

# **DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ASSESSMENT REPORT**

Application Number:	DA2020/0450		
Responsible Officer:	Nick England		
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 2 DP 530146, 88 Booralie Road TERREY HILLS NSW 2084		
Proposed Development:	Construction of stables and shed		
Zoning:	Warringah LEP2011 - Land Zoned RU4 Primary Production Small Lots		
Development Permissible:	Yes		
Existing Use Rights:	No		
Consent Authority:	Northern Beaches Council		
Land and Environment Court Action:	No		
Owner:	Dwayne Allan Taylor Pamela Taylor Dwayne Taylor FT Pty Ltd		
Applicant:	Pamela Taylor		
Application Lodged:	07/05/2020		
Integrated Development:	No		
Designated Development:	No		
State Reporting Category:	Residential - Alterations and additions		
Notified:	15/05/2020 to 29/05/2020		
Advertised:	Not Advertised		
Submissions Received:	0		
Clause 4.6 Variation:	Nil		
Recommendation:	Approval		
Estimated Cost of Works:	\$ 368,612.00		

## PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN DETAIL

The application consists of the erection of two buildings, one for horse stables and the other an ancillary shed related to domestic equestrian activities. Other works include an access driveway and stormwater drain.

## **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:

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- 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 530146 , 88 Booralie Road TERREY HILLS NSW 2084
Detailed Site Description:	The subject site consists of one (1) allotment located on the northern side of Booralie Road.
	The site is regular in shape with a surveyed area of 18,100m².
	The site is located within the RU4 Primary Production Small Lots zone and accommodates a dwelling houses, horse stables, livestock yards and a dam.
	The site has a northerly aspect with significant vegetation on its north-east corner.
	Adjoining and surrounding development is characterised by rural land uses.

Map:

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## SITE HISTORY

The land has been used for rural purposes for an extended period of time. A search of Council's records has revealed the following relevant history:

<u>DA2019/0490</u>: Development consent for "Demolition of existing horse arena, construction of a covered horse arena and removal of existing dam" aspproved on 26 June 2019. This arena has been constructed and earthworks for removal of dam has been commenced. The proposed stables in this application are located just to the south of the approved horse arena.

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

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

Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
. , . , . ,	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	Warringah Development Control Plan 2011 applies to this proposal.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iiia) – Provisions of any planning	None applicable.

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Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
agreement	
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iv) – Provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (EP&A Regulation 2000)	<u>Division 8A</u> of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider "Prescribed conditions" of development consent. These matters have been addressed via a condition of consent.
rtogalation 2000)	Clause 50(1A) 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.
	Clauses 54 and 109 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 allow Council to request additional information. Additional information was requested in relation to: koala habitat and wastewater management.
	Clause 92 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider AS 2601 - 1991: The Demolition of Structures. This clause is not relevant to this application.
	<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.
	Clause 98 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider insurance requirements under the Home Building Act 1989. This clause is not relevant to this application.
	Clause 98 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 of 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	(i) Environmental Impact The environmental impacts of the proposed development on the natural and built environment are addressed under the Warringah Development Control Plan 2011 section in this report.
	(ii) <b>Social Impact</b> The proposed development will not have a detrimental social 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

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Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration'	Comments
	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**

A bushfire risk assessment report and certificate has been provided to demonstrate that the proposal will meet the relevant legislation.

### **NOTIFICATION & SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED**

The subject development application has been publicly exhibited from 15/05/2020 to 29/05/2020 in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 and the relevant Development Control Plan.

As a result of the public exhibition of the application Council received no submissions.

### **REFERRALS**

Internal Referral Body	Comments			
Environmental Health (unsewered lands)	Amended comments:			
	Environmental Health has reviewed the proposed wastewater generation and disposal as part of the development. The proposal by Kerry Flanagans wastewater referenced as kmf suitably addresses wastewater generation from the residence with sufficient capacity for future expansion. However the wastewater report fails to address how wastewater generated from the horse wash bays will be collected and treated.			
	Any design for treatment and disposal for wastewater generated by the horse wash bays should be in accordance with the document "Horse Property Developments in the Sydney Drinking Water Catchment A Sydney Catchment Authority Current Recommended Practice", AS1547:2012 & the Environment & health protection guidelines for on-site sewage management for single households.  There is no information on horse washing in the stables and as such a			

