

## **DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ASSESSMENT REPORT**

Application Number:	DA2021/0012	
Responsible Officer:	Adam Mitchell	
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 1 DP 1005672, 62 Warraba Road NORTH NARRABEEI NSW 2101	
Proposed Development:	Alterations and additions to a dwelling house	
Zoning:	R2 Low Density Residential	
Development Permissible:	Yes	
Existing Use Rights:	No	
Consent Authority:	Northern Beaches Council	
Land and Environment Court Action:	No	
Owner:	Tristan Benjamin Conn Alexis Clare Conn	
Applicant:	Phillip Comfort	
Application Lodged:	22/01/2021	
Integrated Development:	No	
Designated Development:	No	
State Reporting Category:	Residential - Alterations and additions	
Notified:	02/02/2021 to 16/02/2021	
Advertised:	Not Advertised	
Submissions Received:	0	
Clause 4.6 Variation:	Nil	
Recommendation:	Approval	
	<u>,                                      </u>	
Estimated Cost of Works:	\$ 200,000.00	

#### PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN DETAIL

The development application seeks consent for alterations and additions to the existing dwelling inclusive of the following works:

- Construction of a deck atop of existing carport, measuring approximately 6.5 by 6.5 metres;
- Enclosure of existing carport by way of the aforementioned roof deck and a panel lift door;
- Reconfiguration of entry porch and steps;
- Construction of a rear deck atop of existing paving, measuring approximately 2.5 metres in depth by 10.3 metres in width (protruding beyond the southeastern flank elevation of the house);
- Construction of a skillion roof atop of new rear deck, but measuring only 9.625 metres in width (thereby not protruding beyond the flank walls of the existing house); and

Internal reconfiguration works as required.

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#### ASSESSMENT INTRODUCTION

The application has been assessed in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and the associated Regulations. In this regard:

- An assessment report and recommendation has been prepared (the subject of this report) taking into account all relevant provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, and the associated regulations;
- A site inspection was conducted and consideration has been given to the impacts of the development upon the subject site and adjoining, surrounding and nearby properties;
- Notification to adjoining and surrounding properties, advertisement (where required) and referral
  to relevant internal and external bodies in accordance with the Act, Regulations and relevant
  Development Control Plan;
- A review and consideration of all submissions made by the public and community interest groups in relation to the application;
- A review and consideration of all documentation provided with the application (up to the time of determination);
- A review and consideration of all referral comments provided by the relevant Council Officers, State Government Authorities/Agencies and Federal Government Authorities/Agencies on the proposal.

#### SUMMARY OF ASSESSMENT ISSUES

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - C1.1 Landscaping

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - C1.5 Visual Privacy

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - D11.7 Side and rear building line

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - D11.10 Landscaped Area - General

#### SITE DESCRIPTION

Property Description:	Lot 1 DP 1005672 , 62 Warraba Road NORTH NARRABEEN NSW 2101
Detailed Site Description:	The subject site is legally identified as Lot 1 DP 1005672 and is known as 62 Warraba Road, North Narrabeen. The site falls within the R2 Low Density Residential zone pursuant to the Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014.
	The site is trapezoidal in shape with a width of approximately 16.2 metres and depths of 30 and 35 metres, equating to an overall surveyed area of 524.8 square metres.
	Presently the site accommodates a single storey detached dwelling house with an excavated car parking area to the front.
	Topographically the site inclines from northeast to southwest (front to rear) and the land has been modified through various retaining walls. The street level is approximately RL

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16.20, the entry into the house is ~RL 24.00 and the retaining wall to the rear of the site is approximately RL 23.84.

The site has some landscaping throughout, however none of it is thought to constitute as a threatened species.

Surrounding properties consist of other detached dwelling houses of varying age, size and construction.

