

Gateway Determination

Planning proposal (Department Ref: PP-2023-2079): to rezone certain lands in the Thrumster Business Park to E3 Productivity Support.

I, the Acting Executive Director, Local Planning and Council Support at the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure, as delegate of the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces, have determined under section 3.34(2) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (the Act) that an amendment to the Port Macquarie-Hastings Local Environmental Plan 2011 to rezone certain lands in the Thrumster Business Park to E3 Productivity Support should proceed subject to the following Gateway conditions.

The Council as planning proposal authority is authorised to exercise the functions of the local plan-making authority under section 3.36(2) of the Act subject to the following:

- (a) the planning proposal authority has satisfied all the conditions of the gateway determination;
- (b) the planning proposal is consistent with applicable directions of the Minister under section 9.1 of the Act or the Secretary has agreed that any inconsistencies are justified; and
- (c) there are no outstanding written objections from public authorities.

The LEP should be completed within 10 months of the Gateway determination date.

Gateway Conditions

- 1. Prior to agency and community consultation, the planning proposal is to be amended to:
 - (a) remove references to the inclusion of shop top housing and serviced apartments as additional permitted uses;
 - (b) remove references to the previous property description and replace with the current property descriptions for the land to which the planning proposal applies; and
 - (c) include the zoning of road reserves within and surrounding the site to match adjoining zoned land.
- 2. Public exhibition is required under section 3.34(2)(c) and clause 4 of Schedule 1 to the Act as follows:
 - (a) the planning proposal is categorised as standard as described in the Local Environmental Plan Making Guideline (Department of Planning and Environment, August 2023) and must be made publicly available for a minimum of 20 working days; and
 - (b) the planning proposal 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 *Local*

Environmental Plan Making Guideline (Department of Planning and Environment, August 2023).

- 3. Consultation is required with the following public authorities and government agencies under section 3.34(2)(d) of the Act and/or to comply with the requirements of applicable directions of the Minister under section 9 of the Act:
 - NSW Rural Fire Service
 - The owner and operator of the Port Macquarie Airport
 - Civil Aviation Safety Authority
 - Airservices Australia
 - Transport for NSW

Each public authority is to be provided with a copy of the planning proposal and any relevant supporting material via the NSW Planning Portal and given at least 30 working days to comment on the proposal.

4. A public hearing is not required to be held into the matter by any person or body under section 3.34(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).

Dated 19 February 2025

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Delegate of the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces