

Recommendation: **GRANT PERMISSION**

Listed Building Grade: Not applicable.
Conservation Area: Not applicable.

5 Statutory and Non Statutory Consultations

Countryside Access Team

No response received.

Open Space Society

No response received.

6 Community Involvement

This application was publicised in accordance with the Council's Code of Practice for Publicity of Planning Applications approved at minute 207/6/92 (as amended), as a result of which the following publicity was undertaken:

Number of neighbour notification letters sent: 5

Number of site notices: Not applicable.

Statutory advertisement: Not applicable.

Number of representations received: 0

7 Planning Considerations

7.1 Having regard to the relevant policies of the development plan it is considered that the main issues arising from this application are:

- (i) Principle of development
- (ii) Appropriateness of design and impact on the character of the area
- (iii) Effect on neighbouring properties

(i) Principle of development

7.2 The application site is located within the defined urban area, therefore development is considered acceptable in principle subject to development management criteria.

(ii) Appropriateness of design and impact on the character of the area

7.3 The proposed log cabin and store would be situated in the rear garden of the property, would not be visible from the public realm and subsequently have no impact on the existing streetscene. It is considered the development, which requires planning permission due to a restrictive condition would not compromise the amenity area of the property and the remaining garden is considered to be adequate.

7.4 The design and appearance of the proposal is deemed appropriate in context to the main building and is therefore considered to be acceptable, meeting the requirements of Policy CS16 of the HBLP (Core strategy). It is considered that the scheme would not result in an adverse impact on the visual amenity of the locality.

(iii) Effect on neighbouring properties

7.5 The proposal is to be located in the corner of the garden, approximately 0.5 metres from the rear boundary fence with the eastern boundary fence projecting away from the side elevation of the building. There are no windows in the rear or side elevations of log cabin. The bungalow to the rear is situated at a lower level than the application site and subsequently only the roof is visible from number 30. The eastern boundary of the site is adjacent to a private drive, with the property at number 26 beyond. The existing 1.8

metre high fencing provides good screening with the maximum height of the cabin 2.45 metres.

- 7.6 Consequently, it is considered that the proposal is unlikely to appear overbearing or lead to overlooking and would have limited and acceptable impact on the properties immediately adjacent to the application site and the properties opposite or to the rear, meeting the requirements of Policy CS16 of the HBLP (Core Strategy). It is noted no letters of objection were received with respect to the scheme.

8 Conclusion

- 8.1 The scale, siting and design of the proposal would have limited and acceptable impact on the neighbours and is therefore considered to be appropriate and recommended for approval.

9 RECOMMENDATION:

That the Head of Planning be authorised to **GRANT PERMISSION** for application APP/16/00899 subject to the following 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 external materials to be used for the log cabin and attached store hereby approved shall be as stated within the planning application unless the Local Planning Authority gives prior written approval for any variation.
Reason: In the interests of the amenities of the area and having due regard to policy CS16 of the Havant Borough Local Plan (Core Strategy) 2011 and the National Planning Policy Framework.
- 3 The log cabin and attached store hereby permitted shall be used only for purposes incidental to the enjoyment of the dwellinghouse as such and shall not be used for any business, commercial or industrial purposes whatsoever, or as a separate unit of accommodation.
Reason: In the interests of the amenity of the area and having due regard to policies CS16 and DM10 of the Havant Borough Local Plan (Core Strategy) 2011 and the National Planning Policy Framework 2012.
- 4 The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans:
Location plan
Proposed block plan
Manufacturers details, floor and elevations plan
Reason: - To ensure provision of a satisfactory development.