

Mr & Mrs Warren  
Earley Cottage  
Higworth Lane  
Hayling Island  
PO110QZ

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**The Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England)  
Order 2015  
Grant of Planning Permission**

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**Application Number:** APP/22/00951

**Site Address:** Earley Cottage, Higworth Lane, Hayling Island, PO11 0QZ

**Proposal:** Single storey rear extension, detached garage and enlarged side porch.

Further to your application received on 01 October 2022, which was valid from 09 November 2022, Havant Borough Council, as Local Planning Authority **Grants Planning Permission** for the above proposal in accordance with the submitted plans and particulars as detailed below.

This permission is subject to compliance with:

- (i) The plans and other documents submitted with regard to your application; and
- (ii) The following conditions:

**Conditions:**

- 1 The development must be begun not later than three years beginning with the date of this permission.  
**Reason:** To comply with the requirements of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended by Section 51 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.
- 2 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:  
Location Plan  
Site Plan  
Proposed Floor Plan Rev A - 2  
Proposed Elevations with Block Plan - 3  
Proposed Garage Plans - 4  
**Reason:** - To ensure provision of a satisfactory development.
- 3 The external materials used shall be as indicated on the submitted forms and hereby approved plans, or shall match, in type, colour and texture, those of the existing building so far as practicable.  
**Reason:** In the interests of the amenities of the area and having due regard to policy

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**Other Important Information:**

- (1) This notice only relates to the decision of Havant Borough Council as Local Planning Authority under the Town and Country Planning Acts. It does not relate to any other application that may be required under the Building Regulations or under any other Act, Regulation, Byelaw or Order where the Council's approval may be needed. For further guidance as to the need for consent under the Building Regulations please phone 023 9244 6571.
- (2) Your attention is drawn to the attached information regarding firstly your right to appeal to the Planning Inspectorate, if you are aggrieved by the Council's decision, and secondly the rights of an owner to, in certain circumstances serve a purchase notice on the Council. See [www.planningportal.gov.uk/pes](http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/pes).
- (3) Any failure to adhere to the details of the approved plans, and other documents or to comply with any conditions listed above may lead to enforcement action being taken by the Council. If you wish to depart from the approved details or conditions in any way you should contact the Planning and Development service at the Plaza or by telephoning 023 9244 6015.
- (1) In accordance with paragraphs 38-50 of the NPPF Havant Borough Council (HBC) takes a positive and proactive approach and works with applicants/agents on development proposals in a manner focused on solutions by:

- Offering a pre-application advice service, and
- Updating you of any issues that may arise in the processing of your application and where possible suggesting solutions, and,

In this instance:

- Your application was acceptable as submitted and no further assistance was required.

(2) Portsmouth Water Guidance

These general notes and precautions are guidance for contractors or other third party organisations and apply when working adjacent to Portsmouth Waters distribution assets.

They don't replace or change any rights held by the Company by virtue of the Water Industry Act 1991 or any deed of grant of easement for the length concerned.

If requested Portsmouth Water will provide approximate locations of water mains according to our records. Our records do not usually show positions of water service pipes from the water main to properties. They may not be accurate or complete and no company or person will be given dispensation from liability for damaging our apparatus for the reason of the actual positions or depths being different from those indicated on plans. Portsmouth Water staff or contractors will visit any site, given reasonable notice to help in the location of our apparatus, and can offer advice on precautions that we may require to avoid any damage.

To satisfy safe working conditions adjacent to any of our apparatus you should comply with the following guidance:

All our water apparatus must be located by hand digging before the use of any mechanical plant to excavate.

- ☐ As construction work progresses where heavy plant may have to cross the line of a water main, and that water main is not under an adequate standard of carriageway, crossing points should be sufficiently

reinforced with sleepers or some other suitable material as necessary. All crossing points must be clearly indicated and other places where crossings could be made should be prevented. This is more apparent where our water mains cross rural areas.

☐ If you propose to use piling within 20m of any water pipe, Portsmouth Water must be consulted so that we can survey the area.

☐ Where any excavations adjacent to any water pipe affects the support, that pipe must be adequately supported to our satisfaction.

