

18 September 2020

HPS Reference: 2017051

The Panel Secretariat Sydney North Regional Planning Panel NSW Department of Industry, Planning & Environment 4 Parramatta Square 12 Darcy Street, PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

Dear Madam,

PANEL REFERENCE: PPSSNH-30

**DA NUMBER: 313.19** 

STREET ADDRESS: 62 WILLOUGHBY STREET, KIRRIBILLI

We refer to the aforementioned development application and confirm that Hamptons Property Services Pty Ltd (Hamptons) acts on behalf of Pattons Slipway Pty Ltd.

We have reviewed the Council Assessment Report pertaining to this application and note the recommendation for refusal on the following grounds:

- 1. That the two storey boatshed and storage of boats on the hardstand would have a significant impact on public views and views from surrounding properties.
- 2. That the marina and scale of the proposed hardstand would result in an intensification of use with respect to the boat repairs carried out, therefore resulting in adverse amenity impacts.
- 3. That there is insufficient parking to support the proposed intensification of use.

Having regard to the above concerns raised, the Applicant has carefully considered these issues and, in response, provides amended plans for consideration by the Sydney North Planning Panel (SNPP) which respond to the matters raised.

The proposed amendments to the plans are as follows:

- 1. Reduction in the hardstand area on the south-western side of the marina, for a length of 12.1m and a depth of 5m to provide visual relief, having regard to the concerns raised by the Ensemble Theatre with regard to visual impact.
- 2. To reduce the proposed two-storey boatshed, to a single-storey form and increase the setback of the building. This would result in removing the ancillary office component that was attributable to the use of the first floor of the building. This would have a finished height at RL 5.6 and be below the



- floor level of the adjacent viewing platform, thus ensuring that the view from this location across the waterway is protected.
- 3. Reduction in the service area, accessible from Willoughby Street and provision of a new metal fence on the northern, eastern and western side of the service area to preclude direct access to the roof of the boatshed.

The proposed amendments are demonstrated on the amended plans prepared by Weir & Phillips Architects and, should these be acceptable to the SNPP, would require amendment to Condition 1 of the Draft Conditions of Development Consent, as follows:

| Plan No. | Issue           | Title                        | Drawn by                    | Received                            |
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| DA01     | <del>D</del> -E | Site Plan + Analysis         | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | <del>29/07/2020</del><br>11/09/2020 |
| DA02     | <del>D-</del> E | Proposed Plan                | Weir Phillips Architects    | <del>29/07/2020</del><br>11/09/2020 |
| DA03     | В               | Demolition Plan              | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | 3/10/2019                           |
| DA04     | <del>D</del> -E | Proposed Boatshed<br>Plans   | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | <del>29/07/2020</del><br>11/09/2020 |
| DA05     | <del>D</del> -E | Boatshed Elevations          | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | <del>29/07/2020</del><br>11/09/2020 |
| DA06     | В               | Retaining, Deck and<br>Doors | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | 3/10/2019                           |
| DA07     | <del>D</del> -E | Materials & Finishes         | Weir Phillips<br>Architects | <del>29/07/2020</del><br>11/09/2020 |

In addition, we note the Council's concerns in relation to the use of the hardstand below mean high water mark. The location of the crane is necessary to ensure adequate water depth for a vessel accessing the crane. Therefore, there is no ability to reduce the section of hardstand surrounding this area to enable a vessel to access the site.

Assuming the above position is acceptable to the SNPP, the Application has no objection to the Council's draft Condition I1, which states as follows:

I1. The hardstand to the waterside of the property's land boundary shall be kept clear for the loading and unloading of boats by the crane other than for the storage of one boat only adjacent to the marina in front of the existing building.

(Reason: To preserve amenity and views)

The Applicant also has no objection to condition I2, which states that:

12. All repairs to boats on the hardstand shall be limited to the landside of the property's land boundary and shall be in accordance with the general terms of approval forming part



of this consent pursuant to Section 4.47 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, (as amended).

