

# **Heritage Referral Response**

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Application Number:	Mod2022/0640

Date:	30/11/2022
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### Officer comments

### HERITAGE COMMENTS

#### Discussion of reason for referral

The proposal has been referred to Heritage as the subject site contains a heritage item

### Norfolk Island Pines (Araucaria heterophylla) - Surfview Road, Mona Vale

### Details of heritage items affected

Details of the item as contained within the Pittwater inventory is as follows:

#### Statement of Significance

The Norfolk Island Pines are a defining feature of our cultural landscape as it is associated with beach holidays and recreation and has provided a distinctive sense of place. The Norfolk Island Pines are a defining and iconic landscape element for Mona Vale Beach, but also for many ocean beaches in Pittwater and along the cost of NSW and southern QLD. The pines are significant for their historic association with early settlement and as local cultural plantings, in some instances dating from the 1930s. The Pines have a high level of visual and aesthetic value.

#### Physical Description

The Norfolk Island Pines are located in and around the beach carpark between Seabeach Avenue and Surfview Road. The listed pines are located along the beach front, through the centre of the carpark and along its boundary with Surfview Road. There are in excess of 20 pines that range in size from approximately 2 to 10+ metres in height.

Other relevant heritage listings		
Sydney Regional	No	
Environmental Plan (Sydney		
Harbour Catchment) 2005		
Australian Heritage Register	No	
NSW State Heritage Register	No	
National Trust of Aust (NSW)		
Register		
RAIA Register of 20th	No	
Century Buildings of		
Significance		
Other	N/A	

#### Consideration of Application

The proposal seeks consent to install an awning and pvc screens to the existing outdoor dinning area pavilion and change the cafe's hours of operations. The heritage pines are located to the north and north east of the pavilion and are separated by the car park. The proposed changes are

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considered to not impact upon the heritage trees or their significance.

Therefore Heritage raises no objections and requires no conditions.

Consider against the provisions of CL5.10 of PLEP.

Is a Conservation Management Plan (CMP) Required? No Has a CMP been provided? No Is a Heritage Impact Statement required? No Has a Heritage Impact Statement been provided? No

The proposal is therefore supported.

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

## **Recommended Heritage Advisor Conditions:**

Nil.

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