

DATE OF DETERMINATION	28 April 2023
DATE OF PANEL DECISION	24 April 2023
PANEL MEMBERS	Alison McCabe (Chair), Tony McNamara and Roberta Ryan
APOLOGIES	None
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	<p>Ryan Palmer declared a conflict of interest as he is a Director of Newcastle Airport</p> <p>Giacomo Arnott declared a conflict of interest as she is a Councillor of Port Stephens Council, which has a financial interest in Newcastle Airport</p> <p>Leah Anderson declared a conflict of interest as she is a Councillor of Port Stephens Council, which has a financial interest in Newcastle Airport</p> <p>Steve Tucker declared a conflict of interest as she is a Councillor of Port Stephens Council, which has a financial interest in Newcastle Airport</p> <p>Brock Lamont declared a conflict of interest as he is an employee of Port Stephens Council, which has a financial interest in Newcastle Airport</p> <p>John Maretich declared a conflict of interest as he is an employee of Port Stephens Council, which has a financial interest in Newcastle Airport</p>

Papers circulated electronically on 6 April 2023.

MATTER DETERMINED

PPSHCC-155 – Port Stephens – DA 16-2022-763-1 at 55C Slades Rd, Williamtown – change of use to general industry (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 had the benefit of an initial kick off briefing and final briefing from both Council and the applicant.

The proposed development is located within the Newcastle airport precinct and is a use consistent with the planning framework applying to the area. It is also located with the Williamtown Special Activation Precinct.

Arising from the Panel deliberation, Council was requested to clarify conditions of previous consents and how they may or may not relate to the proposal. The Panel also notes that the use of the premises is not changing – it is continuing to be used as General Industry – aircraft maintenance.

Council provided a memo regarding the Panel query regarding conditions and use which has been considered. The proposal is a development that is suitable for the site and results in minimal impacts given the context of the site.

A further condition is recommended to make reference to the requirement to comply with condition of other approvals relating to the site – this is condition 6.0 (8).

A reference to a note at condition 2.0(6) is also deleted as it does not apply to this application.

Development application

The Panel determined to approve the development application pursuant to section 4.16 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* and subject to the condition at Schedule 2.

The decision was unanimous.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The Panel determined to approve the application for the following reasons:

- The proposed use is consistent with the specific purpose for which it is zoned and is compatible with the surrounding land uses.
- The impacts arising from the development in the context of the site are minimal.
- The site is suitable for the proposed development.

CONDITIONS

The development application was approved subject to the conditions in Schedule 2.

CONSIDERATION OF COMMUNITY VIEWS

In coming to its decision, the Panel notes that no written submissions were made during public exhibition and therefore no issues of concern were raised.

PANEL MEMBERS	
 Alison McCabe (Chair)	 Roberta Ryan
 Tony McNamara	

SCHEDULE 1		
1	PANEL REF – LGA – DA NO.	PPSHCC-155 – Port Stephens – DA 16-2022-763-1
2	PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT	Continued use of general industry – aircraft maintenance and associated alterations and additions to the existing aircraft hangar
3	STREET ADDRESS	LOT: 103 DP: 873512 55C Slades Road, WILLIAMTOWN
4	APPLICANT OWNER	RPS AAP Consulting Pty Ltd Department of Defence
5	TYPE OF REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT	Council related development over \$5 million
6	RELEVANT MANDATORY CONSIDERATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental planning instruments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Biodiversity and Conservation) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Planning Systems) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Precincts—Regional) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021 ○ State Environmental Planning Policy (Transport and Infrastructure) 2021 ○ Port Stephens Local Environmental Plan 2013 • Draft environmental planning instruments: Nil • Development control plans: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Port Stephens Development Control Plan 2014 • Planning agreements: Nil • Provisions of the <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000</i> • Coastal zone management plan: Nil • 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 <i>Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979</i> or regulations • The public interest, including the principles of ecologically sustainable development
7	MATERIAL CONSIDERED BY THE PANEL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council assessment report: 4 April 2023 • Addendum Council assessment Memorandum: 20 April 2023 • Written submissions during public exhibition: nil
8	MEETINGS, BRIEFINGS AND SITE INSPECTIONS BY THE PANEL	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kick-off Briefing: 21 February 2023 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Panel members</u>: Alison McCabe (Chair) and Tony McNamara ○ <u>Council assessment staff</u>: Isaac Lancaster ○ <u>Department staff</u>: Leanne Harris and Lisa Foley ○ <u>Applicant representatives</u>: Simon Manktelow, Arie Zuanic, Dane Walmsley, Alexandra Fearnley, Kyle Trayhurn and Dave Mattiussi • Site inspections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Alison McCabe (Chair)</u>: 8 April 2023 ○ <u>Tony McNamara</u>: 12 March 2023 • Final briefing to discuss Council’s recommendation: 19 April 2023 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Panel members</u>: Alison McCabe (Chair), Roberta Ryan and Tony McNamara

