

Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure

Our ref: DA 8137-Mod-4

Ms Natalie Devillers
Environmental Planner
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02 June 2026

Port of Newcastle, Extension to the Mayfield General Cargo Storage Facility (DA 8137-Mod-4) Request for Response to Submissions

Dear Ms Devillers

I refer to the above application and provide the following update:

The Department publicly exhibited the modification application from 13 May 2026 to 27 May 2026 and notified relevant public authorities and neighbouring landowners and occupiers, and:

- received four (4) public submissions related to the modification application, three (3) support and one (1) objection.
- received comments from Infrabuild.
- received advice from the Environment Protection Authority, Conservation Programs, Heritage and Regulations Group (CPHR) of the NSW Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water.
- referred the modification application to Transport for NSW, NSW Fire and Rescue and Newcastle City Council. However, responses have not yet been received, and these will be forwarded upon receipt for your consideration and response.

The Department requests that you begin to review and respond to the issues raised in public submissions and advice provided by agencies and Council with the view of providing a Response to Submissions Report by 17 June 2026 via the NSW Planning Portal. If you are unable to provide the requested information within this timeframe, you are required to provide, and commit to, a timeframe detailing the provision of this information.

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If you have any questions, please contact Vageesha Wellalage, Planning Officer on (02) 9274 6566, or via email at vageesha.walgamawellalage@dpie.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "M Young".

Michael Young
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