Sent: 2/03/2022 10:12:08 AM

Subject: FW: DA2021/2547 - 1 Norma Road PALM BEACH

Dear Julie,

Development Application No. DA2021/2547 Description: Construction of a swimming pool

Address: 1 Norma Road PALM BEACH

Reference is made to the proposed development at the above area and Aboriginal heritage.

There are known Aboriginal sites in the area although no sites are recorded in the current lot.

An inspection of the property by the Aboriginal Heritage Office and Council (2 February 2022) identified one area of potential. Provided that this area is not impacted then the Aboriginal Heritage Office would not foresee any further Aboriginal Heritage issues on the proposal. If the area would be impacted, then the Aboriginal Heritage Office would recommend further investigation ('due diligence' under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*) by a qualified Aboriginal heritage professional prior to any development.

Under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NPW Act) all Aboriginal objects are protected. Should any Aboriginal Cultural Heritage items be uncovered during earthworks, works should cease in the area and the Aboriginal Heritage Office assess the finds. Under Section 89a of the NPW Act should the objects be found to be Aboriginal, Heritage NSW and the Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council (MLALC) should be contacted.



Kind regards,
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I acknowledge and pay my respects to the traditional owners and ancestors of the lands in which the AHO work across.