

Northern Beaches Council PO Box 882 MONA VALE NSW 1660

Your reference: DA2020-1043 (CNR-12503)
Our reference: DA20200924003482-Original-1

Date: Friday 16 October 2020

ATTENTION: Kylie Bridge

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Integrated Development Application s100B - Subdivision - Torrens Title Subdivision 45 Oxford Falls Road Beacon Hill NSW 2100, 1 // DP206629

I refer to your correspondence dated 23/09/2020 seeking general terms of approval for the above Integrated Development Application.

The New South Wales Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) has considered the information submitted. General Terms of Approval, under Division 4.8 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*, and a Bush Fire Safety Authority, under section 100B of the *Rural Fires Act 1997*, are now issued subject to the following conditions:

Asset Protection Zones

Intent of measures is to minimise the risk of bush fire attack and provide protection for emergency services personnel, residents and others assisting firefighting activities.

- **1.** At the issue of a subdivision certificate and until Lot 2 is developed, the lot must be managed as an inner protection area (IPA) in accordance with the requirements of Appendix 4 of *Planning for Bush Fire Protection* 2019. When establishing and maintaining an IPA the following requirements apply:
 - tree canopy cover should be less than 15% at maturity;
 - trees at maturity should not touch or overhang the building;
 - lower limbs should be removed up to a height of 2m above the ground;
 - tree canopies should be separated by 2 to 5m;
 - preference should be given to smooth barked and evergreen trees;
 - large discontinuities or gaps in vegetation should be provided to slow down or break the progress of fire towards buildings;
 - shrubs should not be located under trees;
 - shrubs should not form more than 10% ground cover; and
 - clumps of shrubs should be separated from exposed windows and doors by a distance of at least twice the height of the vegetation.

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- grass should be kept mown (as a guide grass should be kept to no more than 100mm in height); and
- leaves and vegetation debris should be removed.

General Advice - Consent Authority to Note

This approval is for the subdivision of the land only. Future applications for the development of lots created within this subdivision will be subject to further assessment under the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979.

For any queries regarding this correspondence, please contact Garth Bladwell on 1300 NSW RFS.

Yours sincerely,

Alastair Patton
Team Leader, Dev. Assessment & Planning
Planning and Environment Services



BUSH FIRE SAFETY AUTHORITY

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This Bush Fire Safety Authority is issued on behalf of the Commissioner of the NSW Rural Fire Service under s100b of the Rural Fires Act (1997) subject to the attached General Terms of Approval.

This authority confirms that, subject to the General Terms of Approval being met, the proposed development will meet the NSW Rural Fire Service requirements for Bush Fire Safety under *s100b* of the Rural Fires Act 1997.

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