## ADG ASSESSMENT - 12 Marshall Avenue, St Leonards

**Subject:** DA146/2025

Address: 12 Marshall Avenue, St Leonards

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PART 3 Siting the development		
Objective 3A-1 Site analysis illustrates that design decisions have been based on opportunities and constraints of the site conditions and their relationship to the surrounding context	Provided as approved. The proposal has provided a detailed site analysis which demonstrates excellent design decisions have been made in relation to the site-specific context.	Yes
Design guidance		
Each element in the Site Analysis Checklist should be addressed (see Appendix 1)		
3B Orientation		
Objective 3B-1		
Building types and layouts respond to the streetscape and site while optimising solar access within the development	Provided as previously approved.	Yes
Design guidance Buildings along the street frontage define the street, by facing it and incorporating direct access from the street (see figure 3B.1)  Where the street frontage is to the east or west, rear buildings should be orientated to the north  Where the street frontage is to the north or south, overshadowing to the south should be minimised and buildings behind the street frontage should be orientated to the east and west (see figure 3B.2)	The proposal remains a singular building that is orientated to the Holdsworth Avenue frontage with parking access and provides compliant separation to adjoining future development with overshadowing minimised where possible.	Yes
Objective 3B-2 Overshadowing of neighbouring properties is minimised during mid-winter  Design guidance Living areas, private open space and communal open space should receive solar access in accordance with sections 3D Communal and public open space and 4A Solar and daylight access  Solar access to living rooms, balconies and private open spaces of neighbours should be considered	The proposal minimises the overshadow impact to southern neighbouring properties by coordinating with adjacent site the location of habitable rooms.  The amended envelope is truncated at L15 and L16 to allow winter solar access to the southern neighbouring properties.	Yes
Where an adjoining property does not currently receive the required hours of solar		

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access, the proposed building ensures solar access to neighbouring properties is not reduced by more than 20%  If the proposal will significantly reduce the solar access of neighbours, building separation should be increased beyond minimums contained in section 3F Visual privacy	The amended design proposes appropriate building separation distances to all relevant boundaries and is fully compliant with DCP setbacks. It would provide a reasonable solar access outcome.	
Overshadowing should be minimised to the south or down-hill by increased upper level setbacks	The neighbouring buildings are to be redeveloped into the future.	
It is optimal to orientate buildings at 90 degrees to the boundary with neighbouring properties to minimise overshadowing and privacy impacts, particularly where minimum setbacks are used and where buildings are higher than the adjoining development		
A minimum of 4 hours of solar access should be retained to solar collectors on neighbouring buildings		
3C Public domain interface		
Objective 3C-1 Transition between private and public domain is achieved without compromising safety and security	Provided as approved.	Yes
<b>Design guidance</b> Terraces, balconies and courtyard apartments should have direct street entry, where appropriate	Provided as approved. Street-level activation to street frontage would be adequately achieved.	
Changes in level between private terraces, front gardens and dwelling entries above the street level provide surveillance and improve visual privacy for ground level dwellings (see figure 3C.1)	Changes in levels appropriately managed between LG, UG, and L1 to achieve an appropriate design solution between the eastern and western public domain interfaces.	
Upper level balconies and windows should overlook the public domain		
Front fences and walls along street frontages should use visually permeable materials and treatments. The height of solid fences or walls should be limited to 1m	Provided as approved.	
Length of solid walls should be limited along street frontages	Provided as approved. Appropriately limited and broken up by openings for stairs, landscaping, and driveway access.	
Opportunities should be provided for casual interaction between residents and the public domain. Design solutions may include seating at building entries, near letter boxes and in private courtyards adjacent to streets	Provided as approved.	

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In developments with multiple buildings and/or entries, pedestrian entries and spaces associated with individual buildings/entries should be differentiated to improve legibility for residents, using a number of the following design solutions:	Provided as approved. Activated entries/lobbies to Holdsworth Avenue and the Green Spine would allow for active uses within buildings setback areas.	
architectural detailing changes in materials plant species colours Opportunities for people to be concealed should be minimised		
Objective 3C-2  Amenity of the public domain is retained and enhanced	Satisfactory - existing sandstone wall retained as per previous plans.	Yes
Design guidance Planting softens the edges of any raised terraces to the street, for example above subbasement car parking	Provided as approved.	
Mail boxes should be located in lobbies, perpendicular to the street alignment or integrated into front fences where individual street entries are provided	Mailbox location conditioned by previous police comments to be integrated into design.  Police recommendation- 'Mailboxes and parcel delivery areas should be secure and covered with CCTV cameras. If	
The visual prominence of underground car park vents should be minimised and located at a low level where possible	possible, a secure method for parcel delivery should be set up in the building'.	
Substations, pump rooms, garbage storage areas and other service requirements should be located in basement car parks or out of view	Achieved where possible. Substation and Fire Hydrant integrated within Holdsworth Avenue frontage.	
Ramping for accessibility should be minimised by building entry location and setting ground floor levels in relation to footpath levels	Such areas appropriately designed in this instance.	
Durable, graffiti resistant and easily cleanable materials should be used		
Where development adjoins public parks, open space or bushland, the design positively addresses this interface and uses a number of the following design solutions:	Provided as approved. Ramping minimised where possible.	
<ul> <li>street access, pedestrian paths and building entries which are clearly defined</li> </ul>	Satisfactory.	
<ul> <li>paths, low fences and planting that clearly delineate between communal/private open space and the adjoining public open space</li> <li>minimal use of blank walls, fences and ground level parking</li> </ul>	N/A  Provided as approved. Appropriately integrated/treated.	
On sloping sites protrusion of car parking above ground level should be minimised by		

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using split levels to step underground car	•	-
parking		
BD Communal and public open space	Appropriate common open space areas	
	provided throughout the development where possible	Yes
Objective 3D-1		
An adequate area of communal open space is provided to enhance residential amenity and to provide opportunities for landscaping		
Design criteria	Approx. 230m <sup>2</sup> roof terrace area	
Communal open space has a ninimum area equal to 25% of the	(communal roof garden) relocated to Level 15 provided equating to 8.4% of site.	
site (see figure 3D.3)	Approx. 680m <sup>2</sup> green spine provided as	
Developments achieve a minimum	communal open space equating to 25.8%	
2. of 50% direct sunlight to the principal usable part of the communal open space for a	of site (as per previous plans). Total = 34.2% Achieved	
minimum of 2 hours between 9 am and 3 pm on 21 June (mid-winter)	62.2% of green spine and Roof Garden achieve 2 hours sunlight during mid-winter	
Design guidance	as per previously approved.	
Communal open space should be consolidated into a well-designed, easily identified and usable area		
Communal open space should have a minimum dimension of 3m, and larger developments should consider greater dimensions	Complies. Provided consolidated areas of communal open space at green spine and Level 15.	
Communal open space should be co-located with deep soil areas	Provided as approved. The proposal provides for dimensions significantly greater than the ADG minimum.	
Direct, equitable access should be provided to		
communal open space areas from common circulation areas, entries and lobbies	Provided: 50% of green spine communal area at ground floor is deep soil.	
Where communal open space cannot be	2. 2. 3. 3. 3. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1.	
provided at ground level, it should be provided on a podium or roof	Green spine and Communal roof garden of 220m <sup>2</sup> on Level 15 accessed by lift and	
Where developments are unable to achieve the design criteria, such as on small lots, sites	accessible paths.  Complies.	
within business zones, or in a dense urban area, they should:		
. provide communal spaces elsewhere such as a landscaped roof top terrace or a common room	Design Criteria Achieved.	
. provide larger balconies or increased private open space for apartments		
demonstrate good proximity to public open space and facilities and/or provide contributions to public open space		

Objective 3D-2	

Communal open space is designed to allow for a range of activities, respond to site conditions and be attractive and inviting	Provided as approved. The proposal provides high quality facilities, which would promote a range of passive and active uses.	Yes
Design guidance Facilities are provided within communal open spaces and common spaces for a range of age groups (see also 4F Common circulation and spaces), incorporating some of the following elements:	Provided as approved. Green Spine includes facilities such Pergolas with BBQs areas beneath, seating areas, children's playground, and waste bins.	
seating for individuals or groups barbecue areas play equipment or play areas swimming pools, gyms, tennis courts or common rooms	Provided as approved. Roof top communal garden includes BBQ, seating areas, child slide and play area, and waste bins.	
The location of facilities responds to microclimate and site conditions with access to sun in winter, shade in summer and shelter from strong winds and down drafts	Achieved.	
Visual impacts of services should be minimised, including location of ventilation duct outlets from basement car parks, electrical substations and detention tanks	Achieved.	
Objective 3D-3  Communal open space is designed to maximise safety	The proposed communal open space would be secure for residents only.  Green Spine would be readily visible from all units facing allowing passive	Yes
Design guidance Communal open space and the public domain should be readily visible from habitable rooms and private open space areas while maintaining visual privacy. Design solutions may include:	surveillance. Ground Floor Units would have adequate screening through fences/ vegetation to retain privacy. Residential rooms adjacent to communal open space on roof have high-sill windows to maintain visual privacy.	
bay windows corner windows balconies Communal open space should be well lit		
Where communal open space/facilities are provided for children and young people they are safe and contained	Provided as approved. Children Playground area would be located on soft turfed zone within the green spine which is secure to residents only.	
3D Communal and public open space		
Objective 3D-4  Public open space, where provided, is responsive to the existing pattern and uses of the neighbourhood	Provided as approved. The proposal would provide for public open space in the form of a 400m <sup>2</sup> public park dedicated to Council.	Yes
Design guidance The public open space should be well connected with public streets along at least one edge	The public park would be connected to both Marshall and Holdsworth Avenues via stairs and ramps as per the previously approved plans.	

The public open space should be connected with nearby parks and other landscape elements		
Public open space should be linked through view lines, pedestrian desire paths, termination points and the wider street grid	Provided as approved.	
Solar access should be provided year-round along with protection from strong winds	Provided as approved. Sun access diagrams display solar access achieved to public park for 2 hours between 10am and 12 noon during mid-winter. Larger vegetation and trees around the perimeter of public park provides wind protection.	
Opportunities for a range of recreational activities should be provided for people of all ages	Provided as approved. Public park central lawn/turf area and surround bench seating allows for a range of passive and active recreational activities for diverse age ranges.	
A positive address and active frontages should be provided adjacent to public open space	Boundary between public open space to communal open space (green spine) would be clearly defined via fence and secure access gate as per previous plans.	
Boundaries should be clearly defined between public open space and private areas		
3E Deep soil zones		
Deep soil zones provide areas on the site that allow for and support healthy plant and tree growth. They improve residential amenity and promote management of water and air quality.	The proposal provides for high quality deep soil zones where possible and its entirety under the green spine. Greater than 50% of the green spine has no basement carparking encroachments.	Yes
Design criteria	The alterations would result in a minor	Yes
Deep soil zones are to meet the following minimum requirements:	reduction in the total deep soil area from the previously approved 23.5% under DA187/2021 to 20.9% - a 2.6% variation.	
Site area Minimum Deep soil zone dimensions (% of site area)	DA107/2021 to 20.9% - a 2.0% variation.	
less than 650m2 - 7%	Provided 20.9% of Deep Soil area greater than 6m width.	
650m2 - 3m 1,500m2		
greater than 6m 1,500m2		
greater than 6m 1,500m2 with significant existing tree cover		
Design guidance	Achieved where possible - see above.	Yes

On some sites it may be possible to provide larger deep soil zones, depending on the site area and context:	The proposed landscaping conditions of consent to establish and strengthen the deep soil zones for long term health would	
10% of the site as deep soil on sites with an area of 650m2 - 1,500m2 15% of the site as deep soil on sites greater than 1,500m2	remain as previously approved. Council recommends further conditions to revise species and number of plants.	
Deep soil zones should be located to retain existing significant trees and to allow for the development of healthy root systems, providing anchorage and stability for mature	A revised landscape plan package has	
trees. Design solutions may include:  basement and sub-basement car park design that is consolidated beneath building footprints use of increased front and side setbacks adequate clearance around trees to ensure long term health	been provided at Appendix 2 which displays the revised planting schedule and typical details for planter areas. It is noted that in relation to the relocation of the Elaeocarpus eumundi to the front of LG01, Council's arborist provides conditions of consent to address this matter.	
co-location with other deep soil areas on adjacent sites to create larger contiguous areas of deep soil		
Achieving the design criteria may not be possible on some sites including where:	Design criteria is achieved in the revised plans.	
the location and building typology have limited or no space for deep soil at ground level (e.g. central business district, constrained sites, high density areas, or in centres) there is 100% site coverage or non-residential uses at ground floor level		
Where a proposal does not achieve deep soil requirements, acceptable stormwater management should be achieved, and alternative forms of planting provided such as on structure	Deep soil requirements would be achieved in the revised plans.	
3F Visual privacy		
Objective 3F-1 Adequate building separation distances are shared equitably between neighbouring sites, to achieve reasonable levels of external and internal visual privacy	Provided as approved.	Yes

