DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Minute of meeting of the Development Management Committee held in the Council Chamber, Ground Floor, Council Building, 2 High Street, Perth on Wednesday 30 August 2017 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors M Lyle (Convener), B Brawn (Vice-Convener), H Anderson, B Band, M Barnacle, H Coates, E Drysdale, T Gray (up to and including Art. 463(1)(ii)), I James, A Jarvis, R Watters and W Wilson.

In Attendance: Councillors T McEwan and L Simpson; N Brian, A Condliffe, M Barr, M Petrie, D Salman, J Scott, D Niven and R Stewart (all The Environment Service); G Fogg, H Rheinallt and D Williams (all Corporate and Democratic Services).

Apology: Councillor R McCall.

Councillor M Lyle, Convener, Presiding.

459. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Convener welcomed everyone to the meeting and an apology was noted as above.

460. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillor T Gray declared a non-financial interest in Art. 463(2)(i) in terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

461. MINUTES

The minute of meeting of the Development Management Committee of 2 August 2017 (Arts. 430-434) was submitted, approved as a correct record and authorised for signature.

462. DEPUTATIONS

In terms of Standing Order 59, the Committee agreed to hear deputations in relation to the following planning applications:

 Planning Application No.
 Art. No.

 16/01861/FLM
 463(1)(i)

 16/01975/FLL
 463(2)(i)

463. APPLICATIONS FOR DETERMINATION

- (1) Major Applications
 - (i) 16/01861/FLM RATTRAY Residential development for 217 dwellinghouses, formation of open space, landscaping

and associated infrastructure works at land 200 metres North East of Lindale, Glenalmond Road, Rattray – Report 17/267 – Springfield Properties PLC

Ms K Thomson, objector to the application, Mr D Jewell, agent for the applicant, followed by Councillor T McEwan, addressed the Committee and, following their respective representations, withdrew to the public benches.

Motion (Councillors B Brawn and M Barnacle) – Refuse the application for the following reasons:

- The proposal is contrary to Policy RD4 of the Perth and Kinross Local Development Plan, as it does not adequately integrate affordable housing into the site along with the market housing.
- 2. The proposal constitutes overdevelopment of the site as the proposed number of houses represents a 33% increase to the indicative figure for Residential Site H63 in the Perth and Kinross Local Development Plan.

Amendment (Councillors T Gray and W Wilson) - Grant, subject to the following terms, conditions and informatives:

Conditions

- The proposed development must be carried out in accordance with the approved drawings and documents, unless otherwise provided for by conditions imposed on the planning consent.
- 2. Prior to the occupation of any residential plot, all matters regarding access, car parking, road layout, design and specification, including the disposal of surface water, shall be in accordance with the standards required by the Council as Roads Authority.
- 3. The hours of operation at the construction stages shall be Monday to Friday 07:00 to 19:00 hours, Saturday 08:00 to 13:00 hours and no working on a Sunday.
- 4. Prior to the occupation of any residential plot, details of the material specification, dimensions and finished level spot heights of all public footpaths and cycleways shall be submitted to the Planning Authority for further written approval. This shall include details of dropped kerbs on footpaths at all junctions. The agreed details shall thereafter be undertaken to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority, as part of an agreed delivery plan, prior to the completion of the development.
- 5. No development shall commence until a detailed delivery plan confirming the phased delivery of the site, landscaping (including of public open spaces) and

- construction works has been submitted and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. Once approved, the development shall be implemented in accordance with the delivery plan.
- 6. In association with condition 5, and notwithstanding the details on Drawing No. SP005.16 SL-01 Revision D, prior to the commencement of development additional detailed landscape drawings shall be submitted for further written approval by the Planning Authority which should include the deletion of the bund in the western boundary screen planting. Once approved, the landscaping elements shall be implemented in accordance with the delivery plan.
- 7. In association with conditions 5 and 6, the areas of peripheral public open space and parkland indicated on the approved landscape and planting drawings shall be planted in accordance with the open space standards of the Planning Authority and completed in advance of the occupation of any phase of development, in accordance with the required phasing programme and agreed in writing with the Planning Authority prior to the commencement of the development.
- 8. Prior to the commencement of development, an onsite signage strategy for the direction and routes through the site to the identified public recreational access areas within the northern and eastern extents of the site, shall be submitted for further written approval prior to the Planning Authority. The strategy shall include details for the timing and delivery of the scheme and shall thereafter be provided in accordance with the approved details.
- 9. In association with condition 7, the remaining detailed landscaping and planting proposal specification as approved shall be undertaken and delivered commensurate with the residential development elements, in accordance with the approved phasing delivery plan and thereafter maintained to the satisfaction of the Council as Planning Authority.
- 10. Any planting failing to become established within five years shall be replaced in the following planting season with others of similar sizes and species to the satisfaction of the Council as Planning Authority.
- 11. The proposed on site play area is not approved as part of this application.
- 12. A detailed open space plan, which clearly sets out areas proposed for adoption and proposed to be taken on by private factoring arrangement, shall be submitted to the Planning Authority for further written

