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> D277/21 MR3 (CIS)

# ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT, 1979 AS AMENDED NOTICE OF DETERMINATION – Approval

Issued under Section 4.18 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 ("the Act"). Clause 100 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 ("the Regulation")

Development Application Number:	277/21
Land to which this applies:	Suite 3, 102 Alfred Street South, Milsons Point Lot No.: 3, SP: 32515
Applicant:	Mr Francis Henry-May
Proposal:	Alterations and additions to ground floor commercial tenancy and change of use of first floor level to provide a 2 bedroom residential apartment.
Determination of Development Application:	The development application was considered by the <b>North Sydney Local Planning Panel (NSLPP)</b> on 2 March 2022. Subject to the provisions of Section 4.17 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, approval has been granted subject to conditions in the notice of determination.
Date of Determination:	2 March 2022
Reason for approval:	The proposal would provide for appropriate housing choice in a location where there is an appropriate mix of established non-residential uses in the locality. The development would maintain ground floor commercial floor space which would continue to support the needs of residents. The reduction in non-residential floor space is minor at 79sqm and would not significantly reduce the available commercial floor space in the locality. The development would retain a continuous and activated streetscape to the Alfred Street frontage.

	The proposal is assessed as meeting the objectives of the non-residential FSR development standard and the objectives for the B4 Mixed Use Zone.	
Consent to operate from:	8 March 2022	
Consent will lapse on:	8 March 2027	
Period of Consent	Subject to Section 4.20 of the Act, this consent becomes effective and operates from the date listed above. The consent lapses five years after the date of consent in accordance with Section 4.53 of the Act and cannot be extended. To activate this consent, works must physically commence onsite by 8 March 2027.	
How community views were taken into account:	The submissions received by Council were addressed in the NSLPP report (see Council's website: <a href="https://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au/Council Meetings/Meetings/NSLPP/2022/2 March 2022">https://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au/Council Meetings/Meetings/NSLPP/2022/2 March 2022</a> )	
Review of determination and right of appeal:	Within 6 months after the date of notification of the decision, a review of this determination can be requested under Division 8.2 of the Act or an appeal to the Land and Environment Court made pursuant to the provisions of Section 8.7 of the Act. A review of determination should be lodged as soon as possible, and preferably no later two months after the date of notification of the decision to enable the review to be completed within the six-month period.	
Plans endorsed by the consent a	uthority – please refer to condition A1	
Endorsed for and on behalf of N	orth Sydney Council	
DATE	Signature on behalf of consent authority MIGUEL RIVERA SENIOR ASSESSMENT OFFICER	

# (i) Conditions

Consent is granted subject to the following conditions imposed pursuant to Section 4.17 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 ("the Act") and the provisions of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulation 2000 ("the Regulation") such conditions being reasonable and relevant to the development as assessed pursuant to Section 4.17 of the Act.

#### (ii) Definitions

Unless specified otherwise, words have the same meaning as defined by the *Act*, the *Regulation* and the *Interpretation Act* 1987 as in force at the date of consent.

Applicant means the applicant for this consent.

**Approved Plans** means the plans endorsed by Council referenced by this consent as amended by conditions of this consent.

**AS** or **AS/NZS** means Australian Standard® or Australian/New Zealand Standard®, respectively, published by Standards Australia International Limited.

**NCC** means the National Construction Code as published by the Australian Building Codes Board as in force at the date of issue of any *Construction Certificate*.

**Council** means North Sydney Council.

Court means the Land and Environment Court.

Local Native Plants means species of native plant endemic to North Sydney LGA.

Stormwater Drainage System means all works, facilities and documentation relating to:

- The collection of stormwater,
- The retention of stormwater,
- The reuse of stormwater,
- The detention of stormwater,
- The controlled release of stormwater; and
- Connections to easements and public stormwater systems.

**Owner** means the owner of the *site* and successors in title to the *site*.

**Owner Builder** has the same meaning as in the *Home Building Act* 1989.

**Principal Certifier** for building or subdivision work means the certifier appointed as the principal certifier for the building work under section 6.6 (1) or for the subdivision work under section 6.12 (1).

**Principal Contractor** for building work means the person responsible for the overall coordination and control of the carrying out of the building work.

Note: If any residential building work is involved, the principal contractor must be the holder of a contractor licence under the *Home Building Act 1989*.

**Professional Engineer** has the same meaning as in the NCC.

**Public Place** has the same meaning as in the Local Government Act 1993.

**Road** has the same meaning as in the Roads Act 1993.

**SEE** means the final version of the Statement of Environmental Effects lodged by the *Applicant*.

**Site** means the land being developed subject to this consent.

**NSLEP 2013** means North Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2013

NSDCP 2013 means North Sydney Development Control Plan 2013

**Work** for the purposes of this consent means:

- the use of land in connection with development,
- the subdivision of land,
- the erection of a building,
- the carrying out of any work,
- the use of any site crane, machine, article, material, or thing,
- the storage of any waste, materials, site crane, machine, article, material, or thing,
- the demolition of a building,
- the piling, piercing, cutting, boring, drilling, rock breaking, rock sawing or excavation of land.
- the delivery to or removal from the site of any machine, article, material, or thing, or
- the occupation of the site by any person unless authorised by an occupation certificate.

