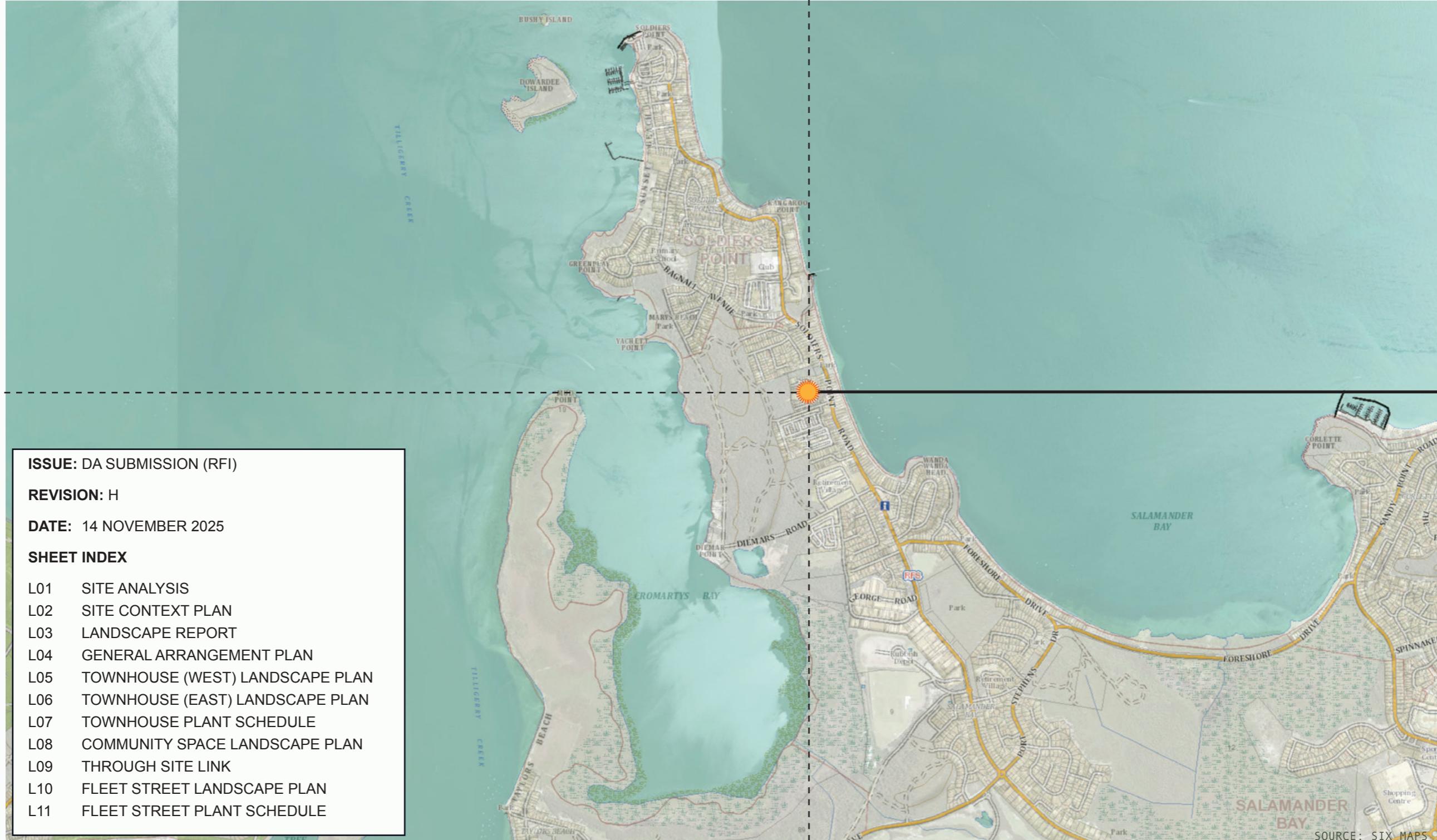


# Wanda Beach Estate Fleet Street, SALAMANDER BAY

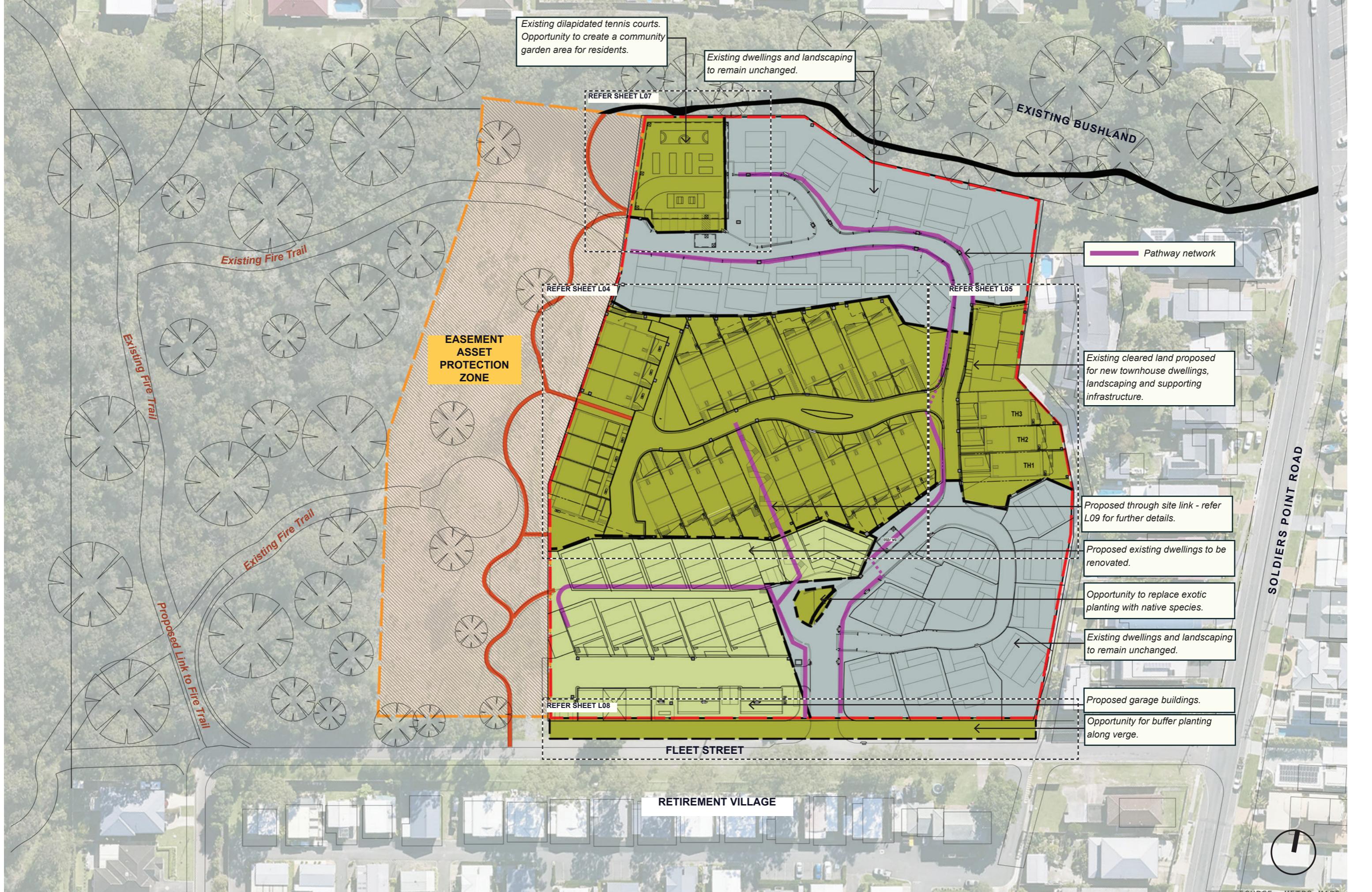
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## Landscape Documentation





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## FLEET STREET, SALAMANDER BAY

ZONE: R2 Low Density Residential

### PROPOSAL:

The proposed Development Application (DA) includes the demolition and construction within a multi-dwelling housing and community title subdivision (including part change of use element). The development site is an existing residential estate known as 'Wanda Beach Estate'.

