

Proposal Title :	Review of Coffs Harbour LEP 2013 - minor amendments				
Proposal Summary		The planning proposal is the first round of amendments of the Coffs Harbour Local Environmental Plan (LEP) 2013 since its commencement on 27th September 2013.			
		o minimum lot sizes, correc	sekeeping' issues - additional uses, ting descriptions of heritage items,) existing clauses.		
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Date Planning Proposal Received :	20-Mar-2015	LGA covered :	Coffs Harbour		
Region :	Northern	RPA :	Coffs Harbour City Council		
State Electorate :	COFFS HARBOUR	Section of the Act	55 - Planning Proposal		
LEP Type :	Housekeeping				
Location Details		1			
Street :					
Suburb :	City :	Coffs Harbour	Postcode : 2450		
	rious area within the Coffs Harbo olgoolga.	our LGA including Bonville,	Korora, Moonee Beach and		
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Land Release Data

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Growth Centre :	N/A	Release Area Name :	N/A
Regional / Sub Regional Strategy :	Mid North Coast Regional Strategy	Consistent with Strategy :	Yes
MDP Number :		Date of Release :	
Area of Release (Ha) :	12	Type of Release (eg Residential / Employment land) :	N/A
No. of Lots :	0	No. of Dwellings (where relevant) :	0
Gross Floor Area:	0	No of Jobs Created :	0
The NSW Government Lobbyists Code of Conduct has been complied with :	Yes		
If No, comment :	The Department's Code of Cor Lobbyists has been complied		
Have there been meetings or communications with registered lobbyists? :	Νο		
If Yes, comment :	Northern Region has not met any lobbyists in relation to this proposal, nor has Northern Region been advised of any meeting between other agencies and lobbyists concerning the proposal.		
Supporting notes			
Internal Supporting Notes :			
External Supporting Notes :	production of CHLEP 2013. M the SP2 zone, transferring som schedule and correcting the in consent use in the E2 zone. Th one at Rutland Street Bonville	y correcting anomalies or error inor alterations to provisions fo ne earthworks provisions to the advertent omission of environ here are two proposed addition to reflect a proposed bio-bank t Coffs Harbour (which was ina	or advertising structures in e exempt development mental protection works as a s to environmental zones - ing agreement, and the other
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Statement of the ob			
Is a statement of the ot	pjectives provided? Yes		
Comment :	The planning proposal seel	ks to amend the Coffs Harbour I also correct minor mapping a	ntion of the planning proposal. LEP 2013 to update a number of nomalies. This will improve the
Explanation of prov	isions provided - s55(2)(b))	
Is an explanation of pro	ovisions provided? Yes		
Comment :	Twenty five (25) housekeep include additional uses, mi	nor rezonings, alterations to m	ne Coffs Harbour LEP 2013 which inimum lot sizes, correcting events and minor alterations to

existing clauses.

The Explanation of Provisions lacks detail for each of the proposed 25 amendments. Although the Performance Review included as supporting information provides detailed explanations there is no reference to this review within the planning proposal. This document does not negate the need to properly explain the provision proposed in the planning proposal or how the planning proposal will address the intended method of achieving the objectives of the proposed amendment.

It is preferable that the Explanation of Provisions be expanded to include some detail of each provision and reference the Performance Review that provides the detailed information of all 25 amendments. The Performance Review should be attached as an appendix to the planning proposal.

