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Property Address: 1081 Oxford Falls Road, Oxford Falls NSW 2100

I refer to my discussion with Callum Nesbit regarding landscaping works at the above property and have been requested to provide advice as to traffic related issues in regard to:

- Sight distance at either of the proposed driveways; and
- Impact on the surrounding parking.

Exiting Traffic Conditions

Oxford Falls Rd, adjacent to the site is as follows:

- Performs a local road function under the care and control of Northern Beaches Council;
- Provides access to several residential properties and a school;
- Has an approx. pavement width of 8m wide pavement which provides one through lane of traffic in each direction and one (1) parking lane on the western side;
- Along the eastern side(in the vicinity of the subject site) there are "No Stopping" restrictions;
- Traffic flow is governed by a sign posted speed limit of 50km/hr; and
- A 40 km/hr School Zone also exist.

Figures 1 and **2** on the following page provide a street view of Oxford Falls Rd in the vicinity of the above site.



Figure 1: Street View Oxford Falls Rd South Bound (source Google maps)

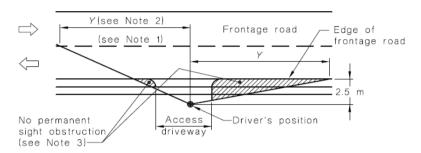


Figure 2: Street View Oxford Falls Rd North Bound (source Google maps)

Position Of Driveways

The suitability of the location of driveways to domestic properties is based on guidelines provided within the Australian Standard for Off-Street Car parking (AS2890.1-2004).

Australian Standard 2890.1 Parking Facilities - Off Street Carparks provides general parameter values for Safe Stopping Distance (SSD) at entrances to off street parking areas are provided in **Figure 3** (below)



Frontage road speed (Note 4) km/h	Distance (Y) along frontage road m		
	Access driveways other than domestic (Note 5)		Domestic property
	Desirable 5 s gap	Minimum SSD	access (Note 6)
40	55	35	30
50	69	45	40
60	83	65	55
70	97	85	70
80	111	105	95
90	125	130	Use values from 2 nd and 3 rd columns
100	139	160	
110	153	190	

Figure 3: SSD from Figure 3.2 Australian Standard 2890.1

Based on the above figure, the minimum sight distance required for this location would be 35m during the operation of school zones and 45m outside of school zones.

The available SSD has measured at greater 100m to the north and south of the proposed driveways and as such complies with the requirements of the Australian Standards.

Effect on Parking

As there are "No Stopping" restrictions on the eastern side of Oxford Falls Rd (i.e. the subject property side) the position of the driveways will result in no loss of parking.

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Appendix A Proposed Plans