## Design criteria

1. Separation between windows and balconies is provided to ensure visual privacy is achieved. Minimum required separation distances from buildings to the side and rear boundaries are as follows:

Building height	Habitable and balconi	
up to 12m	6m	3m
(4 storeys)		
up to 25m	9m	4.5m
(5-8 storeys)		
over 25m	12m	6m
(9+ storeys)		

## Design guidance

Generally one step in the built form as the height increases due to building separations is desirable. Additional steps should be careful not to cause a 'ziggurat' appearance

For residential buildings next to commercial buildings, separation distances should be measured as follows:

for retail, office spaces and commercial balconies use the habitable room distances

for service and plant areas use the non-habitable room distances

New development should be located and oriented to maximise visual privacy between buildings on site and for neighbouring buildings. Design solutions include:

site layout and building orientation to minimise privacy impacts (see also section 3B Orientation) on sloping sites, apartments on different levels have appropriate visual separation distances (see figure 3F.4)

Apartment buildings should have an increased separation distance of 3m (in addition to the requirements set out in design criteria 1) when adjacent to a different zone that permits lower density residential development to provide for a transition in scale and increased landscaping (figure 3F.5)

Direct lines of sight should be avoided for windows and balconies across corners

No separation is required between blank walls

Min. 4.5m – 6m to the southern boundary the proposal addresses relevant building separation objectives due to the 'defensive' design approach undertaken by the applicant to the southern side boundary.

Min. 12m separation to the western boundary

Building separation achieved (24m) to the north due to the provision of a public park adjacent to northern boundary. Provided as approved.

The proposal provides a single step from the southern boundary at level 15. The setback increases from 6m to a 19.5m setback to significantly reduce built form and increase separation from the southern neighbour in Area 14.

Satisfactory.

N/A

Avoided where possible.

Provided as approved.

Objective 3F-2 Yes Site and building design elements increase Appropriately considered in the amended privacy without compromising access to light design. and air and balance outlook and views from habitable rooms and private open space Design guidance Communal open space is appropriately Communal open space, common areas and separated from the private open space. access paths should be separated from private open space and windows to apartments, particularly habitable room Solid and partially solid balustrades windows. Design solutions may include: incorporated into design of balconies at Setbacks, solid or partially solid balustrades to lower levels. balconies at lower levels, fencing and/or trees and vegetation to separate spaces screening devices bay windows or pop out windows to provide privacy in one direction and outlook in raising apartments/private open another space above the public domain or communal open space planter boxes incorporated into walls and balustrades to increase visual separation pergolas or shading devices to limit overlooking of lower apartments or private open space on constrained sites where it can be demonstrated that building layout opportunities are limited, fixed louvres Apartments service maximise areas available separation. or screen panels to windows and/or balconies Bedrooms, living spaces and other habitable rooms should be separated from gallery Balconies and terraces located adjacent to access and other open circulation space by living rooms. the apartment's service areas Balconies and private terraces should be located in front of living rooms to increase The proposal provides suitable privacy screening when facing adjoining windows. internal privacy Windows should be offset from the windows Recessed balconies provided on all of adjacent buildings proposed additional apartments. Recessed balconies and/or vertical fins should be used between adjacent balconies 3G Pedestrian access and entries Objective 3G-1 Provided as approved. Accessible Yes Building entries and pedestrian access connectivity provided addressing public connects to and addresses the public domain domain. Design guidance The amended proposal provides both a Multiple entries (including communal building grand lobby and lift entrance with entries and individual ground floor entries) accessible entrances, improving street should be provided to activate the street edge activation at Holdsworth Avenue in accordance with the ADG along with

Entry locations relate to the street and

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separate entrances to between private and

public access.

Provided as approved.

