



Knowsley Council

REGENERATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

PLANNING PERMISSION

Application No: 25/00340/KMBC1

Name and address of applicant

Knowsley Council
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Huyton
L36 9YU

Name and address of agent

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Date of Receipt: 20 May 2025

Date Valid: 3 June 2025

Address/Location Of Development:

20 - 24 Newtown Gardens
Kirkby Town Centre
Knowsley
L32 8RR

Description of Development:

ALTERATIONS TO EXISTING SHOPFRONT TO INCLUDE REPLACEMENT WINDOWS, DOORS TO THE FRONT ELEVATION FROM TIMBER TO ALUMINIUM TOGETHER WITH THE REPLACEMENT OF FACING MATERIAL

The Council of the Metropolitan Borough of Knowsley hereby give notice in pursuance of the above Act(s) that Planning Permission has been **granted** for the carrying out of the development referred to above in accordance with the application and plans submitted subject to the following condition(s):

1. The development must be begun not later than the expiration of three years beginning with the date of this permission.

Reason: In order to comply with the requirements of Section 91 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

2. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the approved plans and documents listed in Schedule 1.

Reason: For the avoidance of doubt.

3. Prior to their installation precise scheme details of the external facing materials which related to the following:

- External vertical silver / grey wall tiles;
- Slimline Fascia boards;
- Perforated internal roller shutters

shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

The development shall be carried out only in accordance with the agreed details.

Reason: In the interests of visual amenity and to comply with the National Planning Policy Framework (2024), Policies CS2 and CS19 of the Knowsley Local Plan: Core Strategy, adopted January 2016; Saved Policy DQ3 of the Knowsley Replacement Unitary Development Plan, adopted June 2006 and the Shopfronts and Signage Design SPD (2016).

SCHEDULE 1

Date Received	Ref. No	Version	Drawing/Document Title
27/05/2025	010	-	SITE LOCATION PLAN
20/05/2025	110	REV A	PLANNING - PROPOSED FLOOR PLAN
20/05/2025	210	REV B	PLANNING - PROPOSED ELEVATIONS & SECTIONS

REASON(S) FOR THE GRANTING OF PLANNING PERMISSION

The decision to grant planning permission has also been taken having regard to the policies and proposals as set out below, and to all relevant material considerations including supplementary planning guidance:-

National Planning Policy Framework

KNOWSLEY LOCAL PLAN: CORE STRATEGY

CS2 - Development Principles

CS19 - Design Quality and Accessibility in New Development

SAVED POLICIES - KNOWSLEY REPLACEMENT UNITARY DEVELOPMENT PLAN (ADOPTED JUNE 2006)

S9 - Shop Fronts and Security Shutters

T10 - Access for the Less Mobile

DQ2 - Security in the Built Environment

DQ3 - Gateway Sites and Corridors

SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENTS

Design Quality in New Development SPD (2016)

Shopfronts and Signage Design SPD (2016)

CS10 - Principal Regeneration Area - Kirkby Town Centre

This informative is only intended as a summary of the reason(s) for the granting of planning permission. Should you require any further details relating to the decision please contact the relevant case officer (Maxine Wishart on 0151 443 2319)

ARTICLE 35 STATEMENT

The Local Planning Authority has acted positively and proactively in determining this application by assessing the proposal against all material considerations, including planning policies and any representations that may have been received and subsequently determining to grant planning permission in accordance with the presumption in favour of sustainable development, as set out within the National Planning Policy Framework.

NOTE FOR APPLICANT:

IMPORTANT - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY THE NOTES BELOW AS FAILURE TO COMPLY COULD MAKE THE DEVELOPMENT HEREBY PERMITTED UNAUTHORISED

- 1) This planning permission is granted in strict accordance with the approved plans. It should be noted however that:
 - a) Any variation from the approved plans following commencement of the development, irrespective of the degree of variation, will constitute unauthorised development and may be liable to enforcement action.
 - b) You or your agent or any other person responsible for implementing this permission should inform Planning Services immediately of any proposed variation from the approved plans and ask to be advised as to the best method to resolve the matter. Most proposals for variation to the approved plans will require the submission of a new planning application.
- 2) This permission is granted subject to conditions and it is the owner of the property and the person responsible for the implementation of the development who will be fully responsible for their compliance throughout the development and beyond.
- 3) If there is a condition that requires work to be carried out or details to be approved prior to the commencement of the development this is called a "condition precedent". The following should be noted with regards to conditions precedent.
 - a) If a condition precedent is not complied with prior to the start of development, the whole of the development will be unauthorised and you may be liable to enforcement action.
 - b) In addition, if the requirements of a condition precedent are subsequently not complied with, the development is unauthorised and the only way to rectify the development is the submission of a new application.

If any other type of condition is breached then you will be liable to a breach of condition notice.

NOTE FOR APPLICANT: The applicant's attention is drawn to the following comments;

1. The permission hereby permitted does not confer any approval for advertisements / signage which may require a separate Advertisement Consent application.



Executive Director - Regeneration and Economic Development

Date: 29 July 2025

IMPORTANT NOTES FOR YOUR ATTENTION:

- 1. This permission refers only to that required under the Town and Country Planning Acts and does not include any consent or approval under any other enactment, bylaw, order or regulation.**
- 2. This permission refers only to those plans submitted as part of the Planning Application a copy of which is retained by the Local Planning Authority. The Local Planning Authority should be contacted in writing if it is proposed to amend these plans in any way as a further permission, may be required.**
- 3. If a Building Regulations Consent is required for these works it is your responsibility to ensure that the plans submitted for both the Building Regulations Consent and Planning Permission are the same in all respects. Should the plans relating to one consent vary from the other, it will be necessary for you to submit amended plans to this Department and obtain the relevant approval(s) prior to commencing any works.**

Appeals to the Secretary of State

- If you are aggrieved by the decision of your local planning authority to refuse permission for the proposed development or to grant it subject to conditions, then you can appeal to the Secretary of State under section 78 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
- As this is a decision for a minor commercial application, if you want to appeal against your local planning authority's decision then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice.
- Appeals can be made online at: <https://www.gov.uk/planning-inspectorate>.
If you are unable to access the online appeal form, please contact the Planning Inspectorate to obtain a paper copy of the appeal form on tel: 0303 444 5000.
- The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal but will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.
- The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to the Secretary of State that the local planning authority could not have granted planning permission for the proposed development or could not have granted it without the conditions they imposed, having regard to the statutory requirements, to the provisions of any development order and to any directions given under a development order.