

# **RECORD OF BRIEFING MEETING**

# HUNTER AND CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL

# **MEETING DETAILS**

MEETING DATE / TIME	Thursday, 2 August 2018 –2.40pm to 3.00pm
LOCATION	Maitland No. 1 Sportsground Amenities Building, Odd/James Street, Maitland

## **BRIEFING MATTER(S)**

2017HCC055 – Maitland - DA 17-2593 Address - Raymond Terrace Road Thornton Description - Retirement Village Thornton

#### **PANEL MEMBERS**

IN ATTENDANCE	Kara Krason, Peter Garnham (MCC) and Sally Halliday (MCC)
APOLOGY	Jason Perica, Michael Leavey
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	Nil

#### **OTHER ATTENDEES**

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	Robyn Hawes
OTHER	David Simm, Leanne Harris, Anne Moore, Kristy Cousins

## **PANEL BRIEFING**

Briefing Notes distributed and proposed development outlined by Council Development Assessment Planner. Application remains under assessment. A number of external referrals remains outstanding.

### **KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED**

- Application is being considered concurrently with DA18-1431 for earthworks (fill) which would enable a suitable site gradient for the proposed seniors housing development
- Consider proximity to local facilities and services and whether social impact assessment required to demonstrate compliance with SEPP provisions
- Vegetation loss and biodiversity considerations
- Site compatibility certificate requirement to demonstrate that vegetation modification to support bushfire mitigation and access is balanced against maintaining the ecological values of the EEC on site
- Compliance with Clause 26 of the SEPP
- Solar access compliance lack of detail provided to Council
- DPI Water referral outstanding

•	RMS referral outstanding Includes series of community facilities and communal open space areas to support new population