WORTHING BOROUGH COUNCIL

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PLANNING PERMISSION

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (GENERAL PERMITTED DEVELOPMENT) (AMENDMENT) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2015

APPLICATION NUMBER: AWDM/1188/25

Details of Development
APPLICATION TO VARY CONDITION 4: (OPENING HOURS) AND CONDITION 9: (OUTSIDE SEATING) OF PREVIOUSLY APPROVED AWDM/1884/16 FOR CHANGE OF USE FROM USE CLASS A1 (SHOP) TO USE CLASS A4 (DRINKING ESTABLISHMENT) MICROPUB WITH INSTALLATION OF REFRIGERATION UNIT TO REAR (NORTH) ELEVATION. PROPOSED CHANGES OPENING HOURS: 11:00 TO 22:30 (MON-THURS), 11:00 TO 23:30 (FRI & SAT), 11:00 TO 22:00 (SUN). OUTDOOR SEATING COMPRISING 6 TABLES AND 24 SEATS (11:00 TO 22:00 HOURS EACH DAY) PLUS 4NO PLANTERS.

Location of Development
THE GEORGI FIN 54 GORING ROAD WORTHING WEST SUSSEX BN12 4AD

In pursuance of their powers under the above-mentioned Act and Order the Council hereby notify you that they PERMIT the above development, in accordance with the application and relevant correspondence registered on 7th October 2025.

This is for reasons stated on the schedule overleaf and subject to compliance with the conditions specified thereon.

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03/02/2026

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SCHEDULE

Conditions

01. The development hereby permitted shall be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans unless specified otherwise in a subsequent condition imposed on this decision notice.

Reference/Drawing Number	Version	Date Rec
SUPPORTING STATEMENT		07.10.2025

And the following approved plans from the previously approved application AWDM/1884/16:

Reference/Drawing Number	Version	Date Rec
DESIGN & ACCESS STATEMENT		23.12.2016
LOCATION PLAN		23.12.2016
PROPOSED LAYOUT		23.12.2016
EXISTING FLOOR PLAN		23.12.2016

Reason: *For the avoidance of doubt and in the interests of proper planning.*

03. There shall be no preparation/cooking/heating-up of hot or cold food on the premises. No hot or cold food shall be served to customers on the premises (other than pre-packaged bar snacks).

Reason: *To safeguard the amenities of neighbouring residents in the absence of any system or scheme for the removal of food odours and to comply with policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

04. The micro-pub hereby permitted shall only be open for trade and business between 11.00hrs and 22:30hrs on Monday to Thursday, 11.00hrs and 23.30hrs on Fridays and Saturdays, and between 11.00hrs and 22.00hrs on Sundays, Bank and Public Holidays.

Reason: *To safeguard the amenities of the occupiers of neighbouring properties having regard to policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

05. No live music or amplified music shall be played or TV broadcast at the micro-pub hereby permitted at any time.

Reason: *To accord with the micro-pub model and to safeguard the amenities of the nearby residential occupiers.*

07. All pipework fixings related to the internal chiller unit shall be retained with resilient (anti-vibration) mounts.

Reason: *In order to minimise noise transmission through the structure to neighbouring residential properties and in accordance with policies DM5 and DM22 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

08. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Town and Country Planning General Permitted Development Order 1995 as amended (or any order revoking and re-enacting that Order with or without modification), the premises shall be used only as a micro-pub (sui generis) as described in the supporting material submitted with the application and for no other purpose, except by grant of a separate planning permission by the local planning authority.

Reason: *In the interest of amenity having regard to policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

09. There shall be no use of any external seating area by customers except between the hours of 11.00 and 22.00 on any day. All external seating shall be made inaccessible to customers after 22.00hrs and stored inside the premises overnight.

Reason: *In the interest of amenity having regard to policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

10. The smoking management plan approved under AWDM/1609/25 shall be adhered to at all times the premises is open.

Reason: *In the interest of amenity having regard to policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

11. No gaming machines shall be installed on the micro-pub premises at any time.

Reason: *To adhere to the micro-pub concept and to safeguard the amenities of neighbouring occupiers having regard to policy DM5 of the Worthing Local Plan.*

Informatives / Notes to Applicant

01. 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.

02. The Applicant is advised:

(i) In addition to the grant of this permission a separate application for a pavement licence should be made to the Council's Licensing Unit. Please contact licensing.unit@adur-worthing.gov.uk or telephone: 01273 263331 for further information.

(ii) No consent is granted by this permission for the festoon lighting structure currently in situ at the premises for which a separate application for full planning permission is required.

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YOUR ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE FOLLOWING NOTES FROM THE ABOVE ORDER. THEY ARE FOR INFORMATION ONLY AND DO NOT PRETEND TO SET OUT THE WHOLE OF THE LAW ON THE SUBJECT. IT WOULD BE WELL FOR YOU TO CONSULT YOUR SOLICITOR IF YOU ARE IN ANY DOUBT

Appeals to the Secretary of State

1. 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.

2. If the decision relates to a householder application or minor commercial application, and you want to appeal, then you must do so within 12 weeks of the date of this notice. If the decision relates to express consent for the display of an advertisement, then you must do so within 8 weeks of the date of this notice. If the decision relates to a non-householder application, an appeal must be lodged within 6 months of the date of the decision notice. Appeals must be made using a form which you can get from the Secretary of State at Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol BS1 6PN (Tel: 0303 444 5000) or online at https://acp.planninginspectorate.gov.uk.

3. The Secretary of State can allow a longer period for giving notice of an appeal, but he will not normally be prepared to use this power unless there are special circumstances which excuse the delay in giving notice of appeal.

4. The Secretary of State need not consider an appeal if it seems to him 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.

5. In practice, the Secretary of State does not refuse to consider appeals solely because the local planning authority based their decision on a direction given by him.

Purchase Notices

6. If either the local planning authority or the Secretary of State refuses permission to develop land or grants it subject to conditions, the owner may claim that he can neither put the land to a reasonably beneficial use in its existing state nor render the land capable of a reasonably beneficial use by the carrying out of any development which has been or would be permitted. In these circumstances, the owner may serve a purchase notice on the District Council in whose area the land is situated. This notice will require the Council to purchase his interest in the land in accordance with the provisions of Part VI of the Town and Planning Act 1990.

7. Where this notice conveys approval or permission, conditional or unconditional, please note that the decision given does not purport to convey any consent or approval which may be required under the Building Act and Building Regulations, or any other legislation.

Reduced time for making a planning appeal where enforcement action is being taken

Where an enforcement notice has been served on the same, or substantially the same, development as in the householder application within 2 years of the date the application was made, the period for receiving an appeal is within 28 days of the date on the decision notice or of the date by which the LPA should have decided the application. Where an enforcement notice was served after the decision notice was issued or after the end of the period the LPA had to determine the application, the period for receiving an appeal is within 28 days of the date the enforcement notice was served (unless this extends the normal 12 weeks deadline).