

Natural Environment Referral Response - Flood

Application Number:	DA2022/1164
Date:	15/09/2022
То:	Alex Keller
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot B DP 102407 , 34 - 35 South Steyne MANLY NSW 2095 Lot 2 DP 861591 , 34 - 35 South Steyne MANLY NSW 2095

Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for the following:

- All Development Applications on land below the 1 in100 year flood level;
- All Development Applications located on land below the Probable Maximum Flood levels.

And as such, Council's Natural Environment Unit officers are required to consider the likely impacts on drainage regimes.

Officer comments

The development proposes to build four levels of above ground commercial space, a below ground commercial level and a basement carpark.

Subject to conditions the development is complying to Council's development controls.

The proposal is therefore supported.

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

Recommended Natural Environment Conditions:

CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE CONSTRUCTION CERTIFICATE

Flooding

In order to protect property and occupants from flood risk the following is required:

Flood Effects Caused by Development – A2

There is to be no filling of the land or any other reduction of the available flood storage which results in a net loss of storage below the 1% AEP flood level of 5.12m AHD.



Building Components and Structural Soundness - B1

All new development below the Flood Planning Level of 5.12m AHD shall be designed and constructed as flood compatible buildings in accordance with Reducing Vulnerability of Buildings to Flood Damage: Guidance on Building in Flood Prone Areas, Hawkesbury-Nepean Floodplain Management Steering Committee (2006).

Building Components and Structural Soundness - B2

All new development must be designed to ensure structural integrity up to the Flood Planning Level of 5.12m AHD, taking into account the forces of floodwater, wave action, flowing water with debris, buoyancy and immersion.

Building Components and Structural Soundness - B3

All new electrical equipment, power points, wiring, fuel lines, sewerage systems or any other service pipes and connections must be waterproofed and/or located above the Flood Planning Level of 5.12m AHD. All existing electrical equipment and power points located below the Flood Planning Level must have residual current devices installed to cut electricity supply during flood events.

Fencing – F1

New fencing (including pool fencing, boundary fencing, balcony balustrades and accessway balustrades) shall be open to allow for the unimpeded movement of flood waters. It must be designed with a minimum of 50% open area from the natural ground level up to the 1% AEP flood level 4.82m AHD. Openings should be a minimum of 75mm x 75mm.

Storage of Goods - G1

Storage areas for hazardous or potentially polluting materials shall not be located below the Flood Planning Level 5.12m AHD unless adequately protected from floodwaters in accordance with industry standards.

Flood gate

Prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate, engineering details of the design, construction and maintenance of the flood gate are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier for approval and shall include installation details, the calibration of the structure and the ongoing maintenance regime, together with periodic compliance reports from an appropriate engineer.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To reduce the impact of flooding and flood liability on owners and occupiers of flood-prone property and reduce public and private losses in accordance with Council and NSW Government policy.

CONDITIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE OCCUPATION CERTIFICATE

Restriction as to User and Positive Covenant over the self-actuating flood gate

A restriction as to user shall be created on the title over the self-actuating flood gate in order to:

- 1. Prohibit the removal or modification of the self-actuating flood gate.
- 2. The flood protection offered by the self-actuating flood gate must be continuous and at a



minimum level of 5.12m AHD. Such levels are to be detailed to Australian Height Datum on the Section 88B instrument and submitted to Council for approval.

Northern Beaches Council shall be nominated as the sole authority empowered to release, vary or modify such restriction.

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