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Internal Referral Body	Comments
internal Referral Body	conservative approach should be adopted based on the document Horse property developments in the Sydney water catchment by the Sydney catchment authority which states "A five minute horse wash uses approximately 80 litres of water for each horse, and one hour of stall washing using a high pressure cleaner (such as a 'Gerni') uses approximately 600 litres of water." Therefore with 8 stables at maximum capacity having one wash a day and a stall wash once a week an additional 685 Litres per day + 640 Litres per day = 1385 Litres per day of additional effluent.  Based on a lack of information on the wastewater generated by the horse stables, horse wash areas and how it will be effectively treated Environmental Health recommend refusal.  Amended comments 10/09/2020  A covering letter has been provided by the wastewater consultant Kerry Flannagan. The letter advises that a wastewater design for the stable is in development and will be in line with the Water NSW "Horse Property Developments in the Sydney Drinking Water Catchments" A Sydney Catchment Authority Current Recommended Practice." and water usage patterns.  Environmental health is satisfied and recommends approval subject to conditions.  Recommendation
Landscape Officer	APPROVAL - Subject to conditions  The plans indicate that no significant landscape features are affected
,	by the works.  No objections are raised to approval subject to conditations.
NECC (Bushland and	Revised Comments
Biodiversity)	The applicant has submitted a Koala Assessment Report prepared in accordance with the Draft Koala Habitat Protection Guideline. The KAR includes construction and operation mitigation measures, and the implementation of these will be conditioned.
	Original Comments
	The proposed application occurs on a site greater than 1 hectare in area and identified on the Koala Development Application Map. Based on this the applicant is to address the requirements of clause 9 Development assessment process—no approved koala plan of management for land. The applicant is to submit to Council information that either addresses the:-  (a) the requirements of the Draft Koala Habitat Protection Guideline, or

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Internal Referral Body	Referral Body Comments				
	<ul> <li>(b) information, prepared by a suitably qualified and experienced person in accordance with the Guideline, provided by the applicant to the council demonstrating that—</li> <li>(i) the land does not include any trees belonging to the feed tree species listed in Schedule 2 for the relevant koala management area, or</li> <li>(ii) the land is not core koala habitat.</li> </ul>				
NECC (Development Engineering)	No objections to approval subject to conditions as recommended.				
NECC (Riparian Lands and Creeks)	This property borders on National Park and intends to discharge stormwater in very close proximity to the boundary. The current stormwater plan does not meet the requirements of NSW National Parks and therefore must be updated.				
	(Link) OEH guidelines for adjacent development The National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009 requires the consent of OEH to discharge stormwater into a park (for example, where a development proposes new infrastructure that alters stormwater flows and directs them into a park).				
	<ul> <li>Development proposals for areas adjacent to OEH land should incorporate stormwater detention and water quality systems (with appropriately managed buffer areas) within the development site.</li> <li>Stormwater should be diverted to council stormwater systems or to infiltration and subsurface discharge systems within the development site.</li> <li>The discharge of stormwater to OEH land, where the quantity and quality of stormwater differs from natural levels, must be avoided.</li> </ul>				
	The drainage must be addressed prior to construction certificate with an updated stormwater plan provided that shows both stormwater outlet draining to a sub-surface infiltration area (similar to that used to infiltrate on-site sewer systems) well within the property boundary to ensure that during high rainfall events any overflow remains within the property (conditioned).				
	This infiltration area will address the requirements to avoid discharge directly to OEH land and remove excess nutrients and sediment collected from the property. If this requirement is not met, an application must be made to the Office of Environment and Heritage for approval to discharge to National Park - it is expected that this approval would not be given, as there is sufficient area on the property to incorporate infiltration within the site.				
	The sediment and erosion control plan provided is suitable.				

External Referral Body	Comments		

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External Referral Body	Comments
·	The proposal was referred to Ausgrid, who have no objection to the application subject to condition.

## **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)

### SEPP 55 - Remediation of Land

Clause 7 (1) (a) of SEPP 55 requires the Consent Authority to consider whether land is contaminated. Council records indicate that the subject site has been used for rural / residential purposes for a significant period of time with no prior land uses. In this regard it is considered that the site poses no risk of contamination and therefore, no further consideration is required under Clause 7 (1) (b) and (c) of SEPP 55 and the land is considered to be suitable for the rural / residential land use.

### SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007

## **Ausgrid**

Clause 45 of the SEPP requires the Consent Authority to consider any development application (or an application for modification of consent) for any development carried out:

- within or immediately adjacent to an easement for electricity purposes (whether or not the electricity infrastructure exists).
- immediately adjacent to an electricity substation.
- within 5.0m of an overhead power line.
- includes installation of a swimming pool any part of which is: within 30m of a structure supporting an overhead electricity transmission line and/or within 5.0m of an overhead electricity power line.

### Comment:

The proposal was referred to Ausgrid, who have no objection to the application.

### Warringah Local Environmental Plan 2011

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Is the development permissible?	Yes
After consideration of the merits of the proposal, is the development consistent with:	
aims of the LEP?	Yes
zone objectives of the LEP?	Yes

Principal Development Standards

Standard	Requirement	Proposed	% Variation	Complies
Height of Buildings:	8.5m	4.9m (shed)	N/A	Yes
		4.2m (stables)	N/A	Yes

Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements
4.3 Height of buildings	Yes
5.3 Development near zone boundaries	Yes
6.2 Earthworks	Yes
6.4 Development on sloping land	Yes

## **Warringah Development Control Plan**

### **Built Form Controls**

Built Form Control	Requirement	Proposed	% Variation*	Complies
B1 Wall height	7.2m	4.8m	N/A	Yes
B5 Side Boundary Setbacks	10m (east)	10m	N/A	Yes
	10m (west)	66-91m	N/A	Yes
B7 Front Boundary Setbacks	20m	20m (shed) 68m (stables)	N/A N/A	Yes Yes
B9 Rear Boundary Setbacks	10m	77m	N/A	Yes
B12 National Park Setback	20m	77m	N/A	Yes
D1 Landscaped Open Space (LOS) and Bushland Setting	30%	71%	N/A	Yes

<sup>\*</sup>Note: The percentage variation is calculated on the *overall* numerical variation (ie: for LOS - Divide the proposed area by the numerical requirement then multiply the proposed area by 100 to equal X, then 100 minus X will equal the percentage variation. Example:  $38/40 \times 100 = 95$  then 100 - 95 = 5% variation)

## Compliance Assessment

Clause	•	Consistency Aims/Objectives	
A.5 Objectives	Yes	Yes	
B1 Wall Heights	Yes	Yes	

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Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
B5 Side Boundary Setbacks	Yes	Yes
B7 Front Boundary Setbacks	Yes	Yes
B9 Rear Boundary Setbacks	Yes	Yes
B12 National Parks Setback	Yes	Yes
C2 Traffic, Access and Safety	Yes	Yes
C4 Stormwater	Yes	Yes
C5 Erosion and Sedimentation	Yes	Yes
C7 Excavation and Landfill	Yes	Yes
C8 Demolition and Construction	Yes	Yes
C9 Waste Management	Yes	Yes
D1 Landscaped Open Space and Bushland Setting	Yes	Yes
D3 Noise	Yes	Yes
D6 Access to Sunlight	Yes	Yes
D7 Views	Yes	Yes
D8 Privacy	Yes	Yes
D9 Building Bulk	Yes	Yes
D10 Building Colours and Materials	Yes	Yes
D11 Roofs	Yes	Yes
D12 Glare and Reflection	Yes	Yes
D14 Site Facilities	Yes	Yes
D20 Safety and Security	Yes	Yes
D22 Conservation of Energy and Water	Yes	Yes
E1 Preservation of Trees or Bushland Vegetation	Yes	Yes
E7 Development on land adjoining public open space	Yes	Yes
E10 Landslip Risk	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 2019

The proposal is subject to the application of Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019.

A monetary contribution of \$3,686 is required for the provision of new and augmented public infrastructure. The contribution is calculated as 1% of the total development cost of \$368,612.