- approval in consultation with the Council Community Greenspace Team.
- 13. Prior to the commencement of any works on site, all trees on site (other than those marked for felling on the approved plans) and those which have Root Protection Areas which fall within the site shall be retained and protected. Protection methods shall be strictly in accordance with BS 5837 2012: Trees in Relation to Design, Demolition and Construction. Protection measures, once in place, shall remain in place for the duration of construction.
- 14. Prior to the commencement of development a Construction Environment Management Plan (CEMP), incorporating a Construction Method Statement (CMS), a Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP), a Site Waste Management Plan (SWMP), a Site Access Management Plan, a Drainage Management Plan (DMP) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) detailing pollution prevention and control measures for all phases of the, construction and operation programmes will be submitted to and be approved in writing by the Planning Authority, in consultation with Scottish Environment Protection Agency. Thereafter the development shall be fully undertaken in accordance with the CEMP.
- 15. In association with Condition 14, no removal of hedgerows, trees or shrubs or works to or demolition of buildings or structures that may be used by breeding birds shall take place between 1st March and 31st August inclusive, unless a competent ecologist has undertaken a careful, detailed check of vegetation for active birds' nests immediately before the vegetation is cleared and provided written confirmation that no birds will be harmed and/or that there are appropriate measures in place to protect nesting bird interest on site. Any such written confirmation should be submitted to the Planning Authority.
- 16. In association with Condition 14, measures to protect animals from being trapped in open excavations and/or pipe and culverts shall be implemented for the duration of the construction works of the development hereby approved. The measures may include creation of sloping escape ramps for animals, which may be achieved by edge profiling of trenches/excavations or by using planks placed into them at the end of each working day and open pipework greater than 150 mm outside diameter being blanked off at the end of each working day.

- 17. Prior to the completion of the development, a minimum of 1 Swift brick and 1 bat brick shall be incorporated into at least 50% of the approved 2 storey buildings at eaves height.
- 18. In line with the planting specification, all proposed semi-natural habitats, shall include planting proposals of locally native species and local provenance.
- 19. Development shall not commence on site until a detailed sustainable urban drainage system (SUDS) has been submitted for the further written agreement of the Council as Planning Authority, in consultation with SEPA where necessary. The scheme shall be developed in accordance with the technical guidance contained in The SUDS Manual (C753) and the Council's Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessments Developer Guidance, and shall incorporate source control. All works shall be carried out in accordance with the agreed scheme and be operational prior to the bringing into use of the development.
- 20. Concurrent with the initiation of the development hereby approved and for the duration of construction, a temporary surface water treatment facility shall be implemented on site and maintained for the duration of the approved development works. The temporary surface water treatment facility shall remain in place until the permanent surface water drainage scheme is implemented.
- 21. Storm water drainage from all paved surfaces, including the access, shall be disposed of by means of suitable Sustainable Urban Drainage Systems to meet the requirements of best management practices.
- 22. The overland flow path of surface water from Parkland Road onto the development site at the North East corner, which is being routed to onsite SUDS shall be maintained in perpetuity.
- 23. No built development should be constructed over an existing drain (including any field drain) that is to remain active.
- 24. The applicant is advised to design in future proofing measures for the development to be capable of connecting to a wider heat network as part of any potential future district heating system. This includes: appropriate safeguarding of space for the future provision of pipework, energy hubs or other associated heat infrastructure to ensure that the subsequent connection of any potential district heating network can be undertaken without causing avoidable disturbance to existing buildings or infrastructure.

Justification

The proposal is considered to comply with the Development Plan and there are no other material considerations that would justify a departure therefrom.

Procedural Notes

Consent shall not be issued until a Section 75 Agreement relating to planning contributions set out above has been completed. The legal agreement should be concluded and completed within 4 months of the date of any Committee approval. Failure to conclude a legal agreement within 4 months may result in the planning application being reassessed through failing to comply with the associated policy requirements and will be ultimately recommended for refusal under delegated powers.

Informatives

- 1. This planning permission will last only for three years from the date of this decision notice, unless the development has been started within that period. (See section 58(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended).
- 2. Under Section 27A of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) the person undertaking the development is required to give the Planning Authority prior written notification of the date on which it is intended to commence the development. A failure to comply with this statutory requirement would constitute a breach of planning control under section 123(1) of that Act, which may result in enforcement action being taken.
- 3. As soon as practicable after the development is complete, the person who completes the development is obliged by Section 27B of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) to give the Planning Authority written notice of that position.
- 4. This development will require the 'Display of notice while development is carried out', under Section 27C (1) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1997, as amended, and Regulation 41 of the Development Management Procedure (Scotland) Regulations 2013. The form of the notice is set out in Schedule 7 of the Regulations and a draft notice is included for your guidance. According to Regulation 41 the notice must be:
 - Displayed in a prominent place at or in the vicinity of the site of the development.
 - Readily visible to the public.
 - Printed on durable material.

- 5. The applicant should be advised that in terms of Section 21 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 he must obtain from the Council as Roads Authority consent to construct a new road prior to the commencement of roadworks. Advice on the disposal of surface water must be sought at the initial stages of design from Scottish Water and the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency.
- 6. The applicant is advised that the detailed design of all SUDS shall conform to 'PKC Flooding and Flood Risk Guidance Document (June 2014)', or any subsequent update.

Associated with this, it is recommended that the following information and design should be embedded within the final drainage details:

- In the event that the soakaway overtops due to a capacity issue or siltation over time, the surrounding ground should be contoured such to allow a volume of water to be retained before it can overland flow elsewhere. I.e. the land would be graded down to the soakaway (very gently). This would make it easier to identify a problem with the soakaway in the future because it would pond around it. This would provide additional protection to surrounding land/property.
- A clear indication of the design standard of all the SUDS features on the design and As-Built drawings.
- 7. Please consult the Street Naming and Numbering Officer, The Environment Service, Perth and Kinross Council, Pullar House, 35 Kinnoull Street, Perth PH1 5GD.
- 8. The applicant is advised that the granting of planning consent does not guarantee a connection to Scottish Water's assets. The applicant must make a separate application to Scottish Water Planning & Development Services team for permission to connect to the public wastewater system and/or water network and all their requirements must be fully adhered to.
- 9. No work shall be commenced until an application for building warrant has been submitted and approved.
- 10. The applicant is recommended to contact the Council Contamination Officer immediately if any ground contamination is found during construction of the development.
- 11. The applicant is reminded that, under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, as amended, it is an offence to remove, damage or destroy the nest of any wild birds

- while that nest is in use or being built. Planning consent for a development does not provide a defence against prosecution under this act.
- 12. The applicant is recommended to incorporate mini glass recycling points in strategic areas within the approved development to compliment the kerbside recycling services that will be provided. In order to comply with the 'Household Charter', each household should have access to 10 litres of recycling capacity per week, which would roughly equate to 3 mini glass points over the development. Further details of the requirements can be sought in discussion with the Council Waste Services Team.

In terms of Standing Order 44, a roll call vote was taken.

8 members voted for the Amendment as follows: Councillors M Lyle, H Anderson, B Band, H Coates, E Drysdale, T Gray, R Watters and W Wilson.

4 members voted for the Motion as follows: Councillors B Brawn, M Barnacle, I James and A Jarvis.

Resolved:

In accordance with the Amendment.

(ii) 17/00919/FLM – PERTH – Erection of residential units, commercial units (classes 1,2,3 and 10), formation of allotments/open space, landscaping and associated infrastructure works (revised site layout and change of house types) at Bertha Park, Perth – Report 17/268 – Bertha Park Ltd

Resolved:

Grant, subject to the following terms, conditions and informatives:

Conditions

- The proposed development must be carried out in accordance with the approved drawings and documents, unless otherwise provided for by conditions imposed on the planning permission.
- 2. No development shall commence until a detailed delivery plan confirming the phased delivery of the site and construction works has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. Once approved, the development shall proceed in accordance with the approved delivery plan, to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority.

- 3. Prior to the commencement of development the extent of the economic mineral resource to be won on site, shall be quantified to ensure it is not sterilised. Details of which shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority.
- 4. Prior to the commencement of development a mineral working programme and phasing plan for the economic mineral resource to be won on site shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. This shall detail the method and working direction of the mineral resource along with temporary restoration to be deployed before receiving built development.
- 5. No buildings shall be constructed on the identified economic mineral resource until a detailed survey plans, including levels to Ordnance Datum, to show that the economic mineral resource associated with that working phase has been extracted is submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority.
- 6. The foul drainage shall be drained to the mains sewerage system the details of which shall be submitted to and approved in writing by this planning authority prior to its installation and in consultation with Scottish Water, Scottish Environment Protection Agency and Scottish Natural Heritage. The agreed foul drainage shall thereafter be implemented to coincide with the occupation of the development.
- 7. Concurrent with the initiation of the development hereby approved and for the duration of construction, a temporary surface water treatment facility shall be implemented on site and maintained for the duration of the construction works. The temporary surface water treatment facility shall remain in place until the permanent surface water drainage scheme is implemented unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Planning Authority.
- Development shall not commence apart from the extraction 8. of the economic mineral resource until a detailed and permanent sustainable urban drainage system (SUDS) has been submitted for the further written approval of the Planning Authority, in consultation with SEPA where necessary. The scheme shall be developed in accordance with the technical guidance contained in The SUDS Manual (C753) and the Council's Flood Risk and Flood Risk Assessments Developer Guidance, and shall incorporate source control. For the avoidance of any doubt the discharge of any surface water drainage shall be limited to the greenfield runoff rates as detailed in section 12.5.26 of the Environmental Statement. Thereafter, all works shall be carried out in accordance with the agreed details and be operational prior to the bringing the development phase

into use.

