SOUTHERN JOINT REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL

Meeting held at Wollongong City Council at 1.10 PM

Panel Members: Allen Grimwood (Acting Chair), Mark Grayson, Bob McCotter, Cr Vicki Curran and Michael Mantei

Apologies: Pam Allan Declarations of Interest: Nil

Determination and Statement of Reasons

2014STH017 - Wollongong - DA-2014/956 [27A Stewart Street, Wollongong] as described in Schedule 1.

Date of determination: 8 May 2015

Decision: The panel determined to approve the development application as described in Schedule 1 pursuant to section 80 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

Panel consideration:

The panel considered: the matters listed at item 6, the material listed at item 7 and the material presented at meetings and the matters observed at site inspections listed at item 8 in Schedule 1.

Reasons for the panel decision:

1. The matters that were the subject of deferral of the development application on 27 March 2015 have been satisfactorily addressed in the supplementary report prepared by Council

Conditions:

Panel members:

Clr Vicki Curran

The development application was approved subject to the conditions in Attachment 4 of the Council Assessment Report as amended by the Panel at the meeting. Condition 81 was amended to read:

81. Prior to the issue of any occupation certificate, an easement for access must be registered on proposed Lot 1 approved under DA-2013/1199 in favour of proposed Lot 2 approved under DA-2013/1199. A positive covenant on proposed Lot 1 in favour of proposed Lot 2 is to be created to maintain existing use of the area retained in the existing club house located on proposed Lot 1 for the purposes of a communal lounge. The easement and positive covenant is to be located so-as to allow access by residents of the building on Lot 2 (Howard Court 1) to the communal lounge area to be retained in the existing club house located on proposed Lot 1."

Allen Grimwood Approval by Email Approval by email

Michael Mantei

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SCHEDULE 1	
1	JRPP Reference – LGA- Council Reference: 2014STH017 - Wollongong – DA-2014/956
2	Proposed development: Seniors Living Development
3	Street address: 27A Stewart Avenue, Wollongong
4	Applicant/Owner: Illawarra Retirement Trust Group (IRT)
5	Type of Regional development: Capital investment value > \$20M
6	Relevant mandatory considerations
	SEPP No. 55 – Remediation of Land
	 SEPP No. 65 – Design Quality of Residential Flat Development (SEPP 65)
	 SEPP (Housing for Seniors or People with a Disability) 2004 (SEPP Seniors)
	 SEPP (Building Sustainability Index : BASIX) 2004
	SEPP (State and Regional Development) 2011
	 Wollongong Local Environmental Plan (WLEP) 2009
	Wollongong Development Control Plan 2009
	 Wollongong Section 94A Development Contributions Plan 2014
	NSW Retirement Villages Act 1999
	 The likely impacts of the development, including environmental impacts on the natural and built
	environment and social and economic impacts in the locality.
	The suitability of the site for the development.
	 Any submissions made in accordance with the EPA Act or EPA Regulation.
	The public interest.
7	Material considered by the panel:
	Council Assessment Report: 18 March 2015
	Council Supplementary Report: 30 April 2015
	Written submissions during public exhibition: 3 (2 in Objection and 1 in Support)
8	Meetings and site inspections by the panel: Site visits: 21 October 2014 and 8 May 2015. Briefing
	Meetings: 21 October 2014, 27 March 2015 and 8 May 2015
9	Council recommendation: Approval with conditions
10	Draft conditions: as attached to assessment report and amended by the Panel