

Gateway Determination

Planning proposal (Department Ref: PP_2016_BLUEM_002_00): to make a number of minor 'housekeeping' amendments to the *Blue Mountains LEP 2015*.

I, the Director, Sydney Region West at the Department of Planning and Environment as delegate of the Greater Sydney Commission, have determined under section 56(2) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (the Act) that an amendment to the *Blue Mountains Local Environmental Plan (LEP) 2015* to make a number of minor 'housekeeping' amendments should proceed subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Prior to undertaking public exhibition Council in relation to S117 Direction 4.4 Planning for Bushfire Protection, Council is required to forward the planning proposal to the Rural Fire Service (RFS). If the RFS requires any additional information, or specifies any additional matters to be addressed, the planning proposal is to be updated accordingly.
- 2. Community consultation is required under sections 56(2)(c) and 57 of the Act as follows:
 - (a) the planning proposal is classified as low impact as described in A Guide to Preparing LEPs (Department of Planning and Infrastructure 2013) and must be made publicly available for a minimum of 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 and Infrastructure 2013).
- 3. A public hearing is not required to be held into the matter by any person or body under section 56(2)(e) of the 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).
- 4. The timeframe for completing the LEP is to be **6 months** from the week following the date of the Gateway determination.

Dated 9th day of September 2016

Catherine Van Laeren
Director, Sydney Region West
Planning Services
Department of Planning and Environment

Delegate of the Greater Sydney Commission



WRITTEN AUTHORISATION TO EXERCISE DELEGATION

Blue Mountains is authorised to exercise the functions of the Greater Sydney Commission under section 59 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* that are delegated to it by instrument of delegation dated 14 October 2012, in relation to the following planning proposal:

Number	Name
PP_2016_BLUEM_002_00	Planning proposal to amend a number of minor 'housekeeping' anomalies contained in the <i>Blue Mountains LEP 2015</i>

In exercising the Commission's functions under section 59, the Council must comply with the Department of Planning and Environment's "A guide to preparing local environmental plans" and "A guide to preparing planning proposals".

Dated 9th day of September 2016

Catherine Van Laeren Director, Sydney Region West

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Delegated plan making reporting template Reporting template for delegated LEP amendments

Notes:

- Planning proposal number will be provided by the Department of Planning and Environment following receipt of the planning proposal
- The Department of Planning and Environment will fill in the details of Tables 1 and 3
- RPA is to fill in details for Table 2
- If the planning proposal is exhibited more than once, the RPA should add additional rows to **Table 2** to include this information
- The RPA must notify the relevant contact officer in the regional office in writing of the dates as they occur to ensure the publicly accessible LEP Tracking System is kept up to date
- A copy of this completed report must be provided to the Department of Planning and Environment with the RPA's request to have the LEP notified

Table 1 – To be completed by Department of Planning and Environment

Stage	Date/Details	
Planning Proposal Number	PP_2016_BLUEM_002_00	
Date Sent to DP&E under s56	11 August 2016	
Date considered at LEP Review	N/A	
Panel		
Gateway determination date		

Table 2 - To be completed by the RPA

Stage	Date/Details	Notified Reg Off
Dates draft LEP exhibited		
Date of public hearing (if held)		
Date sent to PCO seeking Opinion	121	
Date Opinion received		
Date Council Resolved to Adopt LEP		
Date LEP made by GM (or other) under delegation		340
Date sent to DP&E requesting notification		

Table 3 – To be completed by Department of Planning and Environment

Stage	Date/Details
Notification Date and details	

Additional relevant information: