

Town and Country Planning Act 1990
Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015

PRIOR APPROVAL REQUIRED

APPLICATION REFERENCE: 23/00159/TELE

Name and address for correspondence:	Applicant name:
Mr Tom Gallivan Dot Surveying Ltd 14 Inverleith Place Edinburgh EH3 5PZ	Cooke

Part 1 - Particulars of Application

Date of Application: 15 February 2023

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Location:	Hamer Lane Street Works, Hamer Lane, Rochdale , OL16 2LU

Part II - Particulars of decision

The Rochdale Metropolitan Borough Council hereby give notice in pursuance of the provisions of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 that prior approval **IS REQUIRED** for the development referred to in Part 1 hereof.

Date Decision Issued 3 April 2023

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REFUSAL OF DETAILS

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The Rochdale Metropolitan Borough Council hereby give notice in pursuance of the provisions of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 that approval has been **REFUSED** for the carrying out of the development referred to in Part 1 hereof in accordance with the application and plans submitted for the following reason(s):

Reasons:

- 1 By virtue of its height, siting and appearance, the proposed 16 metre high monopole would constitute a significantly incongruous and dominant feature within the street scene, amplified by the siting of additional unsightly equipment cabins in a prominent, unshielded location. The proposal would result in unacceptable harm to the street scene and visual amenity generally. On this basis the application is contrary to Policies P1, P3 and DM1 of the adopted Rochdale Core Strategy and the National Planning Policy Framework.
- 2 By reason of its siting, the proposed development would restrict the free flow of pedestrians on the pavement, including wheelchair and pushchair users, in conflict with policies T2 and DM1 of the adopted Rochdale Core Strategy and the National Planning Policy Framework.

Procedural Statement:

The proposal would not improve the economic, social and environmental conditions of the area nor does it comply with the development plan and therefore does not comprise sustainable development. There were no amendments to the scheme, or conditions which could reasonably have been imposed, which could have made the development acceptable and it was therefore not possible to approve the application.

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IMPORTANT

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTOOD THE CONTENTS OF THIS DECISION NOTICE.

YOUR ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO THE ATTACHED NOTES.

INFORMATIVE:

The Local Planning Authority's reasons for its decision are set out in the accompanying officer's report.

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For the avoidance of doubt, this decision related to the following list of plans:

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