Note: **Interpretation of Conditions** – Where there is any need to obtain an interpretation of the intent of any condition this must be done in writing to Council and confirmed in writing by Council.

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# A. Conditions that Identify Approved Plans

#### **Development in Accordance with Plans/Documentation**

A1. The development must be carried out in accordance with the following drawings and documentation and endorsed with Council's approval stamp, except where amended by the following conditions of this consent.

Plan No.	Issue	Title	Drawn by	Received
DA 03a	Α	Existing Floor Plan: Ground Floor	Henry May Projects	10 November 2021
DA 03b	Α	Existing Floor Plan: Level 1	Henry May Projects	10 November 2021
DA 03c	Α	Demolition Plans	Henry May Projects	10 November 2021
DA 04	А	Proposed Floor Plans: Ground Floor and Level 1	Henry May Projects	10 November 2021
DA 08	А	Existing and Proposed FSR Diagrams	Henry May Projects	10 November 2021
DA02	Α	Site Plan	Tekton Projects	9 September 2021
DA05	А	Proposed Elevation: Alfred Street and Section AA	Tekton Projects	9 September 2021
DA06	Α	Elevations	Tekton Projects	9 September 2021
DA07	А	Window and Door Schedule	Tekton Projects	9 September 2021

(Reason: To ensure that the form of the development undertaken is in accordance with the determination of Council, Public Information)

# C. Prior to the Issue of a Construction Certificate (and ongoing, where indicated)

#### **Sediment Control**

C1. Where construction or excavation activity requires the disturbance of the soil surface or existing vegetation, erosion and sediment control techniques, as a minimum, are to be in accordance with the publication *Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction* (4th edition, Landcom, 2004) commonly referred to as the "Blue Book" or a suitable and effective alternative method.

A Sediment Control Plan must be prepared and submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate and prior to any works commencing. The Sediment Control Plan must be consistent with the Blue Book and disclose:

- a) All details of drainage to protect and drain the site during the construction processes;
- b) All sediment control devices, barriers and the like;
- c) Sedimentation tanks, ponds or the like;
- d) Covering materials and methods; and
- e) A schedule and programme of the sequence of the sediment and erosion control works or devices to be installed and maintained.

f) Methods for the temporary and controlled disposal of stormwater during construction.

All works must be undertaken in accordance with the approved Sediment Control plan.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To protect the environment from the effects of sedimentation and erosion from

development sites)

#### **Waste Management Plan**

- C2. A Waste Management Plan is to be submitted for approval by the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The plan must include, but not be limited to:
  - a) The estimated volume of waste and method of disposal for the construction and operation phases of the development;
  - b) The design of the on-site waste storage and recycling area; and
  - c) Administrative arrangements for waste and recycling management during the construction process.

The approved Waste Management Plan must be complied with at all times in the carrying out of the development.

(Reason: To encourage the minimisation of waste and recycling of building waste)

#### **External Colours and Finishes**

C3. The external colours and finishes shall match those as existing and/or be compatible with surrounding development. A schedule of external colours and finishes must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure that the completed colours and finishes of the works are compatible with surrounding development)

# Bond for Damage and Completion of Infrastructure Works - Stormwater, Kerb and Gutter, Footpaths, Vehicular Crossing and Road Pavement

- C4. Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate, security deposit or bank guarantee must be provided to Council to the sum of \$2,000.00 to be held by Council for the payment of cost for any/all of the following:
  - a) making good any damage caused to any property of the Council as a consequence of the doing of anything to which this consent relates,

- b) completing any public work (such as road work, kerbing and guttering, footway construction, stormwater drainage and <u>environmental controls</u>) required in connection with this consent.
- c) remedying any defects in any such public work that arise within six months after the work is completed.

The security required by this condition and in the schedule contained later in these conditions must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

The security will be refundable following the expiration of six months from the issue of any final Occupation Certificate or completion of public work required to be completed (whichever is the latest) but only upon inspection and release by Council's Engineers.

Council shall have full authority to make use of the bond for such restoration works as deemed necessary by Council in circumstances including the following:

- where the damage constitutes a hazard in which case Council may make use of the security immediately;
- the applicant has not repaired or commenced repairing damage within 48 hours of the issue by Council in writing of instructions to undertake such repairs or works;
- works in the public road associated with the development are to an unacceptable quality;
- the Certifying Authority must ensure that security is provided to North Sydney Council prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate security for works on public land and an appropriate quality for new public infrastructure)

# Footpath, Entries and Fire Exit Details (Mixed-Use/Commercial/Apartments)

- C5. Footpaths, entries and exits and fire exits for the development must be designed by an appropriately qualified and practising Civil Engineer and submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The design must include (but is not limited to) the following:
  - cross section along the centre-line of each access point to the building including fire exits at a scale of 1:50 to be taken from the centre of the road and shall include all changes of grade both existing and proposed;
  - b) the sections must show all relevant levels and grades (both existing and proposed) including those levels stipulated as boundary levels;
  - c) the sections must show the calculated clearance to the underside of any overhead structure;

- d) a longitudinal section along the boundary line showing how it is intended to match the internal levels of the building with the boundary footpath levels. The footpath must be designed (at a single straight grade of 3% falling to top of kerb) so that it is smooth without showing signs of dipping or rising particularly at entrances; and
- e) a longitudinal section along the gutter and kerb line extending 5 metres past property lines showing transitions.

Details, plans and specifications complying with this condition are to be certified as complying with the Building Code of Australia (BCA) and Council's standard footpath specifications, and the certification, details, plans and specifications must be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. Written concurrence confirming there will be no change to existing boundary and footpath levels is to be provided to the Certifier and North Sydney Council, prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To facilitate suitable pedestrian and disabled access to private sites, and to ensure that internal levels reflect footpath boundary levels)

#### **Tree Bond for Public Trees**

C6. Prior to the issue of any construction certificate, security in the sum of \$3,000.00 must be provided to Council for the protection of trees in public places, including the making good of any damage caused to such trees. The security is to be provided in accordance with the Schedule below.

The security required by this condition and in the schedule contained later in these conditions must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

The security will be refundable following the expiration of 6 months from the issue of any final Occupation Certificate but only upon inspection and release by Council's Landscape Development Officer.

If any tree is removed or damaged Council may deduct from this security the reasonable cost of replacement with a tree of the same species and to a similar stage of growth it would have attained at the completion of the work.

In the case of any tree, which cannot be replaced with a similar specimen, the security for that tree will be forfeited to Council and used to provide replacement street plantings.

#### **SCHEDULE**

Tree	Location	Height (m)
One (1) x street tree (deciduous	Within road reserve, immediately east and	<10m
species)	adjacent to Suite 3/102 Alfred Street South.	

(Reason: Protection of existing environment public infrastructure, community assets and

significant trees)

#### **Protection of Trees**

C7. The existing street tree within the Alfred Street South Road reserve that is immediately adjacent and to the east of the premises is required to be protected and retained as part of the development consent in accordance with AS 4970-2009 – Protection of trees on development sites

Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

Any tree(s) shown as being retained on the approved plans (regardless of whether they are listed in the above schedule or not) must be protected and retained in accordance with this condition.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental and community assets)

# **Acoustic Privacy (Residential Apartments)**

C8. Noise levels in sole occupancy units of residential apartments must not exceed the following:

Location	Maximum
Habitable Rooms other than Sleeping Areas	40 LAeq (1hr)
Sleeping Areas	35 LAeq (1hr)

The "Maximum" limits are to apply in any hour of a 24-hour period with the windows of the sole occupancy unit closed.

"habitable room" has the same meaning as in the Building Code of Australia.

A floor separating sole occupancy units shall have a weighted standardised impact sound pressure level L'nT,w not more than 55dB when measured in-situ in accordance with AS ISO 140.7-2006 "Field measurements of impact sound insulation of floors" and rated to AS ISO 717.2-2004 "Rating of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements. Part 2: Impact sound insulation". This clause shall not apply to the floor of a kitchen, bathroom, toilet or laundry in a residential sole occupancy unit.

Mechanical equipment such as lift plant, air conditioning plant servicing the building and pumps shall not be located immediately adjacent bedrooms.

A statement from an appropriately qualified acoustical consultant eligible for membership of the Association of Australian Acoustic Consultants, certifying that the acoustic mitigation measures outlined above have been satisfied, must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To comply with best practice standards for residential acoustic amenity)

#### **Provision of Accessible Paths of Travel**

C9. The building must be designed and constructed to provide access and facilities in accordance with the Building Code of Australia and Disability (Access to Premises - Buildings) Standards 2010. Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

#### Notes:

- 1. If, in complying with this condition, amendments to the development are required, the design changes must be submitted for the approval of Council prior to a Construction Certificate being issued. Approval of a modification application may be required.
- 2. It is not within Council's power to set aside National legislation which requires the upgrade of buildings to meet modern access standards. Such decisions remain the jurisdiction of the Building Professionals Board Access Advisory Committee who may grant an exemption in certain exceptional circumstances.
- 3. Information on making an application for an "unjustifiable hardship exemption" under the accessibility standards can be found in the website of the NSW Building Professional Boards at <a href="http://www.bpb.nsw.gov.au/page/premises-standards">http://www.bpb.nsw.gov.au/page/premises-standards</a>.

(Reason:

To ensure the provision of equitable and dignified access for all people in accordance with disability discrimination legislation and relevant Australian Standards)

#### **Section 7.12 Development Contributions**

C10. A monetary contribution pursuant to the provisions of Section 7.12 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 is to be paid to Council, in accordance with the North Sydney Council's Contribution Plan, to provide for local infrastructure improvements.

Based on the cost of development at the date of determination, the total contribution payable to Council is **\$10,851.83**.