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Council assessment staff</u>: Isaac Lancaster and Ryan Falkenmire ○ <u>Department staff</u>: Lisa Foley <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Applicant Briefing: 19 April 2023 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <u>Panel members</u>: Alison McCabe (Chair), Roberta Ryan and Tony McNamara ○ <u>Council assessment staff</u>: Isaac Lancaster and Ryan Falkenmire ○ <u>Department staff</u>: Lisa Foley ○ <u>Applicant representatives</u>: Arie Zuanic and Kyle Trayhurn <p><u>Note</u>: Applicant briefing was requested to respond to the recommendation in the Council assessment report</p>
9	COUNCIL RECOMMENDATION	Approval
10	DRAFT CONDITIONS	Attached to the addendum Council assessment Memorandum

SCHEDULE 2

1.0 - General Conditions of Consent

The following conditions of consent are general conditions applying to the development.

- (1) **Approved plans and supporting documentation** – Development must be carried out in accordance with the following approved plans and supporting documentation (stamped by Council), except where the conditions of this consent expressly require otherwise.

Project No. - Plan No.	Revision No.	Plan Title.	Drawn By.	Dated.
P22-034-DA002	B	Site Plan & Landscape Plan	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA003	B	Existing & Demolition Plan	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA004	B	Ground Floor	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA005	B	Roof Plan	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA006	B	Elevations – Existing & Demolition	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA007	B	Proposed Elevations	DesignInc	15/09/2022
P22-034-DA008	B	Proposed Sections	DesignInc	15/09/2022

Document Title.	Prepared By.	Dated.
Aboriginal and Historic Heritage Due Diligence Assessment	AECOM	31 August 2022
BCA Assessment Report	BCA Logic	15 September 2022
Drainage Assessment	AECOM	13 September 2022
Environment - Desktop Contamination Assessment	AECOM	5 September 2022
Transport Impact Assessment	ptc. Consulting Engineers	12 September 2022
Waste Management Plan	AECOM	13 September 2022

Note: In the event of any inconsistency between the approved plans and a condition of this consent, the condition prevails.

- (2) **Signage** – No consent is given or implied for any form of illumination or floodlighting to any sign.
- (3) **Separate approval for signs** – A separate development application for any signage must be provided to, and approved by, the Consent Authority or under the provision of the *State Environmental Planning Policy (Exempt and Complying Codes) 2008* if applicable prior to the erection or display of any such signs.
- (4) **Building Code of Australia** – All building work must be carried out in accordance with the BCA. In this clause, a reference to the BCA is a reference to that Code as in force on the date the application for the relevant Construction Certificate is made.

- (5) **Sign on building** – Except in the case of work only carried out to the interior of a building or Crown building work, a sign must be erected in a prominent position on the site showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work, the name of any principal contractor and their after-hours contact number, and must contain a statement that unauthorised entry to the site is prohibited.
- The sign must be maintained while the work is being carried out and is to be removed when the work is completed.
- (6) **Outdoor lighting** - All lighting must comply with AS 1158 'Lighting for Roads and Public Spaces' and AS 4282 'Control of Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor Lighting'.
- (9) **Roof mounted equipment** – All roof mounted equipment such as air conditioning units, service pipes and vents etc., required to be installed must be concealed within the external walls of the development or adequately screened so as not to be visible from a public place.
- (10) **Agency conditions of consent** – The conditions of consent from state authorities must be complied with prior to, during, and at the completion of the development.
- The Recommended Conditions of Consent are:
1. AUSGRID – REF no. 1900117892 and dated 19 November 2022;
 2. Environment Protection Authority – REF no. DOC22/997224-3 and dated 18 November 2022;
 3. Department of Defence - REF no. ID-EP-DLP&R/OUT/2022/BS35906063; and
 4. Hunter Water – REF no. HW2022-1008/15.
- A copy of the conditions of consent from state authorities are attached to this determination notice.
- (11) **Bush Fire Safety – Other Developments** – The site is located within a bushfire prone area and must comply with NSW Rural Fire Service document "Planning for Bushfire Protection 2019" (PBP2019). In this regard the following is required:
- a) The entire property must be managed as an 'Inner Protection Area' as outlined within PBP2019.
 - b) Compliance with Appendix 3 of PBP2019.
 - c) Compliance with the specific requirements of Chapter 8 of PBP2019.
- Details demonstrating compliance must be prepared by a qualified Bushfire Consultant provided to the Certifying Authority by an NSW suitably qualified BPAD Bushfire Consultant.

2.0 – Prior to Issue of a Construction Certificate

The following conditions of consent shall be complied with prior to the issue of a Construction Certificate.

- (1) **Civil engineering plans** – Civil engineering plans prepared by a qualified Engineer, indicating drainage, roads, access ways, earthworks, pavement design, street lighting, details of line-marking, traffic management, water quality and quantity facilities including stormwater detention and disposal, must be prepared in accordance with the approved plans and Council's Infrastructure Specifications.
- Details demonstrating compliance must be provided to the Certifying Authority.
- Note.** Under the *Roads Act 1993*, only the Roads Authority can approve commencement of works within an existing road reserve.
- (2) **Stormwater/drainage plans** – Detailed stormwater drainage plans must be prepared by a qualified Engineer in accordance with the approved plans, Council's Infrastructure Specifications and the

current Australian Rainfall and Runoff guidelines using the Hydrologic Soil Mapping data for Port Stephens (available from Council).

Details demonstrating compliance must be provided to the Certifying Authority.

Note. Under the Roads Act 1993, only the Roads Authority can approve commencement of works within an existing road reserve.

- (3) **Stormwater system Operation and Maintenance Procedure Plan** – An Operation and Maintenance Plan for the stormwater system must be prepared by a qualified engineer detailing a regular maintenance programme for pollution control devices, covering inspection, cleaning and waste disposal.
Details demonstrating compliance must be provided to the Certifying Authority.
- (4) **Soil, erosion, sediment and water management** – An Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (ESCP) must be prepared in accordance with Council’s Infrastructure Specifications. Details demonstrating compliance must be provided to the Certifying Authority.
- (5) **Roads Act Approval** – For construction/reconstruction of Council infrastructure, including vehicular crossings, footpath, kerb and gutter, stormwater drainage, an application must be made for a Roadworks Permit under Section 138B of the *Roads Act 1993*.
- (6) **Construction site management plan** - Before the issue of a construction certificate, the applicant must ensure a construction site management plan is prepared and provided to the certifier. The plan must include the following matters:
 - a) an unexpected finds protocol for contamination and associated communications procedure
 - b) an unexpected finds protocol for non-Aboriginal heritage and associated communications procedure
 - c) waste classification (for materials to be removed) and validation (for materials to remain) be undertaken to confirm the contamination status in these areas of the site
 - d) location and materials for protective fencing and hoardings to the perimeter on the site
 - e) provisions for public safety
 - f) pedestrian and vehicular site access points and construction activity zones
 - g) details of construction traffic management, including proposed truck movements to and from the site and estimated frequency of those movements, and measures to preserve pedestrian safety in the vicinity of the site
 - h) protective measures for on-site tree preservation (including in accordance with AS 4970-2009 Protection of trees on development sites and Council’s DCP, if applicable) and trees in adjoining public domain (if applicable)
 - i) details of any bulk earthworks to be carried out
 - j) location of site storage areas and sheds
 - k) equipment used to carry out all works
 - l) a garbage container with a tight-fitting lid
 - m) dust, noise and vibration control measures
 - n) location of temporary toilets.

The applicant must ensure a copy of the approved construction site management plan is kept on-site at all times during construction.

- (7) **Car parking details (if applicable)** – Before the issue of the relevant construction certificate, a suitably qualified engineer must review the plans which relate to parking facilities and provide written evidence, to the certifier’s satisfaction, that it complies with the relevant parts of AS 2890 Parking Facilities- Off- Street Carparking and Council’s development control plan.
- (8) **Section 7.12 development contributions** – A monetary contribution is to be paid to Council, pursuant to Section 7.12 of the *Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979* and the Port Stephens Council Fixed Local Infrastructure Contributions Plan, related to the Capital Investment Value (CIV) of the development as determined in accordance with clause 25j of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000* and outlined in the table below.

Capital Investment Value	Levy Rate (\$ of CIV)
Up to and including \$100,000	Nil
More than \$100,000 and up to and including \$200,000	0.5%
More than %200,000	1%

The payment of the fixed development consent levy is to be accompanied by a Cost Summary Report Form setting out an estimate of the CIV in accordance with Schedule 1 of the Port Stephens Council Fixed Local Infrastructure Contributions Plan.

Where the estimated cost of carrying out the whole of the development is more than \$1,000,000, the Cost Summary Report Form must be completed by a Quantity Surveyor who is a Registered Associate member or above, of the Australian Institute of Quantity Surveyors.

This condition cannot be taken to be satisfied until a payment has been made in accordance with the CIV stated on a cost summary report submitted to Council in accordance with this condition.

Payment of the above amount must apply to Development Applications as follows:

- Prior to issue of the Construction Certificate.

- (9) **Long service levy** – In accordance with Section 34 of the *Building and Construction Industry Long Service Payments Act 1986*, the applicant must pay a long service levy at the prescribed rate to either the Long Service Payments Corporation or Council for any works that cost \$250,000 or more.

3.0 - Prior to Commencement of Works

The following conditions of consent shall be complied with prior to any works commencing on the development site.

- (1) **Public liability insurance** – The owner or contractor must take out a Public Liability Insurance Policy with a minimum cover of \$20 million in relation to the occupation of, and works within, public property (i.e. kerbs, gutters, footpaths, walkways, reserves, etc.) for the full duration of the proposed works.
Evidence of this Policy must be provided to Council and the Certifying Authority.
- (2) **Notice of Principal Certifying Authority appointment** – Notice must be given to Council at least two days prior to subdivision and/or building works commencing in accordance with Clause 103 of the *Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulation 2000*. The notice must include:
- a) a description of the work to be carried out;

- b) the address of the land on which the work is to be carried out;
- c) the Registered number and date of issue of the relevant development consent;
- d) the name and address of the Principal Certifying Authority (PCA), and of the person by whom the PCA was appointed;
- e) if the PCA is an accredited certifier, their accreditation number, and a statement signed by the accredited certifier consenting to being appointed as PCA; and
- f) a telephone number on which the PCA may be contacted for business purposes.

(3) **Notice commencement of work** – Notice must be given to Council at least two days prior to subdivision and/or building works commencing in accordance with Clause 104 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulation 2000. The notice must include:

- a) the name and address of the person by whom the notice is being given;
- b) a description of the work to be carried out;
- c) the address of the land on which the work is to be carried out;
- d) the Registered number and date of issue of the relevant development consent and construction certificate;
- e) a statement signed by or on behalf of the Principal Certifying Authority to the effect that all conditions of the consent that are required to be satisfied prior to the work commencing have been satisfied; and
- f) the date on which the work is intended to commence.

(4) **Signs on site** – A sign must be erected in a prominent position on any site on which building work or demolition work is being carried out:

- a) showing the name, address and telephone number of the principal certifier for the work, and
- b) showing the name of the principal contractor (if any) for any building work and a telephone number on which that person may be contacted outside working hours, and
- c) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited.

Any such sign is to be maintained while the building work or demolition work is being carried out, but must be removed when the work has been completed.

Note: This does not apply in relation to building work or demolition work that is carried out inside an existing building that does not affect the external walls of the building.

(5) **Construction Certificate Required** – In accordance with the provisions of Section 6.7 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 (EP&A Act 1979), construction works approved by this consent must not commence until the following has been satisfied:

- a) a Construction Certificate has been issued by a Consent Authority;
- b) a Principal Certifying Authority (PCA) has been appointed by the person having benefit of the development consent in accordance with Section 6.5 of the EP&A Act 1979; and
- c) the PCA is notified in writing of the name and contractor licence number of the owner/builder intending to carry out the approved works.