Justification - s55 (2)(c)

a) Has Council's strategy been agreed to by the Director General? Yes

b) S.117 directions identified by RPA :

* May need the Director General's agreement

1.1 Business and Industrial Zones

1.2 Rural Zones

1.3 Mining, Petroleum Production and Extractive Industries

- 1.5 Rural Lands
- 2.1 Environment Protection Zones
- 2.2 Coastal Protection
- 2.3 Heritage Conservation
- 3.1 Residential Zones
- 3.2 Caravan Parks and Manufactured Home Estates
- 3.4 Integrating Land Use and Transport
- 3.5 Development Near Licensed Aerodromes
- 4.1 Acid Sulfate Soils
- 4.3 Flood Prone Land
- 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection
- 5.1 Implementation of Regional Strategies
- 5.4 Commercial and Retail Development along the Pacific Highway, North Coast
- 6.2 Reserving Land for Public Purposes

Is the Director General's agreement required? Yes

c) Consistent with Standard Instrument (LEPs) Order 2006 : Yes

d) Which SEPPs have the RPA identified?

SEPP No 32—Urban Consolidation (Redevelopment of Urban Land) SEPP No 71—Coastal Protection SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007 SEPP (Mining, Petroleum Production and Extractive Industries) 2007

e) List any other matters that need to be considered :

Have inconsistencies with items a), b) and d) being adequately justified? Yes

If No, explain :

See the Assessment section of this report.

Mapping Provided - s55(2)(d)

Is mapping provided? Yes

Comment :

The proposal includes mapping which adequately shows the land which is affected by the proposed amendments. These maps are suitable for exhibition purposes.

Community consul	ltation - s55(2)(e)		
Has community consu	iltation been proposed? Yes		
Comment :	Council has advised that a 28 day public exhibition period is suitable for a planning proposal of this nature. This is considered to be appropriate.		
Additional Director	r General's requirements		
Are there any addition	al Director General's requirements? No		
If Yes, reasons :			
Overall adequacy o	of the proposal		
Does the proposal me	et the adequacy criteria? Yes		
If No, comment :	The planning proposal satisfies the adequacy critieria by:		
	 Providing appropriate objectives and intended outcomes; Providing an adequate justification for the proposal; Outlining a proposed community consultation period; Completing an evaluation for the issuing of an authorisation to exercise delegation. Delegation is acceptable in this instance; Providing a time line for the completion of the proposal. Council has suggested a time frame of six (6) months. A six month time frame is not considered sufficient time to complete this planning proposal due to the extent of the amendments proposed. A nine (9) month time frame is considered more appropriate. Note: Although the 'Explanation of Provisions' was not adequate to satisfy the adequacy criteria, a condition of Gateway will require it to be amended planning proposal for review by the Department before community consultation, to ensure the conditions of the Gateway that require action prior to exhibition have been completed. 		
Proposal Assessmen	it is a second secon		
Principal LEP:			
Due Date :			
Comments in relation to Principal LEP :	The Coffs Harbour LEP was published in September 2013. This planning proposal seeks general amendments to the Coffs Harbour LEP 2013.		

Assessment Criteria

Need for planning proposal :	As part of the transition from Coffs Harbour LEP 2000 to the Standard Instrument LEP 2013 a Strategic Management Plan was prepared, which recommended a regular review of the new LEP. The proposal relates to 25 minor amendments which have arisen as a result of continued review and monitoring of the accuracy of the LEP. The proposed amendments are listed as follows:
	1) Zone SP2 Infrastructure - Building identification signs and business identification signs permissible with consent: These uses are currently a prohibited use in the SP2 zone. The identification signs are considered appropriate for activities adjacent or on a particular site along highway corridors. It is proposed to make them permissible with consent. Transport for NSW (Roads and Maritime Services - RMS) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition to ensure no issues with this permissibility.

2) Part 7 Additional Local Provisions - Temporary Events clause: A Temporary events clause that does not require development consent. The provision only allows for a

temporary event to occur for not more than 30 days (whether or not consecutive) in any period of 12 months. The Upper Hunter has a similar clause in its LEP. Transport for NSW (RMS) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition regarding potential issues that may affect traffic during these proposed 'temporary events'.

3) Clause 4.2B - Erection of dwelling houses on land in certain rural and environmental protection zones: Addition to allow for lots that are created for housing under the new LEP 2013. The clause as it exists now relates only to lots created before the commencement of the current plan.