#### <u>Indexation</u>

The monetary contribution required under this consent will be indexed between the date of the grant of the consent and the date on which the contribution is paid the time of payment in accordance with quarterly movements in the Consumer Price Index (All Groups Index) for Sydney as published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

#### Timing of payment

The contribution must be paid to Council prior to issue of any Construction Certificate for any work approved by this consent.

A copy of the North Sydney Contribution Plan can be viewed at North Sydney Council's Customer Service Centre, 200 Miller Street, North Sydney or downloaded via Council's website at www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au

(Reason: To provide for local infrastructure identified in the North Sydney Council Local

Contributions Plan 2020)

# **Security Deposit/Guarantee Schedule**

C11. All fees and security deposits/guarantees in accordance with the schedule below must be provided to Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate:

Security Deposit/Guarantee	Amount (\$)
Security Deposit Bond	\$2,000.00
TOTAL BONDS	\$2,000.00

Note: The following fees applicable

Fees	
S7.12 Development Contributions	\$10,851.83
TOTAL FEES	\$10,851.83

The security required by the above schedule must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

(Reason: Compliance with the development consent)

#### **BASIX Certificate**

C12. Under clause 97A(3) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000, it is a condition of this development consent that all the commitments listed in BASIX Certificate No. A428322 for the development are fulfilled. Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure the proposed development will meet the Government's requirements

for sustainability and statutory requirements)

# D. Prior to the Commencement of any Works (and continuing where indicated)

#### **Commencement of Works' Notice**

D1. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent must not be commenced until the developer has given at least two days' notice to North Sydney Council of the person's intention to commence building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the

commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

# E. During Demolition and Building Work

#### **Parking Restrictions**

E1. Existing public parking provisions in the vicinity of the site must be maintained at all times during works. The placement of any barriers, traffic cones, obstructions or other device in the road shoulder or kerbside lane is prohibited without the prior written consent of Council. Changes to existing public parking facilities/restrictions must be approved by the North Sydney Local Traffic Committee. The Developer will be held responsible for any breaches of this condition and will incur any fines associated with enforcement by Council regulatory officers.

(Reason: To ensure that existing kerbside parking provisions are not compromised during

works)

#### **Road Reserve Safety**

E2. All public footways and roadways fronting and adjacent to the site must be maintained in a safe condition at all times during the course of the development works, with no obstructions caused to the said footways and roadways. Construction materials and plant must not be stored in the road reserve without approval of Council. A safe pedestrian circulation route and a pavement/route free of trip hazards must be maintained at all times on or adjacent to any public access ways fronting the construction site.

Where public infrastructure is damaged, repair works must be carried out in when and as directed by Council officers (at full Developer cost). Where pedestrian circulation is diverted on to the roadway or verge areas, clear directional signage and protective barricades must be installed in accordance with AS1742-3 (1996) "Traffic Control Devices for Work on Roads". If pedestrian circulation is not satisfactorily maintained across the site frontage, and action is not taken promptly to rectify the defects, Council may undertake proceedings to stop work.

(Reason: Public Safety)

#### **Removal of Extra Fabric**

E3. Should any portion of the existing building, trees, or curtilage of the site which is indicated on the approved plans to be retained be damaged for whatever reason, all the works in the area of the damaged portion are to cease and written notification of the damage is to be given to Council forthwith. No work is to resume until the written approval of Council to do so is obtained. Failure to comply with the provisions of this condition may result in the Council taking further action including legal proceedings if necessary.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the terms of this development consent)

#### **Dust Emission and Air Quality**

- E4. The following must be complied with at all times:
  - (a) Materials must not be burnt on the site.
  - (b) Vehicles entering and leaving the site with soil or fill material must be covered.
  - (c) Dust suppression measures must be carried out to minimise wind-borne emissions in accordance with the NSW Department of Housing's 1998 guidelines Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction.
  - (d) Odour suppression measures must also be carried out where appropriate so as to prevent nuisance occurring at adjoining properties.

(Reason: To ensure residential amenity is maintained in the immediate vicinity)

#### **Noise and Vibration**

E5. The works must be undertaken in accordance with the "Interim Construction Noise Guideline" published by the NSW Environment Protection Authority, to ensure excessive levels of noise and vibration do not occur so as to minimise adverse effects experienced on any adjoining land.

(Reason: To ensure residential amenity is maintained in the immediate vicinity)

# **Developer's Cost of Work on Council Property**

E6. The developer must bear the cost of all works associated with the development that occurs on Council's property, including the restoration of damaged areas.

(Reason: To ensure the proper management of public land and funds)

#### No Removal of Trees on Public Property

E7. No trees on public property (footpaths, roads, reserves, etc.) unless specifically approved by this consent shall be removed or damaged during construction including for the erection of any fences, hoardings or other temporary works.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental infrastructure and community assets)

#### **Protection of Trees**

E8. All trees required to be retained, as part of this consent must be protected from any damage during construction works in accordance with AS4970-2009.

In the event that any tree required to be retained is damaged during works on the site, notice of the damage must be given to Council forthwith.