(6) **Site is to be secured** – The site must be secured and fenced to the satisfaction of the Principal Certifying Authority. All hoarding, fencing or awnings (associated with securing the site during construction) is to be removed upon the completion of works.

(7) **Erosion and sediment controls in place** – Before the commencement of any site or building work, the principal certifier must be satisfied the erosion and sediment controls in the erosion and sediment control plan, (as approved by the principal certifier) are in place until the site is rectified (at least 70% ground cover achieved over any bare ground on site).

- (8) **All weather access** – A 3m wide all-weather vehicle access is to be provided from the kerb and gutter to the building under construction for the delivery of materials and use by trades people.
No materials, waste or the like are to be stored on the all-weather access at any time.
- (9) **Demolition work** – All demolition works are to be carried out in accordance with Australian Standard AS 2601 'The demolition of Structures'. All waste materials are to be either recycled or disposed of to a licensed waste facility.
Any asbestos containing material encountered during demolition or works, is to be removed in accordance with the requirements of Safe Work NSW and disposed of to an appropriately licenced waste facility.
Evidence is to be provided to the Certifying Authority demonstrating that asbestos waste has been disposed of in accordance with this condition.
- (10) **Rubbish generated from the development** – Where not already available, a waste containment facility is to be established on site. The facility is to be regularly emptied and maintained for the duration of works.
No rubbish must be stockpiled in a manner which facilitates the rubbish to be blown or washed off site. The site must be cleared of all building refuse and spoil immediately upon completion of the development.

4.0 - During Works

The following conditions of consent shall be complied with during the construction phase of the development.

- (1) **Hours of work** – The principal certifier must ensure that building work, demolition or vegetation removal is only carried out between:
7.00am to 5.00pm on Monday to Saturday
The principal certifier must ensure building work, demolition or vegetation removal is not carried out on Sundays and public holidays, except where there is an emergency.
Unless otherwise approved within a construction site management plan, construction vehicles, machinery, goods or materials must not be delivered to the site outside the approved hours of site works.
Note: Any variation to the hours of work requires Council's approval.
- (2) **Toilet facilities** – Temporary toilet(s) must be provided and maintained on site from the time of commencement of building work to completion. The number of toilets provided must be one toilet per 20 persons or part thereof employed on the site at any one time.
The temporary toilet is to be either connected to the sewerage system or an approved septic tank or otherwise may be a chemical toilet supplied by a licensed contractor.
- (3) **Compliance with the Building Code of Australia** – Building work must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the Building Code of Australia.
- (4) **Excavations and backfilling** – All excavations and backfilling associated with this development consent must be executed safely, and be properly guarded and protected to prevent them from being dangerous to life or property, and in accordance with the design of a suitably qualified Structural Engineer.
If an excavation extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment, the person causing the excavation must:
a) preserve and protect the building from damage; and

- b) if necessary, underpin and support the building in an approved manner; and
- c) give at least seven days notice to the adjoining owner before excavating, of the intention to excavate.

The principal contractor, owner builder or any person who needs to excavate and undertake building work, must contact "Dial Before You Dig" prior to works commencing, and allow a reasonable period of time for the utilities to provide locations of their underground assets.

This condition does not apply if the person having the benefit of the development consent owns the adjoining land or the owner of the adjoining land has given consent in writing to that condition not applying.