Building entries should be clearly identifiable and communal entries should be clearly distinguishable from private entries  Where street frontage is limited and multiple buildings are located on the site, a primary street address should be provided with clear sight lines and pathways to secondary building entries	Not applicable.	
Objective 3G-2		
Access, entries and pathways are accessible and easy to identify	Provided as approved. Clearly visible (and led-to) primary pedestrian access to Holdsworth Avenue with lifts, ramps, stairs, and within the basement parking areas.	Yes
Design guidance  Building access areas including lift lobbies, stairwells and hallways should be clearly visible from the public domain and communal spaces	Satisfactory.	
The design of ground floors and underground car parks minimise level changes along pathways and entries	Highly integrated into landscape design with no bends or returns and maximise potential for landscaping. The landscaping above the basement parking arrangement	
Steps and ramps should be integrated into the overall building and landscape design.	would be slightly sloped for adequate drainage.	
For large developments 'way finding' maps should be provided to assist visitors and residents (see figure 4T.3)	Would be provided, if required. This development remains as a single building.	
For large developments electronic access and audio/video intercom should be provided to manage access	Would be provided, if required.	
Objective 3G-3		
Large sites provide pedestrian links for access to streets and connection to destinations		Yes
Design guidance Pedestrian links through sites facilitate direct connections to open space, main streets, centres and public transport	No east-west pedestrian link is required to be provided by Area 12. Pedestrian access from Holdsworth Avenue, Marshall Avenue and the Green Spine provided.	
Pedestrian links should be direct, have clear sight lines, be overlooked by habitable rooms or private open spaces of dwellings, be well lit and contain active uses, where appropriate		
3H Vehicle access		
Objective 3H-1		
Vehicle access points are designed and located to achieve safety, minimise conflicts between pedestrians and vehicles and create high quality streetscapes	Provided as approved.	Yes
Design guidance		

Car park access should be integrated with the building's overall facade. Design solutions may include:

the materials and colour palette to minimise visibility from the street

security doors or gates at entries that minimise voids in the facade

where doors are not provided, the visible interior reflects the facade design and the building services, pipes and ducts are concealed

Car park entries should be located behind the building line

Vehicle entries should be located at the lowest point of the site minimising ramp lengths, excavation and impacts on the building form and layout

Car park entry and access should be located on secondary streets or lanes where available

Vehicle standing areas that increase driveway width and encroach into setbacks should be avoided

Access point locations should avoid headlight glare to habitable rooms

Adequate separation distances should be provided between vehicle entries and street intersections

The width and number of vehicle access points should be limited to the minimum

Visual impact of long driveways should be minimised through changing alignments and screen planting

The need for large vehicles to enter or turn around within the site should be avoided

Garbage collection, loading and servicing areas are screened

Clear sight lines should be provided at pedestrian and vehicle crossings

Traffic calming devices such as changes in paving material or textures should be used where appropriate

Pedestrian and vehicle access should be separated and distinguishable. Design solutions may include:

changes in surface materials level changes the use of landscaping for separation Vehicular access point off Holdsworth Avenue and integrated with the proposed design as per the approved plans.

Car park entry considered appropriate as per the approved plans.

Provided as approved at the lowest point on Holdsworth Avenue.

Provided as approved. Car park entry considered appropriate.

No vehicle standing areas proposed. Appropriate driveway widths to be maintained where possible and is satisfactory.

Provided as approved. Access point is a double height opening. Headlight glare avoided.

Assessed by Council's Traffic Section as being adequate.

Limited to one vehicle access point and supported by Council's Traffic Section.

Provided as approved. Driveway is only 4m long. Satisfactorily designed.

N/A

Revised SWEPT path assessment provided and considered adequate.

Garbage collection loading and servicing screened within the basement area.

Closest ground floor balcony would be setback 6.6m from driveway entrance to ensure no structures which would impede sight lines.

Not required.

Provided as approved. Pedestrian and vehicle access separated by 17.3m and are clearly distinguishable by the provision of landscaping and change in materiality.

Provided as approved.