#### Notes:

- a. If the nominated tree is damaged to a significant degree or removed from the site without prior written approval being obtained from Council, the issuing of fines or legal proceedings may be commenced for failure to comply with the conditions of this consent.
- b. An application to modify this consent pursuant to Section 4.55 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 will be required to address the non-compliance with any of the conditions of consent relating to the retention of nominated trees, and Council may require tree replenishment.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental infrastructure and community assets)

# **Special Permits**

E9. Unless otherwise specifically approved in writing by Council, all works, processes, storage of materials, loading and unloading associated with the development must occur entirely on the property.

The developer, owner or builder may apply for specific permits available from Council's Customer Service Centre for the undermentioned activities on Council's property. In the event that a permit is granted by Council for the carrying out of works, processes, storage of materials, loading and unloading associated with the development on Council's property, the development must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the permit. A minimum of forty-eight (48) hours' notice is required for any permit:

# 1) On-street mobile plant

E.g., cranes, concrete pumps, cherry-pickers, etc. - restrictions apply to the hours of operation, the area of operation, etc. Separate permits are required for each occasion and each piece of equipment. It is the developer's, owner's and builder's responsibilities to take whatever steps are necessary to ensure that the use of any equipment does not violate adjoining property owner's rights.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

#### 2) Hoardings

Permits are required to erect Class A and Class B hoardings. If an 'A' Class hoarding is to alienate a section of Council's property, that section will require a permit for the occupation of Council's property.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

#### 3) Storage of building materials and building waste containers (skips) on Council's property

Permits to utilise Council property for the storage of building materials and building waste containers (skips) are required for each location. Failure to obtain the relevant permits will result in the building materials or building waste containers (skips) being impounded by Council with no additional notice being given. Storage of building materials and waste containers on open space reserves and parks is prohibited.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

# 4) Kerbside restrictions, construction zones

Attention is drawn to the existing kerbside restrictions adjacent to the development. Should alteration of existing kerbside restrictions be required, or the provision of a construction zone, the appropriate application must be made and the fee paid to Council. Alternatives to such restrictions may require referral to Council's Traffic Committee and may take considerable time to be resolved. An earlier application is suggested to avoid delays in construction programs.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

# **Construction Hours (Commercial Core and Mixed-Use Zones)**

E10. Construction activities and works approved under this consent must be carried out only within the hours stipulated in the following table:

Standard Construction Hours		
Location	Day	Hours
B3 Commercial Core Zone B4 Mixed-Use Zone	Monday - Friday	7.00 am - 7.00 pm
	Saturday	8.00 am - 1.00 pm
	Sunday, Public holiday	No work permitted

Construction activities for development approved under this consent must be carried out in accordance with the standard construction hours above and any Construction Noise Management Plan required under this consent.

In the event of breach to the approved hours of construction Council take may take enforcement action under Part 9 of the EP&A Act 1979 and in accordance with Council's adopted Compliance and Enforcement Policy.

(Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of

residents and the community)

#### Site Amenities and Facilities

E11. Where work involved in the erection and demolition of a building is being carried out, amenities which satisfy applicable occupational health and safety and construction safety regulations, including any WorkCover Authority requirements, must be provided and maintained at all times. The type of workplace determines the type of amenities required.

Further information and details can be obtained from the Internet at <a href="www.workcover.nsw.gov.au">www.workcover.nsw.gov.au</a>.

(Reason: To ensure the health and safety of the community and workers on the site)

#### **Health and Safety**

E12. All work undertaken must satisfy applicable occupational health and safety and construction safety regulations, including any WorkCover Authority requirements to prepare a health and safety plan. Site fencing must be installed sufficient to exclude the public from the site. Safety signs must be erected that warn the public to keep out of the site and provide a contact telephone number for enquiries.

Further information and details regarding occupational health and safety requirements for construction sites can be obtained from the internet at <a href="https://www.workcover.nsw.gov.au">www.workcover.nsw.gov.au</a>.

(Reason: To ensure the health and safety of the community and workers on the site)

#### **Prohibition on Use of Pavements**

E13. Building materials must not be placed on Council's footpaths, roadways, parks or grass verges, (unless a permit is obtained from Council beforehand). A suitable sign to this effect must be erected adjacent to the street alignment.

(Reason: To ensure public safety and amenity on public land)

#### **Plant and Equipment Kept Within Site**

E14. All plant and equipment used in the undertaking of the development/ works, including concrete pumps, wagons, lifts, mobile cranes, hoardings etc, must be situated within the boundaries of the site (unless a permit is obtained from Council beforehand) and so placed that all concrete slurry, water, debris and the like must be discharged onto the building site, and is to be contained within the site boundaries.

Details of Council requirements for permits on public land for standing plant, hoardings, storage of materials and construction zones and the like are available on Council's website at <a href="https://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au">www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au</a>.

(Reason: To ensure public safety and amenity on public land)

#### **Waste Disposal**

E15. All records demonstrating the lawful disposal of waste must be retained and kept readily accessible for inspection by regulatory authorities such as North Sydney Council and the Environmental Protection Authority.

