Mr Iain and Mrs Claudine Liddle
Rydale
Tunstead Milton
High Peak, Derbyshire
SK23 7ER

21st August 2015

HPBC Town Hall Buxton Derbyshire SK17 6EL



Dear Sirs

RE: Application Number HPK/2015/0410

We are writing in connection to the above planning application regarding the demolition of the existing building and erection of three terraced properties. In principle we would welcome a sensitive renovation of the property. But we have a number of concerns with the proposed development.

1. Too many dwellings

There are currently a number of properties for sale in Tunstead Milton, which have been on the market for some time. We feel that it would be excessive to turn the existing property from one to three dwellings.

The planning application and subsequent appeal for a building plot almost adjacent to the current Rose House was refused in August 2014 (Appeal Ref: APP/H1033/A/14/2217948) and we feel that reasons given in that refusal are valid in this case too. Particularly those points listed under 'Reasons', which outline the local plan and framework and the lack of facilities in Tunstead Milton to support future residents. Obviously the building was a home to one family but to quote the appeal:

13 Whilst I also saw on my site visit that the appeal site is within walking distance of two bus stops, I could not locate any important local services or facilities such as schools, shops, or health centres within the vicinity and I have not been provided with any details of these. In the absence of any evidence to the contrary, I am therefore unable to conclude that there would be a sufficient provision of local services and community facilities to meet the everyday needs of future local residents. There would also be a strong likelihood that most future occupiers would be dependent on

the private car for the majority of trips to access local services further afield. As such I do not consider this to be a sustainable location.

14 By reason of the proposal's encroachment into an isolated untouched countryside location, and its limited accessibility to local shops and services,
I conclude that the proposal would not be a suitable site for housing having regard to the character and appearance of the surrounding area and the principles of sustainable development. As such it would conflict with the aims of Local Plan Policy GD4 and similar objectives in paragraphs 17 and 55 of the Framework.

2. Car Parking

Part of the garden nearest to Rydale will become car parking for four cars with a resulting loss of privacy and increase in traffic noise. Also, the two car parking spaces adjacent to Unit 1 are located on top of the stopcocks for both Rydale and Orchard Cottage. Cars parked in these positions would not allow emergency access.

There is a 'Deed of Grant' (dated November 2007, Land registry) between Rose House and the adjacent cottages giving residents pedestrian access to the main road for their wheeley bins etc. Enclosed is a document (Attachment 2) showing the area this deed relates to shown in green overlaid on the proposed plans for Rose House. It can be seen that the 4 car parking spaces block this access, which according to paragraph 4.3 of the deed, must be kept 'clear and unobstructed at all times'.

We believe that after the construction of Rydale the route of this access took many, expensive years of legal wrangling to alter. A condition of this is that a fenced pathway is provided across Rose House's garden (ie the green section). We cannot see on the site plans any provision for this access.

3. Narrow Access to car park

The access to the rear parking and garden areas appears to be very restrictive and inadequate for the volume of traffic.

We are concerned that this narrow access, which is shown as 3m, would be unsuitable for emergency vehicular access to Rydale and Orchard Cottage.

In addition, there is an ongoing boundary dispute between Rydale and Rose House. Attached is the survey produced for Rydale which would indicate that there is insufficient area to provide the gardens as shown and access to the rear parking. (Attachment 2)

It has been agreed, between the developer and ourselves, that the current fence position does not accurately represent the general boundary recorded with the land registry. Both parties have undertaken separate surveys to clarify matters but, as there are appreciable differences between the two, an agreement has yet to be reached.

The plans submitted in the above application do not necessarily reflect the actual plot available. Given that the proposed development at Rose House will significantly affect the access to our property, we believe it would be prudent to resolve the boundary issue before planning permission is granted especially as the outcome may impact on the ability to provide facilities for three properties.

4. Side area with garden (rotary dryer) and parking

Referring back to the 'Deed of Grant' (2007), the brown area shown on the enclosed document (Attachment 1) is the area relating to Rydale, Rose House and adjacent cottages. Again, paragraph 4.3 states that this area must be kept 'clear and unobstructed at all times'. Therefore the construction of a stonewall, side garden with rotary dryer and parking for two cars would be in breach of this deed.

5. Privacy

We strongly object to the 6 north facing windows proposed for the second floor elevation. These would look directly onto our property and substantially reduce the privacy currently afforded. They would be better situated on the south-facing roof to avoid any potential loss of privacy to Rydale.

The overdevelopment of Rose House into three, 3-bedroom properties would result in a lack of private space for these dwellings and a loss of privacy for Rydale and adjacent cottages.

6. Area for bins

The area proposed on the site plan for rubbish/recycling bins awaiting collection is insufficient for the adjacent properties including the three new homes, Rydale etc. particularly on a recycling day. This may also make access difficult if they block the driveway.

7. Access during construction

We are concerned that works during construction may also block access to Rydale. It would be helpful if deliveries are loaded and unloaded in the garden area of Rose House and not from the driveway. Due to the nature of lain Liddle's work we need full access to the main road 7 days a week.