3J Bicycle and car parking

Objective 3J-1		
Car parking is provided based on proximity to public transport in metropolitan Sydney and centres in regional areas	Parking provided in accordance with Council's DCP and ADG.	Yes
Design criteria  For development in the following  1. locations:		
on sites that are within 800 metres of a railway station or light rail stop in the Sydney Metropolitan Area; or		
on land zoned, and sites within 400 metres of land zoned, B3 Commercial Core, B4 Mixed Use or equivalent in a nominated regional centre		
the minimum car parking requirement for residents and visitors is set out in the Guide to Traffic Generating Developments, or the car parking requirement prescribed by the relevant council, whichever is less		
The car parking needs for a development must be provided off street		
Design guidance Where a car share scheme operates locally, provide car share parking spaces within the development. Car share spaces, when provided, should be on site		
Where less car parking is provided in a development, council should not provide on street resident parking permits		
Objective 3J-2		
Parking and facilities are provided for other modes of transport	Suitable additional other modes of transport are available. (Bicycle/motorbikes)	Yes
<b>Design guidance</b> Conveniently located and sufficient numbers of parking spaces should be provided for motorbikes and scooters		
Secure undercover bicycle parking should be provided that is easily accessible from both the public domain and common areas		
Conveniently located charging stations are provided for electric vehicles, where desirable		
Objective 3J-3  Car park design and access is safe and secure	Car park design has been reviewed and is consistent with Objective 3J-3 to provide for safe and secure access.	Yes
<b>Design guidance</b> Supporting facilities within car parks, including garbage, plant and switch rooms, storage	for safe and secure access.	

areas and car wash bays can be accessed without crossing car parking spaces		
Direct, clearly visible and well-lit access should be provided into common circulation areas		
A clearly defined and visible lobby or waiting area should be provided to lifts and stairs		
For larger car parks, safe pedestrian access should be clearly defined and circulation areas have good lighting, colour, line marking and/or bollards		
Objective 3J-4		Yes
Visual and environmental impacts of underground car parking are minimised	The total footprint of the previously approved carpark would increased to account for the revised parking space	
<b>Design guidance</b> Excavation should be minimised through	requirement afforded by the Housing SEPP.	
efficient car park layouts and ramp design	Utilises existing basement/car parking layout where possible.	
Car parking layout should be well organised, using a logical, efficient structural grid and	The parking layout is well-designed and	
double loaded aisles	double loaded aisles where possible.	
Protrusion of car parks should not exceed 1m above ground level. Design solutions may include stepping car park levels or using split	Minor portion of the above ground car	
levels on sloping sites	parking proposed.	
Natural ventilation should be provided to basement and sub-basement car parking areas	Ventilation would be detailed at	
Ventilation grills or screening devices for car parking openings should be integrated into the	Construction Certificate stage.	
facade and landscape design	Achieved as approved.	
Objective 3J-5	No on-grade parking is proposed.	Yes
Visual and environmental impacts of on-grade car parking are minimised		
<b>Design guidance</b> On-grade car parking should be avoided		
Where on-grade car parking is unavoidable, the following design solutions are used:		
parking is located on the side or rear of the lot away from the primary street frontage cars are screened from view of streets, buildings, communal and private open space areas		
safe and direct access to building entry points is provided		
parking is incorporated into the landscape design of the site, by extending planting and materials into the car park space		

stormwater run-off is managed appropriately from car parking surfaces bio-swales, rain gardens or on-site detention tanks are provided, where appropriate light coloured paving materials or permeable paving systems are used and shade trees are planted between every 4-5 parking spaces to reduce increased surface temperatures from large areas of paving		
Objective 3J-6 Visual and environmental impacts of above ground enclosed car parking are minimised	No above ground parking is proposed.	Yes
Design guidance Exposed parking should not be located along primary street frontages		
Screening, landscaping and other design elements including public art should be used to integrate the above ground car parking with the facade. Design solutions may include:		
car parking that is concealed behind the facade, with windows integrated into the overall facade design (approach should be limited to developments where a larger floor plate podium is suitable at lower levels) car parking that is 'wrapped' with other uses, such as retail, commercial or two storey Small Office/Home Office (SOHO) units along the street frontage (see figure 3J.9)  Positive street address and active frontages should be provided at ground level		

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4A Solar a	and daylight access		
Objective	e 4A-1		
To optimise the number of apartments receiving sunlight to habitable rooms, primary windows and private open space		The proposal provides for the following:	Yes
Design o	eriteria		
1.	Living rooms and private open spaces of at least 70% of apartments in a building receive a minimum of 2 hours direct sunlight between 9 am and 3 pm at mid winter in the Sydney Metropolitan Area and in the Newcastle and Wollongong local government areas	75% apartments received compliant solar access.	
2	In all other areas, living rooms and private open spaces of at least 70% of apartments in a building receive a minimum of 3 hours direct sunlight between 9 am and 3 pm at mid winter	N/A	
		0%	

