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Design Statement

The landscape proposal for Wickham wool stores focuses on responding to existing and proposed built forms that will incorporate the site, providing a consistent public domain that allows the precinct to be perceived as a whole. It also aims at articulating the proposed development within the surrounding area, namely Milford & Annie street and the Avenue.

Existing site conditions reflect a highly modified land with an industrial character still evident in the existing warehouses, dated from the 1940s. The site surrounds includes some remaining street trees outside the lot boundaries along Milford Street. These are proposed for removal due to the impact of undergrounding the existing electrical cables would have on the tree protection zone/structural root area and poor shape. It is also noted that the existing trees that surround Woolstore 1 and future building 5 are inconsistent with more recent planting along Milford Street. For these reasons, a Flora and Fauna Assessment as well as an Arborist Report haven't been considered necessary for the current DA package.

A Landscape Plan was developed for the whole precinct to ensure a holistic approach and that the same key principles were applied throughout the site and responded to each stage's particular requirements and specificities:

Public streets and site boundary

- Provide continuous pedestrian connections along the site boundary and allow for parking areas to create a buffer zone between vehicular and pedestrian movement.
- Create amenity by including planted areas/blisters and street tree planting.
- Make street more pedestrian friendly by shortening the overall road width thus reducing crossing distance, namely along Milford and Annie street.
- Punctuate entries to building, internal streets & crossing points.
- · Highlight heritage buildings by planting in key locations.
- Include avenue planting to consolidate street hierarchy.

Wool Row

- Wool Row to be treated as a medium intensity private road.
- Provide one way access to service vehicles.
- Landscape treatment to reinforce connection to the proposed Park.
- Street tree planting to consolidate street hierarchy and emphasize building entry points.

Shared areas between heritage and proposed buildings

- Reduce vehicle speed and dominance
- Shared ways to be low intensity private rows
- Landscape treatment to provide visual axis across street by locating parking areas on one side only, thus reducing the vehicular visual dominance and emphasizing key link to Wickham park
- Street planting to provide amenity and greening to the shared way making it more comfortable for pedestrians.
- On grade with adjacent pedestrian areas.

Park

 Park area to provide activation opportunities and act as a buffer area to the Caltex Oil Terminal

Stage 1 includes the surrounding to existing Wool Store 1 and the proposed Park located North of Wool Store 2 as well as the adjacent shared ways and section of Wool Row.

Having in mind the key principles listed above for the shared areas, parking was located on the edge of Wool Store 1. Street trees punctuate this corridor providing rhythm to the space and

articulating accesses to the proposed courtyards and internal pedestrian links that run through the building.

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Landscape Analysis & Design Intent

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Precedents - Shared laneway/parking zone differentiation

Precedents - Mesh structure for climbing plants

Boundaries & Easements Plan

Site wide COS & DSZ

Stage 1 COS & DSZ

Landscape Plan

Park Layout

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On the north and south entries to the shared way wider planted areas contribute to creating amenity and reduce vehicular dominance in these points whilst framing the visual connection from one end to the other.

Indicative Materials Palette

Indicative Plant Schedule

Variations the paving finishes will give the shared way character and also help demarcate the central aisle and parking spaces.

The shared way along the Park and proposed building 5 is shown as a wider area as it also includes 90° parking and will provide service vehicles access during Stage 1. The same principles described above were applied, and accesses to the park were included next to the proposed internal pedestrian links through building 5.

Although provided the same width as the shared way that runs along the Park, Wool Row is given a different character as it stands as a medium intensity private road and will comprise the main vehicular movement.

The surrounding paved areas include parking areas that provide a buffer area from the road that is emphasized by planters

and larger tree canopy. This approach suggests a more direct connection to the Park that acts as an extension of it and helps make a transition to Milford Street.

The Park itself is defined by a strong geometry, given by the surrounding streets and site boundary. The proposal responds to this shape focusing on creating activation nodes on the southern end and along the site boundary and providing a generous kick about area in the center. Activation areas include informal play, picnic and ping-pong areas.

A screen to the Caltex Oil Terminal is proposed through the introduction of a structure intended to be covered by climbing plants and that can take multiple forms in the park area providing not only consistency with the surrounding shapes from the Oil Terminal but also opportunities to generate new subspaces in the Park with a very specific character.

Finally, street furniture items such as seats and bike racks are proposed to be included in the public areas, namely in the Park surrounds and next to the building entries, where circulation is expected to be more predominant.