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#### SITE HISTORY

The land has been used for residential purposes for an extended period of time. A search of Council's records has revealed the following relevant history:

 Complying Development Certificate No. CDC0059/136 - the property was extended to the front and modernised pursuant to this certificate.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT, 1979 (EPAA)**

The relevant matters for consideration under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, are:

Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(i) – Provisions of any environmental planning instrument	See discussion on "Environmental Planning Instruments" in this report.
( ) ( ) ( )	Draft State Environmental Planning Policy (Remediation of Land) seeks to replace the existing SEPP No. 55 (Remediation of

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Section 4.15 Matters for	Comments
Consideration' instrument	Land). Public consultation on the draft policy was completed on
instrument	13 April 2018. The subject site has been used for residential purposes for an extended period of time. The proposed development retains the residential use of the site, and is not considered a contamination risk.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iii) – Provisions of any development control plan	Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan 2014 applies to this proposal.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iiia) – Provisions of any planning agreement	None applicable.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iv) – Provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (EP&A Regulation 2000)	<u>Division 8A</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider "Prescribed conditions" of development consent. These matters have been addressed via a condition of consent.
	Clauses 54 and 109 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 allow Council to request additional information. No additional information was requested in this case.
	Clause 92 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider AS 2601 - 1991: The Demolition of Structures. This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	Clauses 93 and/or 94 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider the upgrading of a building (including fire safety upgrade of development). This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	Clause 98 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider insurance requirements under the Home Building Act 1989. This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
	Clause 98 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider the provisions of the Building Code of Australia (BCA). This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.
Section 4.15 (1) (b) – the likely impacts of the development, including environmental impacts on the natural and built environment and social and economic impacts in	(i) Environmental Impact The environmental impacts of the proposed development on the natural and built environment are addressed under the Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan 2014 section in this report.
the locality	(ii) <b>Social Impact</b> The proposed development will not have a detrimental social impact in the locality considering the character of the proposal.
	(iii) <b>Economic Impact</b> The proposed development will not have a detrimental economic

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Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
	impact on the locality considering the nature of the existing and proposed land use.
Section 4.15 (1) (c) – the suitability of the site for the development	The site is considered suitable for the proposed development.
Section 4.15 (1) (d) – any submissions made in accordance with the EPA Act or EPA Regs	See discussion on "Notification & Submissions Received" in this report.
Section 4.15 (1) (e) – the public interest	No matters have arisen in this assessment that would justify the refusal of the application in the public interest.

#### **EXISTING USE RIGHTS**

Existing Use Rights are not applicable to this application.

#### **BUSHFIRE PRONE LAND**

The site is not classified as bush fire prone land.

#### **NOTIFICATION & SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED**

The subject development application has been publicly exhibited from 02/02/2021 to 16/02/2021 in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 and the relevant Development Control Plan.

As a result of the public exhibition of the application Council received no submissions.

#### **REFERRALS**

No referrals were sent in relation to this application

# **ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING INSTRUMENTS (EPIs)\***

All, Environmental Planning Instruments (SEPPs, REPs and LEPs), Development Controls Plans and Council Policies have been considered in the merit assessment of this application.

In this regard, whilst all provisions of each Environmental Planning Instruments (SEPPs, REPs and LEPs), Development Controls Plans and Council Policies have been considered in the assessment, many provisions contained within the document are not relevant or are enacting, definitions and operational provisions which the proposal is considered to be acceptable against.

As such, an assessment is provided against the controls relevant to the merit consideration of the application hereunder.

# State Environmental Planning Policies (SEPPs) and State Regional Environmental Plans (SREPs)

#### SEPP 55 - Remediation of Land

Clause 7 (1) (a) of SEPP 55 requires the Consent Authority to consider whether land is contaminated. Council records indicate that the subject site has been used for residential purposes for a significant

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period of time with no prior land uses. In this regard it is considered that the site poses no risk of contamination and therefore, no further consideration is required under Clause 7 (1) (b) and (c) of SEPP 55 and the land is considered to be suitable for the residential land use.

# SEPP (Building Sustainability Index: BASIX) 2004

A BASIX certificate has been submitted with the application (see Certificate No. A402473 dated 20 December 2020).

