For Plans Committee – 21st July 2022

Additional items received since the report was drafted.

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Further comments have been received from no 22 Lilac Close following the publication of the Plans Committee report (the full comment is available to view on the Councils Planning Explorer website). The comments reiterate the previous objections, the concerns being that the fence at a height of 2.4m will be overbearing, have an oppressive visual impact on the garden and result in loss of light. The comments raise concerns that many of the comments made within the report are not planning related and that the report is biased.

Since the publication of the report an additional letter has been received from Leicestershire Partnership NHS Trust which addresses the question 'could the fence could be lowered to a height of 6 feet?'. This letter contains sensitive personal information which cannot be made publicly available; however it concludes due to the specific needs of the householders the fence cannot be reduced in height.

Officer Response

The further objection is noted. No new material considerations have been raised by these comments and therefore the appraisal of the scheme remains as stated in the Plans Committee report.

Recommendation

No change to original recommendation