Submission Standards for Planning Applications

The Planning Authority Standards are:

- 1. File Sizes for Electronic Submissions
- 1. No individual file is greater than 5Mb
- 2. No .zip, .exe, gif or .jpg files are submitted.

2. Drawings

- 1. Drawings submitted in single layer PDF format.
- 2. Where possible supply drawings at A1 or A3.
- 3. Do not supply drawings with optional scales at different paper sizes.
- 4. Scanned drawings are a minimum 200 dpi resolution.
- 5. List of drawings supplied to include drawing number, description and paper size.
- 6. Check critical dimensions on PDF and that they are to scale.
- 7. Orientation of PDF drawings are correct when viewed on screen.
- 8. Include a scale bar and key dimensions on all drawings.
- 9. Do not submit photos of plans, actual plans need to be submitted.
- 10. Drawings should only state 'do not scale' if followed by 'except for Planning purposes only.'
- 11. Do not refer to previous works on the drawings, they should only refer to the proposal being applied for.
- 12. Plans from previous applications cannot be transferred to new applications.

3. Other Documents

1. Letters and reports must be in PDF format.

4. Photographs

- 1. List of photographs/photo montages annotated with title and context/purpose explained.
- 2. Size of each photograph file to be below 1Mb.
- 3. Photographs to be a maximum size of 15x10cm.