

## DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ASSESSMENT REPORT

<b>Application Number:</b>	DA2021/2293
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<b>Responsible Officer:</b>	Nick England
<b>Land to be developed (Address):</b>	Lot 6 DP 736961, 10 Fern Creek Road WARRIEWOOD NSW 2102
<b>Proposed Development:</b>	Construction of a dwelling house on Proposed Lot 13
<b>Zoning:</b>	R3 Medium Density Residential
<b>Development Permissible:</b>	Yes
<b>Existing Use Rights:</b>	No
<b>Consent Authority:</b>	Northern Beaches Council
<b>Land and Environment Court Action:</b>	No
<b>Owner:</b>	Pic 10 Warriewood Pty Ltd
<b>Applicant:</b>	Lachlan Maas

<b>Application Lodged:</b>	30/11/2021
<b>Integrated Development:</b>	No
<b>Designated Development:</b>	No
<b>State Reporting Category:</b>	Residential - Single new detached dwelling
<b>Notified:</b>	07/12/2021 to 12/01/2022
<b>Advertised:</b>	Not Advertised
<b>Submissions Received:</b>	0
<b>Clause 4.6 Variation:</b>	Nil
<b>Recommendation:</b>	Deferred Commencement Approval

<b>Estimated Cost of Works:</b>	\$ 555,154.00
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### PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT IN DETAIL

The application consists of the construction of a dwelling house on the approved Lot 13 on the subject land, No.10 Fern Creek Road, Warriewood.

### 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:

- 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

Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014 - 6.1 Warriewood Valley Release Area

Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014 - 7.10 Essential services

Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan - D16.5 Landscaped Area for Newly Created Individual Allotments

## SITE DESCRIPTION

<b>Property Description:</b>	Lot 6 DP 736961 , 10 Fern Creek Road WARRIEWOOD NSW 2102
<b>Detailed Site Description:</b>	<p>The subject site is legally described as Lot 6 in Deposited Plan 736961 with a surveyed area of 10,233m<sup>2</sup> and is located on the eastern side of Fern Creek Road. Specifically, the proposal is located on approved allotment No.12 in an approved community title subdivision on the subject land, which is yet to be legally created.</p> <p>Lot No.13 has an approved / surveyed area of 350m<sup>2</sup> and is accessed from an un-named cul-de-sac which connects with Fern Creek Road.</p> <p>The site is located within the R3 Medium Density Residential zone and is currently vacant, with the exception of the constructed access roads and associated services infrastructure.</p> <p>The part of the site subject to the proposed dwelling site is relatively flat with no significant vegetation.</p> <p>Adjoining and surrounding development is characterised by vacant land to the north, south and east. To the west is detached dwelling houses.</p>

Map:



## SITE HISTORY

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

**N0540/15:** Development consent (via a Section 34 agreement in the NSW Land and Environment Court) granted for "The creation of a twenty (20) lot community title subdivision and construction of associated infrastructure and access roads" on 20 June 2016. The subject application relates to approved Lot No.12 of this consent.

## 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
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(i) – Provisions of any environmental planning instrument	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	Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan applies to this proposal.
Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iiia) – Provisions of any planning agreement	None applicable.

Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration	Comments
<p>Section 4.15 (1) (a)(iv) – Provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (EP&amp;A Regulation 2000)</p>	<p><u>Division 8A</u> of the EP&amp;A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider "Prescribed conditions" of development consent. These matters have been addressed via a condition of consent.</p> <p><u>Clause 50(1A)</u> of the EP&amp;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.</p> <p><u>Clauses 54 and 109</u> of the EP&amp;A Regulation 2000 allow Council to request additional information. No additional information was requested in this case.</p> <p><u>Clause 92</u> of the EP&amp;A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider AS 2601 - 1991: The Demolition of Structures. This clause is not relevant to this application.</p> <p><u>Clauses 93 and/or 94</u> of the EP&amp;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.</p> <p><u>Clause 98</u> of the EP&amp;A Regulation 2000 requires the consent authority to consider insurance requirements under the Home Building Act 1989. This matter has been addressed via a condition of consent.</p> <p><u>Clause 98</u> of the EP&amp;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.</p> <p><u>Clause 143A</u> of the EP&amp;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.</p>
<p>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</p>	<p>(i) <b>Environmental Impact</b> The environmental impacts of the proposed development on the natural and built environment are addressed under the Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan section in this report.</p> <p>(ii) <b>Social Impact</b> The proposed development will not have a detrimental social impact in the locality considering the character of the proposal.</p> <p>(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 proposed land use.</p>

Section 4.15 Matters for Consideration	Comments
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

The site is not classified as bush fire prone land.

## NOTIFICATION & SUBMISSIONS RECEIVED

The subject development application has been publicly exhibited from 07/12/2021 to 12/01/2022 in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 and the Community Participation Plan.

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

## REFERRALS

Internal Referral Body	Comments
Environmental Health (unsewered lands)	<p><b>General Comments</b></p> <p>The proposed development will be connected to existing underground sewer. No on-site sewage management system required under the Local Government Act 1993.</p>
Landscape Officer	<p>The development application is for the construction of a dwelling house and associated site and landscape works upon Lot 13.</p> <p>Council’s Landscape Referral staff have assessed the proposal against the following Pittwater 21 DCP Controls (but not limited to):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• B4.22 Preservation of Trees and Bushland Vegetation</li> <li>• C1.1 Landscaping</li> <li>• D16 Warriewood Valley Locality, and in particular D16.5 Landscaped Area for Newly Created Individual Allotments, and D16.12 Fences</li> </ul> <p>The site is a vacant lot with no existing vegetation within the property boundaries as reported in the submitted Arboricultural Impact Assessment. Existing street trees are present within the road verges and all shall be protected. Existing trees within adjoining lots shall be protected and are subject to conditions of consent.</p> <p>The Architectural Plans include fencing to the development front</p>



Internal Referral Body	Comments
	<p>setback and this shall be removed. Under DCP control D16.12 Fences, the front setback between public and private land shall be delineated by vegetation, such as low hedges, garden beds or the like, and fencing is not permitted forward of the front building line to ensure an appropriate front setback landscape amenity to the streetscape.</p> <p>A Landscape Plan is submitted proposing landscape works to enhance the landscape setting of the lot development and no concerns are raised, subject to conditions of consent, including an Amended Landscape Plan to provide detailed plans at Construction Certificate stage to ensure compliance with the Pittwater 21 DCP landscape controls, and the following shall be documented or amended on the detailed plans:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the plant schedule shall include a minimum of 70% endemic vegetation, with all canopy trees to be endemic, whilst smaller trees may be exotic,</li> <li>• exempt species are to be removed from the proposed plant schedule and these include Cupaniopsis, Fraxinus and Howea species listed in the development application document,</li> <li>• environmental weeds are not permitted to be planted and shall be removed from the proposed plant schedule and these include Cupaniopsis, Rhipiolepis and Pennisetum species listed in the development application document,</li> <li>• canopy tree endemic planting shall be Eucalyptus robusta and Waterhousia floribunda, as nominated in the development application document, and additionally Angophora floribunda shall be included within the lot,</li> <li>• all canopy tree planting is to be located a minimum of 5 metres, and smaller trees at least 3 metres from existing and proposed dwellings,</li> <li>• each tree is to be located at least 1.5 metres from adjoining common residential side boundaries,</li> <li>• hard landscape materials and landscape structures (excluding front setback fencing) shall be in accordance with the development application document,</li> <li>• fencing is not permitted forward of the front building line. Boundaries between public and private land shall be delineated by vegetation, such as low hedges, garden beds or the like.</li> </ul>
NECC (Development Engineering)	The submitted stormwater plans have been reviewed. No objections to approval subject to conditions as recommended.
NECC (Water Management)	This application has been assessed against relevant legislation and policy relating to waterways, riparian areas, and groundwater. No objection to the application, subject to conditions.
External Referral Body	Comments
Ausgrid: (SEPP Infra.)	The proposal was referred to Ausgrid who provided a response stating that no specific conditions were required.

## 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 commercial purposes (agriculture) for a significant period of time with no prior land uses. An investigation of the subject site in this regard was undertaken during the assessment of the application of the community title subdivision and no adverse risk of contamination was likely in the context of future residential development. 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 proposed residential land use.

#### **SEPP (Building Sustainability Index: BASIX) 2004**

A BASIX certificate has been submitted with the application (see Certificate No.1249780S dated 21 October 2021).

