

Heritage Referral Response

Application Number:	DA2025/0149
Proposed Development:	Alterations and additions to a mixed use development (Unit 832)
Date:	28/02/2025
То:	Reeve Cocks
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 74 SP 63767 , 832 / 25 Wentworth Street MANLY NSW 2095

Officer comments

HERITAGE COMMENTS

Discussion of reason for referral

The proposal has been referred to Heritage as the subject property is located within the vicinity of several heritage items:

I106 - All numbers, The Corso - The Corso (East Esplanade - South Steyne), Manly **I1246 - Street Trees -** Wentworth Street, Manly

I1245 - The Drummond Far West Home - 22 Wentworth Street, Manly

Details of heritage items affected

I106 - All numbers, The Corso - The Corso

Statement of Significance

The streetscape and its special qualities are of major significance to the state. The Corso has important historical links to the development of tourism and recreation which is still present and likely to continue. It's role as the pedestrian link between harbour and ocean, city and sea - for the tourist, is fundamental to Manly's status as a resort.

Physical Description

The Corso is the NE-SW link between Manly Beach and Manly Cove. It acts as a low scale horizontal corridor which steps down from the harbour to the ocean. The architecture is generally of the early twentieth century with a number of late 19th century buildings remaining as evidence of the former streetscape. The atmosphere of The Corso is of a 19th century place. Its special qualities include the contrasts of horizontal (low scale architecture) and vertical (planting) dimensions, and urban and natural elements.

I1246 - Street Trees

Statement of Significance

Listed for its aesthetic importance to the streetscape.

Physical Description

Remnant tree species planted in carriageway; Norfolk Island pine, Port Jackson fig and Brush Box. **I1245 - The Drummond Far West Home**

Statement of Significance

This building is a good example of Inter-War Classical style in a building with state historical significance for its role as a charitable institution.

Physical Description

Three storey Inter-War Classical style building. Cream brick institutional building with tile roof. Wide colonnade ground floor. Paired Doric columns to first and second floor balconies. Contrasting brickwork used as highlight to arches on ground floor and in horizontal bands.

The Drummond Far West Home is a three-storey brick and concrete building located on the south side of the street.

Other relevant heritage listings



SEPP (Biodiversity and	Ν	
Conservation) 2021		
Australian Heritage Register	Ν	
NSW State Heritage Register	Ν	
National Trust of Aust (NSW)	Ν	
Register		
RAIA Register of 20th	Ν	
Century Buildings of		
Significance		
Other	Ν	
Consideration of Application		

The proposal seeks consent for alterations and additions to a residential unit within a mixed-use building. The proposed works consist of the construction of a louvre roof over the balcony of the residential unit. The balcony is located on the eastern elevation of the building on the seventh floor. This section of the building faces onto Rialto Lane. The subject site is within the vicinity of several heritage items including The Corso which is located to the north of the subject site. Other nearby heritage items include The Drummond Far West Home and Street Trees which are located to the south of the subject site along Wentworth Street. Due to the minor nature of the works which sit within the existing footprint of the subject property and the physical separation between the proposed works and the heritage items, Heritage raises no concerns regarding the proposal.

Therefore, Heritage raises no concerns and requires no conditions.

Consider against the provisions of CL5.10 of MLEP.

Is a Conservation Management Plan (CMP) Required? No Has a CMP been provided? No Is a Heritage Impact Statement required? No Has a Heritage Impact Statement been provided? No

The proposal is therefore supported.

Note: Should you have any concerns with the referral comments above, please discuss these with the Responsible Officer.

Recommended Heritage Advisor Conditions:

Nil.