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Dear Sir/Madam

## PLANNING PROPOSAL DRAFT KEMPSEY LEP 2013 AMENDMENT NO 27 – 'HOUSEKEEPING' AMENDMENTS – REQUEST FOR GATEWAY DETERMINATION

Reference Reference is made to the above Planning Proposal.

On 20 November 2018 Council resolved:

- 1. That the planning proposal, which seeks a number of housekeeping amendments, be submitted to the Minister for Planning for Gateway consideration pursuant to section 3.34 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.
- 2. That the Secretary of the Department of Planning and Environment be requested to issue Council with written authorisation to exercise plan making delegations in relation to this proposal.
- 3. Subject to the Gateway determination, community consultation for the planning proposal be undertaken.
- 4. A report be brought back to provide options to facilitate the release of the remainder of the Southern area of Saltwater Urban Release Area including the staging and road connectivity.

In accordance with this Council Resolution, consideration for a Gateway Determination is requested.

The intent of the Planning Proposal, as a 'housekeeping' amendment, is to ensure the Kempsey Local Environmental Plan 2013 remains accurate and fit-for-purpose. Additionally, the amendments will facilitate future orderly development of two residential subdivisions in South West Rocks.

Please find enclosed a disc containing the Planning Proposal, Council Report associated with the proposed Amendment, and a completed information checklist.

It is also requested that the Secretary issue Council with a written authorisation to exercise its plan making delegations in relation to this proposal. The completed Evaluation Criteria for the Delegation of Plan Making Functions form is also on the disc.



In addition, a revised indicative timeframe for completion has been provided in the table below:

LEP Amendment Steps	<b>Estimated Project Timing</b>
Submit Planning Proposal to DP&E	December 2018
Receive Gateway determination	January 2019
Preparation of additional studies/planning proposal inclusions	
Authority consultation - pre-exhibition	
Preparation of materials for public exhibition & authority consultation	
Public exhibition of Planning Proposal & government authority consultation	February/March 2019
Review and consideration of submissions	March 2019
Council report preparation	
Public submissions report and draft LEP amendment to Council for adoption	April 2019
Submission to the department to finalise the LEP	April 2019
Submit request for drafting of LEP to Parliamentary Counsel's Office^	April 2019
Forward to the department for notification	May 2019
* If required	
^ If delegated	

Should you require any additional information please do not hesitate to contact Peter Orr on (02) 6566 3200, or by email to **peter.orr@kempsey.nsw.gov.au.** 

Yours faithfully

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