A condition has been included in the recommendation of this report requiring compliance with the commitments indicated in the BASIX Certificate.

#### Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014

Is the development permissible?	Yes	
After consideration of the merits of the proposal, is the development consistent with:		
aims of the LEP?		
zone objectives of the LEP?	Yes	

**Principal Development Standards** 

Standard	Requirement	Proposed	Complies
Height of Buildings:	8.5m Rear deck ~ 2.75m		Yes
	Front deck - 4.35m to handrail		

**Compliance Assessment** 

Clause	Compliance with Requirements
1.9A Suspension of covenants, agreements and instruments	Yes
4.3 Height of buildings	Yes
5.10 Heritage conservation	Yes
7.1 Acid sulfate soils	Yes
7.2 Earthworks	Yes
7.7 Geotechnical hazards	Yes
7.10 Essential services	Yes

# Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan

#### **Built Form Controls**

Built Form Control	Requirement	Proposed	% Variation*	Complies
Front building line	(northeast) 6.5m	Deck - 6.5m	-	Yes
Rear building line	(west) 6.5m	0.9m - 5.4m	Up to 86%	No

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Side building line	(southeast) 2.5m	0.9m	64%	No
	(northwest) 1.0m	0.9m	10%	No
Building envelope	(southeast) 3.5m	Within envelope	-	Yes
	(northwest) 3.5m	Within envelope	-	Yes
Landscaped area	50% (262.4m <sup>2</sup> )	27.2% (143.2m <sup>2</sup> ) (no change to existing and approved previously)	45.4% (119.2m <sup>2</sup> )	No

Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
A1.7 Considerations before consent is granted	Yes	Yes
A4.11 North Narrabeen Locality	Yes	Yes
B1.3 Heritage Conservation - General	Yes	Yes
B3.1 Landslip Hazard	Yes	Yes
B3.6 Contaminated Land and Potentially Contaminated Land	Yes	Yes
B4.5 Landscape and Flora and Fauna Enhancement Category 3 Land	Yes	Yes
B5.15 Stormwater	Yes	Yes
B6.1 Access driveways and Works on the Public Road Reserve	Yes	Yes
B6.2 Internal Driveways	Yes	Yes
B6.3 Off-Street Vehicle Parking Requirements	Yes	Yes
B8.1 Construction and Demolition - Excavation and Landfill	Yes	Yes
B8.3 Construction and Demolition - Waste Minimisation	Yes	Yes
B8.4 Construction and Demolition - Site Fencing and Security	Yes	Yes
B8.5 Construction and Demolition - Works in the Public Domain	Yes	Yes
C1.1 Landscaping	Yes	Yes
C1.2 Safety and Security	Yes	Yes
C1.3 View Sharing	Yes	Yes
C1.4 Solar Access	Yes	Yes
C1.5 Visual Privacy	Yes	Yes
C1.6 Acoustic Privacy	Yes	Yes
C1.7 Private Open Space	Yes	Yes
C1.12 Waste and Recycling Facilities	Yes	Yes
C1.13 Pollution Control	Yes	Yes
C1.23 Eaves	Yes	Yes
D11.1 Character as viewed from a public place	Yes	Yes
D11.2 Scenic protection - General	Yes	Yes
D11.3 Building colours and materials	Yes	Yes

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Clause	_	Consistency Aims/Objectives
D11.6 Front building line	Yes	Yes
D11.7 Side and rear building line	No	Yes
D11.9 Building envelope	Yes	Yes
D11.10 Landscaped Area - General	No	Yes
D11.12 Fences - General	Yes	Yes
D11.14 Construction, Retaining walls, terracing and undercroft areas	Yes	Yes

#### **Detailed Assessment**

# C1.1 Landscaping

Refer to assessment under Part A11.10 Landscaped Area - General.

### C1.5 Visual Privacy

The application includes the construction of a rooftop deck atop of the existing front carport, and the construction of a timber deck atop of existing paving to the rear of the house.