Demolition will include 5 existing dwellings, 1 function centre and a communal swimming pool. Construction proposed includes 33 new townhouses (mix of two and three storeys), associated infrastructure, a communal garden space and landscaping. The site has a mixed use for tourist and residential purposes. The landscape documentation attached is in support of the Development Application.

### EXISTING SITE:

The proposed development area is within the central portion of the existing residential estate. Surrounding dwellings, including existing landscaping will be retained on the remainder of the larger estate. Fleet Street provides access to the south. Topographically the site slopes from the highest peak mid-way along the western boundary down to the northern, eastern and southern boundaries. The proposed site area has been cleared of all existing vegetation. There are a number of trees within the surroundings of the larger estate, all of which will be retained.

### SOIL TYPE: North Arm Cove

Top soil is characterised by a brownish black sandy clay loam, which is moderately to slightly acidic (Matthei, L.E. Soil Landscapes of Newcastle, Department of Land and Water Conservation Sydney, 1995). Amelioration prior to any landscape works would be beneficial with the addition of lime to help balance the pH of the soil. Organic matter incorporation may help to improve structural stability and moisture holding capacity.

### ENDEMNIC VEGETATION:

*Open-forest to tall closed-forest and woodland which has been partially to extensively cleared. The woodland occurs mainly in dry exposed areas and supports species which include Angophora costata (smooth-barked apple), Eucalyptus signata (scribbly gum), Eucalyptus gummifera (red bloodwood), Allocasuarina torulosa (forest oak) and Eucalyptus acmenoides (white mahogany). A dry sclerophyll shrub understorey is often present with Banksia spinulosa var. collina (hill banksia), Lambertia formosa (mountain devil), Banksia oblongifolia and Persoonia levis (broad-leaf geebung).*

*In sheltered areas a tall open-forest with Eucalyptus maculata (spotted gum), Eucalyptus paniculata (grey ironbark) and the odd Angophora costata (smooth-barked apple), and Eucalyptus microcorys (tallowwood) occur. Various Melaleuca spp. (paperbarks) occur along drainage*

*lines. North of Bundabah the original vegetation has been cleared and replaced with a pine (Pinus radiata) plantation. (Matthei, L.E. Soil Landscapes of Newcastle, Department of Land and Water Conservation Sydney, 1995).*

### ADDITIONAL DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS:

#### SERVICES AND EASEMENTS:

There are a number of easements across the site. These easements, in addition to existing and proposed underground services will need to be considered for proposed planting.

#### BUSHFIRE REQUIREMENTS:

A Bush Fire Assessment undertaken for the site includes the following recommendations regarding landscape:

- Compliance with the NSW RFS 'Asset Protection Zone Standards' (Appendix 4);
- A clear area of low-cut lawn or pavement is maintained adjacent to the dwellings;
- Fencing details in accordance with PBP (7.6 – Fences and gates). Where the fences within 6m of a building they should be made of non-combustible material only.
- Trees and shrubs are located so that: the branches will not overhang the roof; the tree canopy is not continuous; and any windbreak is located on the elevation from which fires are likely to approach.

#### CRIME PREVENTION THROUGH ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN (CPTED):

Design considerations should include:

- Ensure landscaping reduces opportunities for concealment and sightlines are provided to and from the development.
- Avoid vegetation which conceals the entrances to the buildings from the street.

#### CONNECTION TO COUNTRY:

In light of the fact the existing landscape has substantially changed from the pre-contact landscape, there is an opportunity to reawaken the memory of place and Connect with Country through the proposed design approach. This includes incorporating local endemic plant species and supporting biodiversity by attracting pollinators and providing habitat for local fauna and fauna.

### PORT STEPHENS COUNCIL DEVELOPMENT CONTROL PLAN:

Relevant sections of the DCP considered:

#### CHAPTER C5 - MULTI DWELLING HOUSING

##### C5.A - LANDSCAPING

###### Objectives

- To enhance the appearance and amenity of developments through the retention and/or planting of large and medium sized trees
- To encourage landscaping between buildings for screening
- To ensure landscaped areas are consolidated and maintainable spaces that contribute to the open space structure of the area
- To add value and quality of life for residents and occupants within a development in terms of privacy, outlook, views and recreational opportunities
- To reduce energy consumption through microclimate regulation
- To reduce air borne pollution by reducing the heat island effect
- To intercept stormwater to reduce stormwater runoff

### PROPOSED LANDSCAPE APPROACH

Proposed landscaping to the site aims to visually soften the bulk and scale of the development for external receivers and enhance the amenity internally for residents and visitors. Where existing landscaping will be retained and protected to the surrounds of dwellings which are not subject to work or subject to minor modification.