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### 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;
- Warringah Local Environment Plan;
- Warringah 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 Development Consent to DA2020/0450 for Construction of stables and shed on land at Lot 2 DP 530146, 88 Booralie Road, TERREY HILLS, subject to the conditions printed below:

## **DEVELOPMENT CONSENT OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS**

# 1. Approved Plans and Supporting Documentation

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

### a) Approved Plans

Architectural Plans - Endorsed with Council's stamp			
Drawing Title / No. Dated Prepared By			
Site Plan A1.01	· •	Concise Management Systems	

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Horse Stables A1.01	22 April 2020	Concise Management Systems
A1.02	22 April 2020	Concise Management Systems
S2.03	22 April 2020	Concise Management Systems
Sheet S2.01 Rev B	24 March 2020	Central Steel Build
Sheet S2.02 Rev B	24 March 2020	Central Steel Build

Engineering Plans			
Drawing No.	Dated	Prepared By	
S01 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S02 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S03 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S04 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S05 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S06 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	
S07 Rev 1	27 April 2020	Positive Fix Pty Ltd	

Reports / Documentation – All recommendations and requirements contained within:			
Report Title / No.	Dated	Prepared By	
Bushfire Assessment Report 79BA - 1597	20 April 2020	Sydney Bushfire Consultants	

- b) Any plans and / or documentation submitted to satisfy the Conditions of this consent.
- c) The development is to be undertaken generally in accordance with the following:

Waste Management Plan			
Drawing No/Title.	Dated	Prepared By	
Waste Management Plan	30 April 2020	Pamela Taylor	

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.

## 2. Compliance with Other Department, Authority or Service Requirements

The development must be carried out in compliance with all recommendations and requirements, excluding general advice, within the following:

Other Department, Authority or Service	EDMS Reference	Dated
Ausgrid	Ausgrid Referral Response	25 May 2020

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(NOTE: For a copy of the above referenced document/s, please see Application Tracking on Council's website www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

Reason: To ensure the work is carried out in accordance with the determination and the statutory requirements of other departments, authorities or bodies.

### 3. Prescribed Conditions

- (a) All building works must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Building Code of Australia (BCA).
- (b) BASIX affected development must comply with the schedule of BASIX commitments specified within the submitted BASIX Certificate (demonstrated compliance upon plans/specifications is required prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate);
- (c) A sign must be erected in a prominent position on any site on which building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out:
  - (i) showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work, and
  - (ii) showing the name of the principal contractor (if any) for any building work and a telephone number on which that person may be contacted outside working hours, and
  - (iii) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited.

Any such sign is to be maintained while the building work, subdivision work or demolition work is being carried out, but must be removed when the work has been completed.

- (d) Residential building work within the meaning of the Home Building Act 1989 must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the following information:
  - (i) in the case of work for which a principal contractor is required to be appointed:
    - A. the name and licence number of the principal contractor, and
    - B. the name of the insurer by which the work is insured under Part 6 of that Act,
  - (ii) in the case of work to be done by an owner-builder:
    - A. the name of the owner-builder, and
    - B. if the owner-builder is required to hold an owner-builder permit under that Act, the number of the owner-builder permit.

If arrangements for doing the residential building work are changed while the work is in progress so that the information notified under becomes out of date, further work must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council) has given the Council written notice of the updated information.

- (e) Development that involves an excavation that extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building on adjoining land, the person having the benefit of the development consent must, at the person's own expense:
  - (i) protect and support the adjoining premises from possible damage from the excavation, and
  - (ii) where necessary, underpin the adjoining premises to prevent any such damage.
  - (iii) must, at least 7 days before excavating below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment of land, give notice of intention

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- to do so to the owner of the adjoining allotment of land and furnish particulars of the excavation to the owner of the building being erected or demolished.
- (iv) the owner of the adjoining allotment of land is not liable for any part of the cost of work carried out for the purposes of this clause, whether carried out on the allotment of land being excavated or on the adjoining allotment of land.

In this clause, allotment of land includes a public road and any other public place.

Reason: Legislative requirement.

### 4. General Requirements

(a) Unless authorised by Council:
 Building construction and delivery of material hours are restricted to:

- 7.00 am to 5.00 pm inclusive Monday to Friday,
- 8.00 am to 1.00 pm inclusive on Saturday,
- No work on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Demolition and excavation works are restricted to:

• 8.00 am to 5.00 pm Monday to Friday only.

(Excavation work includes the use of any excavation machinery and the use of jackhammers, rock breakers, excavators, loaders and the like, regardless of whether the activities disturb or alter the natural state of the existing ground stratum or are breaking up/removing materials from the site).

