TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

AREA PLANNING COMMITTEES

Report of the Director of Planning, Housing & Environmental Health

Part I - Public

Section A - For Decision

DEVELOPMENT CONTROL

In accordance with the Local Government Access to Information Act 1985 and the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended), copies of background papers, including representations in respect of applications to be determined at the meeting, are available for inspection at Planning Services, Gibson Building, Gibson Drive, Kings Hill from 08.30 hrs until 17.00 hrs on the five working days which precede the date of this meeting.

Members are invited to inspect the full text of representations received prior to the commencement of the meeting.

Local residents' consultations and responses are set out in an abbreviated format meaning: (number of letters despatched/number raising no objection (X)/raising objection (R)/in support (S)).

All applications may be determined by this Committee unless (a) the decision would be in fundamental conflict with the plans and strategies which together comprise the Development Plan; or (b) in order to comply with Rule 15.24 of the Council and Committee Procedure Rules.

GLOSSARY of Abbreviations and Application types

used in reports to Area Planning Committees as at 23 September 2015

AAP	Area of Archaeological Potential
AODN	Above Ordnance Datum, Newlyn
AONB	Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty
APC1	Area 1 Planning Committee

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APC2 Area 2 Planning Committee
APC3 Area 3 Planning Committee
ASC Area of Special Character
BPN Building Preservation Notice
BRE Building Research Establishment

CA Conservation Area

CPRE Council for the Protection of Rural England

DEFRA Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

DETR Department of the Environment, Transport & the Regions
DCLG Department for Communities and Local Government

DCMS Department for Culture, the Media and Sport

DLADPD Development Land Allocations Development Plan Document

DMPO Development Management Procedure Order

DPD Development Plan Document

DPHEH Director of Planning, Housing & Environmental Health

DSSL Director of Street Scene & Leisure

EA Environment Agency
EH English Heritage

EMCG East Malling Conservation Group

FRA Flood Risk Assessment

GDPO Town & Country Planning (General Development Procedure)

Order 2015

GPDO Town & Country Planning (General Permitted Development)

Order 2015

HA Highways Agency

HSE Health and Safety Executive HMU Highways Management Unit

KCC Kent County Council

KCCVPS Kent County Council Vehicle Parking Standards

KDD Kent Design (KCC) (a document dealing with housing/road

design)

KWT Kent Wildlife Trust

LB Listed Building (Grade I, II* or II)

LDF Local Development Framework

LLFA Lead Local Flood Authority

LMIDB Lower Medway Internal Drainage Board

LPA Local Planning Authority

LWS Local Wildlife Site

MAFF Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

MBC Maidstone Borough Council

MC Medway Council (Medway Towns Unitary Authority)

MCA Mineral Consultation Area

MDEDPD Managing Development and the Environment Development

Plan Document

MGB Metropolitan Green Belt
MKWC Mid Kent Water Company
MWLP Minerals & Waste Local Plan

NE Natural England

NPPF National Planning Policy Framework

PC Parish Council

PD Permitted Development POS Public Open Space

PPG Planning Policy Guidance
PROW Public Right Of Way

SDC Sevenoaks District Council

SEW South East Water

SFRA Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (prepared as background to

the LDF)

SNCI Site of Nature Conservation Interest

SPAB Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings

SPD Supplementary Planning Document (a statutory policy

document supplementary to the LDF)

SPN Form of Statutory Public Notice SSSI Site of Special Scientific Interest

SWS Southern Water Services

TC Town Council

TCAAP Tonbridge Town Centre Area Action Plan

TCS Tonbridge Civic Society

TMBC Tonbridge & Malling Borough Council

TMBCS Tonbridge & Malling Borough Core Strategy (part of the Local

Development Framework)

TMBLP Tonbridge & Malling Borough Local Plan

TWBC Tunbridge Wells Borough Council

UCO Town and Country Planning Use Classes Order 1987 (as

amended)

UMIDB Upper Medway Internal Drainage Board

WLP Waste Local Plan (KCC)

AGPN/AGN Prior Notification: Agriculture

AT Advertisement

CA Conservation Area Consent (determined by Secretary

of State if made by KCC or TMBC)

CAX Conservation Area Consent: Extension of Time

CNA Consultation by Neighbouring Authority
CR3 County Regulation 3 (KCC determined)

CR4 County Regulation 4

DEPN Prior Notification: Demolition

DR3 District Regulation 3
DR4 District Regulation 4

EL Electricity

ELB Ecclesiastical Exemption Consultation (Listed Building)