- 9. Development shall not commence apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource until the design of all new and existing culverts/bridges and associated features (such as screens) has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority, in consultation with the Council's Flooding Team. Thereafter, all works shall be carried out in accordance with the agreed details and be operational prior to the bringing the development into use.
- 10. Prior to commencement of any works apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource, full details of the finalised design of the replacement pond and SUDS pond within phase 1 of the development will be submitted for the written approval of the planning authority, in consultation with SEPA. Thereafter, all work shall be carried out in accordance with the approved scheme. The finalised design will include details of how the SUDS and replacement pond will maintain hydrology, and how biodiversity from the old pond to the new pond will be translocated.
- 11. For the avoidance of any doubt the domestic and non-domestic buildings to be erected shall comply with Silver Active from 2016 and Gold Active from 2020 as per the 'Building Standards Technical Handbook Section 7 Sustainability'. The sustainability label shall be provided for the written approval of the Planning Authority prior to the occupation of the domestic or non-domestic building.
- 12. Prior to the commencement of the development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource details of the play park and sports pitches (equipment, specification) shall be submitted to the Planning Authority for written approval. Thereafter play parks and sports pitches shall be installed to accord with the approved details to coincide with the phasing of character areas which shall be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority.
- 13. Prior to the commencement of development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource a woodland management plan for a minimum of twenty years, including long term objectives, management responsibilities and maintenance schedules for all woodland areas within the site shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. Thereafter the woodland management plan shall be carried out as approved on commencement of the development hereby permitted unless otherwise approved in writing by the Planning Authority.
- 14. Prior to the commencement of the development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource details of the proposed landscaping, planting, screening, open space and allotments scheme shall be submitted to the Local

Planning Authority for approval. Details of the schemes shall include:

- a) Existing and proposed finished ground levels relative to a fixed datum point.
- b) Existing landscape features and vegetation to be retained.
- c) Existing and proposed services including cables, pipelines and substations.
- d) The location of new trees, shrubs, hedges, grassed areas and water features.
- e) A schedule of plants to comprise species, plant sizes and proposed numbers and density.
- f) The location, design and materials of all hard landscaping works including walls, fences, gates and any other means of enclosure.
- g) An indication of existing trees, shrubs and hedges to be removed.
- h) Details of areas of public open space.
- i) Details of areas for allotments.
- j) A programme for the completion and subsequent maintenance of the proposed landscaping, planting, screening, open space and allotments.

All soft and hard landscaping proposals shall be carried out in accordance with the approved scheme and shall be completed during the planting season immediately following the commencement of the development on that part of the site or such other date as may be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority.

Any planting which, within a period of 5 years from the completion of the development, in the opinion of the Planning Authority is dying, has been severely damaged or is becoming seriously diseased, shall be replaced by plants of similar size and species to those originally required to be planted.

- 15. Prior to the commencement of development a detailed plan of public access across the site including phasing and implementation (existing, during construction & upon completion) shall be provided for the written approval of the Council as Planning Authority and show:
 - a) All existing paths, tracks & rights of way.
 - b) Any areas proposed for exclusion from statutory access rights, for reasons of privacy, disturbance or curtilage, in relation to proposed buildings or structures.
 - c) All paths & tracks proposed for construction, for use by walkers, riders, cyclists, all-abilities users, etc.
 - d) Any diversions of paths temporary or permanentproposed for the purposes of the development
 - e) The detailed specification of the proposed paths and

tracks, along with how they will be constructed to avoid impacts on trees.

- 16. No part of the approved development is permitted to be occupied until the A9/A85 Junction Improvement, generally as proposed by Perth and Kinross Council as part of its 'Perth Transport Futures Project' transport strategy to support the Local Development Plan 2014, has been designed, approved and implemented to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority in consultation with Transport Scotland.
- 17. No more than 750 residential units are permitted to be occupied until the Cross Tay Link Road Improvement including the Tay Crossing, generally as proposed by Perth and Kinross Council as part of its 'Perth Transport Futures Project' transport strategy to support the Local Development Plan 2014, have been designed, approved and contract let to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority in consultation with Transport Scotland.
- 18. No development shall commence apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource until appropriate mitigation measures have been agreed to address the impact of the development at the Broxden Roundabout on the A9 trunk road. The nature of the mitigation shall either be physical improvements to these junctions in the form of traffic signals and widening of approaches or a financial contribution in lieu of the said physical works. The details of the physical works or the level of financial contribution required shall be agreed in writing with the Planning Authority in consultation with Transport Scotland.
- 19. No development shall commence apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource until a Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP) has been approved in writing by the Planning Authority in consultation with Transport Scotland. In particular the CTMP shall identify measures to control the use of any direct access onto the trunk road, including the existing priority access located on the northbound carriageway of the A9 north of Inveralmond Roundabout. Thereafter, all construction traffic associated with the development shall conform to the requirements of the agreed plan.
- 20. No development associated with the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place until a Construction Traffic Management Plan (CTMP) has been approved in writing by the Planning Authority in consultation with Transport Scotland. In particular the CTMP shall identify measures to control the use of any direct access onto the trunk road, including the existing priority access located on the northbound carriageway of the A9 north of Inveralmond Roundabout. Thereafter, all

