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RE: DA2020/0393 - 28 Lockwood Avenue BELROSE NSW 2085

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT - NSW LAND AND ENVIRONMENT COURT AMENDED PLANS

Application No. DA2020/0393

Address: Lot 1 DP 1199795 28 Lockwood Avenue BELROSE

Description: Demolition works and construction of a shop top housing

development comprising retail premises, 49 dwellings, basement

carparking and landscaping

Submissions Close: 10 September 2021

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on above development proposal. My objections to the proposal are as follows:

RETAIL PREMISES ON LOCKWOOD AVENUE

These shops are included only for the benefit of the developer and not the community and their inclusion in the proposal should be rejected.

. They are an eyesore and are at variance with the scenic quality of the Belrose environment.

. In addition the shops would create a hazard for pedestrians and traffic being so close to the corner of a very busy intersection. The street parking suggested in the DA would be dangerous, especially so close to the bus stop which is used by many high school students.

. The retail premises are not compatible with the surrounding and nearby development:

CHANGES FROM PREVIOUS SUBMISSION ARE STILL INADEQUATE

. The height at 11.2m is still too high, standard being 8.5m.

. The development is not compatible with the height and scale of surrounding and nearby development.

PARKING AND TRAFFIC

. Parking in the proposed development is compliant with existing council requirements. But we all know inadequate in reality. Where will all the extra cars of residents, visitors and retail customers park?

.. Parking on Glen Street is a hazard to pedestrians & traffic and needs greater control. Further parking created by the development will endanger lives..

. Traffic on Glen Street is at peak, further traffic created by the development will endanger lives. TREES

The Arborist's report appears to suggest that the present trees on the site are unsightly, inappropriate and need to be removed. Many of the residents of Belrose/Frenchs Forest/Davidson like the trees (and liked the ones already cut down too) and want the trees retained.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Yours sincerely, John Watt Frenchs Forest 14 Aug 2021.