The BASIX Certificate indicates that the development will achieve the following:

<b>Commitment</b>	<b>Required Target</b>	<b>Proposed</b>
<b>Water</b>	40	40
<b>Thermal Comfort</b>	Pass	Pass
<b>Energy</b>	50	54

A condition has been included in the recommendation of this report requiring compliance with the commitments indicated in the BASIX Certificate.

#### **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 raised no objections.

#### **Pittwater Local Environmental Plan 2014**

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:	10m	7.9m	N/A	Yes

#### Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements
1.9A Suspension of covenants, agreements and instruments	Yes
4.3 Height of buildings	Yes
5.10 Heritage conservation	Yes
5.21 Flood planning	Yes
6.1 Warriewood Valley Release Area	Yes
7.1 Acid sulfate soils	Yes
7.2 Earthworks	Yes
7.10 Essential services	Yes

#### Detailed Assessment

##### **6.1 Warriewood Valley Release Area**

The subject allotment is located in Sector 901A, of which the applicable standard is not more than 190 dwellings or less than 154 dwellings. The proposed dwelling is located on an approved allotment under consent no N0540/15, which was consistent with this standard at the time of the consent. Whilst this allotment has yet to be legally created, the application will not be inconsistent with this standard.

##### **7.10 Essential services**

Under this clause, development consent must not be granted to development unless the consent authority is satisfied that any of the following services that are essential for the development are available or that adequate arrangements have been made to make them available when required:



- (a) the supply of water,
- (b) the supply of electricity,
- (c) the disposal and management of sewage,
- (d) stormwater drainage or on-site conservation,
- (e) suitable vehicular access.

Comment:

Sufficient services infrastructure has been provided to the subject land, consistent with the existing consent for the community title subdivision.

**Pittwater 21 Development Control Plan**

Built Form Controls

Built Form Control	Requirement	Proposed	% Variation*	Complies
Front building line	4m	4 - 6.8m	N/A	Yes
Rear building line	4m to ground level and 6m to upper level.	4m (ground), 6m (upper level)	N/A	Yes
Side building line	0.9m (ground floor)	0.9 - 1.9m	N/A	Yes
	1.5m (upper level)	1.78 - 3m	N/A	Yes
Spatial Separation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Landscaped area	45%	128.1sqm + 24sqm (152.1sqm) or 43.5%	3%	No

Compliance Assessment

Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
A1.7 Considerations before consent is granted	Yes	Yes
A4.16 Warriewood Valley Locality	Yes	Yes
B1.4 Aboriginal Heritage Significance	Yes	Yes
B3.11 Flood Prone Land	Yes	Yes
B4.5 Landscape and Flora and Fauna Enhancement Category 3 Land	Yes	Yes
B5.15 Stormwater	Yes	Yes
B6.3 Off-Street Vehicle Parking Requirements	Yes	Yes
B8.1 Construction and Demolition - Excavation and Landfill	Yes	Yes
B8.3 Construction and Demolition - Waste Minimisation	Yes	Yes
B8.4 Construction and Demolition - Site Fencing and Security	Yes	Yes
C1.3 View Sharing	Yes	Yes
C1.9 Adaptable Housing and Accessibility	Yes	Yes
C1.12 Waste and Recycling Facilities	Yes	Yes
C1.13 Pollution Control	Yes	Yes
C1.23 Eaves	Yes	Yes

Clause	Compliance with Requirements	Consistency Aims/Objectives
C6.2 Natural Environment and Landscaping Principles	Yes	Yes
C6.3 Ecologically Sustainable Development, Safety and Social Inclusion	Yes	Yes
C6.5 Utilities, Services and Infrastructure Provision	Yes	Yes
D16.1 Character as viewed from a public place	Yes	Yes
D16.5 Landscaped Area for Newly Created Individual Allotments	No	Yes
D16.6 Front building lines	Yes	Yes
D16.7 Side and rear building lines	Yes	Yes
D16.9 Solar access	Yes	Yes
D16.10 Private and Communal Open Space Areas	Yes	Yes
D16.11 Form of construction including retaining walls, terracing and undercroft areas	Yes	Yes
D16.12 Fences	Yes	Yes
D16.13 Building colours and materials	Yes	Yes

#### Detailed Assessment

### **D16.5 Landscaped Area for Newly Created Individual Allotments**

#### **Description of Non-Compliance**

A total of 43.5% of the site is set aside as landscaped open space. This is a 3% variation with the minimum standard of 45% (relating to lots wider than 14m).