The following general principles include:

- Addresses the relevant controls and objectives of the DCP for landscape (as above);
- Deep soil planting across the site exceeds the minimum 20% DCP requirement (refer below calculations);
- 50% of the landscaped area is located behind the building line to the primary road;
- Landscaping has been incorporated where ever possible to provide screening from the street and adjacent neighbours. Tall screen hedging with a canopy tree (where space permits) to each rear garden to promote privacy between adjoining properties. A suitable street tree is proposed to the frontage of townhouses to enhance the internal streetscape, reduce heat island effect whilst maintaining sight lines for pedestrians and motorists;
- Additional native flowering street trees and buffer planting is proposed along the Fleet Street boundary to enhance the streetscape amenity.
- Street trees are to be within the verge and be consistent with the Port Stephens Council biodiversity technical specification.
- The site has a number of pocket community spaces, which offer seating and areas for passive recreation. A larger community garden and gathering space is proposed in place of disused tennis courts (in the north-western corner of the site). This space proposes raised beds for growing produce plants and a number of seating opportunities, including a shelter with picnic tables and bbq facilities for all-weather use.
- Use of local endemic plant species (in accordance with DCP list) to reinforce commitment and respect to Country.
- Removal of exotic palms and replacement with native palms.
- Utilise a planting palette of proven performing plants; chosen for being suited to the local climatic conditions. The proposed species are hardy, whilst also easily managed and maintained.
- Incorporate a diverse planting palette that utilises several species for each application, to allow for a consistent level of amenity in the instance one species under-performs.
- Species selection has also considered plants which have low flammability characteristics, given the site's bushfire requirements
- The combination of species have been chosen for their bold and interesting texture, form and colour; which provide a high quality amenity for residents and visitors alike. A range of tree species, with differing forms and heights, have been chosen to create visual diversity and year round interest.

### LANDSCAPE CALCULATIONS

- Proposed Townhouse / Cabin Private Landscape: 2,275m<sup>2</sup>
- Existing Residence Private Landscape: 2,656m<sup>2</sup>
- Total Private Landscape: 4,931m<sup>2</sup>
- Communal / Public Landscaping: 3,194m<sup>2</sup>
- Total Site Landscape: 8,125m<sup>2</sup>
- Total Site Area of 23,729m<sup>2</sup>
- Landscape = 34% of Site

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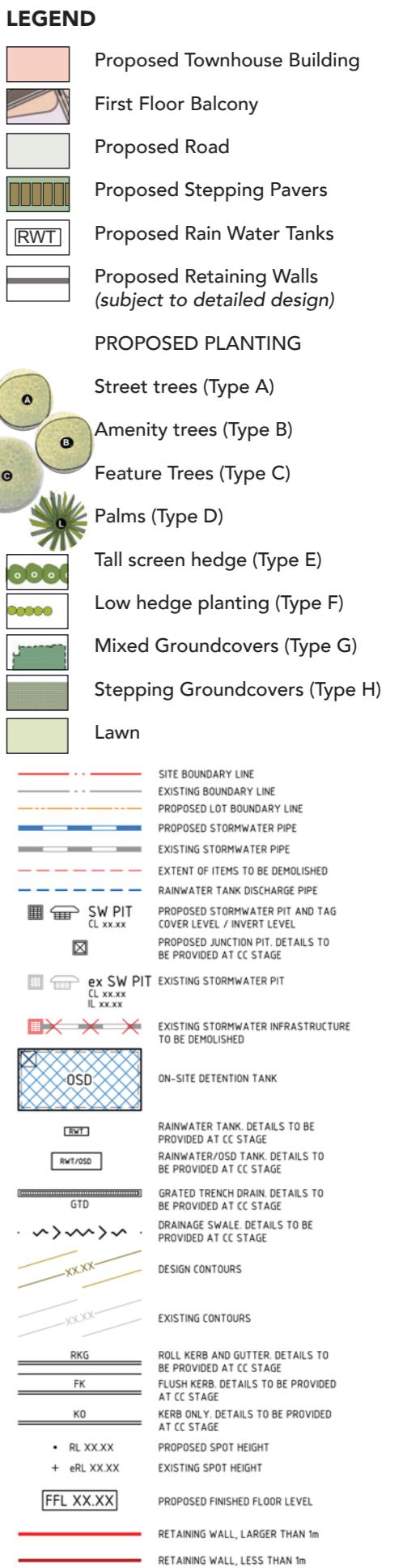


