

# **Engineering Referral Response**

Application Number:	DA2021/0376
Date:	25/05/2021
То:	Julie Edwards
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 12 DP 1148283 , 163 Wallumatta Road NEWPORT NSW 2106

#### Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for the following:

- New Dwellings or
- Applications that require OSD where additional impervious area exceeds 50m2 or
- Alterations to existing or new driveways or
- Where proposals affect or are adjacent to Council drainage infrastructure incl. watercourses and drainage channels or
- Torrens, Stratum and Community Title Subdivisions or
- All new Commercial and Industrial and RFB Development with the exception of signage or
- Works/uses in flood affected areas

And as such, Council's development engineers are required to consider the likely impacts on drainage regimes.

#### **Officer comments**

#### 25/05/2021:

#### Access

Vehicle parking is at existing concrete drive carport on Wallumatta Road frontage. No modification to the existing access, carport and parking areas is proposed.

#### Stormwater

Proposal is for addition of second storey and swimming pool.

The development will not result in an additional impervious area greater than 50m2, No change to the existing stormwater system.

#### Excavation

The development site is identified on the Geotechnical Hazard Map as H1 Geotechnical Hazard Zone. Proposal is for a new above ground swimming pool at rear of site.

A Geotechnical Report has been provided, prepared by Ascent Geotechnical Consulting dated 17th Feb 2021.

The proposal is therefore supported.

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



#### **Recommended Engineering Conditions:**

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

#### Stormwater Disposal from Low Level Property

The applicant is to demonstrate how stormwater from the new development within this consent shall be disposed of to an existing approved system or in accordance with Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development Policy in particular the Stormwater Drainage from Low Level Properties Technical Specification. Details demonstrating that the existing approved system can accommodate the additional flows or compliance with the Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development Policy 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 the development.

# Geotechnical Report Recommendations have been Incorporated into Designs and Structural Plans

The recommendations of the risk assessment required to manage the hazards as identified in the Geotechnical Report prepared by Ascent Geotechnical Consulting dated 17th Feb 2021 are to be incorporated into the construction plans. Prior to issue of the Construction Certificate, Form 2 of the Geotechnical Risk Management Policy for Pittwater (Appendix 5 of P21 DCP) is to be completed and submitted to the Accredited Certifier. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure geotechnical risk is mitigated appropriately.

#### Structural Adequacy and Excavation Work

Excavation work is to ensure the stability of the soil material of adjoining properties, the protection of adjoining buildings, services, structures and / or public infrastructure from damage using underpinning, shoring, retaining walls and support where required. All retaining walls are to be structurally adequate for the intended purpose, designed and certified by a Structural Engineer, except where site conditions permit the following:

(a) maximum height of 900mm above or below ground level and at least 900mm from any property boundary, and

(b) Comply with AS3700, AS3600 and AS1170 and timber walls with AS1720 and AS1170.

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

Reason: To provide public and private safety.

## CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH DURING DEMOLITION AND BUILDING WORK

#### **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.

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

#### Stormwater Disposal

The stormwater drainage works shall be certified as compliant with all relevant Australian Standards and Codes by a suitably qualified person. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any Final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure appropriate provision for the disposal of stormwater arising from the development.

#### **Retaining wall**

The retaining wall works shall be certified as compliant with all relevant Australian Standards and Codes by a Structural Engineer. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any Final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Public and Private Safety

#### **Geotechnical Certification Prior to Occupation Certificate**

The Applicant is to submit the completed Form 3 of the Geotechnical Risk Management Policy (Appendix 5 of P21 DCP) to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to issue of the Final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure geotechnical risk is mitigated appropriately.