To the rear, the decking is not considered to have any impact on the existing provision of privacy enjoyed by neighbours given the topography of the land and the presence of the existing paving. If there were to be any impact, it would be negligible commensurate to the existing situation.

Turning to the front deck; the site has an excavated parking slab at RL 18.35 which has 2 metre + retaining walls to either side. The proposal seeks to construct a large (6.5 x 6.5 metre) deck atop of this at RL 21.70 with a 1 metre high timber balustrade. The deck is to the front of the property and therefore won't have an impact on the properties to the rear, nor properties across the road. The deck is positioned to the northern side of the site and therefore won't have an impact on the southern neighbour (no.60) above and beyond the existing entertaining deck. To the northern property, (no.64) the deck is not considered to cause any unreasonable level of overlooking given the floor level of the deck (RL 21.70) and the height of the side boundary fence positioned ~ 1 metre away (at RL 24.32 - 26.57). This height difference combined with the fact that the deck is at the front of the house means that there would be no unreasonable level of overlooking to the private open spaces of neighbouring properties.

It should further be noted that the deck results in a significant enhancement to the usability of the dwelling house and improves the provision of private open space afforded to occupants, without harming that same provision to adjoining land.

Therefore, the development is acceptable from a privacy perspective.

### D11.7 Side and rear building line

#### Description of non-compliance

Part D11.7 of the PDCP 21 requires that a setback of at least 1m to one side and 2.5m to the other side of a site be provided to the building line, and that a 6.5m setback to the rear boundary be provided. The proposal (and existing dwelling on site) fails to achieve these requirements, and instead proposes:

0.9m side boundary setback from rooftop deck to the northwestern boundary;

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- 0.9m side boundary setback from the rear deck to the southeastern boundary; and
- A varying 0.9m to 5.4m deep setback to the rear western boundary.

The request for a variation is considered against the following control objectives:

To achieve the desired future character of the Locality.

<u>Comment</u>: The proposed development does not detract from the existing character of the area, and the host dwelling will still retain its single storey cottage appearance within a landscaped setting. The existing development on site does not comply with the numerical controls but is compatible with the established character, and the proposed improvements will retain this compatibility.

• The bulk and scale of the built form is minimised.

<u>Comment</u>: Numerically the variations sought appear severe, however in actuality their impact and perceivable bulk and scale is negligible. The northwestern side variation to the rooftop deck will result in the enclosure of a large, cavernous concrete slab right at the front of the site in a style that is sympathetic to the host dwelling. The floor level of this deck (and the height of the balustrade) is significantly lesser than the height of the boundary fence, and is screened by landscaping from the northwestern neighbour. If anything, by virtue of enclosing the hardstand car parking, the bulk and scale of the site would be reduced.

To the southeastern boundary, the non-complying element is a 100mm wide protrusion of timber decking that is unroofed. This element is not visible from the public domain, nor from neighbouring properties given boundary fences. It is found to contribute no bulk.

Turning to the rear; the 2.5m deep roof atop of existing paving is considered to be a discrete element of the dwelling house that would match the existing structure. From the house to the southeast views of the depth of the roof may be visible (2.5m) however this is not considered to be excessive and, as the house is to the side, the variation to the rear setback has little impact. The house to the rear (no.45A Taiyul Road, North Narrabeen) is significantly elevated above the site, to such an extent that the level of their garden is (more or less) equivalent to the roof height. This factor, combined with a boundary fence and landscaping results in the considered opinion that the roof extension would not be readily seen, and therefore would not result in any unreasonable bulk and scale.

Equitable preservation of views and vistas to and/or from public/private places.

<u>Comment</u>: The works proposed are not considered to result in the loss of any views or vistas from any surrounding private properties or from the public domain.

 To encourage view sharing through complimentary siting of buildings, responsive design and well-positioned landscaping.

<u>Comment</u>: As above, the modifications sought to the property are relatively minimal commensurate to the existing property and surrounding properties, and do not result in any view loss. It is not considered that any alternative design would result in a better view sharing outcome, and therefore the objective is satisfied.