(Reason: To preserve amenity)

We support the Council's position that, subject to the amended plans being acceptable, the aforementioned

conditions should address the concerns that have been raised in submissions in response to the application.

In relation to car parking, as the ancillary office space is deleted from the proposal and the driveway width

has been modified to 7.2m to reduce the reduction in on-street car parking, the reduction in width being in

response to earlier concerns raised by the Council's Traffic Engineer, the need for car parking on the site no

longer arises.

We trust that the aforementioned amendments to the application will enable the SNPP to support this

proposed development and continue the working harbour arrangements that are afforded to the site by

virtue of the zoning of the land and waterway. Full agency support is evident, having regard to the General

Terms of Approval that have been issued as part of the referral process.

We look forward to addressing the Panel on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2020.

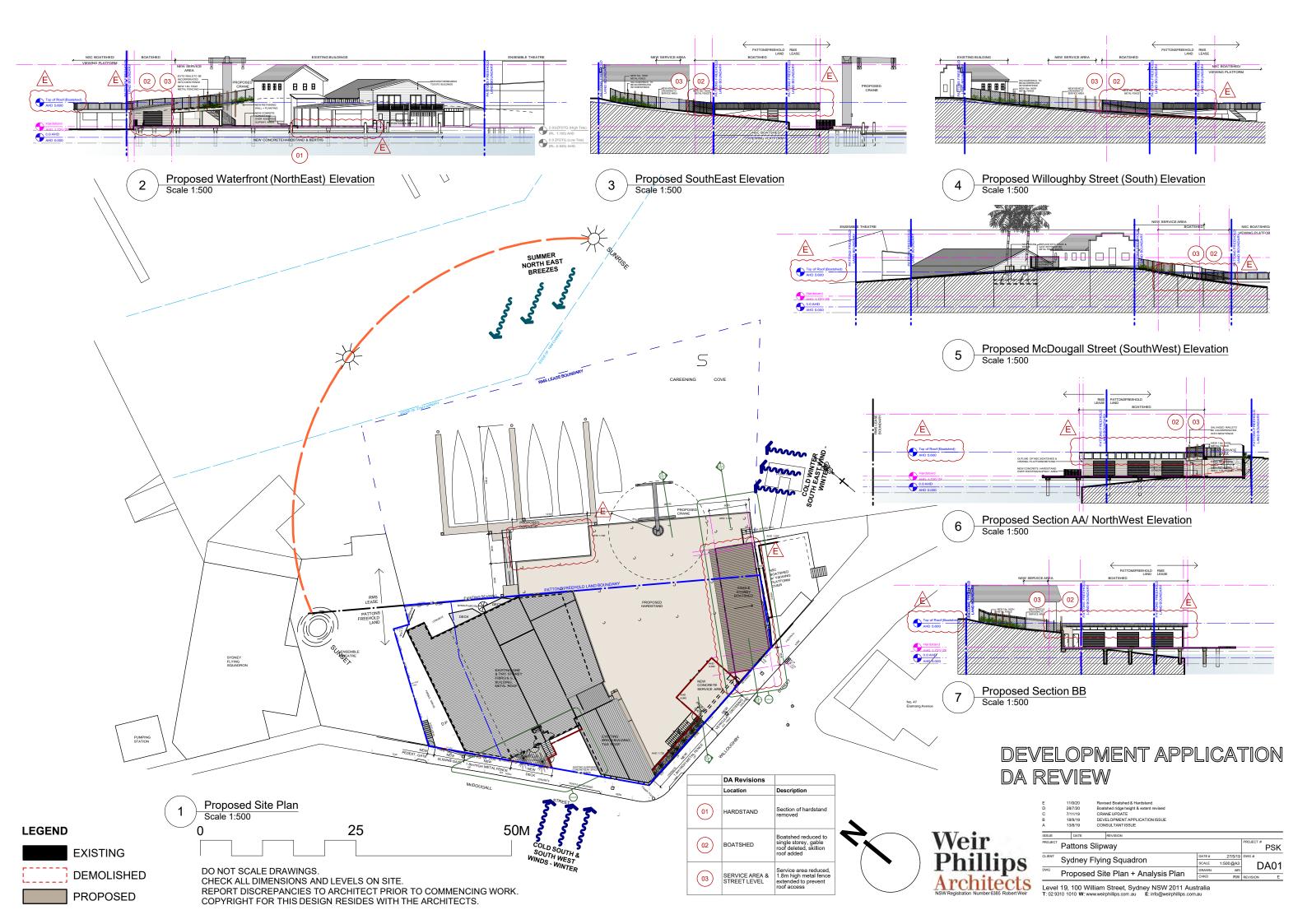
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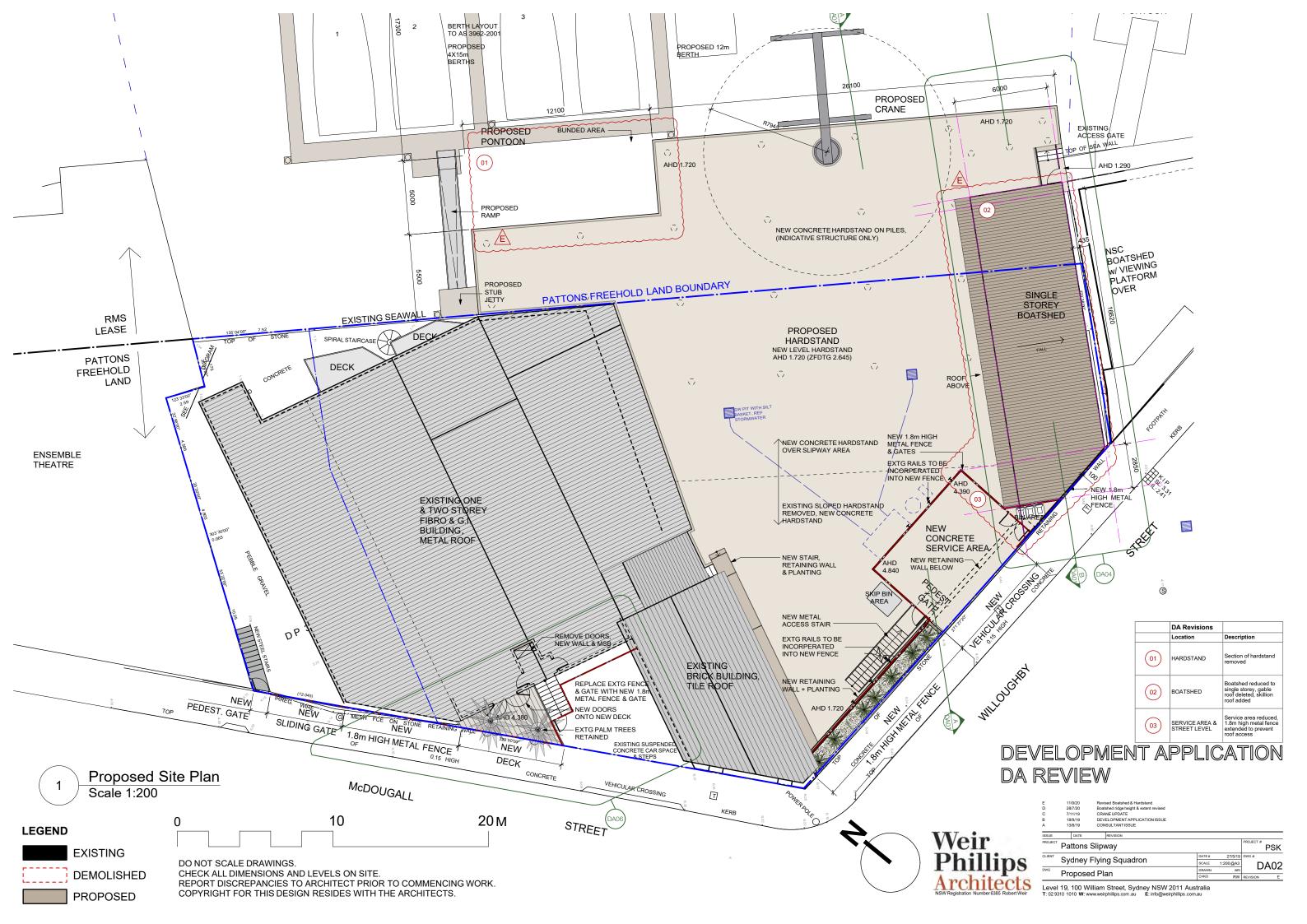