#### **Consideration of the Outcomes**

The non-compliance is tested against the Outcomes of the control as follows:

*Conservation of significant natural features of the site and contribution to the effective management of biodiversity.*

Comment: There are no significant natural features or areas of habitat on the site.

*Warriewood Valley achieves a unified and high quality landscape character that contributes to the sense of place.*

Comment: The extent of the variation is very minor (approximately a 10m<sup>2</sup> deficiency) and is not considered to result in any substantial loss of landscape open space on the frontage, that will maintain a sufficient visual quality and character within the cul-de-sac where the subject site and dwelling is to be located.

*Landscaping promotes ecologically sustainable outcomes, maintaining and enhancing biological diversity and ecological processes.*

Comment: As stated previously, there are no significant biodiversity on the site, hence this Outcome is not strictly relevant to the site.

*The area of site disturbance is minimised.*

Comment: No significant excavation or vegetation removal is proposed.

*Stormwater runoff is reduced, preventing soil erosion and siltation of natural drainage channels.*

Comment: Sufficient stormwater management processes are applied in the design of the proposed to development to achieve this Outcome.

*Landscaped areas should be predominately areas of deep soil.*

Comment: Sufficient areas of deep soil is provided around the boundaries of the site to meet this Outcome.

*New development is blended into the streetscape and neighbourhood through the retention and enhancement of vegetation.*

Comment: The extent of the variation is minor and in conjunction with similar proposed development in the approved community subdivision area.

*To ensure a reasonable level of privacy and amenity is provided within the development site and maintained to neighbouring properties.*

Comment: No adverse impact on the amenity of adjoining properties is likely as a result of the proposed variation with the minimum control.

Based on the assessment above, there is sufficient merits of the development to meet the outcomes of the control and the variation is supported under the circumstances.

## **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.

## **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;
- Pittwater Local Environment Plan;
- Pittwater 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

### DEFERRED COMMENCEMENT APPROVAL

A. THAT Council as the consent authority grant a Deferred Commencement Development Consent being subject to a two (2) year time frame for Deferred Commencement Consents detailed within Section 95 of the EP&A Regulation 2000 to DA2021/2293 for Construction of a dwelling house on Proposed Lot 13 on land at Lot 6 DP 736961, 10 Fern Creek Road, WARRIEWOOD, subject to the conditions printed below:

B. THAT once the matters detailed within the Deferred Commencement Development Consent conditions are satisfactorily addressed then an operational development consent be issued subject to the time frames detailed within Part A of this recommendation.

## DEFERRED COMMENCEMENT CONDITIONS

### 1. **Deferred Commencement**

The issue of a Subdivision Certificate to demonstrate that the land subject to the approved dwelling (Lot No.13) has been legally created.

Evidence required to satisfy these conditions must be submitted to Council within two (2) years of the date of this consent, or the consent will lapse in accordance with Section 95 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

Evidence required to satisfy the deferred commencement condition/s must be submitted to Council within two (2) years of the date of this consent, or the consent will lapse in accordance with Section 95 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000. This evidence is to be submitted along with a completed 'Deferred Commencement Document Review Form' (available on Council's website) and the application fee, as per Council's Schedule of Fees and Charges.

Upon satisfaction of the deferred commencement condition/s, the following conditions apply:

## DEVELOPMENT CONSENT OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS

### 2. **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

<b>Architectural Plans - Endorsed with Council's stamp</b>		
<b>Drawing No.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Prepared By</b>
DA010 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA020 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA120 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA130 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA140 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA200 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA210 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA300 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA400 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture
DA700 Revision B	11 November 2021	PTI Architecture

<b>Engineering Plans</b>		
<b>Drawing No.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Prepared By</b>
C21187-SW01 Revision D	21 September 2021	CAM Consulting
C21187-SW02 Revision D	21 September 2021	CAM Consulting

<b>Reports / Documentation – All recommendations and requirements contained within:</b>		
<b>Report Title / No.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Prepared By</b>
BASIX Certificate No.1249780S	21 October 2021	Outsource Ideas
Arboricultural Impact Assessment Report	17 June 2021	Urban Arbor

b) Any plans and / or documentation submitted to satisfy the Deferred Commencement Conditions of this consent as approved in writing by Council.