Lawn areas to rear private open spaces to achieve as level area as possible to maximise use of the outdoor space.

Existing fencing to boundary to be retained.

Garden bed to line boundary fence, mulched and defined by edging. Planting to consist of tall screen hedging (Type E mix) and mixed amenity trees (Type B mix) where space permits. Refer Plant Schedule.

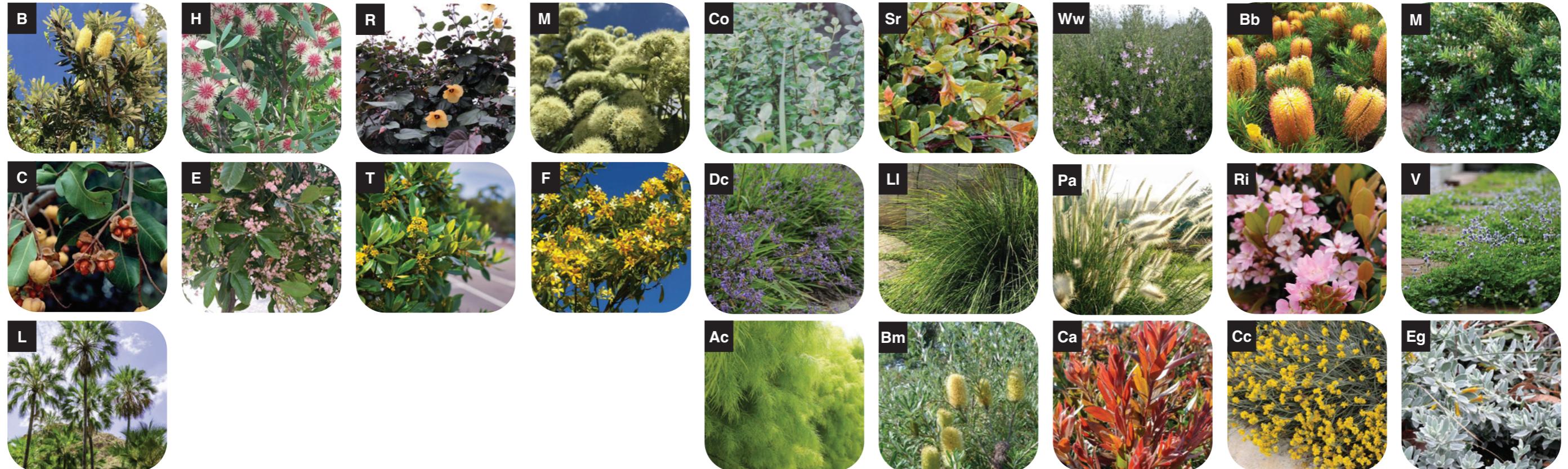
Front entry pathway to include stepping pavers with mass planted ground covers between (Type H mix). Low planting to soften driveway entry (Type F). Refer Plant Schedule.



