

# Natural Environment Referral Response - Coastal

Application Number:	Mod2019/0623
Responsible Officer	Thomas Prosser
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 21A DP 350345, 34 Beatty Street BALGOWLAH HEIGHTS NSW 2093

#### Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for land located within the Coastal Zone.

And as such, Council's Natural Environment Unit officers are required to consider the likely impacts on drainage regimes.

#### **Officer comments**

The application has been assessed in consideration of the *Coastal Management Act 2016*, State Environmental Planning Policy (Coastal Management) 2018, Sydney Harbour Catchment Regional Environment Plan, 2005 and Sydney Harbour Foreshores and Waterways Area Development Control Plan, 2005. It has also been assessed against requirements of the Manly LEP and DCP.

The application has also been assessed using Northern Beaches SREP assessment template.

#### Coastal Management Act 2016

The subject site has been identified as being within the coastal zone and therefore *Coastal Management Act 2016* is applicable to the proposed development.

The proposed development is in line with the objects, as set out under Clause 3 of the *Coastal Management Act 2016.* 

#### State Environmental Planning Policy (Coastal Management) 2018

As the subject site has been identified as being within the coastal zone and therefore SEPP (Coastal Management) 2018 is also applicable to the proposed development.

The subject land has been included on the 'Coastal Environment Area' and 'Coastal Use Area' maps but not been included on the Coastal Vulnerability Area Map under the State Environmental Planning Policy (Coastal Management) 2018 (CM SEPP). Clauses 13 (coastal environment area) and 14 (coastal use area) do not apply as the site is also located within the SREP area. Hence, only Clause 15 of the CM SEPP apply for this DA.

Comment:

On internal assessment, the proposed modification satisfy requirements under Clause 15 of the CM



SEPP.

As such, it is considered that the application does comply with the requirements of the State Environmental Planning Policy (Coastal Management) 2018.

# Sydney Regional Environment Plan (Sydney Harbour Catchment), 2005

The subject site is located within/adjacent to the W2 (Environmental Protection) Zones.

On internal assessment, it is determined that the objectives and assessment criteria of the zone have been met.

# Sydney Harbour Foreshores and Waterways Area Development Control Plan, 2005

Landscape character Assessment

The subject site is located within the Landscape Character Type 6.

On internal assessment, it is determined that the proposed modifications within the landscape satisfy the relevant criteria.

#### Manly LEP 2013 and Manly DCP

No issues identified.

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

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# **Design Impact on Coastal Processes and Public/Private Amenity**

All development and/or activities must be designed and constructed so that they will not adversely impact on surrounding properties, coastal processes or the amenity of public foreshore lands.

Reason: To ensure the development does not impact the coastal process and public/private

# CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO ANY COMMENCEMENT

#### Approval of Works in Public Beach Reserve

No works are to be carried out from or within the public beach reserve without the written approval of Council.

Reason: To ensure no damage is done to the public beach reserve

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

#### **General Foreshore Matters**

Unless in accordance with the approved works the Consent holder must ensure that:

a) No materials or cleared vegetation that may obstruct flow or cause damage to the foreshore are left within the coastal foreshore area.

b) All drainage works must not obstruct flow of water within the coastal waters. Drain discharge points are stabilised to prevent erosion. Any excavation must not result in diversion of any foreshore bank instability or damage to native vegetation.

c) The foreshore is graded to enable the unimpeded flow of water and retaining structures result in a stable foreshore banks.

d) Any vegetation or other material removed from the area of operations shall be disposed of lawfully. Burning of the material is not permitted.

e) The foreshore is to function as an ecological system and as such, all works, access, roads, recreational areas, service easements and any other non-ecologically functioning work or activity are to be located beyond the foreshore other than provided by the consent.

Reason: Environmental protection, monitoring and enhancement of the foreshore.