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Circulation



Parking Strategy





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Woolstore building

Proposed building

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Drainage Plan

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Street Tree Planting strategy



Wool Row Annie Street Proposed park

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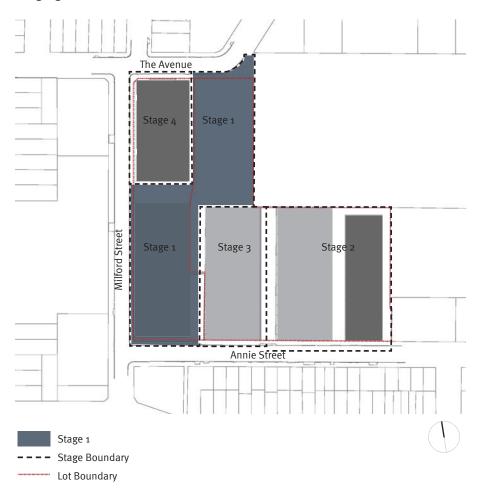
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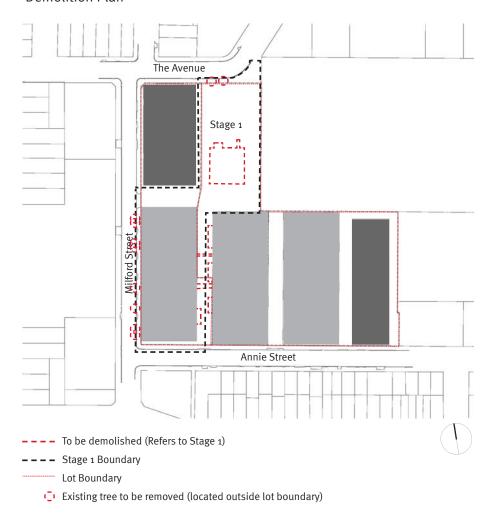
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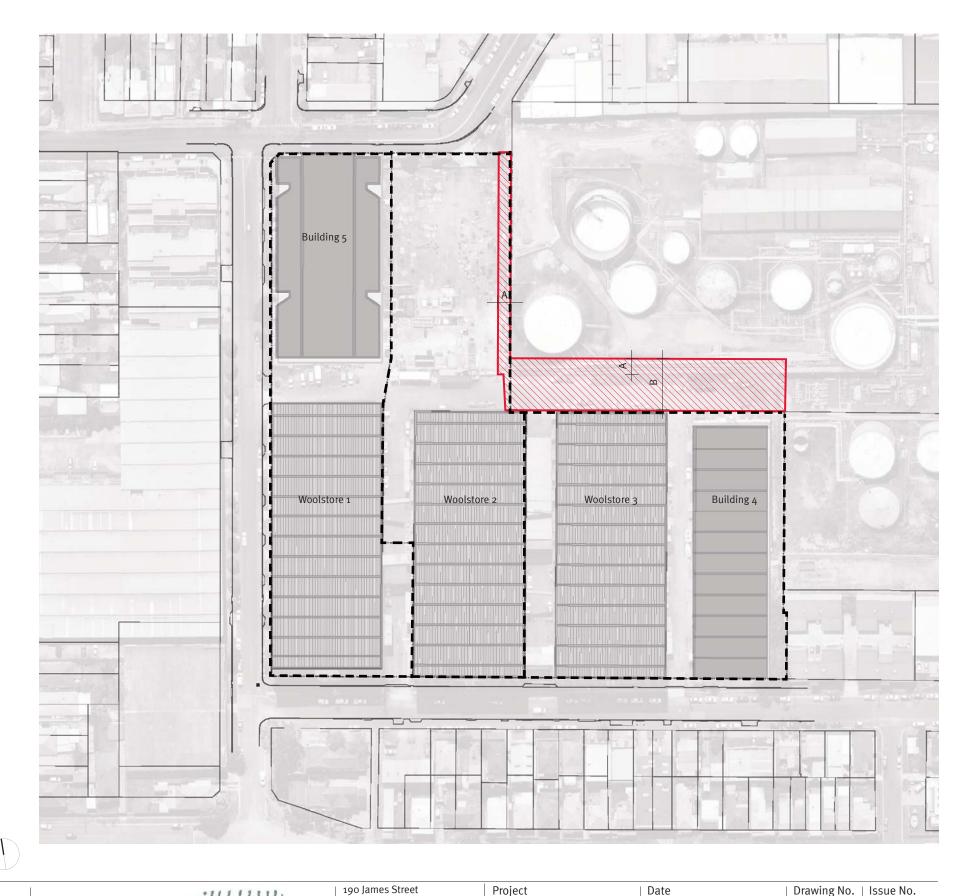


