

# **RECORD OF BRIEFING**

## SYDNEY EASTERN CITY PLANNING PANEL

#### **BRIEFING DETAILS**

BRIEFING DATE / TIME	Thursday, 24 August 2023, 10.00am and 10.48am
LOCATION	MS Teams Videoconference

# **BRIEFING MATTER(S)**

PPSSEC-245 – DA-2022/357 - Bayside - 1-3 Ricketty Street, Mascot, Demolition of existing structures and construction an 8 storey self-storage facility

## **PANEL MEMBERS**

IN ATTENDANCE	Carl Scully (Chair), Amelia Thorpe, Michael Nagi and Joe Awada
APOLOGIES	Alice Spizzo
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	None

#### **OTHER ATTENDEES**

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	Andrew Ison, Pascal Van de Walle, Luis Melim, Edward Courtenay
DEPARTMENT STAFF	Carolyn Hunt and Lisa Ellis
OTHER	None

## **KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED**

- Site location and existing site development outlined
- Part of site is located within City of Sydney Council LGA. Correspondence received from Council recommending draft conditions to maintain cycleway.
- Amended plans provided, noting the following:
  - o revised staging plan provided to allow for the construction of the cycleway
  - transparency along Ricketty Street, including glazing elements on eastern and western elevations
  - o development designed to enable future office space
- Design Excellence Panel meeting held on 10/08/23, to review amended plans
  - o DEP requested the continuation of the glazing to the ground level
  - Stage 2 building
    - Concern with the interaction between the 2 buildings, requesting an increase in the transition in height and separation of built form and change in materiality
    - Reconsideration of the planters in the southern and western elevation
    - Request to include a connection with country, potentially through landscaping and public art

- Plant and lift overruns exceeding height non-compliances justification provided to support variation
- Size and location of proposed signage consideration to be given to relocation and integration into the building
- Council to send out a further request for further information
- Cycleway to be all in stage 1 part of the Council's cycleway plan
- Detailed site investigation to be undertaken in relation to potential site contamination

# **Panel Questions**

- Council to confirm approval requirements for City of Sydney Council in relation to the proposed demolition
- Heritage Office referral to be sent waiting on additional information
- Applicant encouraged to positively respond to the Design Excellence Panel comments

**TENTATIVE DETERMINATION DATE SCHEDULED FOR:** 23 November 2023