4) Part 7 Additional Local Provisions 7.2 Earthworks and Schedule 2 - Exempt Development: an addition to allow for earthworks that are 'minor in nature' to be allowed without development consent. The changes to Schedule 2 are to ensure the terminology is consistent and sets out what is defined as 'minor in nature'.

5) Zone E2 Environmental Conservation - Environmental Protection works permitted without consent. This will correct the inadvertent omission of environmental protection works as a consent use in the E2 zone.

6) Schedule 1 - Additional permitted uses.: The Big Banana site (main tourist component adjoining the Pacific Highway) zoned SP3 Tourist was not included in the North Coffs DCP which included provisions for density control of retail development. The LEP prohibited 'shops' under the plan. This omission prevents retail development for the Big Banana site. Applying the density provision to the specific site in Schedule 1 will prevent the use being inappropriately applied to other land parcels zoned SP3 Tourist. Council has advised the Additional Permitted Uses (APU) map sheets will also need updating.

7) Schedule 1 - Additional Permitted Uses. The Coffs Harbour Men's Shed needs to relocate and has identified land at the end of Howard Street, however the land straddles both IN1 and SP2 zoned land. This type of development is prohibited on SP2 zoned land. Inclusion of the SP2 portion of Lot 5 DP 90246 as an additional permitted use will allow the use of the land for the Men's Shed. Council has advised the APU map sheets will also need updating.

8) Mapping - Zone E2 Environmental Conservation: This is a proposed addition to E2 environmental zone at Rutland street, Bonville to reflect a proposed bio-banking agreement.

9) Mapping - Height of Building / Additional Permitted Uses: Amendment to Height of Building map at Marina Drive to ensure consistency with the Jetty4Shores Concept Plan and remove the land from Schedule 1 Additional Permitted Uses.

10) Mapping - Heritage: Heritage maps have been identified to have a number of errors that need to be adjusted to reflect the correct parcels of land. Adjustments to Schedule 5-Environmental Heritage will also need to reflect these changes.

11) Mapping - Cadastre: Adjustment of land zoning map to align with the cadastre at Cavanaghs Rd.

12) Mapping - Lot Size: This site is an omission of a Minimum Lot Size (MLS) being applied to land at Bray Street Coffs Harbour. The land is zoned R2 Low Density Residential and therefore should have a 400m2 MLS applied to the land.

13) Mapping - Lot Size: Adjustment to the MLS for 111 Bruxner Park Korora from 2ha to 1ha due to the determination that the slope of the land is <15% allowing a 1ha MLS, as opposed to a 2ha MLS for slopes >15%.

14) Mapping - Floor Space Ratio: Removal of floor space ratio controls on R4 High Density Residential zoned land. The floor space ratio is no longer considered necessary as Council

has other development controls that achieve a similar outcome. It now is deemed unnecessary to apply these controls for the areas identified on the LEP maps.

15) Mapping - Height of Building: Amendment to the Height of Building map for 81 Ocean Parade (Lot 100 DP 747702) to align to a Council resolution to increase the Height of Building controls from 22m to 40m.

16) Mapping - Zoning: Rezoning Lot 372 DP 1026829, 97 Pacific St Corindi Beach from RU2 Rural Landscape to B1 Neighbourhood Centre to reflect the current land use of shops which provide commercial services to the local neighbourhood.

17) Mapping - Zoning: Rezoning Lot 71 DP 1203025 from R2 Low Density Residential / E2 Environmental Conservation to RE1 Public Recreation to reflect the current land use, as the land has been dedicated to Council for use as a park. Office of Environment & Heritage (National Parks and Wildlife Service) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition to address the proposed reduction of E2 land.

18) Mapping - Zoning: Incorrect zoning of 22 Duke Street Coffs Harbour. Council preciously purchased the land from Defence however it has been incorrectly zoned SP2 Defence. Council seeks to amend the reference to the SP2 zoned land from SP2 Defence to SP2 Community Facilities in accordance with the SP2 Community Facilitates land to the south of the site.