— — Lot Boundary



(Easements defined from Monteath and Powys survey 05.04.2017)

- A. Easement of pipeline 5m wide
- B. Easement for purpose of constructing a street or carriageway
- Existing building to be retained
- Proposed Building







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Communal Open Space (COS) & Deep Soil Zone (DSZ) Calculations

	Total Area m²	% of site area
Site area	31,277	100%
DSZ / Public Park	2,912	9.3%
COS Area A (Park & WR north & Bld 5 surrounds)	4,944	
COS Area B (Rooftop Bld 5)	1,591	
COS Area C (Between Bld 1&2 & Wool Row south)	1,285	
COS Area D (Between Bld 2 & 3)	924	
COS Area E (Between Bld 3 & 4)	1,606	
TOTAL COS AREA (A+B+C+D+E)	10,350	33%
Landscaping Area	3,556	11.4%

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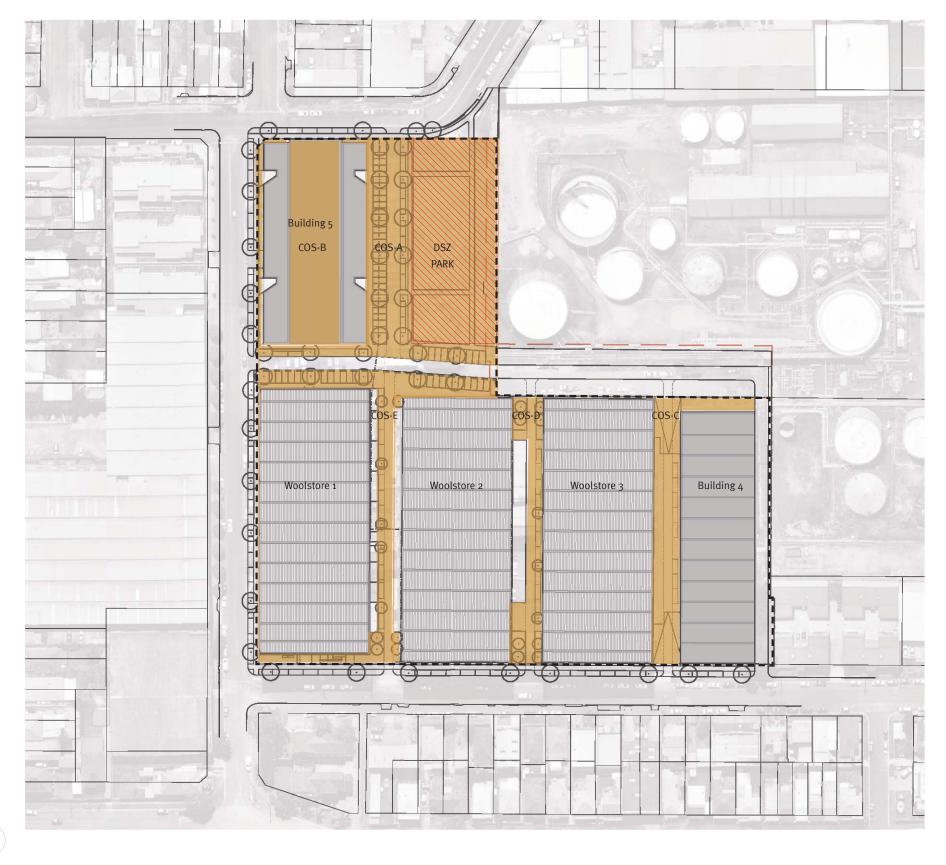
Site Boundary



Existing Building Retained

Communal Open Space (COS)

Deep Soil Zone (DSZ) / Public Park





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Communal Open Space (COS) & Deep Soil Zone (DSZ) Calculations

	Total Area m²	% of site area
Site area	31,277	100%
DSZ / Public Park	2,912	9.3%
COS Area A (Park & Wool Row north)	4,772	
COS Area B (Between Bld 1&2 & WR south)	1,285	
TOTAL COS AREA (A+B)	6,057	19%
Landscaping Area	3,049	9.7%