- (b) Should any asbestos be uncovered on site, its demolition and removal must be carried out in accordance with WorkCover requirements and the relevant Australian Standards.
- (c) At all times after the submission the Notice of Commencement to Council, a copy of the Development Consent and Construction Certificate is to remain onsite at all times until the issue of a final Occupation Certificate. The consent shall be available for perusal of any Authorised Officer.
- (d) Where demolition works have been completed and new construction works have not commenced within 4 weeks of the completion of the demolition works that area affected by the demolition works shall be fully stabilised and the site must be maintained in a safe and clean state until such time as new construction works commence.
- (e) Onsite toilet facilities (being either connected to the sewer or an accredited sewer management facility) for workers are to be provided for construction sites at a rate of 1 per 20 persons.
- (f) Prior to the release of the Construction Certificate, payment of the Long Service Levy is required. This payment can be made at Council or to the Long Services Payments Corporation. Payment is not required where the value of the works is less than \$25,000. The Long Service Levy is calculated on 0.35% of the building and construction work. The levy rate and level in which it applies is subject to legislative change. The applicable fee at the time of payment of the Long Service Levy will apply.
- (g) The applicant shall bear the cost of all works associated with the development that occurs on Council's property.
- (h) No skip bins, building materials, demolition or excavation waste of any nature, and no

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- hoist, plant or machinery (crane, concrete pump or lift) shall be placed on Council's footpaths, roadways, parks or grass verges without Council Approval.
- (i) Demolition materials and builders' wastes are to be removed to approved waste/recycling centres.
- (j) No trees or native shrubs or understorey vegetation on public property (footpaths, roads, reserves, etc.) or on the land to be developed shall be removed or damaged during construction unless specifically approved in this consent including for the erection of any fences, hoardings or other temporary works.
- (k) Prior to the commencement of any development onsite for:
  - i) Building/s that are to be erected
  - ii) Building/s that are situated in the immediate vicinity of a public place and is dangerous to persons or property on or in the public place
  - iii) Building/s that are to be demolished
  - iv) For any work/s that is to be carried out
  - v) For any work/s that is to be demolished

The person responsible for the development site is to erect or install on or around the development area such temporary structures or appliances (wholly within the development site) as are necessary to protect persons or property and to prevent unauthorised access to the site in order for the land or premises to be maintained in a safe or healthy condition. Upon completion of the development, such temporary structures or appliances are to be removed within 7 days.

- (I) A "Road Opening Permit" must be obtained from Council, and all appropriate charges paid, prior to commencement of any work on Council property. The owner/applicant shall be responsible for all public utilities and services in the area of the work, shall notify all relevant Authorities, and bear all costs associated with any repairs and/or adjustments as those Authorities may deem necessary.
- (m) The works must comply with the relevant Ausgrid Network Standards and SafeWork NSW Codes of Practice.
- (n) Requirements for new swimming pools/spas or existing swimming pools/spas affected by building works.
  - (1) Child resistant fencing is to be provided to any swimming pool or lockable cover to any spa containing water and is to be consistent with the following;

Relevant legislative requirements and relevant Australian Standards (including but not limited) to:

- (i) Swimming Pools Act 1992
- (ii) Swimming Pools Amendment Act 2009
- (iii) Swimming Pools Regulation 2008
- (iv) Australian Standard AS1926 Swimming Pool Safety
- (v) Australian Standard AS1926.1 Part 1: Safety barriers for swimming pools
- (vi) Australian Standard AS1926.2 Part 2: Location of safety barriers for swimming pools.
- (2) A 'KEEP WATCH' pool safety and aquatic based emergency sign, issued by Royal Life Saving is to be displayed in a prominent position within the pool/spa area.
- (3) Filter backwash waters shall be conveyed to the Sydney Water sewerage system in sewered areas or managed on-site in unsewered areas in a manner

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that does not cause pollution, erosion or run off, is separate from the irrigation area for any wastewater system and is separate from any onsite stormwater management system.

(4) Swimming pools and spas must be registered with the Division of Local Government.

Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of residents and the community.

## FEES / CHARGES / CONTRIBUTIONS

## 5. **Policy Controls**

Northern Beaches 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019

A monetary contribution of \$3,686.12 is payable to Northern Beaches Council for the provision of local infrastructure and services pursuant to section 7.12 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 and the Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019. The monetary contribution is based on a development cost of \$368,612.00.

The monetary contribution is to be paid prior to the issue of the first Construction Certificate or Subdivision Certificate whichever occurs first, or prior to the issue of the Subdivision Certificate where no Construction Certificate is required. If the monetary contribution (total or in part) remains unpaid after the financial quarter that the development consent is issued, the amount unpaid (whether it be the full cash contribution or part thereof) will be adjusted on a quarterly basis in accordance with the applicable Consumer Price Index. If this situation applies, the cash contribution payable for this development will be the total unpaid monetary contribution as adjusted.

