

# APPLICATION FOR MODIFICATION ASSESSMENT REPORT

Application Number:	Mod2021/0726			
Responsible Officer:	Kye Miles			
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 2 DP 528368, 2 Ellery Parade SEAFORTH NSW 2092			
Proposed Development:	Modification of Development Consent DA2019/0541 granted for demolition Works and construction of a dwelling house and swimming pool			
Zoning:	Manly LEP2013 - Land zoned R2 Low Density Residential			
Development Permissible:	Yes			
Existing Use Rights:	No			
Consent Authority:	Northern Beaches Council			
Land and Environment Court Action:	No			
Owner:	Neil Edward Cooke Rachel Cooke			
Applicant:	Neil Edward Cooke			

Application Lodged:	17/09/2021
Integrated Development:	No
Designated Development:	No
State Reporting Category:	Residential - Single new detached dwelling
Notified:	27/09/2021 to 11/10/2021
Advertised:	Not Advertised
Submissions Received:	0
Clause 4.6 Variation:	Nil
Recommendation:	Approval

# PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN DETAIL

The applicant seeks to modify development consent DA2019/0541 for demolition works and construction of a dwelling house and swimming pool. The proposed modifications include;

- Convert the approved roof over the entry as a balcony, which will be accessed via bedroom 3.
- Reduction of bedroom 2 window.

## 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

There are no assessment issues.

## SITE DESCRIPTION

Property Description:	Lot 2 DP 528368 , 2 Ellery Parade SEAFORTH NSW 2092	
Detailed Site Description:	The subject site consists of one (1) allotment located on the northern side of Ellery Parade.	
	The site is regular in shape with a frontage of 15.6m along Ellery Parade and a depth of 47.6m. The site has a surveyed area of 739m².	
	The site is located within the R2 Low Density Residential zone and accommodates a two-storey residential dwelling with a detached double carport at the front of the site and a shed structure at the rear.	
	The site falls approx. 2m from the western boundary towa the east.	
	The site contains grassed areas in the rear yard with some large trees in the northeast corner. A large proportion of the site contains hardstand or impervious surfaces in the front setback area, along the eastern boundary and at the rear of the dwelling.	
	Detailed Description of Adjoining/Surrounding Development	
	Adjoining and surrounding development is characterised by low density residential development and ancillary structures.	





## 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:

### DA0372/2006

Application for a double carport and access ramp was approved on 24/11/2006 by the former Manly Development Assessment Unit.

### DA2019/0541

Application for demolition works and construction of a dwelling house and swimming pool was approved on 07/08/2019 by Council staff under delegated authority.

### Mod2020/0208

Modification application of DA2019/0541, including the integration of the approved rainwater tank on the southern garage elevation into the garage structure, the addition a new skylight, changes to the pool house including the re-pitching of the roof and the modification of the approved swimming pool to include a spa. This application was approved on 23/06/2020 by Council staff under delegated authority.

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

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

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 and is attached taking into all relevant provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and associated regulations;
- A site inspection was conducted and consideration has been given to the impacts of the development upon all lands whether nearby, adjoining or at a distance;
- Consideration was given to all documentation provided (up to the time of determination) by the



applicant, persons who have made submissions regarding the application and any advice given by relevant Council / Government / Authority Officers on the proposal;

In this regard, the consideration of the application adopts the previous assessment detailed in the Assessment Report for DA2019/0541, in full, with amendments detailed and assessed as follows:

The relevant matters for consideration under Section 4.55(1A) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, are:

Assessment Act, 1979, are: Comments			
Modifications			
A consent authority may, on application being made by the applicant or any other person entitled act on a consent granted by the consent authority and subject to and in accordance with the regulations, modify the consent if:			
(a) it is satisfied that the proposed modification is of minimal environmental impact, and	Yes The modification, as proposed in this application, is considered to be of minimal environmental impact for the following reason: The modifications do not create any additional environmental impact to adjacent properties or the		
(b) it is satisfied that the development to which the consent as modified relates is substantially the same development as the development for which consent was originally granted and before that consent as originally granted was modified (if at all), and	public domain.The development, as proposed, has been found to be such that Council is satisfied that the proposed works are substantially the same as those already approved under DA2019/0541 for the following reason:The modifications remain substantially the same as the approved low density residential land use and built form on the site.		
<ul> <li>(c) it has notified the application in accordance with:</li> <li>(i) the regulations, if the regulations so require, or</li> <li>(ii) a development control plan, if the consent</li> </ul>	The application has been publicly exhibited in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000, Manly Local Environment Plan 2013 and Manly Development Control Plan.		
authority is a council that has made a development control plan under section 72 that requires the notification or advertising of applications for modification of a development consent, and			
(d) it has considered any submissions made concerning the proposed modification within any period prescribed by the regulations or provided by the development control plan, as the case may be.	See discussion on "Notification & Submissions Received" in this report.		

### Section 4.15 Assessment

In accordance with Section 4.55 (3) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, in



determining an modification application made under Section 4.55 the consent authority must take into consideration such of the matters referred to in section 4.15 (1) as are of relevance to the development the subject of the application.

The relevant matters for consideration under Section 4.15 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, are:

	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.			
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(ii) – Provisions of any draft environmental planning instrument	Draft State Environmental Planning Policy (Remediation of Land) seeks to replace the existing SEPP No. 55 (Remediation of Land Public consultation on the draft policy was completed on 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	Manly Development Control Plan 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)	authority to consider Prescribed conditions of development consent. These matters have been addressed via a condition in the original consent.			
	<u>Clause 50(1A)</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the submission of a design verification certificate from the building designer at lodgement of the development application. This clause is not relevant to this application.			
	<u>Clauses 54 and 109</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 allow Council to request additional information. No additional information was requested in this case.			
	<u>Clause 92</u> 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 in the original consent.			
	<u>Clauses 93 and/or 94</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider the upgrading of a building (including fire safety upgrade of development). This clause is not relevant to this application.			
	<u>Clause 98</u> 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 in the original consent.			



Section 4.15 'Matters for Consideration'	Comments		
	<u>Clause 98</u> 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 in the original consent. <u>Clause 143A</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the submission of a design verification certificate from the building designer prior to the issue of a Construction Certificate. This		
	clause is not relevant to this application.		
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 the locality	<ul> <li>(i) Environmental Impact</li> <li>The environmental impacts of the proposed development on the natural and built environment are addressed under the Manly Development Control Plan section in this report.</li> <li>(ii) Social Impact</li> <li>The proposed development will not have a detrimental social</li> </ul>		
	impact in the locality considering the character of the proposal.		
	(iii) <b>Economic Impact</b> The proposed development will not have a detrimental economic 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 27/09/2021 to 11/10/2021 in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 and the Community Participation 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)

Nil

## Manly Local Environmental Plan 2013

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	Approved	Proposed	Complies
Height of Buildings:	8.5m	7.23m	Unaltered	Yes
Floor Space Ratio:	0.45:1 (332.55m <sup>2</sup> )	0.446:1 (330.1m <sup>2</sup> )	Unaltered	Yes

#### Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements
4.3 Height of buildings	Yes
4.4 Floor space ratio	Yes
4.6 Exceptions to development standards	Yes
6.4 Stormwater management	Yes
6.8 Landslide risk	Yes