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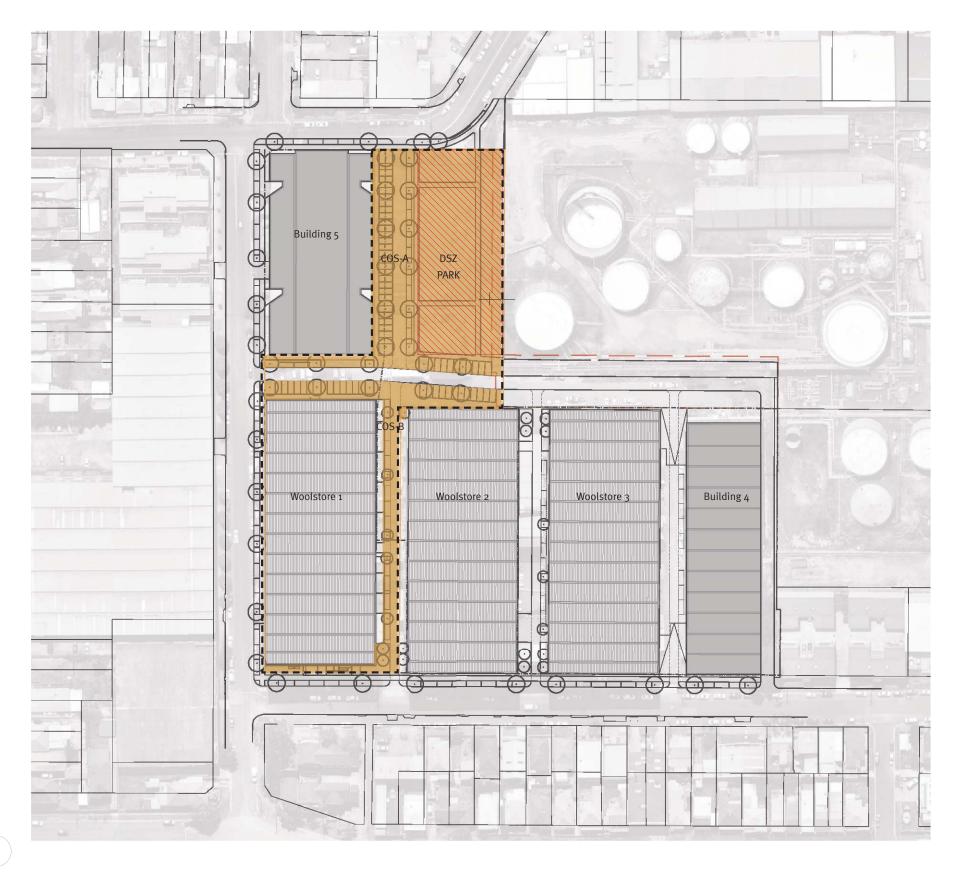
Stage 1 Boundary



Existing Building Retained

Communal Open Space (COS)

Deep Soil Zone (DSZ) / Public Park







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Legend

Stage 1 Boundary

Screening structure with climbing plants

B Entry Point

C Ping Pong Tables

D Proposed Electrical substation (x2)

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Seating

Kick about area

Mass Planting

Unit paving to share zone

Unit paving to internal car parking

Concrete paving

Decomposed Granite

+ 1.55 Spot levels



Proposed Feature Tree Planting



Proposed Tree Planting

Activation Node - Informal play & ping-pong

Kickabout Area

Activation Axis - Picnic, seating areas

Proposed Building 5







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Investec Wickham Woolstore - Stage 1 **Development Application** Street sections Update base WOOLSTORE 2 WOOLSTORE 3 BUILDING PLANTING/ 90° PARKING 5400 PLANTING/ PARKING 3100 SHARED ZONE 5400 COURTYARD PARKING MIN 3150 300 2100 SHARED ZONE 3600 COURTYARD Section B-B 1:200 @ A3 Key Plan NTS @ A₃ Section A-A 1:200 @ A3 BUILDING WOOLSTORE 2 PLANTING/ PARKING 3100 PLANTING/ 90° PARKING 5400 SHARED ZONE 5400 CARRIAGEWAY VARIES Section C-C Section D-D 1:200 @ A3 1:200 @ A3 Client Consultant tonkin Revisions 190 James Street Project Date Drawing No. | Issue No. +1///////// Date 05.06.17 Description For DA \oplus Investec Check Redfern NSW 2016 Wickham Woolstore, Newcastle Issue A June 2017 greer JMD design L010 Α

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Key Principles of Shared laneway

1 Equity of access

Pedestrian, vehicle, parking and cycle functions to share laneway with subtle designations between zones of use.

