

Landscape Referral Response

Application Number:	DA2025/0928
Date:	29/07/2025
Proposed Development:	Demolition works, alterations and additions to a dwelling house including a first floor addition, detached garage, swimming pool and cabana
Responsible Officer:	Olivia Ramage
Land to be developed (Address):	Lot Y DP 370617, 15 Chisholm Avenue AVALON BEACH NSW 2107

Reasons for referral

This application seeks consent for the following:

- Construction / development works within 5 metres of a tree or
- New residential works with three or more dwellings. (RFB's, townhouses, seniors living, questhouses, etc). or
- Mixed use developments containing three or more residential dwellings.
- New Dwellings or

Officer comments

The proposal is not supported with regard to landscape issues.

Council's Landscape Referral is assessed against the Pittwater Local Environment Plan clause C4 zone Environmental Living, and the following Pittwater 21 DCP controls (but not limited to):

- B4.22 Preservation of Trees and Bushland Vegetation
- C1.1 Landscaping
- D1 Avalon Beach Locality

It is noted the property falls within the Biodiversity Values Map (BVM) under the Biodiversity Conservation Act, and any tree removal within the BVM may trigger the Biodiversity Offsets Scheme (BOS). This specific matter is deferred to Council's Bushland & Biodiversity Referral team.

Landscape Referral can continue their assessment after Bushland and Biodiversity have assessed the application.

The proposal is therefore unsupported.

Note: Should you have any concerns with the referral comments above, please discuss these with the Responsible Officer.

Recommended Landscape Conditions:

Nil.

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