- construction traffic associated with the development shall conform to the requirements of the agreed plan.
- 21. No development shall commence until a detailed specification for the emergency/secondary access arrangements to be put in place between the Inveralmond Bridge and Bertha Lodge along with implementation timescales has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. Thereafter the approved emergency/secondary access arrangements to accord with the agreed timescales shall be installed and thereafter maintained to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority.
- 22. Prior to the completion of the development, all watercourses on the site as referred to in the FRA dated 18 June 2015) shall be inspected and cleared of any impediments likely to create any obstruction to the free flow of water within the development and for 300m (or length otherwise agreed with the Planning Authority) upstream and downstream of the development phase; an inspection report along with details of works undertaken shall be submitted to the Planning Authority for written approval in consultation with the Roads Authority.
- 23. The Finished Floor Level of all properties shall be a minimum of 600mm above the 200 year flood level including 20% for Climate Change.
- 24. The overland flood routes of the dam breach analysis shall be maintained as open space to prevent any future development of the land. A minimum of a 5m Maintenance strip either side of the watercourse must be provided along all watercourses as referred to in the FRA dated 18 June 2015 within the extents of the proposed development.
- 25. Prior to the commencement of development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource a Construction Environment Management Plan (CEMP), incorporating a Construction Method Statement (CMS), a Site Waste Management Plan (SWMP), a Drainage Management Plan (DMP) and Environmental Management Plan (EMP) detailing pollution prevention and control measures for all felling, construction and operation programmes will be submitted to and be approved in writing by the Planning Authority, in consultation with Scottish Environment Protection Agency and Scottish Natural Heritage. Such details shall be submitted not less than two months prior to the agreed scheduled commencement date and shall incorporate detailed pollution avoidance and mitigation measures for all construction elements. Thereafter the development shall be fully undertaken in accordance with the agreed CEMP.
- 26. Two months prior to the commencement of the development, apart from the extraction of the economic

mineral resource an independent and suitably qualified ecologist shall be appointed as the Ecological Clerk of Works (ECOW) for the site, by the developer and at the developer's expense. This appointment shall be subject to the prior written approval of the Planning Authority and detail the extent of inspections to be undertaken by the ECOW and how this relates to the delivery of the development. The ECOW shall oversee, on behalf of the Planning Authority, in consultation with Scottish Natural Heritage, the implementation of all ecology related planning conditions and how this relates to the development being constructed. The ECOW shall undertake a watching brief throughout the construction of the development and shall have the authority to stop operations or to alter construction methods should there be any works occurring which are having an adverse impact on the natural heritage.

The ECOW shall have responsibility for the following:

- a) Monitoring compliance with the mitigation works related to the development as set out in the Construction Environment Management Plan.
- b) Advising the developer on adequate protection of nature conservation interest on the site, including altering construction practices if existing practices are having an adverse impact on the natural heritage of the site.
- c) If any protected species are found on site, the Ecological Clerk of Works will ensure that work is suspended at that location and that a protected species protection plan is implemented.

The ECOW is required to notify the Planning Authority:

- d) If there has been a requirement to stop or alter works in relation to this condition.
- e) They are required to submit a report on their inspection for the review of the Planning Authority in consultation with Scottish Environment Protection Agency and Scottish Natural Heritage during construction operations.
- f) They will have the power to amend the Construction Method Statement, where required, with any amendments and measures to mitigate submitted to the Planning Authority.
- 27. Two months prior to the commencement of the extraction of the economic mineral resource, an independent and suitably qualified ecologist shall be appointed as the 'Ecological Clerk of Works' (ECOW) for the extraction of the economic mineral resource area, by the developer and at the developer's expense. This appointment shall be subject to the prior written approval of the Planning Authority and detail the extent of inspections to be undertaken by the

ECOW and how this relates to the delivery of the development. The ECOW shall oversee, on behalf of the Planning Authority, in consultation with Scottish Natural Heritage, the implementation of all ecology related planning conditions and how this relates to extraction of the economic mineral resource area. The ECOW shall undertake a watching brief throughout the extraction of the economic mineral resource area and shall have the authority to stop operations or to alter construction methods should there be any works occurring which are having an adverse impact on the natural heritage.

The ECOW shall have responsibility for the following:

- a) Monitoring compliance with the mitigation works related to the development as set out in the Construction Environment Management Plan.
- b) Advising the developer on adequate protection of nature conservation interest on the site, including altering construction practices if existing practices are having an adverse impact on the natural heritage of the site.
- c) If any protected species are found on site, the Ecological Clerk of Works will ensure that work is suspended at that location and that a protected species protection plan is implemented.

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- d) If there has been a requirement to stop or alter works in relation to this condition.
- e) They are required to submit a report on their inspection for the review of the Planning Authority in consultation with Scottish Environment Protection Agency and Scottish Natural Heritage during construction operations.
- f) They will have the power to amend the Construction Method Statement, where required, with any amendments and measures to mitigate submitted to the Planning Authority.
- 28. No development shall take place apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource until details of checking surveys for protected species or the nests of any breeding birds on the site has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority, in consultation with SNH. The surveys shall be undertaken by a qualified ecologist, in accordance with the approved specification, in the last 6 months preceding site preparation and construction work commencing. A programme of any mitigation measures required as a consequence of the survey results, and a timetable for any such mitigation measures shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority prior to any works associated with the