2 Traffic calming

Vehicular and cycle traffic speeds reduced to minimise conflicts with pedestrians via:

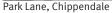
- texture changes in pavement
- narrow lane widths
- location of street furniture, tree planting and lighting etc. close to laneway edges.

3 Materials

Laneway and parking area materials to be read as part of the same suite i.e. zones of use to be differentiated by subtle means as described in the adjacent precedents.

Parking areas differentiated by a clear edge (line of drainage grate, dish drain or flush kerb)







Park Lane, Chippendale



Central Park, Sydney (V-drain and texture change at edge)



Sydney University (U-drain and material change at edge)

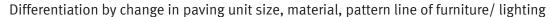
Tree planting to delineate space



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Kensington Street, Chippendale





New Road, Brighton



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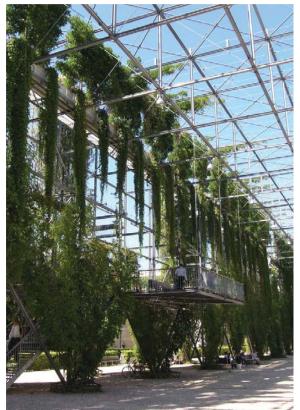


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MFO Zurich - Screening structure with climbing plants



Screening structure with climbing plants reminiscent of silos



Climbing plants in screening structure

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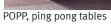






Furniture









FGP Bin, Botton and Gardiner



Circular bike rack, PEC



Arqua Water Fountain, Street Furniture Australia

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Investec Wickham Woolstore - Stage 1 Development Application Indicative Plant Schedule **Botanical** name Common name TREES Caesalpinia ferrea **Leopard Tree** Cupaniopsis anacardioides Tuckeroo Ficus rubiginosa Port Jackson Fig Fraxinus pennsylvanica 'Urbanite' Urbanite Green Ash Jacaranda mimosifolia Jacaranda Liriodendron tulipifera Tulip Tree Lophostemon confertus **Brush Box** Tristaniopsis laurina Water Gum Ulmus parvifolia Chinese Elm Zelkova serrata Japanese Zelkova **SHRUBS** Backhousia myrtifolia Grey Myrtle Banksia spinulosa Hairpin Banksia Callistemon citrinus 'White Anzac' Bottlebrush Callistemon 'Great Balls of Fire' Great Balls of Fire Lophostemon confertus Lophostemon confertus Tristaniopsis laurina Pennisetum alopecuriodes Swamp Foxtail Dodonaea viscosa Sticky Hop Bush Hardenbergia violacea False Sarsaparilla Juncus usitatus Common Rush Leptospermum 'Pink Cascade' Pink Tea Tree Zelkova serrata Banksia spinulosa C. citrinus 'White Anzac' Pennisetum alopecuriodes Lomandra longifolia Mat Rush Melaleuca linarifolia 'Claret Tops' Honey Myrtle Poa labillardieri Common Tussock Grass Syzygium australe 'Tiny Trev' Lilly Pilly Westringia brevifolia 'Raleighii' Westringia Sea Mist Westringia fruticosa 'Zena' **Coastal Rosemary** Dodonaea viscosa Hardenbergia violacea Leptospermum 'Pink Cascade' luncus usitatus M. linarifolia 'Claret Tops GROUNDCOVERS/CLIMBERS Ficus pumila Creeping Fig Trachelospermum jasminoides Star Jasmine Parthenocissus tricuspidata Grape Ivy Planting notes: - Indicative plant palette only - subject to availability and confirmation during procurement Poa labillardieri - Indicative heights at maturity Client Consultant 190 James Street tonkin Revisions Project Date *111111111

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Height

10-12M

8m

20M

15-20M

10 m

15M

10M

10M

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15-18m

3m

1-3M

1m

1.75m

600-900mm

2-3m

2-3m

up to 1m

1.5m

1-1.5m

750mm-1m

up to 1m

750mm

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1m

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Pot size

200L

100L

1500L

45L

200L

400L

200L

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100L

200L

50mm pot

140mm pot