- (5) **Surveys by a registered surveyor** – While building work is being carried out, a registered surveyor is to measure and mark the positions of the following and provide them to the principal certifier –
 - a) All footings/ foundations
 - b) At other stages of construction – any marks that are required by the principal certifier.
- (6) **Construction Management Plan implementation** - All construction management procedures and systems identified in the approved Construction Management Plan must be introduced during construction of the development.
- (7) **Stormwater disposal** – Following the installation of any roof, collected stormwater runoff from the structure must be:
 - a) Diverted to the approved storm water drainage system.
- (8) **Placement of fill** - Filling must not be placed in such a manner that natural drainage from adjoining land will be obstructed or in such a manner that surface water will be diverted.
Further, any alterations to the natural surface contours must not impede or divert natural surface water runoff so as to cause a nuisance to adjoining property owners.
- (9) **Location of stockpiles** – Stockpiles of soil must not be located on / near any drainage lines or easements, natural watercourses or water bodies, footpath or roadway without first providing suitable protective measures adequate to protect these water bodies. All stockpiles of contaminated materials must be suitably covered to prevent dust and odour nuisance.
- (10) **Tree protection (if relevant)** – All trees to be retained must be protected in accordance with AS4970 'Protection of Trees on Development Sites' for the duration of construction.
- (11) **Soil, erosion, sediment and water management** – All requirements of the Erosion and Sediment Control Plan or Soil and Water Management Plan must be maintained at all times during the works and any measures required by the plan must not be removed until the site has been stabilised.
- (12) **Offensive noise, dust, odour and vibration** – All work must not give rise to offensive noise, dust, odour or vibration as defined in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 when measured at the nearest property boundary.
- (13) **Cut and fill (if applicable)** – While building work is being carried out, the principal certifier must be satisfied all soil removed from or imported to the site is managed in accordance with the following requirements:
 - (a) All excavated material removed from the site must be classified in accordance with the EPA's Waste Classification Guidelines before it is disposed of at an approved waste management facility and the classification and the volume of material removed must be reported to the principal certifier.

All fill material imported to the site must be Virgin Excavated Natural Material as defined in Schedule 1 of the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* or a material identified as being subject to a resource recovery exemption by the NSW EPA.

- (14) **Uncovering relics or Aboriginal objects** - While demolition or building work is being carried out, all such works must cease immediately if a relic or Aboriginal object is unexpectedly discovered. The applicant must notify the Heritage Council of NSW in respect of a relic and notify the Secretary of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment and the Heritage Council of NSW in respect of an Aboriginal object. Building work may recommence at a time confirmed by either the Heritage Council of NSW or the Secretary of the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment.

In this condition:

- “relic” means any deposit, artefact, object or material evidence that:
 - (a) relates to the settlement of the area that comprises New South Wales, not being Aboriginal settlement, and
 - (b) is of State or local heritage significance; and
- “Aboriginal object” means any deposit, object or material evidence (not being a handicraft made for sale) relating to the Aboriginal habitation of the area that comprises New South Wales, being habitation before or concurrent with (or both) the occupation of that area by persons of non-Aboriginal extraction and includes Aboriginal remains.

5.0 - Prior to Issue of an Occupation Certificate

The following conditions of consent shall be complied with prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

- (1) **Occupation Certificate required** - An Occupation Certificate must be obtained prior to any use or occupation of the development.
The Principal Certifying Authority must be satisfied that the development has been constructed in accordance with approved plans, specifications and conditions of this consent.
- (2) **Fire Safety Certificates** - A Fire Safety Certificate must be provided to the PCA in accordance with the requirements of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulation 2021.
- (3) **Survey Certificate** – A Registered Surveyor must prepare a Survey Certificate to certify that the location of the building in relation to the allotment boundaries complies with the approved plans or as specified by this consent. The Survey Certificate must be provided to the satisfaction of the Principal Certifying Authority.
- (5) **Services** – Evidence is to be provided to Council demonstrating that the following reticulated services are available to the development:
 - a) Electricity;
 - b) Water;
 - c) Sewer; and
 - d) Gas (where available).Should any of the above reticulated services not be available to the development site, a detailed statement is to be provided explaining why connection of the relevant service is not possible or practical.
- (6) **Stormwater/drainage works** – All stormwater and drainage works required to be undertaken in accordance with this consent must be completed.
The certification/verification must be provided to the satisfaction of the Principal Certifying Authority.

- (7) **Rectification damage to public infrastructure** – The applicant must rectify any new damage to public infrastructure to the satisfaction of the Council as the Roads Authority.
- (8) **Completion of Parking and Roads Act Approval works** - All approved road, carpark, footpath and/or drainage works, including vehicle crossings, must be completed in accordance with the Roads Act Approval and this consent to the satisfaction of Council as the Roads Authority and the Certifier.
- (9) **Works As Executed Plans and Report** - Works As Executed Plans must be prepared and provided to the Principal Certifying Authority in accordance with Council's Infrastructure Specifications confirming all stormwater drainage systems are constructed in accordance with the approved plans/documentation.
- (10) **Loading/unloading facilities** – Loading /unloading facilities must be constructed in accordance with the approved plans. The extent of the loading bay must be permanently marked on the pavement surface.
- (11) **Waste disposal** – The building owner must ensure that there is a contract with a licensed contractor for the removal of all waste. No garbage is to be placed on public land (e.g. footpaths, roadways, plazas, reserves) at any time.

