

## Natural Environment Referral Response - Flood

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| <b>Application Number:</b>             | DA2019/1157  |
| <b>Date:</b>                           | 14/05/2020   |
| <b>To:</b>                             | Claire Ryan  |
| <b>Land to be developed (Address):</b> | Lot 66 DP 6248 , 353 Barrenjoey Road NEWPORT NSW 2106<br>Lot 65 DP 6248 , 351 Barrenjoey Road NEWPORT NSW 2106<br>Lot 64 DP 1090224 , 351 Barrenjoey Road NEWPORT NSW 2106 |

### 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 amended plans which were submitted in May 2020 have been reviewed, and there is no change to the flood referral comments. As before:

The proposed development generally complies with the flood requirements of the LEP and DCP. A Flood Management Report has now been submitted, by Demlakian (March 2020).

The DA has been assessed according to results from the Newport Flood Study (2019). The Flood Planning Level (FPL) and the Probable Maximum Flood (PMF) level vary across the site, but are covered by Demlakian's Flood Management Report.

In particular, all entrances/openings are protected up to the FPL, including the driveway crest. Each of the retail areas meets Control F10 with not more than 30m<sup>2</sup> or the first 5m from the front being below the FPL.

It is noted that the Ground Floor Flooding Diagram (Drawing A102B 01) is still out of date. In the area just east of the driveway, it shows the stairs and bin room in a different location to the other drawings. The flood assessment and referral comments have been based on the layout shown in the Ground Floor Plan (Drawing A102 11).

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, taking into account the forces of floodwater, 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.

#### Storage of Goods – D1

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

#### Floor Levels – F1

New floor levels within the development shall be set at or above the levels as shown on Drawing A102/07.

#### Car parking – G3

All access, ventilation and any other potential water entry points, including entry ramp crests to the basement car park shall be at or above the Flood Planning Level, and as shown on Drawing A102/07. This includes that the driveway crest must be at or above 7.49m AHD, and the stairs from the street down to the basement car park must rise to at least 7.15m AHD before descending.

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.