

RECORD OF BRIEFING

NORTHERN REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL

BRIEFING DETAILS

BRIEFING DATE / TIME	Wednesday, 19 April 2023, 1pm and 1.55pm
LOCATION	MS Teams videoconference

BRIEFING MATTER

PPSNTH-137 - Clarence Valley - SUB2021/0042 - James Creek Rd, James Creek - 332 lot subdivision

PANEL MEMBERS

IN ATTENDANCE	Dianne Leeson (Chair), Stephen Gow, Michael Wright, Ian Tiley and Peter Johnstone
APOLOGIES	None
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	Greg Clancy

OTHER ATTENDEES

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	James Hamilton, Rachel Heath, Ben Bancroft, Murray Lane, James Hamilton
DEPARTMENT STAFF	Carolyn Hunt
APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVES (from 1:15pm)	Peter Bell, Mike Willoughby, Michelle Erwin and Duncan Thomson

KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED

Council Briefing:

- Additional information outstanding landscaping statement of design intent outstanding
- Re-issued the stormwater management plan, roads and revised LUCRA
- Stormwater
 - o Competing legal advice in regard to stormwater discharge management
 - o Council have requested landowner's consent for discharge
 - Proposal to be reviewed by engineering consultants
- Consultation with the SES applicant to be requested to undertake consultation
- Land use conflict some changes to the design (buffer zone including perimeter road, cycleway and stormwater)
- Re-notification required
- 58 + 25 objections

Applicant Briefing:

- · Key elements of additional information outlined
- Footway/cycleway design and linkages to CBD
- 25m densely planted landscaping buffer on western boundary, with road and pathway

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- Stormwater
 - o site characteristics outlined, with volume of surface runoff to be a close match to the current situation
 - o Climate change has not been factored into the stormwater calculation MUSIC model used based on historical data, including a very wet year
 - o Easement over the adjoining property not considered as being require by applicant
- Flood Emergency Evacuation Plan, noting Council is preparing a strategy for the locality
- Upgrades to Gardiners Road under review
- Landscape treatments outlined, including tree protection zones, road widening and site entrance
- Open space larger park to include play equipment and BBQ features/active play space, smaller area to be passive open space
- Application to be determined by June 2023 based on the information available

TENTATIVE DETERMINATION DATE SCHEDULED FOR: June 2023