

Bellevue Road rezoning and minimum lot size reduction

Proposal Title : Bellevue Road rezoning and minimum lot size reduction

Proposal Summary : Proposal to rezone land at Bellevue Road, Mudgee from R2 Low Density Residential to R1 General Residential.
Proposal to reduce minimum lot size from 2000m² to 600m²

PP Number : PP_2013_MIDWR_001_00 Dop File No : 13/01671

Planning Team Recommendation

Preparation of the planning proposal supported at this stage : **Recommended with Conditions**

S.117 directions :

- 2.1 Environment Protection Zones
- 2.3 Heritage Conservation
- 2.4 Recreation Vehicle Areas
- 3.1 Residential Zones
- 3.2 Caravan Parks and Manufactured Home Estates
- 3.3 Home Occupations
- 3.4 Integrating Land Use and Transport
- 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection
- 6.1 Approval and Referral Requirements
- 6.2 Reserving Land for Public Purposes
- 6.3 Site Specific Provisions

Additional Information : That community consultation be undertaken for a minimum of 14 days
That the planning proposal be finalised in 6 months

Supporting Reasons : The subject land is urban and used for living purposes. It is a small deviation from the endorsed strategy but is a logical extension to the general residential zone and will provide additional residential opportunities in the short term

Panel Recommendation

Recommendation Date : 24-Jan-2013 Gateway Recommendation : **Passed with Conditions**

Panel Recommendation : The Planning Proposal should proceed subject to the following conditions:

1. Council is to consult with the NSW Rural Fire Services as per the requirements of S117 Direction 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection and amend the planning proposal, if necessary, to take into consideration any comments made prior to undertaking public exhibition.
2. Prior to undertaking public exhibition, Council is to amend the planning proposal to include a project timeline, consistent with Section 2.6 Part 6 of the A Guide to Preparing Planning Proposals. The project timeline is to provide a mechanism to monitor the progress of the planning proposal.
3. Community consultation is required under sections 56(2)(c) and 57 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 ("EP&A Act") as follows:
 - (a) the planning proposal is classified as low impact as described in A Guide to Preparing LEPs (Department of Planning & Infrastructure 2012) and must be made publicly available for 14 days; and
 - (b) the relevant planning authority must comply with the notice requirements for public exhibition of planning proposals and the specifications for material that must be made publicly available along with planning proposals as identified in section 5.5.2 of A Guide to Preparing LEPs (Department of Planning & Infrastructure 2012).

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4. Consultation is required with the following public authorities under section 56(2)(d) of the EP&A Act:

- NSW Rural Fire Service

Each public authority is to be provided with a copy of the planning proposal and any relevant supporting material. Each public authority is to be given at least 21 days to comment on the proposal, or to indicate that they will require additional time to comment on the proposal. Public authorities may request additional information or additional matters to be addressed in the planning proposal.

5. A public hearing is not required to be held into the matter by any person or body under section 56(2)(e) of the EP&A Act. This does not discharge Council from any obligation it may otherwise have to conduct a public hearing (for example, in response to a submission or if reclassifying land).

6. The timeframe for completing the LEP is to be 9 months from the week following the date of the Gateway determination.

Signature:



Printed Name:

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Date:

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