• To ensure a reasonable level of privacy, amenity and solar access is provided within the development site and maintained to residential properties.

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<u>Comment</u>: Privacy is discussed elsewhere in this report, and is found to be acceptable. The topography of the land and the positioning of surrounding structures do not lend themselves to be overshadowed by the proposed single storey works. The development will ensure a reasonable level of amenity is provided to surrounding properties.

Substantial landscaping, a mature tree canopy and an attractive streetscape.

Comment: Discussed elsewhere in this report.

Flexibility in the siting of buildings and access.

<u>Comment</u>: The modifications sought to the building are considered to be appropriately sited and are reasonable additions to the structure as existing.

• <u>Vegetation is retained and enhanced to visually reduce the built form.</u>

Comment: Discussed elsewhere in this report.

• To ensure a landscaped buffer between commercial and residential zones is established.

Comment: N/A

## D11.10 Landscaped Area - General

#### Description of non-compliance

The existing site has a non-compliant provision of landscaping at approximately 143sqm equating to a ratio of 27%. This falls deficient of the 50% requirement.

The CDC approval included the paved area to the rear of the site to which the deck is to be built over, and thus the works proposed under this application result in no increase or decrease of calculable landscaped open space (building a deck over paving, and infilling a parking area with a roof and door).

Given the fact that no changes are proposed, no assessment is warranted as the landscaping ratio has been previously approved.

## THREATENED SPECIES, POPULATIONS OR ECOLOGICAL COMMUNITIES

The proposal will not significantly affect threatened species, populations or ecological communities, or their habitats.

#### CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

The proposal is consistent with the principles of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design.

#### **POLICY CONTROLS**

### Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019

The proposal is subject to the application of Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019.

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A monetary contribution of \$ 1,000 is required for the provision of new and augmented public infrastructure. The contribution is calculated as 0.5% of the total development cost of \$ 200,000.

#### CONCLUSION

The site has been inspected and the application assessed having regard to all documentation submitted by the applicant and the provisions of:

- Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979;
- Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000;
- All relevant and draft Environmental Planning Instruments;
- Pittwater Local Environment Plan;
- Pittwater Development Control Plan; and
- Codes and Policies of Council.

This assessment has taken into consideration the submitted plans, Statement of Environmental Effects, all other documentation supporting the application and public submissions, and does not result in any unreasonable impacts on surrounding, adjoining, adjacent and nearby properties subject to the conditions contained within the recommendation.

In consideration of the proposal and the merit consideration of the development, the proposal is considered to be:

- Consistent with the objectives of the DCP
- Consistent with the zone objectives of the LEP
- Consistent with the aims of the LEP
- Consistent with the objectives of the relevant EPIs
- Consistent with the objects of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

It is considered that the proposed development satisfies the appropriate controls and that all processes and assessments have been satisfactorily addressed.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

THAT Council as the consent authority grant Development Consent to DA2021/0012 for Alterations and additions to a dwelling house on land at Lot 1 DP 1005672, 62 Warraba Road, NORTH NARRABEEN, subject to the conditions printed below:

# **DEVELOPMENT CONSENT OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS**

## 1. Approved Plans and Supporting Documentation

The development must be carried out in compliance (except as amended by any other condition of consent) with the following:

a) Approved Plans

Architectural Plans - Endorsed with Council's stamp			
Dated	Prepared By		

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Reports / Documentation – All recommendations and requirements contained within:			
Report No. / Page No. / Section No.	Dated	Prepared By	
BASIX Certificate No. A402473	20 December 2020	Azure Project Services	

b) Any plans and / or documentation submitted to satisfy the Conditions of this consent.

In the event of any inconsistency between conditions of this consent and the drawings/documents referred to above, the conditions of this consent will prevail.

Reason: To ensure the work is carried out in accordance with the determination of Council and approved plans.

