

# **Engineering Referral Response**

Application Number:	DA2023/1763
Proposed Development:	Construction of a warehouse and distribution centre with associated office, including tree removal
Date:	27/05/2024
То:	Jordan Davies
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 502 DP 875858 , 4 Minna Close BELROSE NSW 2085

## Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for the following:

- New Dwellings or
- Applications that require OSD where additional impervious area exceeds 50m2 or
- Alterations to existing or new driveways or
- Where proposals affect or are adjacent to Council drainage infrastructure incl. watercourses and drainage channels or
- Torrens, Stratum and Community Title Subdivisions or
- All new Commercial and Industrial and RFB Development with the exception of signage or
- Works/uses in flood affected areas

And as such, Council's development engineers are required to consider the likely impacts on drainage regimes.

## **Officer comments**

The following amendments are required to the submission:

1. Provide DRAINS models for pre and post development conditions to Council for perusal.

2. Provide levels of all crossing services for the proposed stormwater connection from OSD to Council pit.

3. It is noted that the proposed Council pit is to be located between an existing and proposed vehicle crossing. A minimum clearance of 1 metre is required from the top of layback to the edge of lintel. Ideally the new lintel should be 1.8 m clear opening if space permits. The minimum lintel width acceptable to Council is the greater of 1.2 m or the existing width. This should be shown on amended Master plans. Provide distance to lintel from both vehicle crossings.

4. Please clarify the what the intention is for the existing pit on private land near proposed Pit C-5. This pit is connected to Council's stormwater system.

## Engineering Comments 20.05.24

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## **Engineering Comments 27.05.24**

A DRAINS model has been submitted to Council for perusal. Development engineering raises no objections to the proposed development, subject to conditions.



The proposal is therefore supported.

Note: Should you have any concerns with the referral comments above, please discuss these with the Responsible Officer.

#### **Recommended Engineering Conditions:**

# FEES / CHARGES / CONTRIBUTIONS

#### Construction, Excavation and Associated Works Security Bond(s)

The applicant is to lodge a bond with Council for the following:

#### **Drainage Works**

As security against any damage or failure to complete the construction of stormwater drainage works required as part of this consent a bond of \$40,000.00.

#### Crossing / Kerb & Gutter / Footpath Works

As security against any damage or failure to complete the construction of any vehicular crossings, kerb and gutter, any footpath works and removal of any redundant driveways required as part of this consent a bond of \$30,000.00.

#### **Security Bond**

As security against damage to Council's roads fronting the site caused by the transport and disposal of materials and equipment to and from the site a bond of \$50,000.00.

Details confirming payment of the bond(s) are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

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

## **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 Water Management for Development Policy, and generally in accordance with the concept drainage plans prepared by at&l, project number 22-1016, dated 17.04.2024. Detailed drainage plans are to be prepared by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer, who has membership to Engineers Australia, National Engineers Register (NER) or Professionals Australia (RPENG) and registered in the General Area of Practice for civil engineering.

Detailed drainage plans, including engineering certification, are to be submitted to the Certifier for approval prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

# Geotechnical Report Recommendations have been Incorporated into Designs and Structural Plans

The recommendations identified in the Geotechnical Report referenced in Condition 1 of this consent are to be incorporated into the construction plans. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifier prior to the issue of the construction certificate.



Reason: To ensure geotechnical risk is mitigated appropriately.

#### Submission Roads Act Application for Civil Works in the Public Road

The Applicant is to submit an application for approval for infrastructure works on Council's roadway. Engineering plans for the new development works within the road reserve and this development consent are to be submitted to Council for approval under the provisions of Sections 138 and 139 of the Roads Act 1993.

The application is to include Civil Engineering plans for the design of drainage and vehicle crossing works which are to be generally in accordance with the Council's specification for engineering works - AUS-SPEC #1. The plans shall be prepared by a qualified Civil Engineer. The design must include the following information:

1. Stormwater connection from site to Council's stormwater infrastructure. The design is to include the following information:

(i) Construction of a new pit on Council's 675mm pipe with grate and a minimum 1.2 m lintel.

(ii) The new pit is to be located a minimum of 1.0 metres from any existing or proposed vehicle crossings and clear of all utility services.

(iii) Provide a longitudinal section of proposed connection showing all crossing services. 2. Design of all vehicle crossings into site, generally in accordance with approved plans and in accordance with Traffic Engineer comments contained within the development consent.

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 Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate

Reason: To ensure engineering works are constructed in accordance with relevant standards and Council's specification.