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## SUGGESTED PLANT SCHEDULE

Key	Botanical Name	Common Name	Pot Size	Mature Height	Mature Width	Key	Botanical Name	Common Name	Pot Size	Mature Height	Mature Width
<b>Street Trees</b>											
B	Banksia integrifolia	Coastal Banksia	45L	7m	4m	Bb	Banksia spinulosa 'Birthday Candles'	Birthday Candles	140mm		
H	Hakea laurina	Pincushion Hakea	45L	6m	4m	Dc	Dianella caerulea 'Little Jess'	Blue Flax Lily	140mm	0.5m	0.5m
R	Hibiscus tiliaceus rubra	Cottonwood	45L	6m	4m	Le	Leptospermum 'Foreshore'	Tea Tree	140mm	0.5m	1m
<b>Amenity Trees</b>											
S	Acmena smithii	Lilly Pilly	45L	10m	4m	Pa	Pennisetum alopecuroides Nafray	Fountain Grass	140mm	0.6m	0.6m
M	Backhousia citriodora	Lemon Myrtle	45L	6m	4m	Ri	Rhaphiolepis 'Apple Blossom'	Indian Hawthorn	140mm	1m	0.5m
D	Corymbia citriodora 'Scentuous'	Dwarf Lemon-scented Gum	45L	7m	4m	Wf	Westringia fruticosa 'Mundi'	Coastal Rosemary	200mm	0.6m	1m
C	Cupaniopsis anarcadioides	Tuckeroo	45L	6m	4m	<b>Type G - Ground Covers</b>					
E	Elaeocarpus reticulatus	Blueberry Ash	45L	7m	4m	Br	Brachyscome multifida 'Break of Day'	Cut Leaf Daisy	140mm	0.3m	2m
T	Tristaniopsis laurina 'Luscious'	Water Gum	45L	7m	4m	Cg	Carpobrotus glaucescens	Pigface	140mm	0.2m	1m
<b>Type C - Feature Trees</b>											
F	Hymenosporum flavum	Native Frangipani	45L	8m	5m	Cc	Conostylis candidans	Grey cottonheads	140mm	0.2m	1.5m
<b>Type D - Palms</b>											
A	Archontophoenix cunninghamiana	Bangalow Palm	100L	20	4	Gr	Grevillea juniperina Prostrata Red	Prostrate Juniper Leaf Grevillea	140mm	0.3m	1m
L	Livistona australis	Cabbage Tree Palm	100L	30m	5m (Crown)	M	Myoporum parvifolium	Creeping Boobialla	140mm	0.3m	2m
<b>Type E - Tall Screening Shrubs</b>											
Ac	Acacia cognata 'Lime Magik'	Acacia	200mm	5m	2m	D	Dichondra repens	Kidney Weed	140mm	0.1m	1m
Bm	Banksia marginata	Silver Banksia	200mm	4m	2m	V	Viola hederacea	Native Violet	140mm	0.2m	1m
Ca	Callistemon citrinus Red Rocket	Red Rocket	200mm	1.5m	1.5m	<b>First Floor Plants</b>					
Co	Correa alba	White Correa	200mm	1.5m	1.5m	Hi	Helichrysum italicum	Curry Plant	140mm	0.1m	1m
Sr	Syzygium australe 'Resilience'	Lilly Pilly	200mm	2.5m	1.5m	P	Pandorea pandorana	Pandorea	150mm	Climber	
Ww	Westringia Wynyabie Gem	Coastal Rosemary	200mm	2m	2m	Kb	Kalanchoe bracteata	Silver Spoons	140mm	0.6m	0.6m
<b>Type F - Low Plants</b>											
Co	Conostylis candidans	Grey cottonheads				R	Rosmarinus officinalis 'Prostratus'	Creeping Rosemary	140mm	0.6m	0.9m
Li	Leptospermum 'Foreshore'	Tea Tree				<b>Type H - Stepping Paver Ground Covers</b>					
Pa	Pennisetum alopecuroides Nafray	Fountain Grass				D	Dichondra repens	Kidney Weed	140mm	0.1m	1m
Ri	Rhaphiolepis 'Apple Blossom'	Indian Hawthorn				V	Viola hederacea	Native Violet	140mm	0.2m	1m
Ww	Westringia fruticosa 'Mundi'	Coastal Rosemary				<b>First Floor Plants</b>					
Bb	Banksia spinulosa 'Birthday Candles'	Birthday Candles				Hi	Helichrysum italicum	Curry Plant	140mm	0.1m	1m
M	Myoporum parvifolium	Creeping Boobialla				P	Pandorea pandorana	Pandorea	150mm	Climber	



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It is proposed to re-imagine the existing dilapidated tennis courts and create a useable space for the all ages of the community by creating raised vegetable gardens and multiple seating spaces for socialising. Planting within the plots will help attract pollinators and improve the greening outcome for the site.

