

Development Application Tree Removal and Tree Pruning

Made under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (Sections 78A)
for works associated with a Complying Development Certificate Application

Address the application to:

The General Manager
Warringah Council
Civic Centre, 725 Pittwater Rd
Dee Why NSW 2099

Or

Customer Service Centre
Warringah Council
DX 9118
Dee Why

**If you need help lodging
your application:**

Phone our Customer Service
Centre on (02) 9942 2111 or
come in and talk to us

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WLEP 2000 Locality
 WLEP 2011 Zone

DA 2014/0694

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Owners Consent	<input type="checkbox"/> Flood Zone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lot and DP	<input type="checkbox"/> Riparian Zone
<input type="checkbox"/> 40m Buffer	<input type="checkbox"/> Vegetation/ Threatened
<input type="checkbox"/> Acid Sulfate	<input type="checkbox"/> Wave Impact
<input type="checkbox"/> Bushfire Zone	<input type="checkbox"/> Coastal Zone
<input type="checkbox"/> Heritage	<input type="checkbox"/> 100m MHHM
<input type="checkbox"/> Slip Zone	

For applicable fees and charges, please refer to Council's website: www.warringah.nsw.gov.au or contact our Customer Service Centre.

Privacy and Personal Information Protection Notice

The personal information requested in this form is required by or under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and will only be used by Warringah Council in connection with the requirements of that Act and any other relevantly applicable legislation relating to the subject-matter of this application. The information is being collected for the following purposes, namely, to enable us to (1) process and determine your application, (2) contact you in relation to your application should that be necessary, and (3) keep the public informed by making the application publicly accessible. If you do not provide the information, Council will not be able to process your application, and your application will be rejected.

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Part 1 Summary Applicant(s) Details

Applicant(s) name

Owner(s) name

If any owner/applicant of this development application is a current employee or elected representative of Warringah Council.

Warringah Council Employee Yes Elected Representative Yes

Part 2 Application Details

2.1 Location of the property Unit no. House no. Street

We need this to correctly identify the land. These details are shown on your rates notice, property title etc.

Suburb

Legal property description Lot Sect DP/SP

This information must be supplied

Part 2 Application Details

2.2 Exemptions

Council consent is not required for removal if the tree is less than 5 metres in height or seven (7) metres in canopy width, the tree is dead, a noxious weed, is referred to in the list of exempt species in Appendix 5 of WDCP, or is considered dangerous to life or property.

If a level 5 qualified arborist provides written confirmation that a tree is dangerous to life or property, the tree can be removed without obtaining Consent from Council. Please forward a copy of the arborist's report to Council prior to removal if practical.

You may also prune a tree by less than 10% of the foliage within a 12 month period without Council consent.

2.3 Application Fee

\$110 - Fee to be confirmed with Council's current Fees and Charges

2.4 Owners Consent

The owner of the land on which the tree(s) are located must sign the consent on the application

Any consent issued as a result of this application is not a directive or order and does not oblige the owner to undertake the consented works. The consent is valid for **five years** from the date on the determination.

2.5 Description of works

Please provide details of the work to be carried out in the box below

Tree no.	Tree species (if known)	Work required (prune/remove/assess)	Reason for the work
1	Gum	Assess & Remove	Over past two years falling branches have caused considerable damage to roof and fascia in spite of tree having been trimmed within Council's permissible limits. Branches continue to fall and unable to park cars in driveway for fear of damage - also with grand children playing in garden there is serious concern for their safety. Branches overhang properties power lines also overhang neighbours power lines.
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8			① Roof tile repairs - 2 falling branches
9			② Front fascia ripped out by branch falling on power lines
10			③ 2 branches have come down on driveway - fortunately no cars parked in driveway so no damage. Having advised Council of above concerns feel it will be Council's responsibility if any person injured or property damaged due to future falls from tree.
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Please indicate whether any of the above trees are considered dangerous to life or property. Please refer to section 2.2 Exemptions

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2.6 Sketch

Please indicate in the box on the right:

Sketch the outline of the allotment, street, position of structures eg house, garage and the location of each tree as numbered in 2.3