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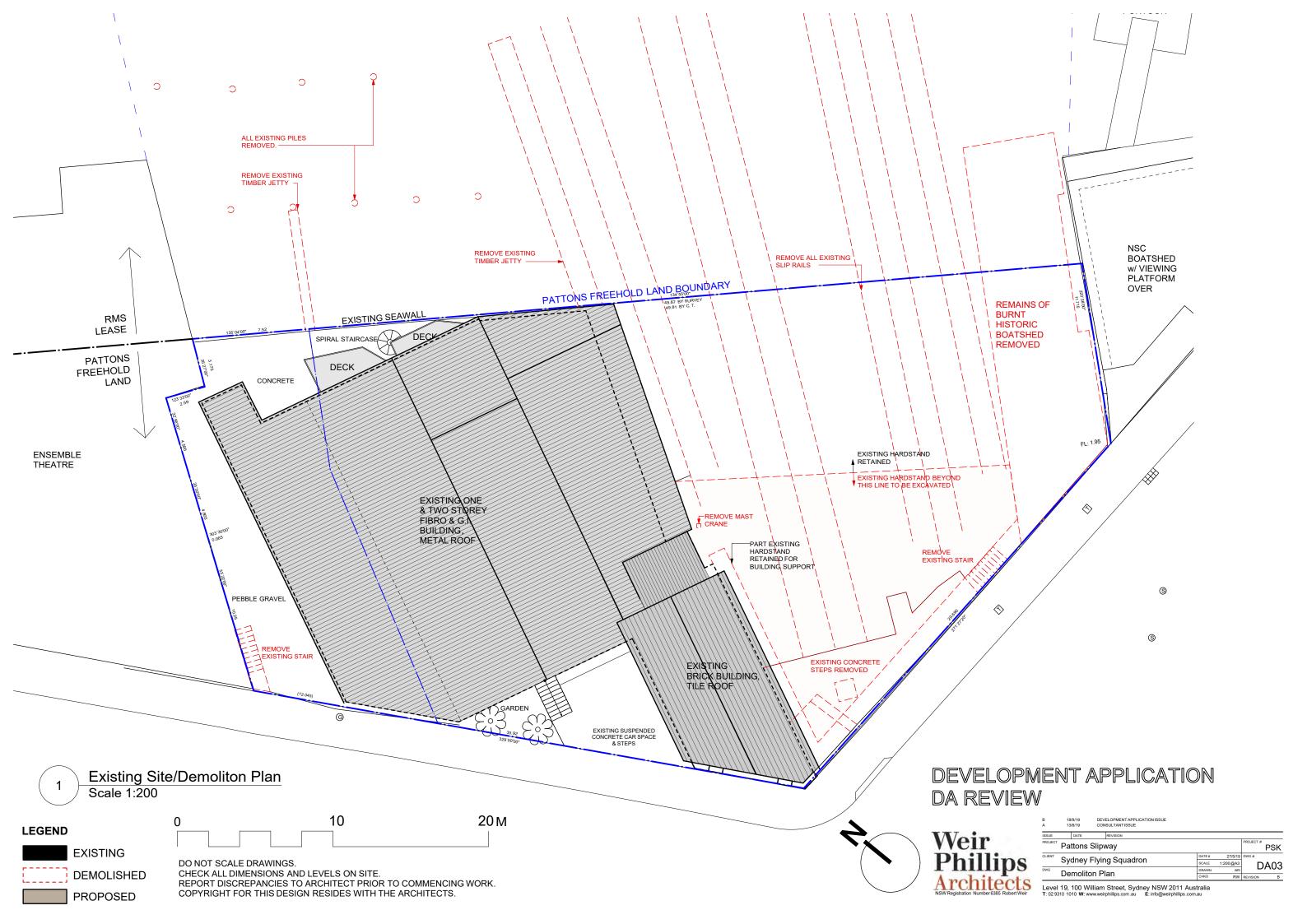
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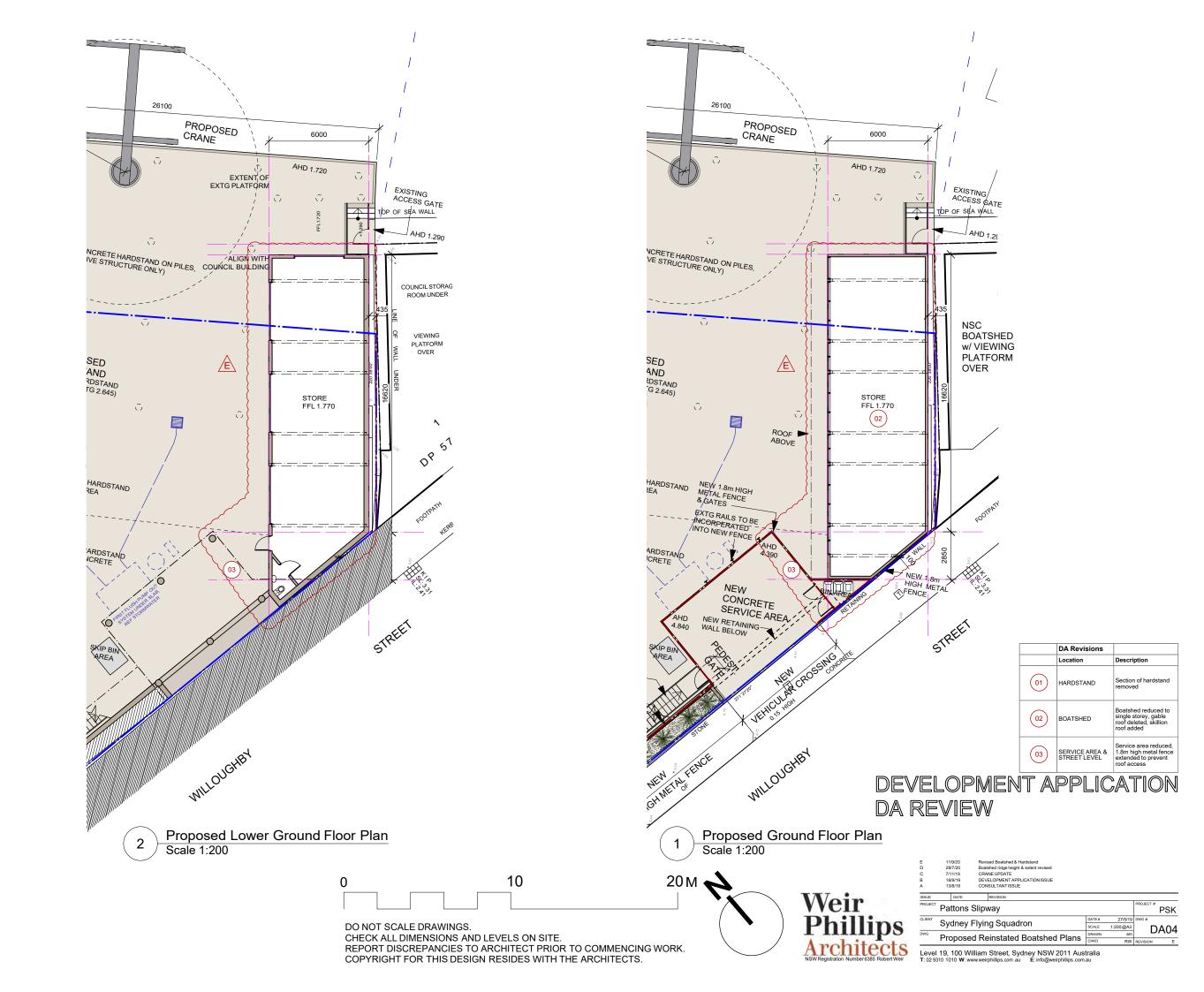
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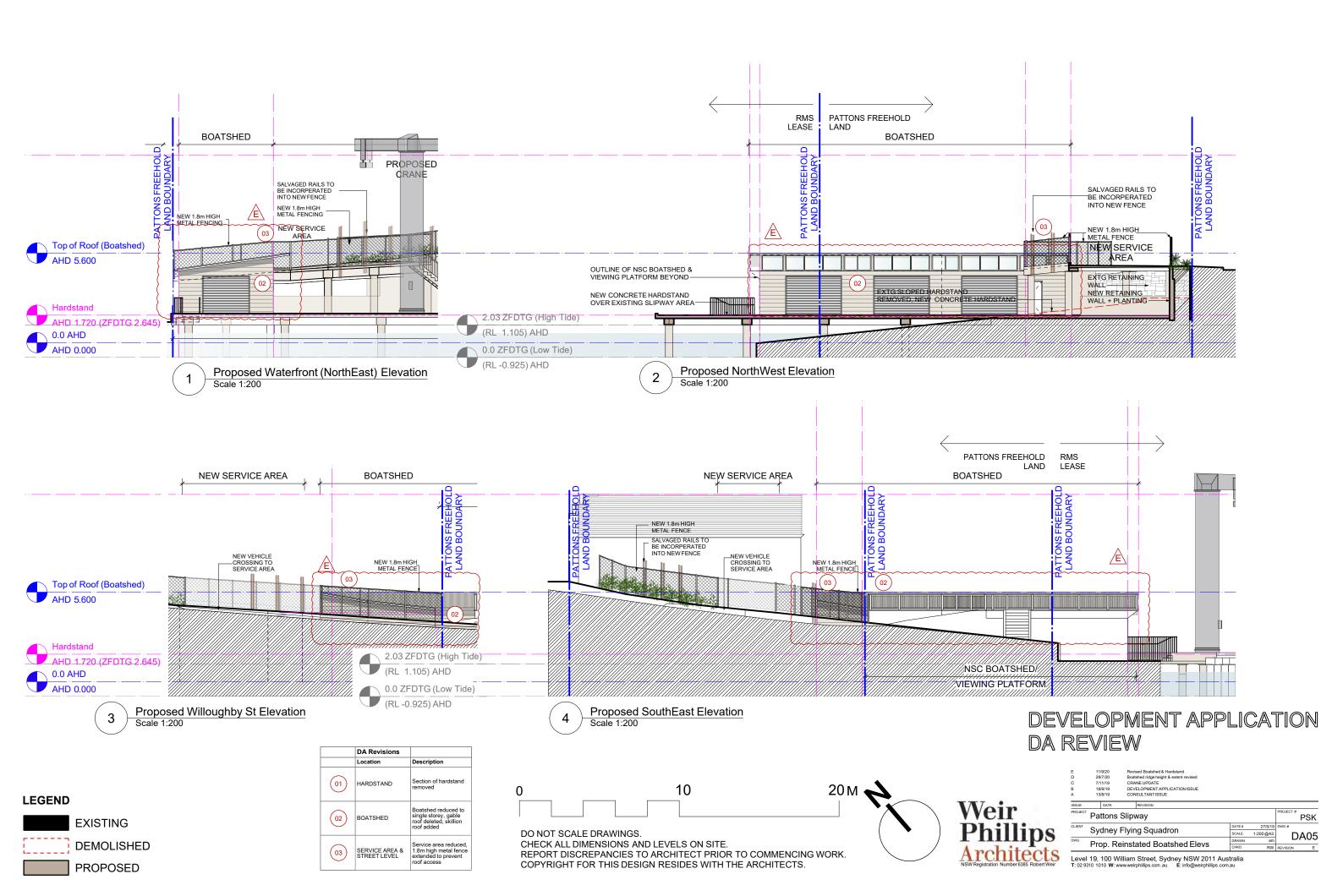