19) Mapping - Zoning / Height of Building: Incorrect zoning of High Tech Drive and Hogbin Drive Toormina. Aligning the zoning of High Tech Drive with the same zoning containing the Hogbin Drive road corridor, from IN1 General Industrial to RE1 Public Recreation. Amend the Height of Building map to include the land in the 1 - 8.5m limit category.

20) Mapping - Zoning: Incorrect zoning at Pacific Highway Coffs Harbour (Pacific Bay West). A small portion of Lot 5 DP 820652 is zoned RU2 Rural Landscape and fronts the Pacific Highway. The surrounding land uses are R1 General Residential and SP2 Infrastructure. It is appropriate to zone this land R1 General Residential as the rural land holds no particular rural enterprise. The land is likely to be too small for any residential development to be approved.

21) Mapping - Zoning / Lot Size Map / Height of Building: Incorrect zoning at Shepard's Lane Coffs Harbour. Crown Reserve 63790 is zoned RU3 - Forestry but the land is not State Forest having been revoked by gazette on 15 February 1929. As the land has some ecological value this error can be rectified with an E2 Environmental Conservation zoning. The Lot Size map be amended to AB - 40ha and Height of Building Map to 1-8.5m limit. Trade and Investment (Crown Land) will be consulted with prior to exhibition to comply with s117 Direction 6.2. Reserving land for Public Purpose.

22) Mapping - Zoning / Lot Size: Incorrect zoning at 544-590 Solitary Island Way Moonee Beach. Lot 7 DP 1140702 and Lot 1 DP 1142657, from SP2 Infrastructure to R2 Low Density Residential which better reflects the current land use. Council have indicated that the land is no longer needed for the Pacific Highway upgrade project. The land adjoins (excluding the local service road) other R2 zoned land. Transport for NSW (RMS) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition to ensure it has no objections to the change in zone.

23) Mapping - Zoning: Incorrect zoning at Arrawarra Road and The Boulevarde Mullaway. The land was previously zoned RE1 Public Recreation but the land is now under the ownership of Minister administrating the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974. This ownership and the adjoining land supports the change from RE1 Public Recreation to E1 National Parks and Reserves. Office of Environment & Heritage (National Parks and Wildlife Service) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition to address the proposed addition to E1 land.

24) Mapping - Zoning / Lot Size: Incorrect zoning at Pacific Highway and Unwins Road

Woolgoolga. Lot 59 DP 1145438 and Lot 104 DP 1144462, from SP2 Infrastructure to RU2 Rural Landscape which better reflects the current land use as Council has indicated that the land is no longer needed for the Pacific Highway upgrade project. The land adjoins (excluding the service road of Unwins Road) other RU2 zoned land. Transport for NSW (RMS) will need be consulted with prior to exhibition to ensure it has no objections to the change in zone.

25) Mapping - Zoning: Incorrect zoning of 63A - 760 Dairyville Rd Upper Orara / Dairyville. This land has been incorrectly zoned E1 National Parks and Reserves when it should have been zoned W1 Natural Waterways. This is a simple mapping error.