(Reason: To ensure the lawful disposal of construction and demolition waste)

#### **Asbestos Removal**

E16. All demolition works involving the removal and disposal of asbestos cement must only be undertaken by contractors who hold a current WorkCover Asbestos or "Demolition Licence" and a current WorkCover "Class 2 (Restricted) Asbestos Licence and removal must be carried out in accordance with National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.

(Reason: To ensure works are carried out in accordance with relevant WorkCover requirements)

F. Prescribed Conditions imposed under EP&A Act and Regulations and other relevant Legislation

# **National Construction Code**

F1. All building work must be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the National Construction Code.

(Reason: Prescribed - Statutory)

#### **Home Building Act**

- F2. 1) Building work that involves residential building work (within the meaning and exemptions provided in the Home Building Act 1989) for which the *Home Building Act* 1989 requires there to be a contract of insurance under Part 6 of that Act must not be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates has given North Sydney Council written notice of the contract of insurance being issued and of the following:
  - a) in the case of work for which a principal contractor is required to be appointed:
    - i) the name and licence number of the principal contractor, and
    - ii) the name of the insurer by which the work is insured under Part 6 of that Act, or
  - (b) in the case of work to be done by an owner-builder:
    - (i) the name of the owner-builder, and
    - (ii) if the owner-builder is required to hold an owner-builder permit under that Act, the number of the owner-builder permit.
  - 2) If arrangements for doing residential building work are changed while the work is in progress such that the information submitted to Council in accordance with this conditions is out of date, work must cease and no further work may be carried out unless the Principal Certifying Authority for the development to which the work relates (not being the Council), has given the Council written notice of the updated information.

Note: A certificate purporting to be issued by an approved insurer under Part 6 of the Home Building Act 1989 that states that a person is the holder of an insurance policy issued for the purposes of that Part is, for the purposes of this clause, sufficient evidence that the person has complied with the requirements of that Part.

(Reason: Prescribed - Statutory)

#### Appointment of a Principal Certifying Authority (PCA)

F3. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with the development consent must not be commenced until the developer has appointed a Principal Certifying Authority for the building work in accordance with the provisions of the EP&A Act and its Regulations.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

#### **Construction Certificate**

F4. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with the development consent must not be commenced until a Construction Certificate for the relevant part of the building work has been issued in accordance with the provisions of the EP&A Act and its Regulations.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the

commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

# **Occupation Certificate**

F5. A person must not commence occupation or use of the whole or any part of a new building (*new building* includes an altered portion of, or an extension to, an existing building) unless an Occupation Certificate has been issued in relation to the building or part. Only the Principal Certifying Authority appointed for the building work can issue an Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: Statutory)

#### **Critical Stage Inspections**

F6. Building work must be inspected by the Principal Certifying Authority on the critical stage occasions prescribed by the EP&A Act and its Regulations, and as directed by the appointed Principal Certifying Authority.

(Reason: Statutory)

#### **Commencement of Works**

F7. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent must not be commenced until the developer has given at least two (2) days' notice to North Sydney Council of the person's intention to commence the erection of the building.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the

commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

#### **Excavation/Demolition**

F8. 1) All excavations and backfilling associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be executed safely and in accordance with appropriate professional standards.

- 2) All excavations associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be properly guarded and protected to prevent them from being dangerous to life or property.
- 3) Demolition work must be undertaken in accordance with the provisions of AS2601-Demolition of Structures.

(Reason: To ensure that work is undertaken in a professional and responsible manner and protect adjoining property and persons from potential damage)

#### **Protection of Public Places**

- F9. 1) A hoarding and site fencing must be erected between the work site and adjoining public place.
  - 2) If necessary, an awning is to be erected, sufficient to prevent any substance from, or in connection with, the work falling into the public place.
  - 3) The work site must be kept lit between sunset and sunrise if it is likely to be hazardous to persons in the public place.
  - 4) Any such hoarding, fence or awning is to be removed when the work has been completed.
  - 5) No access across public reserves or parks is permitted.

Note: Prior to the erection of any temporary fence or hoarding over property owned or managed by Council, written approval must be obtained. Any application needs to be accompanied by plans indicating the type of hoarding and its layout. Fees are assessed and will form part of any approval given. These fees must be paid prior to the approval being given. Approval for hoardings will generally only be given in association with approved building works, maintenance or to ensure protection of the public. An application form for a Hoarding Permit can be downloaded from Council's website.

(Reason: To ensure public safety and the proper management of public land)

# Site Sign

- F10. 1) A sign must be erected in a prominent position on the site
  - a) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited;
  - b) showing the name of the principal contractor (or person in charge of the work site), and a telephone number at which that person may be contacted at any time for business purposes and outside working hours; and
  - c) showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work.
  - 2) Any such sign must be maintained while to building work or demolition work is being carried out but must be removed when the work has been completed.

(Reason: Prescribed - Statutory)

# G. Prior to the Issue of an Occupation Certificate

# **Infrastructure Repair and Completion of Works**

- G1. Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate any and all works relating to the development:
  - a. in the road reserve must be fully completed; and
  - b. to repair and make good any damaged public infrastructure caused as a result of any works relating to the development (including damage caused by, but not limited to, delivery vehicles, waste collection, contractors, sub-contractors, concrete vehicles) must be fully repaired;

to the satisfaction of Council Engineers at no cost to Council.