6.0 – Ongoing Use

The following conditions of consent are operational conditions applying to the development.

- (1) **Fire Safety Schedule** – At all times, a copy of the Fire Safety Schedule and Fire Safety Certificate must be prominently displayed in the building and a copy forwarded to the Commissioner of Fire and Rescue NSW in accordance with the Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulations 2021.
- (2) **Annual fire safety certificate (if applicable)** - During occupation and ongoing use of the building, the applicant must provide an annual fire safety statement to Council and the Commissioner of Fire and Rescue NSW in accordance with clause 177 of the EP&A Regulation.
- (3) **Storage of goods** – The storage of goods and materials must be confined within the building. At no time must goods, materials or advertising signs be displayed or placed within the designated car parking spaces, landscaped areas or road reserve.
- (4) **Amenity** – The business must be conducted, and customers controlled at all times so that no interference occurs to the amenity of the area, the footpath, adjoining occupations and residential or business premises.
- (5) **Offensive noise** – The use and occupation of the premises including all plant and equipment must not give rise to any offensive noise within the meaning of the Protection of the Environment Operation Act 1997 and must comply with the NSW Noise Policy for Industry 2017 (as amended).
- (6) **Parking – Signage (loading docks)** – Proposed parking areas, service bays, truck docks, driveways and turning areas must be maintained clear of obstructions and be used exclusively for purposes of car parking, loading/ unloading, and vehicle access respectively for the life of the development. Under no circumstances are such areas to be used for the storage of goods or waste materials.
- (7) **Maintenance of stormwater**– The stormwater system, including any water quality or quantity components, shall be maintained in perpetuity for the life of the development.

- (8) **Operational Management** – The ongoing use of the site for general industry purposes must continue to comply with existing operational development consent conditions, regulating activities on the site.

Advice Note(s):

- (1) **'Dial Before you Dig'** – Before any excavation work starts, contractors and others should phone the “Dial Before You Dig” service to access plans/information for underground pipes and cables.
- (2) **Works near/adjoining electricity network assets** – There are underground electricity network assets in the vicinity of the proposed development site. Any works undertaken adjacent to Ausgrid assets must be undertaken with care in accordance with Ausgrid Network Standard Document NS 156 – Work Near or Around Underground Cables.
- (3) **Dividing fences** – The erection of dividing fences under this consent does not affect the provisions of the Dividing Fences Act 1991. Under this Act, all relevant parties must be in agreement prior to the erection of any approved dividing fence/s under this consent.
- Council has no regulatory authority in this area and does not adjudicate civil disputes relating to the provision of, or payment for, the erection of dividing fences. If there is a neighbour dispute about the boundary fence and you are seeking mediation, you may contact the Community Justice Centre, or if legal advice or action is required, you may contact the Chamber Magistrate.
- (4) **Premise standard** – It is the Applicants responsibility to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Disability Discrimination Act 1992 (DDA).
- Note:** Compliance with the Building Code of Australia does not necessarily meet the requirements of the DDA.
- (5) **Disability Discrimination Act** – The Commonwealth Disability Discrimination Act makes it an offence to discriminate against people on the grounds of disability, in the provision of access to premises, accommodation, or services. It is the owner/applicants responsibility to ensure compliance with the requirements of this Act.
- (6) **Flood information is subject to change** – You are advised that flood information is subject to change if more accurate data becomes available to Council. It is the responsibility of the applicant to use the most up-to-date flood information. Prior to applying for a construction certificate, Council should be contacted to verify the currency of the flood information.
- (7) **Bird strike advice** – As the subject site is located in an area mapped by the Department of Defence as “Birdstrike Group C”, organic waste and/or the storage of bins associated with any future development must be covered and/or enclosed and limited on-site.