☐ Any backfilled trenches parallel to or crossing a pipe must be compacted sufficiently to prevent any subsidence which could cause damage to the main. In some instances permanent support may be required to support a pipe exposed over an excessive length prior to backfilling. We do not allow concrete backfill to come into contact with any pipe.

☐ A minimum clearance of 300mm must be provided between any plant being installed to allow repair and maintenance, whether the plant be parallel or crossing the water pipe. No manholes or chambers will be built over or round our apparatus or pipes.

☐ Where Portsmouth Waters apparatus is damaged, even any special wrapping you must notify us so we are able to make the damage good, no matter how minor that damage is. All damage repairs will be charged to the person or company responsible.

Leave the trench open so we are able to repair our apparatus speedily.

☐ If leakage is found or caused you must inform Portsmouth Water immediately, leave the trench open so we may repair the damaged apparatus.

☐ Where your proposed work will involve altering existing levels over our water mains you must inform us. We will require specific locations and details of the changes to ground levels. This may require a diversion of our apparatus for which there will be a charge. In some circumstances we may require that our apparatus remains where it is. Any surface boxes must be either lowered or raised accordingly. We may give you permission to compete this work. Under no circumstances are our boxes to be left buried or raised above the finished ground level. If any damage occurs as a result of your work, the repairs will be fully rechargeable back to you.

Tree planting near our Water Mains.

☐ Cherry, willow and popular trees have extensive tree root systems and must not be planted within 10m of any water main.

☐ Other various species of trees such as evergreen, ash, beech, birch, elm, horse chestnut, lime, oak, sycamore may be allowed to be planted slightly nearer, however they must not be planted within 5m of our apparatus. More general advice can be obtained from contacting us.

☐ We must have a clear path maintained for inspection, repairs and maintenance, therefore we do not recommend the planting of shrubs and bushes within one meter of the pipeline.

☐ In instances where plants are to be used for screening purposes you should contact our office for advice. Consideration will be given to shallow rooting species such as elder, hazel, privet etc. Soft fruit such as black currant, raspberries and gooseberries will also be considered.

(3) Southern Gas Networks - Overbuild Advisory Note

There are a number of risks created by built over gas mains and services; these are:

- Pipework loading - pipes are at risk from loads applied by the new structure and are more susceptible to interference damage.
- Gas entry into buildings - pipework proximity increases risk of gas entry in buildings. Leaks arising from previous external pipework able to track directly into main building from unsealed entry.
- Occupier safety - lack or no fire resistance of pipework, fittings, or meter installation. Means of escape could be impeded by an enclosed meter.

Please note therefore, if you plan to dig, or carry out building work to a property, site, or public highway within our gas network, you must:

1. Check your proposals against the information held at <https://www.linesearchbeforeudig.co.uk/> to assess any risk associated with your development and
2. Contact our Plant Protection team to let them know. Plant location enquiries must be made via email, but you can phone us with general plant protection queries. See our contact details below:

Phone 0800 912 1722 / Email [plantlocation@sgn.co.uk](mailto:plantlocation@sgn.co.uk)

In the event of an overbuild on our gas network, the pipework must be altered, you may be temporarily disconnected, and your insurance may be invalidated.

Further information on safe digging practices can be found here:

- Our free Damage Prevention e-Learning only takes 10-15 minutes to complete and highlights the importance of working safely near gas pipelines, giving clear guidance on what to do and who to contact before starting any work  
<https://www.sgn.co.uk/damage-prevention>
- Further information can also be found here  
<https://www.sgn.co.uk/help-and-advice/digging-safely>

(4) Scottish and Southern Electricity provide the following comments:

INTRODUCTION

The Health & Safety Executive have produced a document entitled 'Avoiding danger from underground services'. Copies are available from HMSO's accredited agents and good booksellers, Ref HS(G)47, ISBN 0118854925.

WHEN WORKING IN THE VICINITY OF ELECTRICITY CABLES AND OVERHEAD LINES PLEASE FOLLOW THE DO'S & DON'T'S LISTED BELOW.