## Manly Development Control Plan

**Built Form Controls** 

Built Form Controls - Site         Requirement         Approved         Proposed         Comp	ies
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Area: 739m <sup>2</sup>		<u> </u>		
4.1.1.1 Residential Density and Dwelling Size	Density: 1 dwelling / 500m <sup>2</sup>	1 dwelling	Unaltered	Yes
	Dwelling Size: 134m <sup>2</sup>	Dwelling Size: 134m <sup>2</sup> 330.1m <sup>2</sup>		Yes
4.1.2.1 Wall Height	N: 6.5m (based on nil gradient)	6.5m	Unaltered	Yes
	E: 6.5m (based on nil gradient)	6.2m	Unaltered	Yes
	S: 7.2m (based on gradient 1:9)	5.9m	Unaltered	Yes
	W: 6.5m (based on nil gradient)	6.2m	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.2.2 Number of Storeys	2	2	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.2.3 Roof Height	Height: 2.5m	0.9m	Unaltered	Yes
	Pitch: maximum 35 degrees	5.8 degrees	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.4.1 Street Front Setbacks	Prevailing building line	2.6m, consistent with prevailing setback	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.4.2 Side Setbacks and Secondary Street Frontages	E: 2.05m (based on wall height)	2.15m - 2.28m	Unaltered	Yes
	W: 2.05m (based on wall height)	1.54m - 2.42m	Unaltered	Yes
	Garage - W: 0.71m (based on 2.15m wall height)	0.9m	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.4.4 Rear Setbacks	8m	Dwelling - 14.59m	Unaltered	Yes
		Cabana - 1.1m (existing)	Unaltered	Yes, as approved
4.1.5.1 Minimum Residential Total Open Space	Open space 55% of site area	32.7% (241.5m2)	Unaltered	Yes, as approved
Requirements Residential Open Space Area: OS3	Open space above ground 25% of total open space	Nil	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.5.2 Landscaped Area	Landscaped area 35% of open space	53% (127.8m2)	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.5.3 Private Open Space	18m <sup>2</sup> per dwelling	241.5m <sup>2</sup>	Unaltered	Yes
4.1.9 Swimming Pools, Spas	1m height above ground	Nil	Unaltered	Yes
and Water Features	1m curtilage/1.5m water side/rear setback	W: 1.8m	Unaltered	Yes
Schedule 3 Parking and Access	Dwelling 2 spaces	2 spaces	2 spaces	Yes



Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
3.1.1 Streetscape (Residential areas)	Yes	Yes
3.4.1 Sunlight Access and Overshadowing	Yes	Yes
3.4.2 Privacy and Security	Yes	Yes
3.4.3 Maintenance of Views	Yes	Yes
3.4.4 Other Nuisance (Odour, Fumes etc.)	Yes	Yes
3.5.1 Solar Access	Yes	Yes
3.5.3 Ventilation	Yes	Yes
3.5.7 Building Construction and Design	Yes	Yes
3.7 Stormwater Management	Yes	Yes
3.8 Waste Management	Yes	Yes
3.10 Safety and Security	Yes	Yes
4.1.2 Height of Buildings (Incorporating Wall Height, Number of Storeys & Roof Height)	Yes	Yes
4.1.3 Floor Space Ratio (FSR)	Yes	Yes
4.1.4 Setbacks (front, side and rear) and Building Separation	Yes	Yes
4.1.5 Open Space and Landscaping	Yes	Yes
4.1.6 Parking, Vehicular Access and Loading (Including Bicycle Facilities)	Yes	Yes
4.1.7 First Floor and Roof Additions	Yes	Yes
4.1.8 Development on Sloping Sites	Yes	Yes

## 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 2021

Section 7.12 contributions were levied on the Development Application.

### 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;
- Manly Local Environment Plan;



- Manly 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 approval to Modification Application No. Mod2021/0726 for Modification of Development Consent DA2019/0541 granted for demolition Works and construction of a dwelling house and swimming pool on land at Lot 2 DP 528368,2 Ellery Parade, SEAFORTH, subject to the conditions printed below:

# A. Add Condition No. 1A - Modification of Consent - Approved Plans and supporting Documentation to read as follows:

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

Architectural Plans - Endorsed with Council's stamp		
Drawing No.	Dated	Prepared By
DA.05 Revision C	03 September 2021	Brick Architects
DA.08 Revision A	03 September 2021	Brick Architects
DA.10 Revision A	03 September 2021	Brick Architects

## a) Modification Approved Plans

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.

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

Signed

Kye Miles, Planner

The application is determined on 25/10/2021, under the delegated authority of:

# Rodney Piggott, Manager Development Assessments