- development taking place. The programme of mitigation work shall be implemented as approved under the supervision of a qualified ecologist all to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority.
- No development associated with the extraction of the 29. economic mineral resource shall take place until details of checking surveys for protected species or the nests of any breeding birds on the site has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority, in consultation with SNH. The surveys shall be undertaken by a qualified ecologist, in accordance with the approved specification, in the last 6 months preceding site preparation and construction work commencing. A programme of any mitigation measures required as a consequence of the survey results, and a timetable for any such mitigation measures shall have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority prior to any works associated with the development taking place. The programme of mitigation work shall be implemented as approved under the supervision of a qualified ecologist all to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority.
- 30. No development shall take place apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource, including demolition, ground works and vegetation clearance, until a biodiversity monitoring strategy has been submitted to, and approved in writing by, the local planning authority. The purpose of the strategy shall be to monitor the abundance and distribution of protected species over the period of the development. The content of the Strategy shall include the following;
 - a) Aims and objectives of monitoring to match the stated purpose.
 - b) Identification of adequate baseline conditions prior to the start of development.
 - Appropriate success criteria, thresholds, triggers and targets against which the effectiveness of the various conservation measures being monitored can be judged.
 - d) Methods for data gathering and analysis.
 - e) Location of monitoring.
 - f) Timing and duration of monitoring.
 - g) Responsible persons and lines of communication.
 - h) Review, and where appropriate, publication of results and outcomes.

A report describing the results of monitoring shall be submitted to the local planning authority at intervals identified in the strategy. The report shall also set out (where the results from monitoring show that conservation aims and objectives are not being met) how contingencies and/or remedial action will be identified, agreed with the

local planning authority, and then implemented so that the development still delivers the fully functioning biodiversity objectives of the originally approved scheme.

The monitoring strategy will be implemented in accordance with the approved details.

- 31. No development associated with the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place, including demolition, ground works and vegetation clearance, until a biodiversity monitoring strategy has been submitted to, and approved in writing by, the local planning authority. The purpose of the strategy shall be to monitor the abundance and distribution of protected species over the period of the development. The content of the Strategy shall include the following;
 - a) Aims and objectives of monitoring to match the stated purpose.
 - b) Identification of adequate baseline conditions prior to the start of development.
 - Appropriate success criteria, thresholds, triggers and targets against which the effectiveness of the various conservation measures being monitored can be judged.
 - d) Methods for data gathering and analysis.
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The monitoring strategy will be implemented in accordance with the approved details.

32. No development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place until the trees to be retained as identified in the submitted surveys have been protected by suitable fencing in accordance with BS5837 2012 (Trees in Relation to Construction). The details of the protective fencing and its location shall be first submitted to and agreed in writing by the Planning Authority. No materials, supplies, plant, machinery, soil heaps, changes in ground levels or construction activities shall be permitted within the protected areas without the written consent of the

- Planning Authority and no fire shall be lit in the position where the flames could extend to within 5 metres of foliage, branches or trunks.
- 33. No development shall commence apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource until a detailed specification and planting scheme for the structural landscaping works between Phase 1 and 2 and Phase 1 and 3 along with implementation timescales has been submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority. Thereafter the approved structural landscaping works between Phase 1 and 2 and Phase 1 and 3 shall be installed to accord with the agreed timescales and thereafter maintained to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority.
- 34. No works in connection with the development hereby approved apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place until such time as a mechanism has been agreed and concluded to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority to ensure that the structural landscaping works between Phase 1 and 2 and Phase 1 and 3 have been completed in full.
- 35. No development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place within the development site as outlined in red on the approved plan until the developer has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological works in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation which has been submitted by the applicant, and approved by the Planning Authority in consultation with Perth and Kinross Heritage Trust. Thereafter the developer shall ensure that the programme of archaeological works is fully implemented and that all recording and recovery of archaeological resources within the development site is undertaken to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority in consultation with Perth and Kinross Heritage Trust.
- 36. No development associated with the extraction of the economic mineral resource shall take place until the developer has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological works for the economic mineral resource extraction area in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation which has been submitted by the applicant, and approved by the Planning Authority in consultation with Perth and Kinross Heritage Trust. Thereafter the developer shall ensure that the programme of archaeological works is fully implemented and that all recording and recovery of archaeological resources within the development site is undertaken to the satisfaction of the Planning Authority in consultation with Perth and Kinross Heritage Trust.

37. Prior to the commencement of the development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource, a site specific plan, detailing bin storage areas, kerbside collection locations and recycling facilities shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Planning Authority and thereafter undertaken in accordance with the approved details. All domestic properties require an appropriate storage area for a minimum of 3 x 240 litre bins (1 for general waste, 1 for garden & food waste and 1 for dry mixed recyclates/paper) and suitable access/surface to wheel the bins from the storage area to the kerbside where they must be presented for collection.

Bin Dimensions

Capacity (litres) Width (mm) Height (mm) Depth (mm) 240 580 1100 740

- 38. Prior to the commencement of development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource, a strategy to ensure noise levels are reasonable internally utilizing dwelling layouts and appropriate double glazing with trickle vents shall be submitted to the satisfaction of the planning authority and thereafter implemented. The strategy shall focus on the relationship of dwellings on either side of the Cross Tay Link Road (CTLR) within the site and to the sites southern boundary beside the Inveralmond Industrial Estate.
- 39. For any commercial kitchen, an effective ventilation system commensurate with the nature and scale of cooking to be undertaken shall be installed, operated and maintained, within the commercial areas, such that cooking odours are not exhausted into or escape into any neighbouring dwellings.
- 40. All plant or equipment including any ventilation system associated with operation of the commercial areas shall be so enclosed, attenuated and/or maintained such that any noise therefrom shall not exceed Noise Rating 35 between 0700 and 2300 hours daily, or Noise Rating 20 between 2300 and 0700 hours daily, within any neighbouring residential premises, with all windows slightly open, when measured and/ or calculated and plotted on a rating curve chart.
- 41. Commercial and Industrial deliveries shall be limited to Monday to Sunday 07.00 to 19.00.
- 42. Noise from any air source heat pump or other external residential plant equipment shall be so enclosed, attenuated and/or maintained such that any noise therefrom shall not exceed Noise Rating 35 between 0700 and 2300 hours daily, or Noise Rating 20 between 2300 and 0700 hours daily, within any neighbouring residential

