

MALVERN HILLS

COUNCIL HOUSE

MALVERN - WORCESTERSHIRE

OSBORNES WAS APPOINTED BY MALVERN HILLS DISTRICT COUNCIL TO EXTEND THE EXISTING COUNCIL HOUSE, IN ORDER TO PROVIDE AN ENTRANCE AND POINT OF ACCESS FOR THE PUBLIC AND ALSO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL MEETING SPACES.

THE EXISTING COUNCIL HOUSE KNOWN AS PRIORY MANSION IS A GRADE II LISTED VICTORIAN GOTHIC VILLA IN GREAT MALVERN AND THE BUILDING ITSELF HAS GREAT LOCAL HISTORIC IMPORTANCE. ANY ADDITIONS TO THIS BUILDING NEEDED TO BE SYMPATHETIC TO WHAT WAS EXISTING.

THE DESIGN OF THE EXTENSION DRAWS FROM A SIMILAR PALLET OF MATERIALS AS THE EXISTING BUILDING, HOWEVER THE WAYS THEY ARE USED HELP TO CREATE A CONTEMPORARY FEEL, WHILST AT THE SAME TIME NEVER DETRACTING FROM THE MAIN BUILDING.

THE COMPLETED BUILDING PROVIDES A MUCH NEEDED, EASILY ACCESSIBLE POINT FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC, AND VERSATILE INTERNAL SPACES FOR EXISTING STAFF.