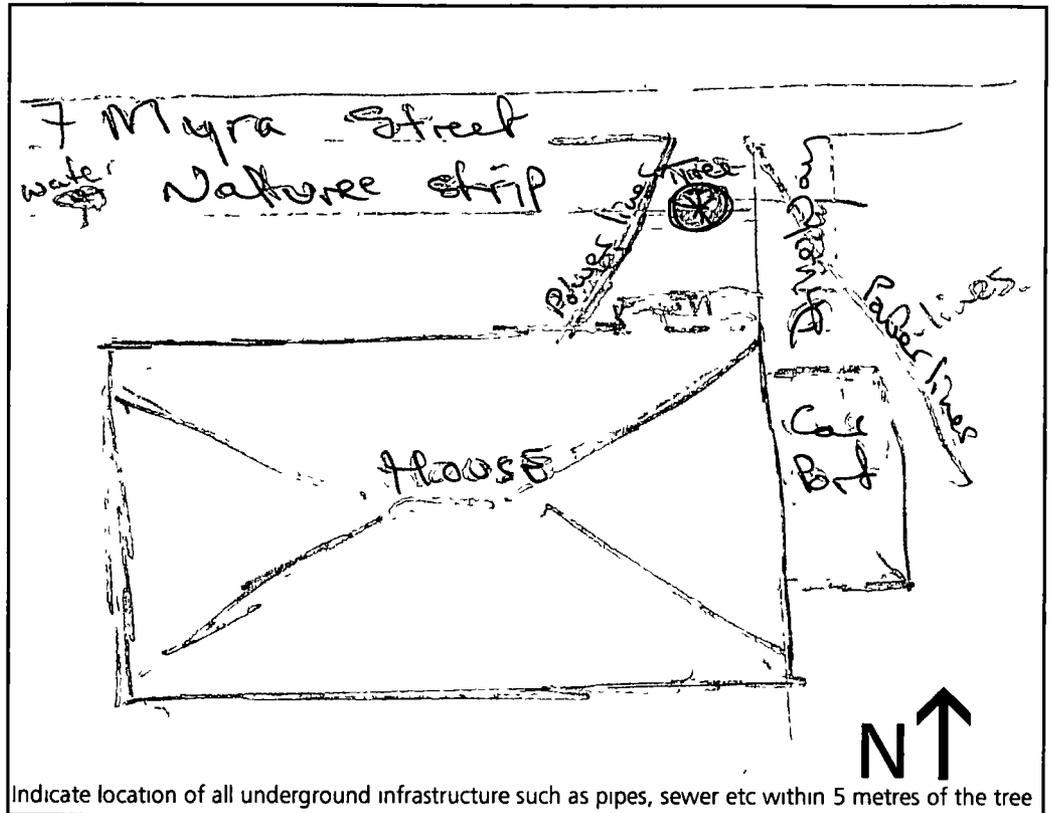
Please tie a yellow ribbon around the tree trunk.

Are there any dogs on the property?

Yes No

Are there any locked gates blocking access?

Yes No



2.7 Integrated development

Is this application for integrated development?

Please tick appropriate boxes

Yes No

Integrated development is development that requires licences or approvals from other consent authorities. Most forms of development will not be "integrated". See Part 4, Division 5, Section 91 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 - www.legislation.nsw.gov.au. If integrated additional payment (by Cheque) is required to relevant authority.

Fisheries Management Act 1994 s144 s201 s205 s219

Heritage Act 1977 s58

Mine Subsidence s15

Compensation Act 1961

Mining Act 1992 s63 s64

National Parks and s90

Wildlife Act 1974

Petroleum (Onshore) Act 1991 s9

Protection of the Environment s43(a),(b),(d) s47 s48 s55 s122

Operations Act 1997

Roads Act 1993 s138

Rural Fires Act 1997 s100B

Water Management Act 2000 s89 s90 s91

Part 2 Application Details

2.8 Disclosure of political donations and gifts

Note: gift means a gift within the meaning of section 84 of the Election Funding & Disclosures Act 1981. Failure to disclose relevant information is considered an offence under Part 6 section 96H of the Election Funding and Disclosures Act 1981.

Under section 147 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 any reportable political donation to an elected representative of Warringah Council (Mayor or Councillor) and/or any gift to an elected representative or Warringah Council employee within a two (2) year period commencing two (2) years before the date of this application and ending when the application is determined must be disclosed.

Are you aware of any person with a financial interest in this application who made a reportable donation or gave a gift in the last two (2) years

Yes

No

If yes, complete the Political Donation Declaration and lodge it with this application. If no, in signing this application I undertake to advise the Council in writing if I become aware of any person with a financial interest in this application who has made a political donation or has given a gift in the period from the date of lodgement of this application and the date of its determination.

For further information visit Council's website at:
www.warringah.nsw.gov.au/plan_dev/PoliticalDonationsBill.aspx

Development Application Checklist

Required

Supplied

DO YOU HAVE OWNER(S) CONSENT? (All owners of the property must give consent).

(NOTE: If the trunk of the tree is located across property boundaries, consent of ALL owners of EACH property is required)

Yes

No

HAVE YOU ATTACHED A SKETCH OF THE PROPERTY?

(All trees to be inspected are to be clearly marked on the sketch and on site with tape, ribbon, paint spot or numbered tag)

If you have indicated that the application is Integrated Development

HAVE YOU ATTACHED A CHEQUE? Please discuss with Council.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION?

Have you attached all relevant documentation, reports, photographs in support of the application? e.g. below

- Arborist's Report (in accordance with Appendix of WDCP)

Note: Council's assessment of your tree will be a visual observation made at ground level. Should your tree require detailed inspection or assessment of features located more than 2 metres above ground level, or below ground such as root mapping, to justify your application, you must provide a report from a qualified level 5 arborist detailing these issues.

- Sewer diagram, Plumbers report

- Structural Engineers report detailing damage to property and why alternatives to removing the tree are not feasible

Exempt and Complying Development

Is this application required as part of an Exempt or Complying Development?

If Yes - have you attached all relevant plans?

A Site Plan showing existing and proposed development with trees identified in Part 2.5.

Warringah Development Control Plan, Part H, Appendix 11 - Class 2-9 Building and Appendix 12 - Tree Protection Plan may apply.