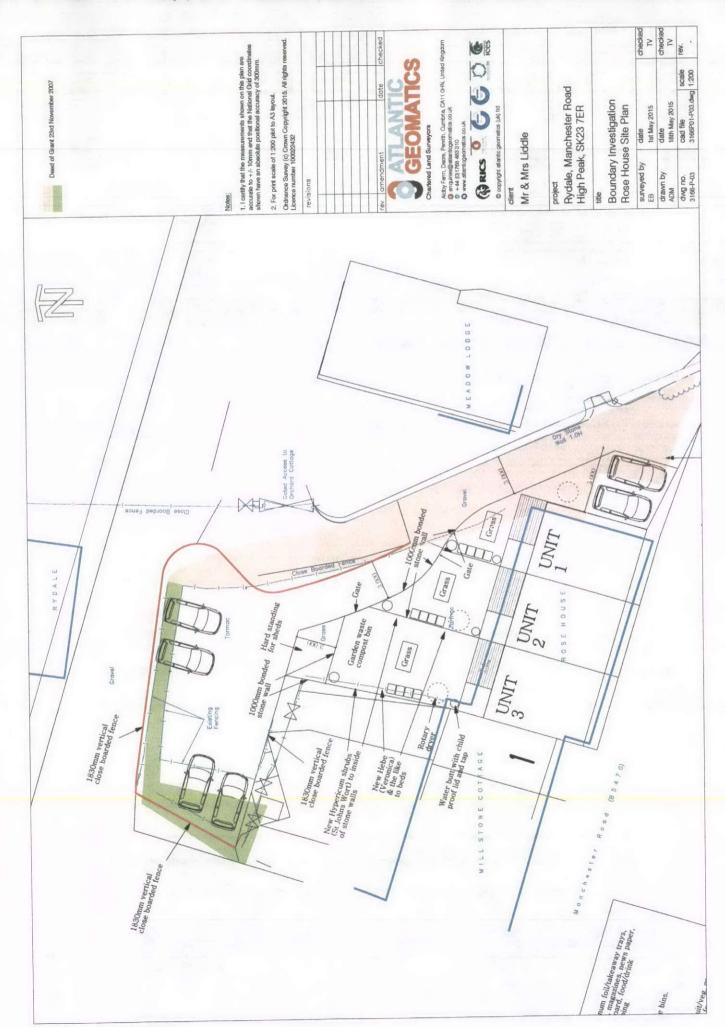
Yours sincerely

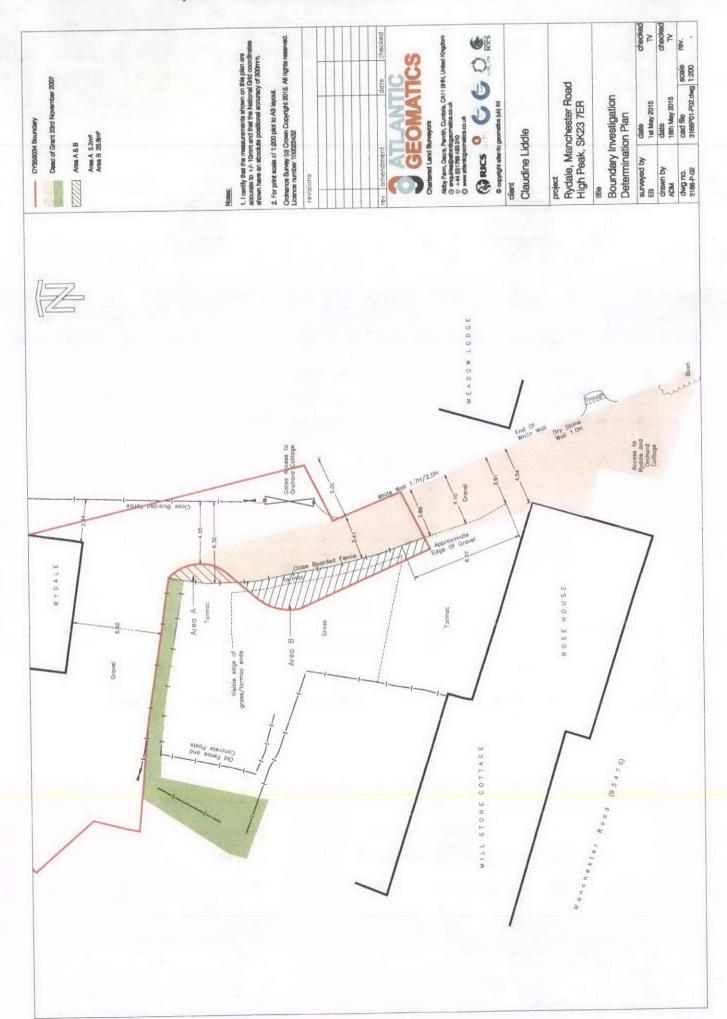
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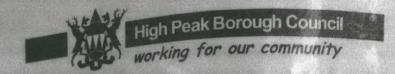
Enclosed

Attachment 1 Attachment 2

Copy of planning notice on lamppost dated 10 Aug 2015







PLANNING NOTICE

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AT

Rose House Manchester Road Tunstead Milton Whaley Bridge SK23 7ER

This is a major development which may affect a public right of way

HIGH PEAK BOROUGH COUNCIL has received a planning application for: -

Proposal:- Proposed Demolition of Existing Building and Erection of Three Terraced 3 Bedroom Dwellings with Associated Parking and Amenity Space (Resubmission of HPK/2015/0032)

Applicant:- Mr Muncey
Application Number:- HPK/2015/0410

Details of the application can be inspected at the Town Hall, Market Street Chapel-En-Le-Fith, Monday - Friday, 9.00am - 12 noon or alternatively details of the application are available to view online at www.highpeak.gov.uk

Your comments about the application must be made in writing to Planning Applications, High Peak Borough Council, P O Box 136, Buxton, Derbyshire SK17 1AQ, quoing the above reference number, within 35 days from the date of this notice. If you was 10 discuss the proposal please telephone the Planning Applications Section on 01298 28400 or 0345 129 777.

It should be noted that any representations made about the application will be available for public inspection and copy.

Please note the application reference number when writing and telephoning

DATE: 10 ALE 20