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Date: 03/02/2026
Our Ref: PLA0093015
Your Ref: P/2026/0022

Dear Sir/Madam

Grid Ref: SJ409540 341000 354089
Site: Maesglas Care Home Green Street Holt
Development: SINGLE STOREY SIDE EXTENSION TO PROVIDE SIX ADDITIONAL RESIDENTIAL BEDROOMS WITH EN-SUITE FACILITIES AND ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPING

We refer to your planning consultation relating to the above site, and we can provide the following comments in respect to the proposed development.

Foul

The proposed development site is located in the catchment of a public sewerage system which drains to Holt Wastewater Treatment Works (WwTW). This WwTW is currently biologically and hydraulically overloaded and therefore is unable to accept any additional flows proposed for the extension element of this proposal (6 en suite facilities) until reinforcement works have been completed. However, as part of our current capital investment programme improvements are scheduled for completion by 31st March 2030 which will overcome the issues on the public sewerage network and create capacity for the foul flows only deriving from the application site. We therefore offer the following condition:

No part of the extended building on the application site shall be brought into use earlier than 31st March 2030, unless the upgrading of the public sewerage system, into which the development shall drain has been completed and written confirmation of this has been issued to the Local Planning Authority by Dwr Cymru Welsh Water.

Reason: To prevent further hydraulic overloading of the public sewerage system, to protect the health and safety of existing residents and ensure no pollution of or detriment to the environment

Surface Water

We note that the development intends to dispose of surface water via soakaways.

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As of 7th January 2019, this proposed development may be subject to Schedule 3 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010. The development therefore requires approval of Sustainable Drainage Systems (SuDS) features, in accordance with the 'Statutory standards for sustainable drainage systems – designing, constructing, operating and maintaining surface water drainage systems'. As highlighted in these standards, the developer is required to explore and fully exhaust all surface water drainage options in accordance with a hierarchy preferring infiltration (PL2) and, where infiltration is not possible, disposal to a surface water body (PL3), in liaison with the Lead Local Flood Authority and/or Natural Resources Wales, or surface water sewer or highway drain (PL4) in liaison with the riparian owner and/or Local Highways Authority.

We would request that if you are minded to grant Planning Consent for the above development that the **Conditions and Advisory Notes** provided below are included within the consent to ensure no detriment to existing residents or the environment and to Dwr Cymru Welsh Water's assets.

Conditions

Condition 1

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Condition 2

No surface water from any increase in the roof area of the building /or impermeable surfaces within its curtilage shall be allowed to drain directly or indirectly to the public sewerage system.

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Advisory Notes

In accordance with Planning Policy Wales (Edition 12) and Technical Advice Note 12 (Design), the applicant is advised to take a sustainable approach in considering water supply in new development proposals, including utilising approaches that improve water efficiency and reduce water consumption. We would recommend that the applicant liaises with the relevant Local Authority Building Control department to discuss their water efficiency requirements.

The applicant may need to apply to Dwr Cymru / Welsh Water for any connection to the public sewer under S106 of the Water industry Act 1991. If the connection to the public sewer network is either via a lateral drain (i.e., a drain which extends beyond the connecting property boundary) or via a new sewer (i.e., serves more than one property), it is now a mandatory requirement to first enter into a Section 104 Adoption Agreement (Water Industry Act 1991). The design of the sewers and lateral drains must also conform to the Welsh Ministers Standards for Gravity Foul Sewers and Lateral Drains and conform with the publication "Sewers for Adoption"- 7th Edition. Further information can be obtained via the Developer Services pages of www.dwrcymru.com

Our response is based on the information provided by your application. Should the proposal alter during the course of the application process we kindly request that we are re-consulted and reserve the right to make new representation.

If you have any queries please contact the undersigned on 0800 917 2652 or via email at **developer.services@dwrcymru.com**

Please quote our reference number in all communications and correspondence.

Yours faithfully,

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