c) Any plans and / or documentation submitted to satisfy the Conditions of this consent.

d) The development is to be undertaken generally in accordance with the following:

<b>Landscape Plans</b>		
<b>Drawing No.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Prepared By</b>
013 Issue A	18 October 2021	Site Image
113 Issue A	18 October 2021	Site Image
313 Issue A	18 October 2021	Site Image
413 Issue A	18 October 2021	Site Image



513 Issue A	18 October 2021	Site Image
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<b>Waste Management Plan</b>		
<b>Drawing No/Title.</b>	<b>Dated</b>	<b>Prepared By</b>
-	-	Anthony Jonker
Operational Waste Management Plan	October 2021	Waste Audit

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.

### 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 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 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.
- (l) 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 2018
    - (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 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. Security Bond

A bond (determined from cost of works) of \$2,000 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).

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](http://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

### 6. Amended Landscape Plan

An Amended Landscape Plan shall be issued to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of a Construction Certificate to include the following details:

- the plant schedule shall include a minimum of 70% endemic vegetation, with all canopy trees to be endemic, whilst smaller trees may be exotic,
- exempt species are to be removed from the proposed plant schedule and these include Cupaniopsis, Fraxinus and Howea species listed in the development application document,

- environmental weeds are not permitted to be planted and shall be removed from the proposed plant schedule and these include Cupaniopsis, Rhipiolepis and Pennisetum species listed in the development application document,
- canopy tree endemic planting shall be Eucalyptus robusta and Waterhousia floribunda, as nominated in the development application document, and additionally Angophora floribunda shall be included within the lot,
- all canopy tree planting is to be located a minimum of 5 metres, and smaller trees at least 3 metres from existing and proposed dwellings,
- each tree is to be located at least 1.5 metres from adjoining common residential side boundaries,
- hard landscape materials and landscape structures (excluding front setback fencing) shall be in accordance with the development application document,
- fencing is not permitted forward of the front building line. Boundaries between public and private land shall be delineated by vegetation, such as low hedges, garden beds or the like.

Certification shall be provided to the Certifying Authority by a qualified Landscape Architect that these amendments have been documented.

Reason: Landscape amenity.

#### 7. **Erosion and Sediment Control Plan**

An Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (ESCP) shall be prepared by an appropriately qualified person and implemented onsite prior to commencement. The ESCP must meet the requirements outlined in the Landcom publication Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction - Volume 1, 4th Edition (2004). The ESCP must include the following as a minimum:

- Site Boundaries and contours
- Approximate location of trees and other vegetation, showing items for removal or retention (consistent with any other plans attached to the application)
- Location of site access, proposed roads and other impervious areas (e.g. parking areas and site facilities)
- Existing and proposed drainage patterns with stormwater discharge points
- Locations and methods of all erosion and sediment controls that must include sediment fences, stabilised site access, materials and waste stockpiles locations, location of any stormwater pits on the site and how they are going to be protected.
- North point and scale.

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.

#### 8. **Stormwater Treatment Measures – Minor**

The applicant must install a filtration device (such as a sediment control pit or absorption trench) that captures organic matter and coarse sediments 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.

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.



## 9. On-site Stormwater 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 CAM Consulting, drawing number C21187-SW01, revision D, dated 19/11/2021. 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. A 3000 liters rainwater tank for non-potable purposes is to be installed and used as part of an integrated on-site Stormwater management system in accordance with Development Consent N0540/15.
- ii. The interallotment drainage easement should be free of any structures.

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

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

## 10. Compliance with Standards

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

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.

## 11. External Finishes to Roof

The external finish to the roof shall have a medium to dark range (BCA classification M and D) in order to minimise solar reflections to neighbouring properties. Any roof with a metallic steel finish is not permitted.

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

Reason: To ensure that excessive glare or reflectivity nuisance does not occur as a result of the development. (DACPLC03)

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

## 12. Protection of Existing Street Trees

All existing street trees in the vicinity of the works including Fern Creek Road and the street trees at the development site frontage shall be retained during all construction stages and thereafter. Existing tree guards shall be maintained in place.