(Reason: Maintain quality of public assets)

#### **Access to Premises**

G2. Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate, a certificate must be prepared an appropriately qualified and practising Civil Engineer certifying that access and facilities for persons with a disability in accordance with the Building Code of Australia and AS Disability (Access to Premises - buildings) Standards 2010 (Premises Standards) has been provided. This certificate must be submitted to, and approved by, the Certifying Authority prior to issue of the Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: Equitable access and facilities for people with a disability)

#### **Damage to Adjoining Properties**

G3. All precautions must be taken to prevent any damage likely to be sustained to adjoining properties. Adjoining owner property rights and the need for owner's permission must be observed at all times, including the entering onto land for the purpose of undertaking works.

(Reason: To ensure adjoining owner's property rights are protected)

#### **Notification of New Address Developments**

- G4. Prior to any Occupation Certificate being issued, the person acting upon this consent must comply with the following: -
  - (a) Notify Australia Post of the address(es) as issued by Council and the location in plan form of any secondary, internal addresses, in relation to built public roads. Check Australia Post Website (<a href="www.auspost.com.au">www.auspost.com.au</a>) to find your nearest Australia Post Delivery Facility.

(Reason: To ensure that Council records are accurate, and that house numbering complies with the requirements of Council's House Numbering Policy. Proper house numbering also assists emergency services in readily locating properties)

#### **BASIX Completion Certificate**

G5. In accordance with Clause 154C of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000, prior to issuing a final occupation certificate the Certifying Authority must apply to the Director-General for a BASIX completion receipt.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the specified BASIX Certificate)

#### **House Numbering (Commercial and Residential Units)**

G6. Prior to any Occupation Certificate being issued an application must be made to North Sydney Council for written confirmation, or allocation, of the street address(es) or apartment number(s) for the new commercial and residential units (as approved in this consent) in accordance with Council's Property Addressing Policy. These are the numbers that will be recorded in Council records and must be displayed at the property in accordance with the provisions of AS/NZS 4819:2011.

Note: If apartments are to be sold off the plan, the applicant must have written confirmation from Council of the address and apartment numbering if the apartment number is to be identified on the contract.

(Reason:

To ensure that Council records are accurate, and that house numbering complies with the requirements of Council's House Numbering Policy. Proper house numbering also assists emergency services in readily locating properties.)

#### I. **Ongoing/Operational Conditions**

#### New use of ground floor premises – Further consent required

A separate approval must be obtained for the use of the ground floor commercial unit prior to 11. that use commencing.

(Reason: To ensure development consent is obtained prior to uses commencing)

#### **Approved Occupancy of Premises**

12. Nothing in this consent authorises the use of the premises other than for a commercial unit on the ground floor and a 2 bedroom residential unit on the first floor.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the terms of this consent)

# **Noise and Vibration Impact**

13. The ongoing use of the premises approved under this consent must comply with all conditions pertaining to noise and vibration specified in this consent.

To ensure compliance with the specified levels of noise and vibration and to (Reason:

maintain the amenity of surrounding land uses)

# **Allocation of Spaces**

- 14. The allocation of carparking spaces within the development must be maintained at all times in accordance with the terms of this consent. The allocation of spaces must be maintained in accordance with the following table:
  - One (1) vehicle space for residential unit on first floor Lot 3 in SP 32515
  - One (1) vehicle space for commercial unit on ground floor Lot 3 in SP 32515

Carparking spaces provided must only be used in conjunction with the approved uses contained within the development.

In the case of Strata subdivision any car parking for strata lots for residential purposes must be individually allocated to its corresponding residential strata lot as part of each lot's unit entitlement.

(Reason: To ensure that adequate parking facilities to service the development are provided

on site)

# K. Prior to the Issue of any Strata Certificate

# **Registered Plans (Strata)**

K1. The applicant must submit to Council's documentary evidence that the Strata Plan has been registered and the lot(s) exists. The use of the premise must not commence until the documentary evidence has been submitted to and approved by Council.

(Reason: To ensure that the allotments of land are created prior to the commencement of

the approved use.)

#### **Fire Safety Upgrade**

K2. Prior to issue of any Strata Certificate, works involving the upgrading/installation of essential fire safety measures (as recommended in the BCA Assessment and Fire Safety Upgrading Report prepared EBS Consultants, dated 12 November 2021 and received by Council on 13 November 2021 are to be fully completed.

A fire safety schedule and final fire safety certificate (as specified in clauses 168 to 174 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000) must be issued with the Construction Certificate and Occupation Certificate respectively.

A report from an appropriately qualified person in relation to fire safety and the Building Code of Australia, certifying that the fire upgrading works have been completed and indicating all required essential fire safety measures have been installed and verified as functioning in accordance with the above-named report, must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Strata certificate.

Note: The requirement to undertake physical building works in relation to the installation/upgrade of essential fire safety measures in the building constitutes building work and as such will necessitate obtaining a Construction Certificate, appointing a Principal Certifying Authority and obtaining an Occupation Certificate (pursuant to section 81A and 109M of the EP&A Act.

