

# DETERMINATION AND STATEMENT OF REASONS

SYDNEY NORTH PLANNING PANEL

DATE OF DETERMINATION	Friday, 7 June 2019
PANEL MEMBERS	Peter Debnam, John Roseth, Sue Francis, Linda McClure and Gail Giles-Gidney
APOLOGIES	None
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	None

Papers circulated electronically between 31 May 2019 and 7 June 2019.

#### MATTER DETERMINED

2018SNH002 – Willoughby City Council – DA2017/503 at 345 Victoria Avenue, 12-14 Malvern Avenue and 5-7 Havilah Street, Chatswood NSW 2067 – Demolition of 2 Commercial Buildings, Reconstruction and Expansion of Chatswood Chase Shopping Centre. (as described in Schedule 1)

## PANEL CONSIDERATION AND DECISION

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

The Panel determined to approve the development application pursuant to section 4.16 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

The decision was unanimous.

## **REASONS FOR THE DECISION**

The panel determined to approve the application for the reasons outlined in the council assessment report.

#### CONDITIONS

The development application was approved subject to the conditions in the Council Supplementary Report dated 30 May 2019.

PANEL MEMBERS		
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Gail Giles-Gidney		

	SCHEDULE 1		
1	PANEL REF – LGA – DA NO.	2018SNH002 – Willoughby – DA2017/503	
2	PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT	Demolition of 2 commercial buildings, reconstruction and expansion of Chatswood Chase Shopping Centre.	
3	STREET ADDRESS	345 Victoria Avenue, 12-14 Malvern Avenue and 5-7 Havilah Street, Chatswood	
4	APPLICANT/OWNER	Vicinity Centres PM Pty Ltd	
5	TYPE OF REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT	General development over \$30 million	
6	RELEVANT MANDATORY CONSIDERATIONS	<ul> <li>Environmental planning instruments:         <ul> <li>State Environmental Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007</li> <li>State Environmental Planning Policy No.55 – Remediation of Land</li> <li>Sydney Regional Environmental Plan (Sydney Harbour Catchment) 2005 (Deemed SEPP)</li> <li>Willoughby Local Environmental Plan 2012</li> </ul> </li> <li>Draft environmental planning instruments: Nil</li> <li>Development control plans:         <ul> <li>Willoughby Development Control Plan</li> </ul> </li> <li>Planning agreements: Nil</li> <li>Provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000: Nil</li> <li>Coastal zone management plan: Nil</li> <li>The likely impacts of the development, including environmental impacts on the natural and built environment and social and economic impacts in the locality</li> <li>The suitability of the site for the development</li> <li>Any submissions made in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 or regulations</li> <li>The public interest, including the principles of ecologically sustainable development</li> </ul>	
7	MATERIAL CONSIDERED BY THE PANEL	<ul> <li>Council Supplementary Report: 30 May 2019</li> <li>Council Supplementary Report: 17 April 2019</li> <li>Council assessment report: 7 December 2018</li> <li>Applicant memo (response): 14 December 2018, 18 December 2018</li> <li>Council memo (response): 18 December 2018</li> <li>Written submissions during public sublicitors 17</li> </ul>	
8	PAPERS CIRCULATED ELECTRICALLY	<ul> <li>Written submissions during public exhibition: 17</li> <li>Papers were circulated electronically between 31 May 2019 and 7 June 2019.</li> </ul>	
9	COUNCIL RECOMMENDATION	Approval	
10	DRAFT CONDITIONS	Attached to the council assessment report.	