitted plans, drawings or a design and access statement?

- Yes
- No

Trees and Hedges

Are there any trees or hedges on the property or on adjoining properties which are within falling distance of the proposed development?

- Yes
- No

Will any trees or hedges need to be removed or pruned in order to carry out your proposal?

- Yes
- No

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

Do the proposals require any diversions, extinguishment and/or creation of public rights of way?

- Yes
- No

Parking

Will the proposed works affect existing car parking arrangements?

- Yes
- No

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?

The agent

The applicant

Other person

Pre-application Advice

Has assistance or prior advice been sought from the local authority about this application?

Yes

No

If Yes, please complete the following information about the advice you were given (this will help the authority to deal with this application more efficiently):

Officer name:

Title

***** REDACTED *****

First Name

***** REDACTED *****

Surname

***** REDACTED *****

Reference

22198

Date (must be pre-application submission)

23/05/2023

Details of the pre-application advice received

As described in the attached word document, Steve Maggs advised that we measure the wall/fence and submit photos together with our reasons for wishing to keep the fence and pictures of other walls/fences along Brookes Lane.

Authority Employee/Member

With respect to the Authority, is the applicant and/or agent one of the following:

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

It is an important principle of decision-making that the process is open and transparent.

For the purposes of this question, "related to" means related, by birth or otherwise, closely enough that a fair-minded and informed observer, having considered the facts, would conclude that there was bias on the part of the decision-maker in the Local Planning Authority.

Do any of the above statements apply?

- Yes
- No

Ownership Certificates and Agricultural Land Declaration

Certificates under Article 14 - Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015 (as amended)

Please answer the following questions to determine which Certificate of Ownership you need to complete: A, B, C or D.

Is the applicant the sole owner of all the land to which this application relates; and has the applicant been the sole owner for more than 21 days?

- Yes
- No

Is any of the land to which the application relates part of an Agricultural Holding?

- Yes
- No

Certificate Of Ownership - Certificate A

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* of any part of the land or building to which the application relates, and that none of the land to which the application relates is, or is part of, an agricultural holding**

* "owner" is a person with a freehold interest or leasehold interest with at least 7 years left to run.

** "agricultural holding" has the meaning given by reference to the definition of "agricultural tenant" in section 65(8) of the Act.

NOTE: You should sign Certificate B, C or D, as appropriate, if you are the sole owner of the land or building to which the application relates but the land is, or is part of, an agricultural holding.

Person Role

- The Applicant
- The Agent

Title

First Name

Surname

Declaration Date

22/06/2023

Declaration made

Declaration

I/We hereby apply for Householder planning permission as described in the questions answered, details provided, 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.

I/We also accept that, in accordance with the Planning Portal's terms and conditions:

- Once submitted, this information will be made available to the Local Planning Authority and, once validated by them, be published as part of a public register and on the authority's website;
- Our system will automatically generate and send you emails in regard to the submission of this application.

I / We agree to the outlined declaration

Signed

Ed Parkin

Date

11/08/2023