#### 2. Prescribed Conditions

- (a) All building works must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Building Code of Australia (BCA).
- (b) BASIX affected development must comply with the schedule of BASIX commitments specified within the submitted BASIX Certificate (demonstrated compliance upon plans/specifications is required prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate);
- (c) A sign must be erected in a prominent position on any site on which building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out:
  - (i) showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work, and
  - (ii) showing the name of the principal contractor (if any) for any building work and a telephone number on which that person may be contacted outside working hours, and
  - (iii) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited.

Any such sign is to be maintained while the building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out, but must be removed when the work has been completed.

- (d) Residential building work within the meaning of the Home Building Act 1989 must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the following information:
  - (i) in the case of work for which a principal contractor is required to be appointed:
    - A. the name and licence number of the principal contractor, and
    - B. the name of the insurer by which the work is insured under Part 6 of that Act,

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- (ii) in the case of work to be done by an owner-builder:
  - A. the name of the owner-builder, and
  - B. if the owner-builder is required to hold an owner-builder permit under that Act, the number of the owner-builder permit.

If arrangements for doing the residential building work are changed while the work is in progress so that the information notified under becomes out of date, further work must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the updated information.

- (e) Development that involves an excavation that extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building on adjoining land, the person having the benefit of the development consent must, at the person's own expense:
  - (i) protect and support the adjoining premises from possible damage from the excavation, and
  - (ii) where necessary, underpin the adjoining premises to prevent any such damage.
  - (iii) must, at least 7 days before excavating below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment of land, give notice of intention to do so to the owner of the adjoining allotment of land and furnish particulars of the excavation to the owner of the building being erected or demolished.
  - (iv) the owner of the adjoining allotment of land is not liable for any part of the cost of work carried out for the purposes of this clause, whether carried out on the allotment of land being excavated or on the adjoining allotment of land.

In this clause, allotment of land includes a public road and any other public place.

Reason: Legislative requirement.

## 3. **General Requirements**

(a) Unless authorised by Council:

Building construction and delivery of material hours are restricted to:

- 7.00 am to 5.00 pm inclusive Monday to Friday,
- 8.00 am to 1.00 pm inclusive on Saturday,
- No work on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Demolition and excavation works are restricted to:

8.00 am to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday only.

(Excavation work includes the use of any excavation machinery and the use of jackhammers, rock breakers, excavators, loaders and the like, regardless of whether the activities disturb or alter the natural state of the existing ground stratum or are breaking up/removing materials from the site).

- (b) Should any asbestos be uncovered on site, its demolition and removal must be carried out in accordance with WorkCover requirements and the relevant Australian Standards.
- (c) At all times after the submission the Notice of Commencement to Council, a copy of the Development Consent and Construction Certificate is to remain onsite at all times until

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- the issue of a final Occupation Certificate. The consent shall be available for perusal of any Authorised Officer.
- (d) Where demolition works have been completed and new construction works have not commenced within 4 weeks of the completion of the demolition works that area affected by the demolition works shall be fully stabilised and the site must be maintained in a safe and clean state until such time as new construction works commence.
- (e) Onsite toilet facilities (being either connected to the sewer or an accredited sewer management facility) for workers are to be provided for construction sites at a rate of 1 per 20 persons.
- (f) Prior to the release of the Construction Certificate, payment of the Long Service Levy is required. This payment can be made at Council or to the Long Services Payments Corporation. Payment is not required where the value of the works is less than \$25,000. The Long Service Levy is calculated on 0.35% of the building and construction work. The levy rate and level in which it applies is subject to legislative change. The applicable fee at the time of payment of the Long Service Levy will apply.
- (g) The applicant shall bear the cost of all works associated with the development that occurs on Council's property.
- (h) No skip bins, building materials, demolition or excavation waste of any nature, and no hoist, plant or machinery (crane, concrete pump or lift) shall be placed on Council's footpaths, roadways, parks or grass verges without Council Approval.
- (i) Demolition materials and builders' wastes are to be removed to approved waste/recycling centres.
- (j) No trees or native shrubs or understorey vegetation on public property (footpaths, roads, reserves, etc.) or on the land to be developed shall be removed or damaged during construction unless specifically approved in this consent including for the erection of any fences, hoardings or other temporary works.
- (k) Prior to the commencement of any development onsite for:
  - i) Building/s that are to be erected
  - ii) Building/s that are situated in the immediate vicinity of a public place and is dangerous to persons or property on or in the public place
  - iii) Building/s that are to be demolished
  - iv) For any work/s that is to be carried out
  - v) For any work/s that is to be demolished