## **Pre-Construction Stormwater Assets Dilapidation Report**

The Applicant is to submit a pre-construction / demolition Dilapidation Survey of Council's Stormwater Assets prepared by a suitably qualified person in accordance with Council's Guidelines for Preparing a Dilapidation Survey of Council Stormwater Asset, to record the existing condition of the asset prior to the commencement of works. Council's Guidelines are available

at: https://files.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/sites/default/files/documents/general-

information/engineering-

specifications/2009084729 guideline for preparing a dilapidation survey of council stormwater as sets 2.pdf

The pre-construction / demolition Dilapidation Report must be submitted to Council for approval and the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

## **Pre-Commencement Dilapidation Report**

The applicant must prepare and submit a dilapidation report providing an accurate record of the existing condition of adjoining public property and public infrastructure (including roads, gutter, footpaths, etc). A copy of the report must be provided to Council, any other owners of public



infrastructure and the owners of adjoining and affected private properties.

The dilapidation report must be submitted to Council for written approval and the written approval is then to be submitted to the Certifier prior to the issue of the any Construction Certificate and the commencement of any works including demolition.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure during construction.

# CONDITIONS THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED PRIOR TO ANY COMMENCEMENT

#### **Utilities Services**

Prior to the commencement of demolition works, written evidence of the following service provider requirements must be provided to the Principal Certifier:

- a) a letter from Ausgrid demonstrating that satisfactory arrangements can be made for the installation and supply of electricity,
- b) a response from Sydney Water as to whether the proposed works subject to this consent would affect any Sydney Water infrastructure, and whether further requirements need to be met, and
- c) other relevant utilities or services that the development as proposed to be carried out is satisfactory to those other service providers, or if it is not, the changes that are required to make the development satisfactory to them.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the commencement of demolition works.

Reason: To ensure relevant utility and service providers' requirements are provided to the Principal Certifier.

# CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH DURING DEMOLITION AND BUILDING WORK

#### **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.

#### **Property Boundary Levels**

The Applicant is to maintain the property boundary levels. No approval is granted for any change to existing property alignment levels to accommodate the development.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier.

Reason: To maintain the existing profile of the nature strip/road reserve.

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

#### Post- Construction Stormwater Assets Dilapidation Report (Council stormwater assets)

The Applicant shall submit a post-construction Dilapidation Survey of Council's Stormwater Assets is to be prepared by a suitably qualified person in accordance with Council's Guidelines for Preparing a



Dilapidation Survey of Council Stormwater Asset in order to determine if the asset has been damaged by the works. Council's Guidelines are available at

https://files.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/sites/default/files/documents/general-information/engineering-specifications/preparingdilapidationsurveyforcouncilstormwaterassets.pdf

The post-construction / demolition dilapidation report must be submitted to Council for review and approval. Any damage to Council's stormwater infrastructure is to be rectified prior to the release of any Drainage security bonds. Council's acceptance of the Dilapidation Survey is to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

**Certification of Civil Works and Works as Executed Data in accordance with Road Act Approval** The Applicant shall submit a certification by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer, who has membership to Engineers Australia, National Engineers Register (NER) or Professionals Australia (RPENG) that the completed works have been constructed in accordance with this consent and the approved Section 138 and/or Construction Certificate plans. Works as Executed data certified by a registered surveyor in relation to boundaries and/or relevant easements, prepared in accordance with Council's 'Guideline for preparing Works as Executed data for Council Assets' in an approved format shall be submitted to the Principal Certifier for approval prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure compliance of works with Council's specification for engineering works.

#### Stormwater Disposal

The stormwater drainage works shall be certified as compliant with all relevant Australian Standards and Codes by a suitably qualified person. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

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

#### **Reinstatement of Kerb**

The Applicant shall reinstate all redundant laybacks and vehicular crossings to conventional kerb and gutter, footpath or grassed verge as appropriate with all costs borne by the applicant.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To facilitate the preservation of on street parking spaces.

#### Positive Covenant and Restriction as to User for On-site Stormwater Disposal Structures

The Applicant shall lodge the Legal Documents Authorisation Application with the original completed request forms (NSW Land Registry standard forms 13PC and/or 13RPA) to Council and a copy of the Works-as-Executed plan (details overdrawn on a copy of the approved drainage plan), and Civil Engineers' certification.

The Applicant shall create on the Title a restriction on the use of land and a positive covenant in respect to the ongoing maintenance and restriction of the on-site stormwater disposal structures 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 for on-site storm water detention as to user is to be submitted.



Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

Reason: To ensure the on-site stormwater disposal system is maintained to an appropriate operational standard.

## **Certification of Off Street Parking Works**

The Applicant shall submit a certificate from a suitably qualified person certifiying that the parking facility was constructed in accordance within this development consent and the relevant provisions of Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2890.1:2004 parking facilities - Off-street car parking, in particular Section 2.4.5 Physical Controls and Section 2.6 Design of Domestic Driveways.

Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifier prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Compliance with this consent.

#### **Post-Construction Dilapidation Report**

The applicant must bear the cost of all restoration works to Council's road, footpath and drainage assets damaged during the course of this development.

A Post Construction Dilapidation Report after the completion of all building works is to demonstrate that there is no damage to Council infrastructure prior to the refund of any security deposits.

Reason: To ensure security against possible damage to Council property.