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Consistency with strategic planning framework :	The proposed amendments are generally consistent with the Mid North Coast Regional Strategy (MNCRS). The proposed changes to the zoning of properties and the minimum lot size controls are of minor significance and will rectify anomalies and errors in the LEP mapping.
	The planning proposal is inconsistent with s117 Directions 1.1 Business and Industrial Zones, 1.2 Rural Zones, 1.5 Rural Lands, 2.1 Environmental Protection Zones, 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection and 6.2 Reserving land for public purposes.
	The following Directions warrant consideration.
	1 4 Rusiness and Industrial Zanas
	1.1 Business and Industrial Zones This direction applies as it affects land within a proposed business zone (Amendment 16). The business zoning will better reflect the current uses of the land. This change in inconsistent with the direction as it is not in accordance with an approved strategy (as employment land). It should be noted that the area is inside the Town and Village Growth boundary of the MNCRS, it will not result in a reduction to the total floor space area in a business zone and is not reducing but increasing land used for business purposes. Therefore the inconsistency is of minor significance.
	The junction of High Tech Drive and Hogbin Drive Toormina. Amendment 19 proposes to rezone land from IN1 General Industry to RE1 Public Recreation which is inconsistent with the direction. However this zoning applies to the road reserve of Hogbin Drive. The RE1 zoning will match the zone that extends along the length of Hogbin Drive. The inconsistency is of minor significance.
	1.2 Rural Zones
	This direction provides that a planning proposal should not rezone land from a rural zone
	to a residential or business zone. The planning proposal (Amendment 20) requests the
	zoning on the Pacific Highway at Coffs to be rezoned from RU2 Rural Landscape to R1 General Residential as the surrounding land uses are SP2 Infrastructure (Pacific Highway) and R1 land. Therefore the proposed rezoning is inconsistent with the direction. Retaining the rural zoning for this parcel of land will not protect the agricultural production value of the land which the direction strikes to achieve as it lacks estimated where the size
	the land which the direction strives to achieve as it lacks agricultural value due to its size, location and lack of connection to other rural land. Therefore the inconsistency can be considered as of minor significance.
-	The planning proposal seeks to rezone land from a RU2 Rural zone to a B1 Neighbourhood Centre zone (Amendment 16) at 97 Pacific St Corindi Beach to bettr reflect the current use of the land. The proposed rezoning is inconsistent with the direction, as it rezones rural
	land to a business zone. The two hectare portion of the site is small and will not reduce the agricultural production value of rural land. Agricultural practices still have the potential to
	occur on the remaining portion of the site. It should be noted that the area is inside the Town and Village Growth boundary of the MNCRS, and identified as a Future Urban Release Area and therefore unlikely to be utilised for agricultural purposes in the future.
	Therefore the removal of a small portion of this land for business purposes can be considered of minor significance.
	1.5 Rural Lands
	This direction provides that a planning proposal should not affect land within a rural or
	environmental protection zone or reduce the minimum lot size applying to land unless
	consistent with the Rural Planning Principles or Rural Subdivision Principles in SEPP (Rural Lands). The minimum lot size of 400m2 being applied to Amendment 12 is to rectify the omission from the minimum lot size map.
-	2.1 Environmental Protection Zones
	This direction provides that a planning proposal protect and conserve environmentally
	sensitive areas. The reduction of E2 Environmental Conservation land proposed at Shepard's Lane Coffs Harbour (Amendment 17) is based on the land left over from a residential subdivision being dedicated to Council for use as a park. The RE1 zoning will
	be the most appropriate zoning (post dedication). Therefore the inconsistency with the

direction is of minor significance.