- premises, with all windows slightly open, when measured and/ or calculated and plotted on a rating curve chart.
- 43. For commercial and industrial areas all external lighting to be installed shall be sufficiently screened and aligned so as to ensure that there is no direct illumination of neighbouring land and that light spillage beyond the boundaries of the site is minimised.
- 44. Prior to the commencement of development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource, an evaluation for the potential of the site to be affected by contamination by a previous use should be undertaken and as a minimum, a Preliminary Risk Assessment (Phase 1 Desk Study) will be submitted for consideration by the Council as Planning Authority. If after the preliminary risk assessment identifies the need for further assessment, an intrusive investigation should be undertaken to identify;
 - a) The nature, extent and type(s) of contamination on the site.
 - b) Measures to treat/remove contamination to ensure the site is fit for the use proposed.
 - c) Measures to deal with contamination during construction works.
 - d) Condition of the site on completion of decontamination measures.
- 45. Prior to the completion or bringing into use any part of the development the agreed measures to decontaminate the site shall be fully implemented as approved by the Council as Planning Authority. Validation that the scheme has been fully implemented must also be submitted to the Council as Planning Authority before the development is brought into use or occupied.
- 46. Prior to the commencement of development apart from the extraction of the economic mineral resource a Feasibility Study shall be submitted in writing for the approval of the Planning Authority to assess the technical feasibility and financial viability of heat network/district heating for this site, identifying any available sources of heat (either within the site or offsite) and other factors such as where land will be safeguarded for future district heating infrastructure. The accompanying Design and Access Statement or other document as agreed by the Council should show/demonstrate how the findings of the feasibility study has been incorporated into the finalised design and layout of the proposal.

Justification

The proposal is considered to comply with the Development Plan and there are no other material considerations that would justify a departure therefrom.

Informatives

- 1. This planning permission will last only for three years from the date of this decision notice, unless the development has been started within that period. (See section 58(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended).
- 2. Under section 27A of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) the person undertaking the development is required to give the planning authority prior written notification of the date on which it is intended to commence the development. A failure to comply with this statutory requirement would constitute a breach of planning control under section 123(1) of that Act, which may result in enforcement action being taken.
- 3. As soon as practicable after the development is complete, the person who completes the development is obliged by section 27B of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) to give the planning authority written notice of that position.
- 4. This development will require the 'Display of notice while development is carried out', under Section 27C (1) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1997, as amended, and Regulation 41 of the Development Management Procedure (Scotland) Regulations 2013. The form of the notice is set out in Schedule 7 of the Regulations and a draft notice is included for your guidance. According to Regulation 41 the notice must be:
 - Displayed in a prominent place at or in the vicinity of the site of the development.
 - Readily visible to the public.
 - Printed on durable material.
- 5. The applicant is advised that in terms of Section 56 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 he must obtain from the Council as Roads Authority consent to open an existing road or footway prior to the commencement of works. Advice on the disposal of surface water must be sought at the initial stages of design from Scottish Water and the Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
- 6. The applicant is advised that in terms of Section 21 of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 they must obtain from the Council as Roads Authority consent to construct a new road prior to the commencement of roadworks. Advice on the disposal of surface water must be sought at the initial stages of design from Scottish Water and the Scottish Environment Protection Agency.
- 7. The applicants are advised that they must apply to the Roads Authority for construction consent to form a new street. Please contact The Construction and Maintenance

Manager, The Environment Service, Perth and Kinross Council, Pullar House, Kinnoull Street, Perth.

- 8. The applicant is advised that the granting of planning consent does not guarantee a connection to Scottish Water's assets. The applicant must make a separate application to Scottish Water Planning & Development Services team for permission to connect to the public wastewater system and/or water network and all their requirements must be fully adhered to.
- 9. The applicant is advised that the works may need a license under the Water (Controlled Activities) Regulations 2005 (CAR). The applicant should contact SEPA's Perth Environmental Protection and Improvement Team (Tel: 01738 627989) in regard to this. The applicant should ensure that all works on site comply with the best practice guidelines laid out in SEPA's published Pollution Prevention Guidance, found at www.sepa.org.uk.
- 10. The applicant is reminded that, under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, as amended, it is an offence to remove, damage or destroy the nest of any wild birds while that nest is in use or being built. Planning consent for a development does not provide a defence against prosecution under this act.

COUNCILLOR T GRAY, HAVING DECLARED A NON-FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING ITEM, LEFT THE MEETING AT THIS POINT AND TOOK NO PART IN THE DISCUSSION OR DELIBERATION THEREFROM.

