



**Knowsley Council**

**REGENERATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
DEPARTMENT**

**TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990**

## **PLANNING PERMISSION**

**Application No: 26/00067/FUL**

**Name and address of applicant**

Mr Alan Fletcher  
24 Baileys Lane  
Halewood  
Knowsley  
L26 0XD

**Name and address of agent**

**Date of Receipt:** 10 February 2026

**Date Valid:** 9 April 2026

**Address/Location Of Development:**

24 Baileys Lane  
Halewood  
Knowsley  
L26 0XD

**Description of Development:**

**CONSTRUCTION OF DROPPED KERB AND ASSOCIATED WORKS FOR  
VEHICULAR ACCESS AND REINSTATEMENT OF EXISTING DROPPED KERB**

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. Notwithstanding the submitted details, prior to the commencement of any part of the development hereby permitted (including any preparatory work), an Arboricultural Method Statement (AMS) in accordance with BS5837:2012 shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority in relation to the protection of the

highway verge tree. Details to be dealt with in the AMS shall include, but not be limited to:

- a. A pre-commencement meeting which shall be held with the Council's Arboricultural Officer to debrief the applicant and / or their contractor of the importance of the protection measures before work commences;
- b. Full specification for the construction of the hard surfacing including details of a no-dig specification and the extent of the vehicular access that would be constructed using the no-dig specification;
- c. Methodology and assessment of any root pruning;
- d. Details of Arboricultural supervision and inspection which shall be carried out by the Council's Arboricultural Officer in accordance with a timetable that has first been submitted to and agreed in writing prior to any part of the development being commenced.

The development shall be implemented only in accordance with the approved details.

Reason: To ensure that the existing highway verge tree to be retained will not be damaged during construction work and in the interests of visual amenity and to comply with the National Planning Policy Framework (2024), Policies CS2, CS8 and CS21 of the Knowsley Local Plan: Core Strategy, adopted January 2016, Saved Policies DQ4 and H5 of the Knowsley Replacement Unitary Development Plan, adopted June 2006, the Householder Development SPD (2016) and Trees and Development SPD.

## **SCHEDULE 1**

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| <b>13/04/2026</b>    | <b>#01052474-7A146F</b> | <b>-</b>       | <b>LOCATION PLAN</b>          |
| <b>25/03/2026</b>    | <b>DK001</b>            | <b>REV C</b>   | <b>PROPOSED SITE PLAN</b>     |
| <b>10/02/2026</b>    | <b>-</b>                | <b>-</b>       | <b>PLANNING STATEMENT</b>     |

## **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

CS7 - Transport Networks

CS8 - Green Infrastructure

CS19 - Design Quality and Accessibility in New Development

CS21 - Greenspaces and Trees

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

H5 - Development within Primarily Residential Areas

DQ4 - Trees and Development

### **SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENTS**

Trees and Development SPD (2016)

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 proposed development lies within a coal mining area which may contain unrecorded coal mining related hazards. If any coal mining feature is encountered during development, this should be reported immediately to the Mining Remediation Authority on 0345 762 6846 or if a hazard is encountered on site call the emergency line 0800 288 4242.

Further information is also available on the Mining Remediation Authority website at: Mining Remediation Authority - GOV.UK

Standing Advice valid from 1st January 2025 until 31st December 2026

2. Highways - Construction of Vehicular Access

It is an offence to carry out any works within the public highway without the prior consent of the Highway Authority. The proposed development includes the alteration/widening of a vehicular access, which requires approval under Section 184 of the Highways Act 1980.

The Highway Authority will specify the works to be undertaken, and only the Highway Authority or a contractor approved by the Highway Authority is permitted to carry out these works. For the avoidance of doubt, the applicant is advised that the widening of the vehicular dropped kerb must be undertaken by Knowsley Council's approved contractor:

Tarmac

Email: [Knowsley.highways@tarmac.com](mailto:Knowsley.highways@tarmac.com)

Telephone: 0800 023 2334

3. S171 Licence - Highway Works

It is an offence to carry out any works within the public highway without the prior consent of the Highway Authority. This grant of planning permission does not negate the requirement to obtain approval for highway works under Section 171 of the Highways Act 1980.

The applicant is advised to contact the Street Works Section to obtain the necessary S171 licence:

Email: [NRSWA.TeamDRES@knowsley.gov.uk](mailto:NRSWA.TeamDRES@knowsley.gov.uk)



**Dale Milburn**

**Executive Director – PLACE**

**Date: 4 June 2026**

### **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. You should ensure that you understand the requirements of all planning conditions and that you fully comply with their requirements. If you are in any doubt about what a condition requires of you, please ask us for assistance. Planning conditions may require you to submit further information to us and await our approval before you can start your development. A failure to do so could result in your development being unlawful and necessitate the submission of a further planning application. A failure to comply with the conditions of the permission/consent may result in the taking of enforcement and potentially legal action, against you to remedy the breach of planning control.**
- 4. A fee is normally payable to discharge planning conditions in accordance with government regulations.**
- 5. This permission does not convey any rights or approval to build on, or develop, any land that is not fully owned or controlled by you, including on party boundaries. You should satisfy yourself that the agreement of any adjoining landowners has been given prior to commencing any building works.**
- 6. 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. Knowsley Council's Building Control team are contactable on (0151)-443 2342 and they would be pleased to assist you.**

### **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 householder 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.