DO'S

Do Make sure that you have plans of the cables in the area before any excavation work starts. Remember that some cables such as service cables may not be shown on the plans. Cables owned by other companies are not shown, e.g. local authorities, Department of the Environment, National Grid Co. etc.

Do Make sure that you understand the plans that have been supplied to you. For detailed explanation of the symbols used by Scottish & Southern Electricity Networks Distribution (SSEN Distribution) refer to this guide & the key shown on the plan

Do Use a cable avoidance tool (CAT) to determine the position of the existing cables in the work area. The positions should be clearly marked, and further tests made as work proceeds. If in doubt, get advice from your supervisor.

Do Hand dig trial holes over the indicated route of the cable, excavate alongside.

Do Ask for a cable to be made dead if it is buried in concrete. Please not that this is likely to be a costly process.

Do Watch for signs of cables as work progresses, such as marker tapes or cable covers which may be exposed.

Do Backfill carefully using stone free soil around cables, replacing marker tapes and covers.

Do Ensure that there is maximum clearance above all cable & joints.

Do Notify SSEN Distribution immediately should accidental damage to cables occur however large or small. Arrange to keep people well clear of the cable that has been damaged. Do not backfill an area where cable damage has occurred.

#### DON'T'S

Don't Operate a bulldozer, scraper, dragline or excavator unless you are satisfied that there are no buried cables or overhead lines in the working area.

Don't Use picks, forks or pointed instruments in soft clay or soil where cables are present, exercise extreme caution where such instruments are used to free lumps of stone or to break up firmly compacted ground.

Don't Use exposed cables as a convenient step or handhold.

Don't Handle or attempt to alter the position of any cable.

REMEMBER THAT A DAMAGED CABLE MAY CAUSE EXTENSIVE LOSS OF SUPPLIES, MAKE EXPENSIVE REPAIRS NECESSARY AND CAUSE SERIOUS OR EVEN FATAL INJURY.

IF IN DOUBT ASK SSEN DISTRIBUTION

***Neeru Kareer***

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Executive Head of Place (Interim)

03 January 2023

# TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

## NOTIFICATION TO BE SENT TO AN APPLICANT WHEN A LOCAL PLANNING AUTHORITY REFUSE PLANNING PERMISSION OR GRANT IT SUBJECT TO CONDITIONS

- These notes are for information only and do not purport to set out the law on the subject.
- Only the applicant possesses the right of appeal.

### Appeals to the Secretary of State

- If you are aggrieved by the decision of your local planning authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State under section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
- If this is a decision on a planning application relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as is already the subject of an enforcement notice and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.
- If an enforcement notice is served relating to the same or substantially the same land and development as in your application and if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision on your application, then you must do so within 28 days of the date of service of the enforcement notice, or within 6 months [12 weeks in the case of a householder appeal] of the date of this notice, whichever period expires earlier.
- If this is a decision to refuse planning permission for a householder application and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice.
- If this is a decision to refuse planning permission for a minor commercial application and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice.
- If this is a decision to refuse express consent for the display of an advertisement and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 8 weeks of the date of receipt of this notice.
- If this is a decision to refuse consent to work on a tree which is subject to a Tree Preservation Order and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 28 days of the date of this notice.
- If this is a decision to refuse any other type of application and you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 6 months of the date of this notice.
- **Appeals can be made online at:** <https://www.gov.uk/appeal-householder-planning-decision> for householder applications; <https://www.gov.uk/appeal-planning-decision> for full applications; <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate> for anything else.
- The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal but will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.
- The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to the Secretary of State that the local planning authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions they imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.

If you intend to submit an appeal that you would like examined by inquiry, then you must notify the Local Planning Authority and Planning Inspectorate ([inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk](mailto:inquiryappeals@planninginspectorate.gov.uk)) at least 10 days before submitting the appeal. [Further details are on GOV.UK.](#)

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# **IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR APPLICANTS WITH REGARD TO BUILDING REGULATIONS**

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For further guidance as the need for consent under the Building Regulations, please telephone Havant Borough Council's Building Control team on:

**023 9244 6571**