The proponent shall provide to the Certifying Authority written evidence (receipt/s) from Council that the total monetary contribution has been paid.

The Northern Beaches Section 7.12 Contributions Plan 2019 may be inspected at 725 Pittwater Rd, Dee Why and at Council's Customer Service Centres or alternatively, on Council's website at www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

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

Reason: To provide for contributions in accordance with the Contribution Plan to fund the provision of new or augmented local infrastructure and services.

### 6. Security Bond

A bond (determined from cost of works) of \$1,500 and an inspection fee in accordance with Council's Fees and Charges paid as security are required to ensure the rectification of any damage that may occur to the Council infrastructure contained within the road reserve adjoining the site as a result of construction or the transportation of materials and equipment to and from the development site.

An inspection fee in accordance with Council adopted fees and charges (at the time of payment) is payable for each kerb inspection as determined by Council (minimum (1) one inspection).

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All bonds and fees shall be deposited with Council prior to Construction Certificate or demolition work commencing, and details demonstrating payment are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

To process the inspection fee and bond payment a Bond Lodgement Form must be completed with the payments (a copy of the form is attached to this consent and alternatively a copy is located on Council's website at www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au).

Reason: To ensure adequate protection of Council's infrastructure.

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

## 7. Boundary Identification Survey

A boundary identification survey, prepared by a Registered Surveyor, is to be prepared in respect of the subject site.

The plans submitted for the Construction Certificate are to accurately reflect the property boundaries as shown on the boundary identification survey, with setbacks between the property boundaries and the approved works consistent with those nominated on the Approved Plans of this consent.

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

Reason: To ensure all approved works are constructed within the subject site and in a manner anticipated by the development consent.

### 8. On-site Stormwater Detention Details

The Applicant is to provide a certification of drainage plans detailing the provision of on-site stormwater detention in accordance with Northern Beaches Council's WARRINGAH WATER MANAGEMENT POLICY PL850, ", and generally in accordance with the concept drainage plans prepared by Positive Fix Pty Ltd, drawing number S05-Rev 1, dated 27/04/2020. Detailed drainage plans are to be prepared by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer, who has membership to the Institution of Engineers Australia, National Professional Engineers Register (NPER) and registered in the General Area of Practice for civil engineering.

The drainage plans must address the following:

- i. The stormwater shall be discharged to an infiltration system within the development s
- ii. Water quality treatment measures are to be incorporated in the design in accordance
- iii. Detailed drainage plans, including engineering certification, are to be submitted to th

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

## 9. Vehicle Crossings Application

The Applicant is to submit an application for driveway levels with Council in accordance with Section 138 of the Roads Act 1993. The fee associated with the assessment and approval of the application is to be in accordance with Council's Fee and Charges.

An approval is to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

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Reason: To facilitate suitable vehicular access to private property.

### 10. Approval to Install an On-site Sewage Management System

Prior to the release of the Construction Certificate (CC), the applicant must receive an 'Approval to Install an On-Site Sewage Management System' from Council for all proposed wastewater treatment systems.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority.

Reason: To fulfil the requirements under Section 68 of the Local Government Act 1993

## 11. Water Quality Management

The applicant must install a sub-surface drainage absorption system that has the capacity to capture all stormwater runoff from the property for infiltration prior to the boundary of the property with National Park. This system must be designed to capture coarse and fine sediments and nutrients prior to discharge of stormwater from the land. All stormwater treatment measures must make provision for convenient and safe regular inspection, periodic cleaning, and maintenance. Non-compliant systems may result in a referral to the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage.

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

Reason: Protection of the receiving environment

### 12. **Project Ecologist**

A Project Ecologist is to be employed for the duration of the approved works to ensure all koala habitat protection measures are carried out according to the conditions of consent.

The Project Ecologist will provide certification that conditions relating to the Koala Assessment Report (GIS Environmental 14 August 2020) are carried out. The Project Ecologist will ensure that all conditions relating to the biodiversity management of the property are fully implemented.