(Reason: To meet legislative requirements and ensure adequate provision is made for fire safety in the premises)

#### **Strata Subdivision**

K3. A Strata Certificate pursuant to the *Strata Schemes (Freehold Development) Act* 1973, that authorises registration of the strata plan, strata plan of subdivision or notice of conversion at NSW Land and Property Information Office must be obtained. If the Strata Certificate is obtained from an Accredited Certifier, other than the Council, the certifier is to provide Council with a copy of the endorsed Strata Certificate within seven (7) days of issuing the same, pursuant to the *Strata Schemes (Freehold Development) Regulation* 2002.

**NOTES:** For approval of the Strata Certificate by North Sydney Council, the following must be submitted to Council:

- a) the original strata plans or strata plans of subdivision and administration sheets plus two (2) copies of each, and any original Instrument (including but not limited to any section 88B or 88E instruments) to be endorsed, all **enclosed in a protective cardboard tube** (to prevent damage during transfer);
- b) two additional copies of the strata plans or strata plans of subdivision and any relevant Instrument for submission to Council Customer Services and records department for electronic database scanning and copying;
- c) a completed *Subdivision or Strata Certificate Application* form together with payment of fee current at lodgement;
- d) written evidence that all applicable conditions of consent required to be satisfied, prior to issue of the Strata Certificate, have been satisfied. Council will check the consent conditions on the relevant consent(s). Failure to submit the required information will delay endorsement of the Strata Certificate, and may require payment of rechecking fees;
- e) plans of subdivision and copies must not be folded; and
- f) council will not accept bonds in lieu of completing subdivision works.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with relevant legislative requirements and maintenance of up-to-date Council records)

# **Sydney Water**

K4. A Section 73 Compliance Certificate under the Sydney Water Act 1994 must be obtained.

The Section 73 Certificate must be submitted to the Certifying Authority or North Sydney Council with the documentation to enable the issue of the Strata Certificate.

#### Notes:

- 1. Application must be made through an authorised Water Servicing Co-ordinator, for details see the Sydney Water web site <a href="www.sydneywater.com.au">www.sydneywater.com.au</a> or telephone 13 20 92.
- 2. Following application, a 'Notice of Requirements' will be forwarded detailing water and sewer extensions to be built and charges to be paid. Please make early contact with the Coordinator since building of water/sewer extensions can be time consuming and may impact on other services and building, driveway or landscape design.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with Sydney Water requirements)

#### **Release of Strata Certificate**

K5. The Strata Certificate that authorises registration of the Strata Plan, Strata Plan of Subdivision or Notice of Conversion at NSW Land and Property Information shall not be issued until bounding walls, floors and ceilings between proposed strata lots have been constructed in accordance with the approved plans identified in Condition A1 of this Consent.

(Reason: To ensure that the registered strata plan relates to approved development)

#### **Allocation of Parking and Visitor Parking**

K6. Car-parking provided must only be used in conjunction with the units and tenancies contained within the development. Any carparking for strata lots for residential purposes must be individually allocated to its corresponding residential strata lot as part of each lot's unit entitlement.

The allocation of spaces must be maintained in accordance with the following table:

- One (1) vehicle space for residential unit on first floor Lot 3 in SP 32515
- One (1) vehicle space for commercial unit on ground floor Lot 3 in SP 32515

The car parking spaces are to be identified on-site by line-marking and numbering upon the completion of the works and prior to issue of Occupation Certificate. Carparking spaces provided must only be used in conjunction with the approved uses contained within the development.

In the case of Strata subdivision any carparking for strata lots for residential purposes must be individually allocated to its corresponding residential strata lot as part of each lot's unit entitlement.

Visitor parking facilities must be designated as common property on the strata plan. Visitor parking facilities must not at any time be allocated, sold, licensed or leased for the exclusive use of any occupier or owner and must be retained as common property by the Owners Corporation for use by building visitors.

(Reason: To ensure that adequate parking facilities to service the development are provided

on site)

# **Building and Unit Numbering (Strata Subdivisions)**

K7. Prior to issue of the Strata Certificate, the person acting upon this consent must apply to North Sydney Council and receive written confirmation of the allocated street address and unit numbers for the building and the approved strata allotments within the completed project. These are the property addresses that will be recorded in Council records and must be displayed at the property in accordance with the provisions of the applicable Australian Standard (AS/NZS 4819:2011).

To assist Council, a draft proposal for numbering within the strata scheme or street should be submitted for concurrence to Council, as these numbers will be used to maintain Council's property and mapping database.

(Reason: To ensure that Council records are accurate, and that building and unit numbering

complies with the requirements of Council's Property Addressing Policy. Proper building and unit numbering also assist emergency services in readily locating

properties)

#### **Services within Lots**

K8. A report must be provided by a Registered Surveyor certifying that all services (including but not limited to stormwater drainage, gas, electricity, telephone cable) as constructed or to be constructed are/will be contained within each lot or within the necessary easements to accommodate such services. The report must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Subdivision Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure adequate servicing of the development)