

RECORD OF BRIEFING SYDNEY EASTERN CITY PLANNING PANEL

BRIEFING DETAILS

BRIEFING DATE / TIME	Thursday, 18 April 2024, 9.04am and 9.42am
LOCATION	MS Teams Videoconference

BRIEFING MATTER(S)

PPSSEC-296 – Canada Bay – DA2023/0222 – 9 Blaxland Road, Rhodes – Integrated development including construction of a new shop top housing development inclusive of commercial tenancies from ground to level 3, 244 residential units on levels 3-37, communal and private open space, 9 levels of basement parking, demolition (of existing structures), site excavation, and landscape works

PANEL MEMBERS

IN ATTENDANCE	Carl Scully (Chair), Amelia Thorpe, Alice Spizzo, Anthony Bazouni
APOLOGIES	Joseph Cordaro
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	Nil

OTHER ATTENDEES

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	Nima Salek and Shannon Anderson
DEPARTMENT STAFF	Carolyn Hunt
OTHER	Nil

KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED

- Site location and context outlined
- Proposal identified as demolition and shop-top housing development and associated works, including 9 levels of basement parking and landscaping (planting, communal and private open spaces and vertical green of the façade)
- Site adjoins public walkway to the north
- State Significant Development Application lodged for the site
- Design excellent competition undertaken and application presented to the Design Integrity Panel comments pending
- Previous Panel briefing noted unknown material treatment of façade of the podium level
- Non- compliance with deep soil zone ADG requirement due to site characteristics proposed landscaping over the building, with further information requested
- Active street frontages Station Bridge Plaza LEP requirement
 - o Unknown bridge details provided from Transport for NSW
 - Activation of 3 frontages required

- Northern podium level current design includes fire source feature at the boundary and conflict with future activation
- BASIX 5% FSR bonus proposal includes additional FSR but no identification of BASIX energy commitment to support bonus FSR
- Waste management outstanding information regarding waste segregation, sizing, transporting and collection activities

Referrals

• Water NSW – outstanding

Panel Comments

- Council to work with Applicant to demonstrate future connection/street activation issue, with Council to seek advice (legal and design) to resolve
- Car parking to include EV charging capability

TENTATIVE DETERMINATION DATE SCHEDULED FOR: tentatively scheduled for 7 August 2024