The Project Ecologist must have one of the following memberships/accreditation

- o Practising member of the NSW Ecological Consultants Association OR
- Biodiversity Assessment Method assessor accreditation under the NSW Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016

**Reason:** To ensure koala habitat and bushland management.

## 13. Implementation of Koala Assessment Report Recommendations

All requirements in the Koala Assessment Report (GIS Environmental 14 August 2020) are to be implemented prior, during and post construction.

Details demonstrating pre-construction compliance are to be certified by the project ecologist and submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

**Reason:** Biodiversity/Koala Habitat Conservation and Management.

### 14. Compliance with Standards

The development is required to be carried out in accordance with all relevant Australian Standards.

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Details demonstrating compliance with the relevant Australian Standard are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: To ensure the development is constructed in accordance with appropriate standards.

### 15. Sydney Water "Tap In"

The approved plans must be submitted to the Sydney Water Tap in service, prior to works commencing, to determine whether the development will affect any Sydney Water assets and/or easements. The appropriately stamped plans must then be submitted to the Certifying Authority demonstrating the works are in compliance with Sydney Water requirements.

Please refer to the website www.sydneywater.com.au for:

- o "Tap in" details see http://www.sydneywater.com.au/tapin
- o Guidelines for Building Over/Adjacent to Sydney Water Assets.

Or telephone 13 000 TAP IN (1300 082 746).

Reason: To ensure compliance with the statutory requirements of Sydney Water.

## CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO ANY COMMENCEMENT

# 16. Tree protection

- (a) Existing trees which must be retained
- i) All trees not indicated for removal on the approved plans, unless exempt under relevant planning instruments or legislation
  - ii) Trees located on adjoining land
- (b) Tree protection
  - i) No tree roots greater than 25mm diameter are to be cut from protected trees unless authorised by a qualified Arborist on site.
  - ii) All structures are to bridge tree roots greater than 25mm diameter unless directed otherwise by a qualified Arborist on site.
  - iii) All tree protection to be in accordance with AS4970-2009 Protection of trees on development sites, with particular reference to Section 4 Tree Protection Measures.
  - iv) All tree pruning within the subject site is to be in accordance with WDCP2011 Clause
  - E1 Private Property Tree Management and AS 4373 Pruning of amenity trees
  - v) All tree protection measures, including fencing, are to be in place prior to commencement of works.

Reason: To ensure compliance with the requirement to retain and protect significant planting on the site.

### 17. Installation and Maintenance of Sediment and Erosion Controls

Council proactively regulates construction sites for sediment management.

Sediment and erosion controls must be installed in accordance with Landcom's 'Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction' (2004) and the Erosion and Sediment Control Plan prepared by Positive Fix Pty Ltd prior to commencement of any other works on site.

Erosion and sediment controls are to be adequately maintained and monitored at all times, particularly after periods of rain, and shall remain in proper operation until all development

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activities have been completed and vegetation cover has been re-established across 70 percent of the site, and the remaining areas have been stabilised with ongoing measures such as jute mesh or matting.

The discharge of sediment-laden waters from the site may result in clean-up orders and/or fines under Council's Compliance and Enforcement Policy and legislation including Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 and Contaminated Lands Act 1997.

Reason: Protection of the receiving environment

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

#### 18. 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.

## 19. Vehicle Crossings

The Applicant is to construct one rural vehicle type 1 crossing 5.5 metres wide. An Authorised Vehicle Crossing Contractor shall construct the vehicle crossing and associated works within the road reserve in plain concrete. All redundant laybacks and crossings are to be restored to footpath/grass. Prior to the pouring of concrete, the vehicle crossing is to be inspected by Council and a satisfactory "Vehicle Crossing Inspection" card issued.

A copy of the vehicle crossing inspection form is to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To facilitate suitable vehicular access to private property.

## 20. Protection of rock and sites of significance

- a) All rock outcrops outside of the area of approved works are to be preserved and protected at all times during demolition excavation and construction works.
- b) Should any Aboriginal sites be uncovered during the carrying out of works, those works are to cease and Council, the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) and the Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council are to be contacted.

Reason: Preservation of significant environmental features.

## 21. Implementation of Koala Assessment Report Recommendations

All requirements in the Koala Assessment Report (GIS Environmental 14 August 2020) are to be implemented prior, during and post construction.

Details demonstrating pre-construction compliance are to be certified by the project ecologist and submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

**Reason**: Biodiversity/Koala Habitat Conservation and Management.

### 22. Installation and Maintenance of Sediment Control

Measures used for erosion and sediment control on building sites are to be adequately maintained at all times and must be installed in accordance with Council's Specifications for

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Erosion and Sediment Control. All measures shall remain in proper operation until all development activities have been completed and the site fully stabilised.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To protect the environment from the effects of sedimentation and erosion from development sites.