(2) Local Applications

(i) 16/01975/FLL – BRACO – Erection of a dwellinghouse at land 90 metres South East of The Garden Cottage, Braco, FK15 9LG – Report 17/269 – Mr and Mrs McNicoll

Mr R Taylor, objector to the application, followed by Mr J Denholm, agent for the applicant, addressed the Committee and, following their respective representations, withdrew to the public benches.

Resolved:

Grant, subject to the following terms, conditions and informatives:

Conditions

 The development hereby approved must be carried out in accordance with the approved drawings and documents, unless otherwise provided for by conditions imposed by this decision notice.

- 2. Prior to the commencement of the development hereby approved, details of the specification and colour of the proposed external finishing materials to be used shall be submitted to and agreed in writing by the Council as Planning Authority. The scheme as agreed shall be implemented prior to the occupation or bringing into use of the development, whichever is the earlier.
- 3. Prior to the commencement of the development hereby approved, details of the proposed boundary treatments for the site shall be submitted for the further written agreement of the Council as Planning Authority. The scheme as subsequently agreed shall be implemented prior to the completion or bringing into use of the development, whichever is the earlier.
- 4. Prior to the commencement of any works on site, precise details of the new section of access shall be submitted for the approval in writing by the Council as Planning Authority. The details must demonstrate fully that the new surface will not have an adverse impact on the roots of adjacent trees. The approved details shall thereafter be implemented in full
- 5. Prior to the commencement of works on site details of a) any new waste and recycling facility enclosures / storage areas and b) proposed locations for bin presentation shall be submitted for the further written agreement of the Council as Planning Authority. The residential unit hereby approved shall not be occupied until the agreed details have been provided in full.
- 6. Prior to the commencement of any works on site, all trees on site (other than those marked for felling on the approved plans) and those which have Root Protection Areas which fall within the site shall be retained and protected. Protection methods shall be strictly in accordance with BS 5837 2012: Trees in Relation to Design, Demolition and Construction. Protection measures, once in place, shall remain in place for the duration of construction.
- 7. All trees on site, other than those marked for felling on the approved plans, shall be retained.
- 8. Prior to the commencement of the development hereby approved, a detailed landscaping and planting scheme for the site shall be submitted for the further written agreement of the Council as Planning Authority. The scheme shall include details of the height and slopes of any mounding or recontouring of the site, full details of all hard landscaping proposals including materials and installation methods and, species, height, size and density of trees and shrubs to be planted. The scheme as subsequently approved shall be carried out and completed within the first available planting season (October to March) after the completion or bringing

into use of the development, whichever is the earlier, and the date of Practical Completion of the landscaping scheme shall be supplied in writing to the Council as Planning Authority within 7 days of that date. The scheme as agreed and implemented shall thereafter be maintained to the satisfaction of the Council as Planning Authority.

Justification

The proposal is in accordance with the Development Plan and there are no material reasons which justify departing from the Development Plan.

Informatives

- 1. This planning permission will last only for three years from the date of this decision notice, unless the development has been started within that period (see section 58(1) of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended).
- 2. Under section 27A of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) the person undertaking the development is required to give the planning authority prior written notification of the date on which it is intended to commence the development. A failure to comply with this statutory requirement would constitute a breach of planning control under section 123(1) of that Act, which may result in enforcement action being taken.
- As soon as practicable after the development is complete, the person who completes the development is obliged by section 27B of the Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997 (as amended) to give the planning authority written notice of that position.
- 4. No work shall be commenced until an application for building warrant has been submitted and approved.
- The applicant should ensure that any existing wayleaves for maintenance or repair to existing private water supply or septic drainage infrastructure in the development area are honoured throughout and after completion of the development.
- 6. The applicant shall ensure the private water supply for the house/ development complies with the Water Scotland Act 1980 (Section 63) and the Private Water Supplies (Scotland) Regulations 2006. Detailed information regarding the private water supply, including the nature, location and adequacy of the source, any storage tanks/ pipework and the filtration and disinfection treatment proposed to ensure provision of an adequate and consistently wholesome water supply shall be submitted to Perth and Kinross Council Environmental Health in line with the above act and regulations.

- 7. Trees and scrub are likely to contain nesting birds between 1st March and 31st August inclusive. Trees and scrub are present on the application site and are to be assumed to contain nesting birds between the above dates. The applicant is reminded that, under the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, as amended (section 1), it is an offence to remove, damage or destroy the nest of any wild bird while that nest is in use or being built. Planning permission for a development does not provide a defence against prosecution under this Act.
- (ii) 17/00409/FLL PERTH Siting of 12 caravans/chalets, 3 show caravans/chalets and associated works at land at Lochmanor Lodge Estate, Dunning, Perth, PH2 0QN Report 17/270 Mr W Stewart

This item had been withdrawn from the agenda.

464. VALEDICTORY

The Convener referred to the imminent departure of Ms Heledd Rheinallt, Committee Officer, Corporate and Democratic Services from Perth and Kinross Council and thanked her for the assistance she had provided to the Development Management Committee and the Local Review Body. The Convener wished Ms Heledd Rheinallt every success in the future.

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