The person responsible for the development site is to erect or install on or around the development area such temporary structures or appliances (wholly within the development site) as are necessary to protect persons or property and to prevent unauthorised access to the site in order for the land or premises to be maintained in a safe or healthy condition. Upon completion of the development, such temporary structures or appliances are to be removed within 7 days.

- (I) A "Road Opening Permit" must be obtained from Council, and all appropriate charges paid, prior to commencement of any work on Council property. The owner/applicant shall be responsible for all public utilities and services in the area of the work, shall notify all relevant Authorities, and bear all costs associated with any repairs and/or adjustments as those Authorities may deem necessary.
- (m) The works must comply with the relevant Ausgrid Network Standards and SafeWork NSW Codes of Practice.
- (n) Requirements for new swimming pools/spas or existing swimming pools/spas affected by building works.

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(1) Child resistant fencing is to be provided to any swimming pool or lockable cover to any spa containing water and is to be consistent with the following;

Relevant legislative requirements and relevant Australian Standards (including but not limited) to:

- (i) Swimming Pools Act 1992
- (ii) Swimming Pools Amendment Act 2009
- (iii) Swimming Pools Regulation 2018
- (iv) Australian Standard AS1926 Swimming Pool Safety
- (v) Australian Standard AS1926.1 Part 1: Safety barriers for swimming pools
- (vi) Australian Standard AS1926.2 Part 2: Location of safety barriers for swimming pools.
- (2) A 'KEEP WATCH' pool safety and aquatic based emergency sign, issued by Royal Life Saving is to be displayed in a prominent position within the pool/spa area.
- (3) Filter backwash waters shall be conveyed to the Sydney Water sewerage system in sewered areas or managed on-site in unsewered areas in a manner that does not cause pollution, erosion or run off, is separate from the irrigation area for any wastewater system and is separate from any onsite stormwater management system.
- (4) Swimming pools and spas must be registered with the Division of Local Government.

Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of residents and the community.

## FEES / CHARGES / CONTRIBUTIONS

# 4. Policy Controls

Northern Beaches 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019

A monetary contribution of \$1,000.00 is payable to Northern Beaches Council for the provision of local infrastructure and services pursuant to section 7.12 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 and the Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019. The monetary contribution is based on a development cost of \$200,000.00.

The monetary contribution is to be paid prior to the issue of the first Construction Certificate or Subdivision Certificate whichever occurs first, or prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate where no Construction Certificate is required. If the monetary contribution (total or in part) remains unpaid after the financial quarter that the development consent is issued, the amount unpaid (whether it be the full cash contribution or part thereof) will be adjusted on a quarterly basis in accordance with the applicable Consumer Price Index. If this situation applies, the cash contribution payable for this development will be the total unpaid monetary contribution as adjusted.

The proponent shall provide to the Certifying Authority written evidence (receipt/s) from Council that the total monetary contribution has been paid.

The Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019 may be inspected at 725 Pittwater

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Rd, Dee Why and at Council's Customer Service Centres or alternatively, on Council's website at www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

This fee must be paid prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To provide for contributions in accordance with the Contribution Plan to fund the provision of new or augmented local infrastructure and services.

# 5. Security Bond

A bond (determined from cost of works) of \$1,500 and an inspection fee in accordance with Council's Fees and Charges paid as security are required to ensure the rectification of any damage that may occur to the Council infrastructure contained within the road reserve adjoining the site as a result of construction or the transportation of materials and equipment to and from the development site.