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

23. **Positive Covenant and Restriction as to User for On-site Stormwater Disposal Structures**The Applicant shall lodge a Legal Documents Authorisation Application with Council. The application is to include the original completed request forms (NSW Land Registry standard forms 13PC and/or 13RPA) and a copy of the Works-as-Executed plan (details overdrawn on a copy of the approved drainage plan by a Registered Surveyor) and Hydraulic Engineers' certification for the completed stormwater disposal system.

The Applicant shall create on the Title a positive covenant in respect to the ongoing maintenance and restriction as to user over the on-site stormwater detention/ infiltration system within this development consent. The terms of the positive covenant and restriction are to be prepared to Council's standard requirements at the applicant's expense and endorsed by Northern Beaches Council's delegate prior to lodgement with the NSW Land Registry Services. Northern Beaches Council shall be nominated as the party to release, vary or modify such covenant. A copy of the certificate of title demonstrating the creation of the positive covenant and restriction as to user for the on-site stormwater detention/infiltration system is to be submitted.

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

Reason: To ensure the on-site stormwater disposal system is maintained to an appropriate operational standard and not altered.

### 24. Waste Water System

Prior to the issuing of any interim / final occupation certificate, a copy of all s68 (Local Government Act 1993) approval's to operate for the Waste Water System's must be activated and effectively operating to the satisfaction of the Principal Certifying Authority.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority.

Reason: To ensure the premises a maintained in an appropriate manner in perpetuity.

## 25. Works as Executed Drawings - Stormwater Treatment Measures

Works as Executed Drawings for the stormwater treatment measures must be prepared in accordance with Council's Guideline for Preparing Works as Executed Data for Council Stormwater Assets.

The drawings shall be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the release of the Occupation Certificate.

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Reason: Protection of the receiving environment

### 26. Tree Planting

All requirements in the Koala Assessment Report (GIS Environmental 14 August 2020) are to be implemented prior, during and post construction, including compensatory tree planting as per section 5.2 of the report.

All native trees are to be retained for the life of the development, or for their safe natural life. Trees that die or are removed must be replaced with another locally native canopy tree. Tree replacement plantings are to be certified by the project ecologist.

**Reason:** Tree replacement and Koala Habitat Protection.

## 27. Removal of All Temporary Structures/Material and Construction Rubbish

Once construction has been completed all silt and sediment fences, silt, rubbish, building debris, straw bales and temporary fences are to be removed from the site.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any interim / final Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure bushland management. (DACPLF01)

# ON-GOING CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE COMPLIED WITH AT ALL TIMES

### 28. Control of Weeds

Prior to the completion of works, all priority weeds (as listed under the Biosecurity Act 2015) are to be removed/controlled within the subject site using an appropriately registered control method. Information on weeds of the Northern Beaches can be found at the NSW WeedWise website (http://weeds.dpi.nsw.gov.au/). All environmental weeds are to be removed and controlled. Refer to Council website

http://www.pittwater.nsw.gov.au/environment/noxious weeds

**Reason:** Weed management.

### 29. Maintenance of Stormwater Treatment Measures

Stormwater treatment measures must be maintained at all times in accordance with manufacturer's specifications and as necessary to achieve the required stormwater quality targets for the development.

Northern Beaches Council reserves the right to enter the property and carry out appropriate maintenance of the device at the cost of the property owner.

Reason: Protection of the receiving environment

### 30. No Planting Environmental Weeds

No environmental weeds are to be planted on the site. Information on weeds of the Northern Beaches can be found at the NSW WeedWise website (http://weeds.dpi.nsw.gov.au/).

**Reason:** Weed management.

## 31. Works to cease if item found

If any Aboriginal Engravings or Relics are unearthed all work is to cease immediately and the Aboriginal Heritage Office (AHO) and Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) are to be

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notified.

**Reason:** To protect Aboriginal Heritage.

## 32. Dead or Injured Wildlife

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

Reason: To mitigate potential impacts to native wildlife resulting from construction activity.

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

Signed



Nick England, Planner

The application is determined on 14/09/2020, under the delegated authority of:

Anna Williams, Manager Development Assessments

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