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7th February, 2023

# **PLANNING COMMITTEE**

Dear Alderman/Councillor,

The above-named Committee will meet in hybrid format, both in the Lavery Room - City Hall and remotely, via Microsoft Teams, on Tuesday, 14th February, 2023 at 5.00 pm, for the transaction of the business noted below.

You are requested to attend.

Yours faithfully,

John Walsh

Chief Executive

## AGENDA:

- 1. Routine Matters
  - (a) Apologies
  - (b) Minutes
  - (c) Declarations of Interest
- 2. Abandonments
  - (a) Abandonment of Footpath adjacent to 29 University Road (Pages 1 4)
- 3. Request for Pre-emptive Planning Committee Site Visits
- 4. Planning Decisions Issued (Pages 5 14)
- 5. **Appeals** (Pages 15 18)
- 6. Restricted Items
  - (a) Update on LDP Draft Plan Strategy (Report to follow)

# 7. Planning Applications

## (a) LA04/2021/1672/O

Outline planning permission (with all matters reserved) for mixed use development on Sites A, B, C, D. Comprising up to 7,710 sqm GEA mixed use to include tourist hostel, residential, office, retail, commercial including community enterprise, community infrastructure and social enterprise floor space (A1 or A2 or B1 or B2 or C1 or C2 or D1) units on Site A, up to 6,980 sqm GEA of Hotel (C2) floorspace on Site B, the erection of a multi-storey car park comprising of up to 231 spaces (4,130 sqm GEA) and up to 7,130 sqm GEA of employment or community (A1 or A2 or B1 or B2) floorspace on Site C and up to 1,110 sqm GEA mixed use to include residential, office, retail, commercial including community enterprise, community infrastructure and social enterprise (A1 or A2 or B1 or B2 or D1) floorspace on Site D.

Outline planning permission (with no matters reserved) for the erection of 94 residential dwellings (social housing). Comprising of 44 residential units on Site A and 50 residential units on Site D/NIE. Access to be provided from Raphael Street and Stewart Street respectively. Along with the provision of landscaping, parking, public open space, pumping station and associated works. Lands at the Gasworks Northern Fringe site; bounded to the north by McAuley Street Stewart Street and Raphael Street; Cromac Street to the west; the River Lagan and Belfast-Newry railway line to the east; and the Gasworks Business Park to the south. (Report to follow)

#### (b) LA04/2019/2653/F

Demolition of existing property and erection of a 9 storey building (overall height 37m) comprising a ground floor retail unit together with cycle parking and plant areas: and 8 floors of Grade A office accommodation. (Amended plans and updated technical information). Chancery House, 88 Victoria Street, Belfast. (Report to follow)

#### (c) LA04/2022/1503/F

Proposed erection of a freestanding 6.8-metre high screen erected on steel structural supports (9 metres in total height) with associated site works. Lands within Musgrave Police Station 60 Victoria Street, Belfast. (Report to follow)

#### (d) **LA04/2022/1284/F**

Erection of Purpose-Built Managed Student Accommodation (PBMSA) development comprising 862 units with additional use of accommodation by further or higher education institutions outside term time, communal facilities, internal amenity courtyard, cycle stores, active ground floor uses including cafe and retail, and associated bin stores and plant and public realm improvements to surrounding footpaths. Lands bounded by Library Street (to south); Stephen Street (to west); Little Donegall Street (to north); and Union Street (to east), Belfast (Pages 19 - 56)

## (e) LA04/2021/0319/F

Proposed use of hard standing area as overflow car park with a free draining surface and soft landscaping scheme, to serve existing approved uses onsite. 115 Blacks Road Belfast BT10 0NF - Lands to north of square golf training area east of the 3G Dome south of 45 and 46 Garnock Hill. (Pages 57 - 64)

#### (f) LA04/2022/1479/F

Partial redevelopment of former Kennedy Way Waste Water Treatment Works to include the development of new Mechanical & Electrical (M&E) workshops, storage, changing facilities and ancillary offices (development to include three new buildings 1) the main hub building; 2) a store to hold an alternative bottled water supply; and 3) a generator store), access improvements, parking, service yards, storage areas, contractors compound, boundary fencing, cesspool, solar PV panels and landscaping, Former NI Water Ltd Sewage Treatment Works, Blackstaff Road. (Pages 65 - 92)

# (g) LA04/2022/0129/F

Proposed social housing led mixed tenure residential development comprising 122 residential dwellings, pedestrian and cycle ways, public open space, children's play area, landscaping (including 8 metre landscaped buffer to western boundary), boundary treatments, parking, access (provision of a right turn lane) and ancillary site works. Lands north of 14 Mill Race and 15 Belfield Heights and south of 2-15 St Gerard's Manor Ballymurphy Belfast Co. Antrim (Report to follow)

#### (h) LA04/2020/2105/F

Residential development comprising 55no. apartments comprising 6 no social, 6 no intermediate, and 43 no private apartments and associated site works, 1-5 Gaffikin Street, Belfast. (Report to follow)

#### (i) LA04/2022/2018/F and LA04/2022/2019/LBC

Proposed alterations to a listed building including provision of new structural opening with pedestrian entrance doors, roller shutters, improved boundary treatments and minor internal renovations, 2 Royal Avenue Belfast. (Pages 93 - 106)

8. **Delegation of Local Applications with NI Water Objections** (Pages 107 - 112)