Raised garden plot incorporating yarning circle seating to encourage community gatherings, shaded by the adjoining bushland to the north.

Extent of detention basin - refer Engineering Plans for details. Surface details to be confirmed at CC stage.

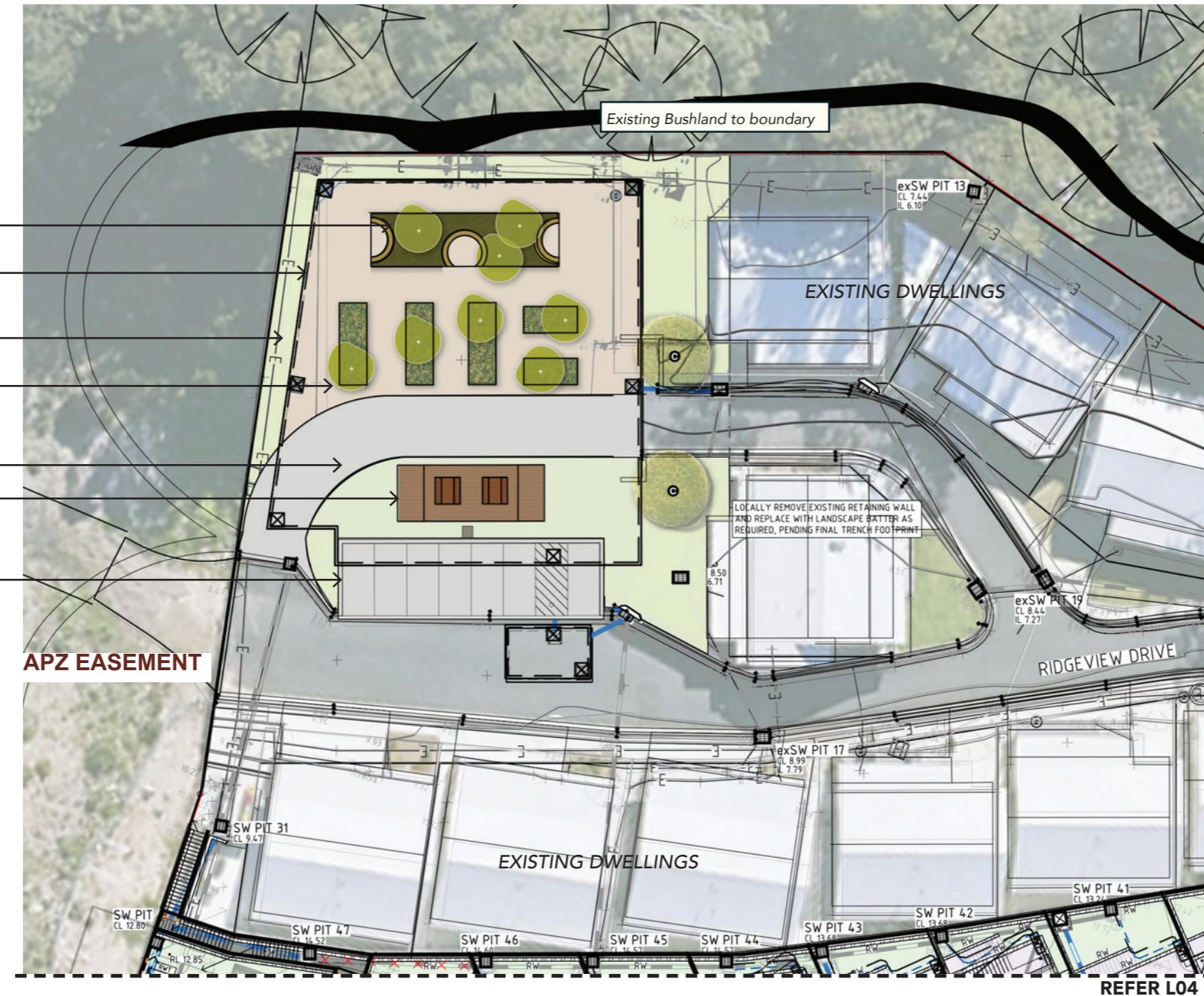
Area surrounding community garden (extent of detention basin) to be maintained as lawn.