ELEX Overhead Lines (Exemptions)

FC Felling Licence FL Full Application

FLX Full Application: Extension of Time

FLEA Full Application with Environmental Assessment

FOPN Prior Notification: Forestry

GOV Consultation on Government Development

HN Hedgerow Removal Notice

HSC Hazardous Substances Consent

LB Listed Building Consent (determined by Secretary of State if

made by KCC or TMBC)

LBX Listed Building Consent: Extension of Time

LCA Land Compensation Act - Certificate of Appropriate

Alternative Development

LDE Lawful Development Certificate: Existing Use or Development LDP Lawful Development Certificate: Proposed Use or

Development

LRD Listed Building Consent Reserved Details

MIN Mineral Planning Application (KCC determined)

NMA Non Material Amendment

OA Outline Application

OAEA Outline Application with Environment Assessment

OAX Outline Application: Extension of Time

RD Reserved Details

RM Reserved Matters (redefined by Regulation from August

2006)

TEPN56/TEN Prior Notification: Telecoms

TNCA Notification: Trees in Conservation Areas

TPOC Trees subject to TPO

TRD Tree Consent Reserved Details

TWA Transport & Works Act 1992 (determined by Secretary of

State)

WAS Waste Disposal Planning Application (KCC determined)

WG Woodland Grant Scheme Application

East Malling & Larkfield East Malling

TM/15/00547/FL

Erection of 4 no. residential dwellings and associated access, parking and landscaping on land located at Rocks Farm, The Rocks Road, East Malling for Croudace Portland

PC: For clarification the Parish Council comments are included verbatim.

The Parish Council renews its suggestion there should be a site inspection in this case.

The Parish Council is particularly concerned the route of MR107 is protected and remains open during the works being carried out if permission is granted.

It strongly supports the construction management plan condition in this particular case.

It is considered that the Area 3 Report sets out well the planning considerations applying to this site. It is agreed it is necessary to take into account the existence of the bungalow proposed to be replaced and the <u>new</u> permitted development rights that would allow the barn to be <u>partially</u> converted into 3 dwellings as well as general Government policy in favour of development.

In these circumstances it is considered the present plans, broadly speaking, are likely to result in better form of development with <u>locally</u> imposed conditions than might otherwise be achieved should this application go to Appeal.

Private Reps: Two additional letters received repeating the objection to building on green field land and guerving the documents list contained at para. 7.1 of the committee report.

DPHEH:

For Members information the plan attached at page 31 of the agenda is incorrect. For clarity the correct plan is attached to this supplementary report. The documents list has also been updated and a revised list is below.

AMENDED RECOMMENDATION

Amend Paragraph 7.1:

7.1 Grant Planning Permission in accordance with the following details: Letter dated 17.09.2015, Site Layout 21970A/12 V proposed dated 17.09.2015, Sections 21970A/200F proposed dated 17.09.2015, Artist's Impression 21970A_300D dated 17.09.2015, Artist's Impression 21970A_301D dated 17.09.2015, Artist's Impression

21970A_302C dated 17.09.2015, Photographs 21970_303C dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/502F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Elevations 21970A/503F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/504F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Elevations 21970A/505G dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/506F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Elevations 21970A/507F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/508E dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Elevations 21970A/509F dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/510 D dated 17.09.2015, Proposed Plans and Elevations 21970A/511 D dated 17.09.2015, Other dated 17.09.2015, Other Planning Addendum dated 17.09.2015, Tree Protection Plan CTC1495-OTPP dated 17.09.2015, Tree Removal Plan CTC1495-TRP dated 17.09.2015, Location Plan 21970A/05 C dated 20.11.2015, Report REPTILE SURVEY dated 19.02.2015, Bat Survey dated 19.02.2015, Existing Plans 30881/2001/003 dated 19.02.2015, Site Survey A90 SHEET 5 dated 19.02.2015, Site Survey A90 SHEET 3 dated 19.02.2015, Assessment ARBORICULTURAL dated 19.02.2015, Method Statement ARBORICULTURAL dated 19.02.2015, Environmental Assessment dated 19.02.2015, Flood Risk Assessment dated 19.02.2015

The conditions and informatives remain as the main report from page 27 onwards.

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92 The Rocks Road And Rocks Farm East Malling West Malling Kent ME19 6AU

Erection of 4 no. residential dwellings and associated access, parking and landscaping on land located at Rocks Farm, The Rocks Road, East Malling

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