Should any street tree along the site frontage not contain a tree guard or the existing tree guard

is damaged during works, tree protection fencing consisting of a four sided 1.8m high x 2.4m length standard wire mesh construction fence, in accordance with Australian Standard AS 4687-2007: Temporary Fencing & Hoardings, shall be installed around the tree for the duration of the works.

Any street tree damaged or removed shall be replaced at a minimum container size of 200 litres, and in accordance with guidelines provided by Council.

Reason: to retain and protect tree planting on development sites.

### 13. **Tree and Vegetation Protection**

a) Existing trees and vegetation shall be retained and protected, including:

- i) all trees and vegetation located on adjoining properties,
- ii) all road reserve trees and vegetation.

b) Tree protection shall be undertaken as follows:

- i) tree protection shall be in accordance with Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites, including the provision of temporary fencing to protect existing trees within 5 metres of development,
- ii) existing ground levels shall be maintained within the tree protection zone of trees to be retained, unless authorised by an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture,
- iii) removal of existing tree roots at or >25mm (Ø) diameter is not permitted without consultation with an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture,
- iv) no excavated material, building material storage, site facilities, nor landscape materials are to be placed within the canopy dripline of trees and other vegetation required to be retained,
- v) structures are to bridge tree roots at or >25mm (Ø) diameter unless directed by an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture on site,
- vi) excavation for stormwater lines and all other utility services is not permitted within the tree protection zone, without consultation with an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture including advice on root protection measures,
- vii) should either or all of v) or vi) occur during site establishment and construction works, an Arborist with minimum AQF Level 5 in arboriculture shall provide recommendations for tree protection measures. Details including photographic evidence of works undertaken shall be submitted by the Arborist to the Certifying Authority,
- viii) any temporary access to, or location of scaffolding within the tree protection zone of a protected tree or any other tree to be retained during the construction works is to be undertaken using the protection measures specified in sections 4.5.3 and 4.5.6 of Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that:

c) The activities listed in section 4.2 of Australian Standard 4970-2009 Protection of Trees on Development Sites, do not occur within the tree protection zone of any tree, and any temporary access to, or location of scaffolding within the tree protection zone of a protected tree, or any other tree to be retained on the site during the construction, is undertaken using the protection measures specified in sections 4.5.3 and 4.5.6 of that standard.

Note: All street trees within the road verge and trees within private property are protected under Northern Beaches Council development control plans, except where Council's written consent for removal has been obtained. The felling, lopping, topping, ringbarking, or removal of any tree (s) is

Reason: Tree and vegetation protection.

14. **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 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 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.

Reason: Protection of the receiving environment.

15. **Survey Certificate**

A survey certificate prepared by a Registered Surveyor at the following stages of construction:

(a) Commencement of perimeter walls columns and or other structural elements to ensure the wall or structure, to boundary setbacks are in accordance with the approved details.

(b) At ground level to ensure the finished floor levels are in accordance with the approved levels, prior to concrete slab being poured/flooring being laid.

(c) At completion of the roof frame confirming the finished roof/ridge height is in accordance with levels indicated on the approved plans.

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

Reason: To determine the height of buildings under construction comply with levels shown on approved plans.

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

16. **Landscape Completion**

Landscaping is to be implemented in accordance with the approved Amended Landscape Plan.

Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate details (from a qualified landscape architect) shall be submitted to the Certifying Authority certifying that the landscape works have been completed in accordance with any conditions of consent.

Reason: Environmental amenity.

17. **Stormwater Disposal**

The stormwater drainage works shall be certified as compliant with all relevant Australian Standards and Council's Water Management for Development Policy by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any final Occupation Certificate.

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

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

18. **Landscape Maintenance**

If any landscape materials/components or planting under this consent fails, they are to be replaced with similar materials/components. Trees, shrubs and groundcovers required to be planted under this consent are to be mulched, watered and fertilised as required at the time of planting.

If any tree, shrub or groundcover required to be planted under this consent fails, they are to be replaced with similar species to maintain the landscape theme and be generally in accordance with the approved Landscape Plan and any conditions of consent.

All weeds are to be removed and controlled in accordance with the NSW Biosecurity Act 2015.

Reason: To maintain local environmental amenity.

19. **Maintenance of Stormwater Treatment Measures - Minor**

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.

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

**Signed**



**Nick England, Planner**

The application is determined on 10/03/2022, under the delegated authority of:



**Phil Lane, Acting Development Assessment Manager**