

# **Engineering Referral Response**

Application Number:	DA2023/0270
Proposed Development:	Alterations and additions to a dwelling house including a swimming pool
Date:	08/06/2023
То:	Dean Pattalis
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot 14 DP 12556 , 23 Nimbey Avenue NARRAWEENA NSW 2099

#### 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

Council's records indicate that the subject property is burdened by a Council stormwater pipeline. Council has public Planning Maps online with stormwater information as a reference for detailed stormwater investigations, available under the "Stormwater" overlay map (https://services.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/icongis/index.html). To demonstrate compliance with Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development policy, it is recommended that the following

details are submitted:

Accurately locate, confirm dimensions including depth and plot to scale Council's public
drainage system and associated infrastructure on the DA site plans that outline the proposal.
This should be carried out by a service locating contractor and registered surveyor. (Evidence of
methodology used for locating stormwater system should be provided)

If the applicant proposes to use a CCTV pipeline survey to confirm the location of the pipeline, it is recommended that the survey is carried out in accordance with Council's guideline

- All structures are to be located clear of any Council pipeline, pit or easement and comply with minimum vertical and horizontal clearances;
- Footings of any structure adjacent to an easement, pipeline, culvert or channel are to be designed in accordance with the above-mentioned policy; and
- Structural details prepared by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer demonstrating compliance with

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Council's policy are to be submitted.

#### Additional Information Provided on 26/5/2023

Pipe locating survey has been provided. No objections to approval subject to conditions as recommended.

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 to Council's stormwater infrastructure as part of this consent a bond of \$5 000.

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

# **Stormwater Disposal from Low Level Property**

The applicant is to demonstrate how stormwater from the new development within this consent shall be disposed of to an existing approved system or in accordance with Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development Policy in particular Section 5.5 Stormwater Drainage from Low Level Properties. Details demonstrating that the existing approved system can accommodate the additional flows or compliance with the Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development Policy are to be submitted to the Certifier for approval prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

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

## Structures Located Adjacent to Council Pipeline or Council Easement

All structures are to be located clear of any Council pipeline or easement. Footings of any structure adjacent to an easement or pipeline are to be designed in accordance with Council's Water Management Policy; (in particular Section 6 - Building Over or Adjacent to Constructed Council Drainage Systems and Easements Technical Specification). Structural details prepared by a suitably qualified Civil Engineer, who has National Engineers Register (NER) or Professionals Australia (RPENG) demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Certifier for approval prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

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

The Applicant is to submit a pre-construction / demolition 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, 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/2009084729guidelineforpreparingadilapidationsurveyofcouncilstormwaterassets2.pdf

The pre-construction / demolition dilapidation report must be submitted to Council for acceptance and the acceptance in writing is to be submitted to the Certifier prior to the issue of the Construction Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

## 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.

# 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 Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's infrastructure.

# **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.

## Certification of Structures Located Adjacent to Council Pipeline or Council Easement

The Applicant shall submit a suitably qualified Structural Engineer's certification that the completed

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footing works have been constructed in accordance with this consent, Northern Beaches Council's Water Management for Development Policy and the approved Construction Certificate plans. Details demonstrating compliance are to be submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate.

Reason: Protection of Council's Infrastructure.

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