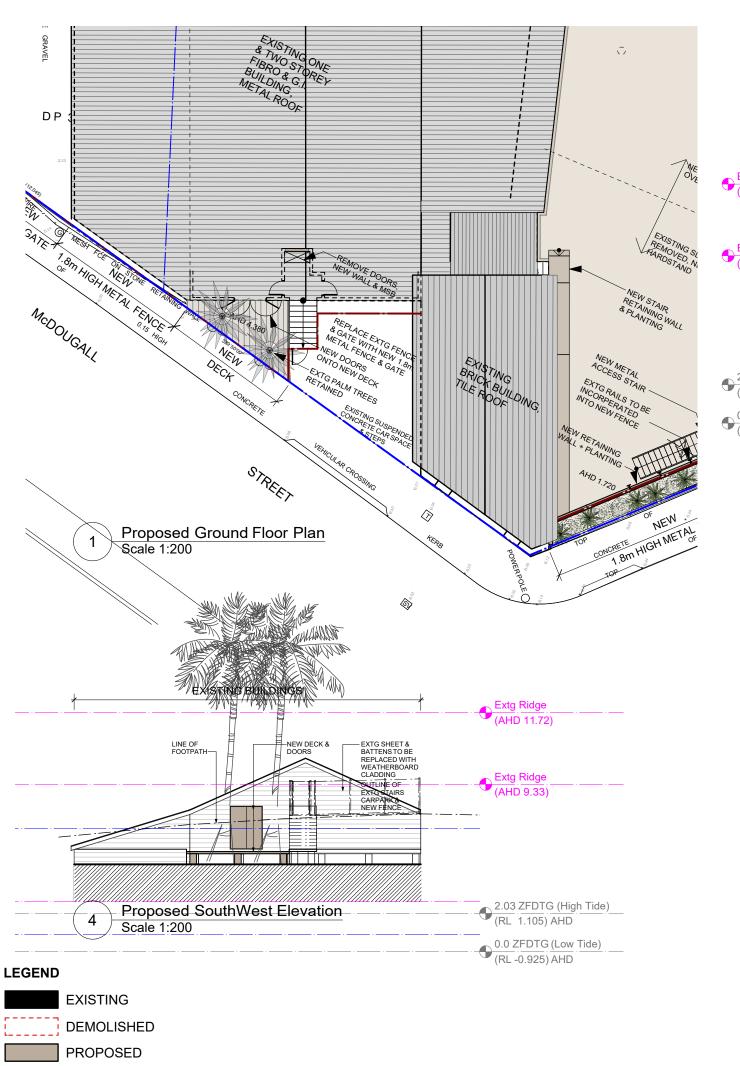
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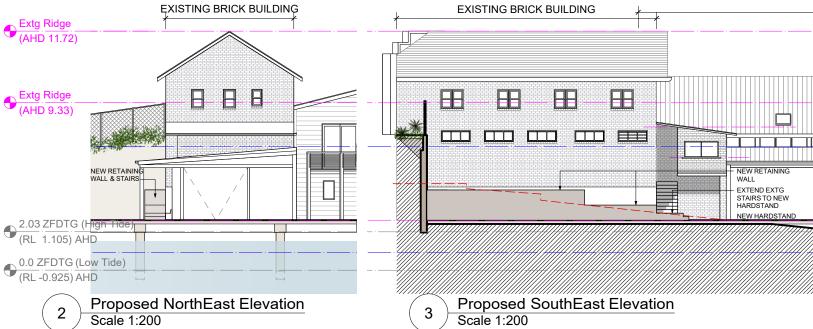
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