An inspection fee in accordance with Council adopted fees and charges (at the time of payment) is payable for each kerb inspection as determined by Council (minimum (1) one inspection).

All bonds and fees shall be deposited with Council prior to Construction Certificate or demolition work commencing, and details demonstrating payment are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

To process the inspection fee and bond payment a Bond Lodgement Form must be completed with the payments (a copy of the form is attached to this consent and alternatively a copy is located on Council's website at www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au).

Reason: To ensure adequate protection of Council's infrastructure.

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

#### 6. Compliance with Standards

The development is required to be carried out in accordance with all relevant Australian Standards.

Details demonstrating compliance with the relevant Australian Standard are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure the development is constructed in accordance with appropriate standards.

#### 7. Sydney Water "Tap In"

The approved plans must be submitted to the Sydney Water Tap in service, prior to works commencing, to determine whether the development will affect any Sydney Water assets and/or easements. The appropriately stamped plans must then be submitted to the Certifying Authority demonstrating the works are in compliance with Sydney Water requirements.

Please refer to the website www.sydneywater.com.au for:

- "Tap in" details see http://www.sydneywater.com.au/tapin
- o Guidelines for Building Over/Adjacent to Sydney Water Assets.

Or telephone 13 000 TAP IN (1300 082 746).

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Reason: To ensure compliance with the statutory requirements of Sydney Water.

#### 8. Stormwater Disposal

The applicant is to demonstrate how stormwater from the new development within this consent is disposed of to an existing approved system or in accordance with Northern Beaches Council's WATER MANAGEMENT FOR ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT POLICY. Details by an appropriately qualified and practicing Civil Engineer demonstrating that the existing approved stormwater system can accommodate the additional flows, or compliance with the Council's specification are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure appropriate provision for disposal and stormwater management arising from development.

## 9. Waste Management Plan

A Waste Management Plan must be prepared for this development. The Plan must be in accordance with the Development Control Plan.

Details demonstrating compliance must be provided to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure that any demolition and construction waste, including excavated material, is reused, recycled or disposed of in an environmentally friendly manner.

#### 10. External Finishes to Roof

The external finish to the roof shall have a medium to dark range in order to minimise solar reflections to neighbouring properties. Any roof with a metallic steel finish is not permitted.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure that excessive glare or reflectivity nuisance does not occur as a result of the development.

# CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH DURING DEMOLITION AND BUILDING WORK

#### 11. Road Reserve

The applicant shall ensure the public footways and roadways adjacent to the site are maintained in a safe condition at all times during the course of the work.

Reason: Public safety.

# 12. Waste Management During Development

The reuse, recycling or disposal of waste during works must be done generally in accordance with the Waste Management Plan for this development.

Details demonstrating compliance must be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To ensure demolition and construction waste is recycled or reused and to limit landfill.

# CONDITIONS WHICH MUST BE COMPLIED WITH PRIOR TO THE ISSUE OF THE

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## **OCCUPATION CERTIFICATE**

## 13. Waste Management Confirmation

Prior to the issue of a Final Occupation Certificate, evidence / documentation must be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority that all waste material from the development site arising from demolition and/or construction works has been appropriately recycled, reused or disposed of generally in accordance with the approved Waste Management Plan.

Reason: To ensure demolition and construction waste is recycled or reused and to limit landfill.

# 14. House / Building Number

House/building number is to be affixed to the building to be readily visible from the public domain.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any interim / final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Proper identification of buildings.

## 15. Removal of All Temporary Structures / Material and Construction Rubbish

Once construction has been completed all silt and sediment fences, silt, rubbish, building debris, straw bales and temporary fences are to be removed from the site.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any interim / final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure bushland management.

In signing this report, I declare that I do not have a Conflict of Interest.

Signed

Adam Mitchell, Principal Planner

The application is determined on 18/02/2021, under the delegated authority of:

Lashta Haidari, Acting Development Assessment Manager

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