

8th February 2022

Hall & Hart Homes
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Our Ref: AWT64097
Your Ref: H0485

Re: Preliminary Landslip Assessment for Lot 5, No 46 Martin Street,
Freshwater

We have carried out the following investigation:

- Studied the building plans by Hall & Hart Homes Job No H0485, (dated 07/12/21 Rev F-3), outlining the proposal.
- Reviewed the Northern Beaches Council online landslip mapping system.
- Reviewed a Site Classification report by AW Geotechnics, Job No AWT64097 (dated 18/03/2021), which included two(2) boreholes.

Based on the information from the above sources, we have concluded the following;

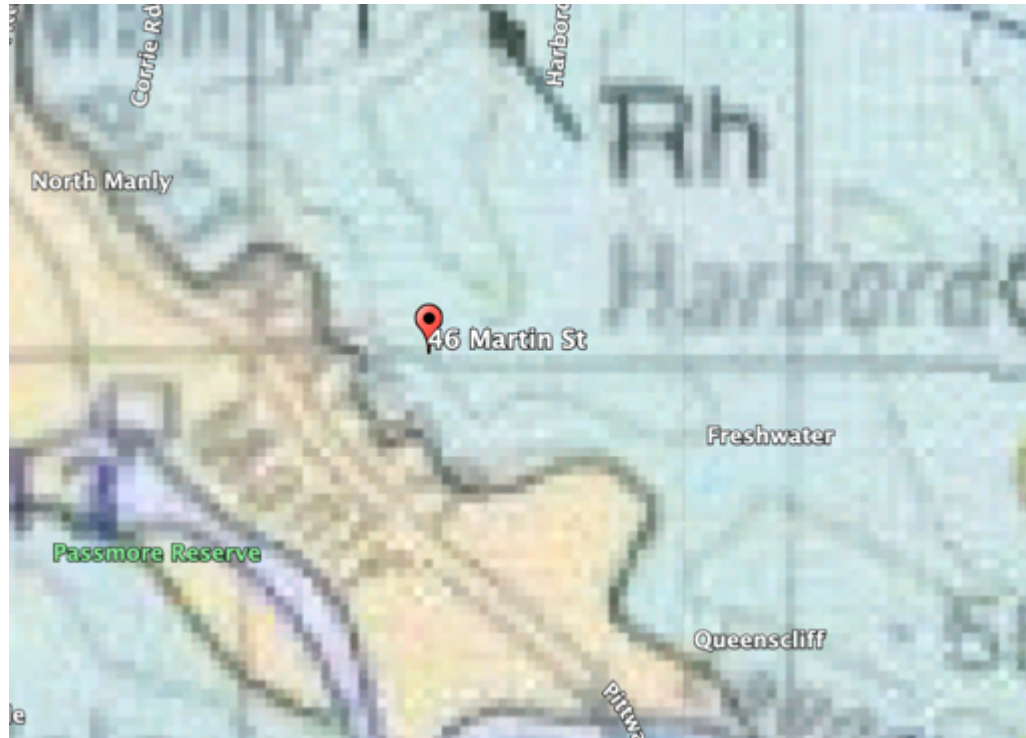
1. The site plots within Zone B.

NOTE: There are no other landslide maps covering this area known to us.



- Area A - Slope less than 5 degrees
- Area B - Flanking Slopes from 5 to 25 degrees
- Area C - Slopes more than 25 degrees
- Area D - Collaroy Plateau Area Flanking Slopes 5 to 15 degrees
- Area E - Collaroy Plateau Area Slopes more than 15 degrees

2. On the relevant 1:100,000 geological map, this site plots within the Mesozoic Aged Hawkesbury Sandstone.



3. The onsite testing encountered shallow bedrock at depths ranging from 400-500mm.
4. The onsite testing encountered shallow fill ranging from 400-500mm.
NOTE: Localised shallow pockets of disturbed natural may be encountered across the site.
5. No signs of slope instability were noted within the geotechnical report, nor from our site visit.
6. We are unaware of any proposal to create an excavation deeper than 2000 mm.
7. Site filling will be contained within the proposed building footprint by "drop edge beams", suitably designed by a qualified structural engineer, supported on footings taken down to the underlying bedrock.
8. Using Appendix C of the 2007 Australian Geomechanics Society LRM guidelines, we are of the opinion that the following applies to the proposed building footprint:

The likelihood of a Landslide event adversely affecting this dwelling during its life expectancy is conceivable, but only under exceptional circumstances (Rare: 10^{-5}).

If such an event does occur, then the damage to the structure will be in the "minor" range, which is also interpreted as having a cost in the range of 1-10% of the market property value at the time of the event.

All of this results in a risk classification due to landslide as "very low", which is the lowest most stable category of the five(5) risk categories available.

After considering the Northern Beaches Council E10 Landslip Risk Guidelines, it is our opinion that there is no need for a more detailed geotechnical report with respect to landslip risk on this site and providing that the proposed footing system is fully supported on the underlying bedrock and is designed by a suitably qualified engineer to the relevant AS2870-2011 site classification including the site specific guidelines provided in the above referenced report.

Furthermore, providing all retaining structures are designed by a suitably qualified person and ongoing geotechnical input/supervision during earthworks is undertaken we see no reason why this development will abnormally influence the adjoining properties and associated infrastructure for the life span of the dwelling.

AW Geotechnics



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