

Natural Environment Referral Response - Flood

Application Number:	DA2019/1435
То:	Kye Miles
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 9 DP 240368 , 56 Samuel Street MONA VALE NSW 2103

Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for the following:

- All Development Applications on land below the 1 in100 year flood level;
- All Development Applications located on land below the Probable Maximum Flood levels.

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

Officer comments

The proposed development comprises alterations to the ground floor layout and the addition of a first floor.

The entire back yard is affected by the High Flood Risk Precinct, with the rest of the property affected by the Medium Flood Risk Precinct.

The proposal generally complies with Sections B3.11 and B3.13 of the Pittwater DCP.

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

Flooding

In order to protect property and occupants from flood risk the following is required:

Building Components and Structural Soundness – C1

All new development shall be designed and constructed as flood compatible buildings in accordance with Reducing Vulnerability of Buildings to Flood Damage: Guidance on Building in Flood Prone Areas, Hawkesbury-Nepean Floodplain Management Steering Committee (2006).

Building Components and Structural Soundness - C2

All new development must be designed and constructed to ensure structural integrity up to the Probable Maximum Flood level of 6.43m AHD, taking into account the forces of floodwater, DA2019/1435 Page 1 of 2



wave action, flowing water with debris, buoyancy and immersion. Structural certification shall be provided confirming the above.

Building Components and Structural Soundness - C3

All new electrical equipment, power points, wiring, fuel lines, sewerage systems or any other service pipes and connections must be waterproofed and/or located above the Flood Planning Level of 6.00m AHD. All existing electrical equipment and power points located below the Flood Planning Level must have residual current devices installed to cut electricity supply during flood events.

Storage of Goods - D1

Hazardous or potentially polluting materials shall not be stored below the Flood Planning Level of 6.00m AHD unless adequately protected from floodwaters in accordance with industry standards.

Flood Emergency Response – E2

Appropriate access to the shelter in place refuge shall remain available from all areas of the new development. A first aid kit, radio, torch and spare batteries should be stored within the refuge.

Fencing – H1

Any new fencing shall be open to the passage of flood waters, with a minimum of 50% open area between the 1% flood level of 5.50m AHD and natural ground level.

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

Reason: To reduce the impact of flooding and flood liability on owners and occupiers of flood-prone property and reduce public and private losses in accordance with Council and NSW Government policy.