Raised garden bed plots to enable planting of edible herbs, fruits, vegetables and produce trees.

Firetruck access to existing road to maintained through space.

Shelter with picnic tables and BBQ facilities for all-weather community use.

Additional visitor car parking



#### CHARACTER IMAGES



SOURCE: Magneten Sensory Garden/ MASU Planning



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#### LEGEND



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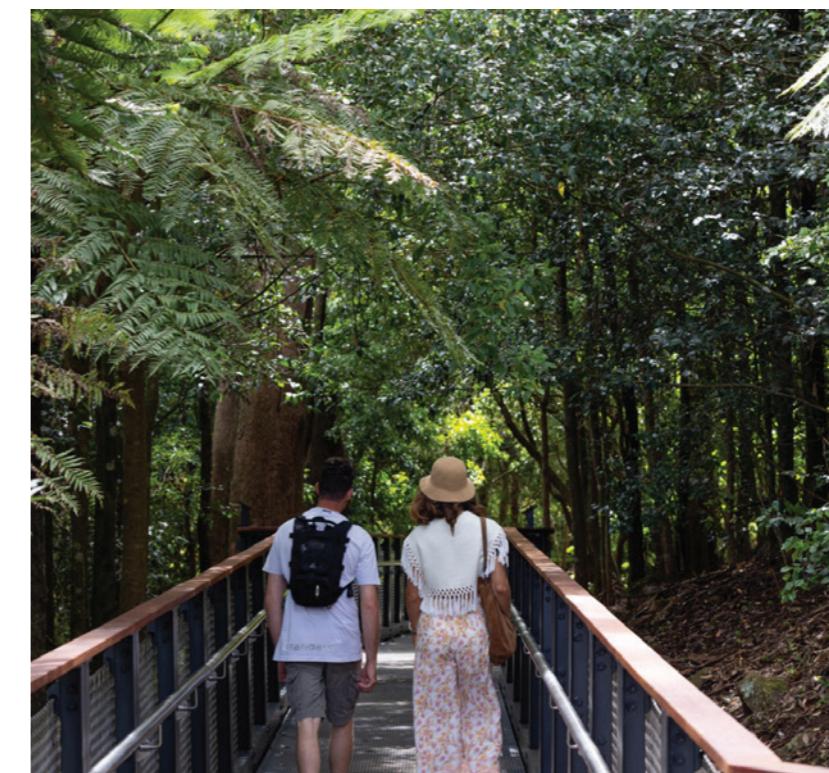
## KEY PLAN



## SUGGESTED PLANT SCHEDULE

Key	Botanical Name	Common Name	Pot Size	Mature Height	Mature Width
<b>Palm Trees</b>					
A	Archontophoenix cunninghamiana	Bangalow Palm	100L	20m	4m (Crown)
L	Livistona australis	Cabbage Tree Palm	100L	30m	5m (Crown)
<b>Understorey Planting</b>					
Aa	Asplenium australasicum	Bird's Nest Fern	Tube	1.5m	1.5m
Ca	Cissus antartica	Kangaroo Vine	Tube	0.2m	2m
Cs	Cordyline stricta	Palm Lily	Tube	4m	1m
Da	Doodia aspera	Prickly Rasp Fern	Tube	0.5m	0.5m

## CHARACTER IMAGES



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## SUGGESTED PLANT SCHEDULE

Key	Botanical Name	Common Name	Pot Size	Mature Height	Mature Width
<b>Fleet Street Trees</b>					
Eu	Eucalyptus leucoxylon 'Rosea'	Red-flowering Yellow Gum	75L	10m	7m
<b>Palm Trees</b>					
L	Livistona australis	Cabbage Tree Palm	100L	30m	5m (Crown)
<b>Boundary Planting</b>					
De	Doryanthes Excelsa	Gymea Lily	200mm	2m	2m
LI	Lomandra longifolia 'Tanika'	Mat Rush	140mm	0.7m	0.7m
Gr	Grevillea juniperina Prostrata Red	Prostrate Juniper Leaf Grevillea	140mm	0.3m	1m



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