

# Natural Environment Referral Response - Biodiversity

Application Number:	DA2025/0274
Proposed Development:	Alterations and additions to a dwelling house
Date:	01/04/2025
Responsible Officer	
• • • •	Lot 14 DP 758016 , 28 Allambie Road ALLAMBIE HEIGHTS NSW 2100

# Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent development on land, or within 40m of land, containing:

- All Development Applications on
- Actual or potential threatened species, populations, ecological communities, or their habitats;
- Wildlife corridors;
- Vegetation query stipulating that a Flora and Fauna Assessment is required;
- Vegetation query X type located in both A & C Wards;

And as such, Council's Natural Environment Unit officers are required to consider the likely potential environmental impacts.

# Officer comments

Council's Biodiversity Referrals team have assessed the Development Application for compliance against the following applicable provisions:

- Warringah DCP cl. E2 Prescribed Vegetation
- Warringah DCP cl. E4 Wildlife Corridors
- Warringah DCP cl. E6 Retaining Unique Environmental Features

Review of the Statement of Environmental Effects and Architectural Plans indicate that the proposed works are located largely within the footprint of the existing dwelling. No prescribed vegetation is required for removal and as such there are no objections in relation to biodiversity.

The proposal is therefore supported.

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

#### **Recommended Natural Environment Conditions:**

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



# No Clearing of Vegetation

Unless otherwise exempt, no vegetation is to be cleared prior to issue of a Construction Certificate.

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

Reason: To protect native vegetation.

# CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH DURING DEMOLITION AND BUILDING WORK

#### **Wildlife Protection**

If construction activity associated with this development results in injury or displacement of a native mammal, bird, reptile or amphibian, a licensed wildlife rescue and rehabilitation organisation must be contacted for advice.

Reason: To protect native wildlife.

# **Protection of Habitat Features**

All natural landscape features, including any rock outcrops, native vegetation and/or watercourses, are to remain undisturbed during the construction works, except where affected by necessary works detailed on approved plans.

Reason: To protect wildlife habitat.