Public Authority Consultation - 56(2) (d) :	Department of Trade and Investment Office of Environment and Heritage - NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service NSW Rural Fire Service Transport for NSW - Roads and Maritime Services			
Timeframe to make LEP :	9 months	Delegation :	RPA	
Proposal type	Routine	Community Consultation Period :	28 Days	
Assessment Proces	SS			
	mistakes in Schedule through reducing hei	al has given consideration to cultural I 5 of the LEP as well as protecting the ghts along the Jetty foreshore. Many o sult in significant social impacts.	scenic and amen	ity values
Environmental social economic impacts :	The planning proposal involves minor housekeeping matters which are unlikely to involve any major negative environmental impacts.			
	21 which involves rez involve Crown Land. I consulted before any should occur prior to		nmental Conserva Investment (Crow nsistencies. Cons	tion land all yn Lands) be sultation
	Public Recreation zon Minister administratin appropriate. This own Recreation to E1 Natio have a significant imp may be assessed as c		Inder the ownersh and an E1 zoning is the change fron nor amendment ar y. Therefore the in	ip of the is more n RE1 Public nd does not consistency
	Council as public rese to RE1 Public Recreat Industrial to RE1 Publ	Il intends to rezone two parcels of land erve / road reserve this includes rezon tion (Amendment 17 - Shepard's Lane) lic Recreation (Amendment 19).	ing R2 Low Densi) as well as from II	ty Residentia N1 General
	proposal. The directio	r Public Purposes is relevant to certai on provides that a planning proposal n ns of land for public purposes without he Director General.	nust not create, al	ter or reduce
	Service. This consulta inconsistent with the It is considered that th these amendments. If Fire Service and has r	that Council consult with the Commis- ation has not yet occurred which make direction. The planning proposal will not raise sig written advice is obtained from the Co to objection to the progression of the assessed as of minor significance.	es the planning pro nificant issues in commissioner of th	oposal regard to e NSW Rural
	4.4 Planning for Bush	fire Protection		

s Public Hearing by the P	AC required?	0	
(2)(a) Should the matter p	roceed ?	9S	
lf no, provide reasons :			
Resubmission - s56(2)(b)	: No	,	
If Yes, reasons :			
Identify any additional stu	dies, if required. :		
If Other, provide reasons	:		
Identify any internal const	ultations, if required :		
No internal consultation	required		
Is the provision and fundi	ng of state infrastructure r	elevant to this plan? No	
If Yes, reasons :			
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Preparation of the plannir	ng proposal supported at i	nis stage : Recommended with Conditions	
	 1.5 Rural Lands 2.1 Environment Prote 2.2 Coastal Protection 2.3 Heritage Conserva 3.1 Residential Zones 3.2 Caravan Parks and 3.4 Integrating Land U 3.5 Development Near 4.1 Acid Sulfate Soils 4.3 Flood Prone Land 4.4 Planning for Bush 5.1 Implementation of 	ion Manufactured Home Estates se and Transport Licensed Aerodromes re Protection	North Coast
Additional Information :	6.2 Reserving Land fo		

1) The planning proposal should proceed as a routine planning proposal;

2) The Secretary (or an officer nominated by the Secretary) agrees that the inconsistencies with s117 Directions 1.1 Business and Industrial Zones, 1.2 Rural Zones, 1.5 Rural Lands, and 2.1 Environmental Protection Zones are justified as minor

significance;

	significance,
2)	3) The Secretary (or an officer nominated by the Secretary) note that inconsistencies with Directions 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection and 6.2 Reserving Land for Public Purposes will be considered through consultation prior to exhibition with the NSW Rural Fire Service and NSW Trade & Investment, Crown Lands respectively;
	4) Council be required prior to exhibition to provide an amended planning proposal that includes:
	- detailed 'Explanation of Provisions' &
	- reference to the Coffs Harbour Local Environmental Plan 2013 Performance Review
	date March 2015 with it attached as an appendix;
	5) Council will be required under section 56(2)(d) of the EP&A Act to consult with Transport for NSW - Roads and Maritime Services and Office of Environment & Heritage - National Parks & Wildlife Services prior to exhibition;
201	6) Council be required to lodge the planning proposal under section 57(2) for approval by the Secretary's delegate of the form and content of the planning proposal prior to community consultation;
	7) That the planning proposal be exhibited for a period of 28 days;
	8) The planning proposal be completed in 9 months; and
	9) Delegation to finalise the planning proposal be issued to Coffs Harbour City Council.
Supporting Reasons	The proposal by Council to apply a number of minor amendments to the Coffs Harbour LEP 2013 is appropriate to proceed.
	The issue of delegation to Council to finalise the planning proposal is appropriate in this instance.
Signature:	Ryf
Printed Name:	PAUL GARVETT Date: 9 April 2015
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