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LEP Amendment – Rural Function Centres



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Dear Sir

Re: Planning Proposal – Ballina LEP 2012 – Rural Function Centres

At its Ordinary Meeting held on 22 October 2020, Ballina Shire Council, considered a report which addressed issues relating to rural function centres. Council resolved as follows [Minute No.221020/9]:

1. *That Council endorses the proposed amendments to the Ballina Local Environmental Plan 2012 relating to function centres and temporary use of land as outlined in the planning proposal (BSCPP 18/005) for submission to the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment for a Gateway determination.*
2. *That the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment be advised that Council wishes to exercise its delegated plan making functions for this LEP amendment.*
3. *That upon an affirmative Gateway determination being received from the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment, the procedural steps associated with progression of the planning proposal be undertaken, including public exhibition.*
4. *That Council receive a further report on the matter following the completion of the public exhibition of the planning proposal.*

In accordance with the above resolution, please find enclosed the abovementioned planning proposal for Gateway determination in accordance with Section 56 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979.

The Department's *Attachment 4 – Evaluation Criteria for the Delegation of Plan Making Functions* has been completed and is attached. It is Council's intention at this stage of the process to exercise its delegated plan making functions.

If you have any enquiries in regard to this matter please contact me on telephone (02) 6686 1432 or by email at simon.scott@ballina.nsw.gov.au.

Yours faithfully

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Encl: Planning Proposal – Rural Function Centres
Attachment 4 – Evaluation Criteria for the Delegation of Plan Making Functions