

RECORD OF BRIEFING

NORTHERN REGIONAL PLANNING PANEL

BRIEFING DETAILS

BRIEFING DATE / TIME	Wednesday, 19 April 2023, 8:30am and 9:00am
LOCATION	MS Teams videoconference

BRIEFING MATTER

PPSNTH-202 - Port Macquarie-Hastings - DA2022-588.1 - 8 Lake Road, Port Macquarie - Medical Centre

PANEL MEMBERS

IN ATTENDANCE	Dianne Leeson (Chair), Stephen Gow, Michael Wright, David Crofts and Tony McNamara
APOLOGIES	None
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	None

OTHER ATTENDEES

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	Clinton Tink
DEPARTMENT STAFF	Carolyn Hunt

KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Proposal outlined as a 2 storey medical centre with onsite parking
- Original application amended to reduce the height
- Site located within a residential zone, with existing medical centre on the site
- Close proximity to CBD area and medical precinct area located approximately 400m to the south
- No buildings to be located within the mapped flood prone land area
- Single entry access off Lake Road and access/exit off Gray Street
- Existing no parking areas in Gray Street
- Noise assessment undertaken
- Internal referrals to be finalised (stormwater, environmental health)
- Stormwater discharge is to be determined
- 3 Submissions received with issues including driveway location, traffic and parking

Panel Comments

- Any alternative stormwater management options to be discussed with the applicant
- Additional landscaping/screening along northern boundary to be considered
- Retention of the existing mature trees to be discussed

TENTATIVE DETERMINATION DATE SCHEDULED FOR: May/June 2023