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A maximum of 15% of apartments in a building receive no direct sunlight between 9 am and 3 pm at mid-winter	No apartments are exclusively southern facing / single aspect. Positioning windows face	
<b>Design guidance</b> The design maximises north aspect and the number of single aspect south facing apartments is minimised	southern building that will reflect light.	
Single aspect, single storey apartments should have a northerly or easterly aspect	In line with ADG design criteria.	
Living areas are best located to the north and service areas to the south and west of apartments	Satisfactory.	
To optimise the direct sunlight to habitable rooms and balconies a number of the following design features are used:	The proposal provides for a high number of dual aspect apartments where possible.	
<ul> <li>dual aspect apartments</li> <li>shallow apartment layouts</li> <li>two storey and mezzanine level apartments</li> <li>bay windows</li> <li>To maximise the benefit to residents of direct sunlight within living rooms and private open spaces, a minimum of 1m2 of direct sunlight, measured at 1m above floor level, is achieved for at least 15 minutes</li> </ul>	Provided.	
Achieving the design criteria may not be possible on some sites. This includes:		
<ul> <li>where greater residential amenity can be achieved along a busy road or rail line by orientating the living rooms away from the noise source</li> <li>on south facing sloping sites</li> <li>where significant views are oriented away from the desired aspect for direct sunlight</li> </ul>	Provided.	
Design drawings need to demonstrate how site constraints and orientation preclude meeting the design criteria and how the development meets the objective.		
Objective 4A-2	Achieved – highlight windows on	Yes
Daylight access is maximised where sunlight is limited	south elevation are a secondary	100
<b>Design guidance</b> Courtyards, skylights and high-level windows (with sills of 1,500mm or greater) are used only as a secondary light source in habitable rooms	light source to habitable rooms.  Main light achieved from adjacent balconies with full height glass doors.	
Where courtyards are used :	Consumed flaggers of the latest to the	
use is restricted to kitchens, bathrooms and service areas building services are concealed with appropriate detailing and materials to visible walls courtyards are fully open to the sky access is provided to the light well from a communal area for cleaning and maintenance	Ground floor courtyards facing the green spine and Holdsworth Avenue are fully open to the sky. Building services are proposed to be concealed.	

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acoustic privacy, fire safety and minimum privacy	Internal finishes on balconies	
separation distances (see section 3F Visual privacy) are achieved	contain appropriate finishes.	
are acriieved		
Opportunities for reflected light into apartments are		
optimised through:		
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reflective exterior surfaces on buildings opposite south facing windows		
positioning windows to face other buildings or		
surfaces (on neighbouring sites or within the site) that		
will reflect light		
integrating light shelves into the design		
light coloured internal finishes		
Objective 4A-3	Provided as approved.	Yes
Design incorporates shading and glare control,		
particularly for warmer months		
Design guidance		
A number of the following design features are used:		
balconies or sun shading that extend far enough to		
shade summer sun, but allow winter sun to penetrate		
living areas		
shading devices such as eaves, awnings, balconies,		
pergolas, external louvres and planting horizontal shading to north facing windows		
vertical shading to east and particularly west facing		
windows		
operable shading to allow adjustment and choice		
high performance glass that minimises external glare		
off windows, with consideration given to reduced tint glass or glass with a reflectance level below 20%		
(reflective films are avoided)		
4B Natural ventilation		
Oliveria AD 4		Yes
Objective 4B-1	Provided where possible.	
All habitable rooms are naturally ventilated	1 Tovided where possible.	
Design guidance		
The building's orientation maximises capture and use	All habitable rooms have openable	
of prevailing breezes for natural ventilation in	windows or doors.	
habitable rooms		
Depths of habitable rooms support natural ventilation	Compliant. Apartment depths are	
20paile of Habitable foothe support flatural voluntum	limited to 8m for open plan layout	
The area of unobstructed window openings should be	to maximise airflow.	
equal to at least 5% of the floor area served		
Light wells are not the primary air source for habitable rooms	Provided as approved.	
	Large openable areas provided to	
	apartments on all elevations to	
	maximise natural ventilation.	

ADG Ref Item description	Proposal	Compliance
Doors and openable windows maximise natural ventilation opportunities by using the following design solutions:		
adjustable windows with large effective openable areas		
a variety of window types that provide safety and flexibility such as awnings and louvres		
windows which the occupants can reconfigure to funnel breezes into the apartment such as vertical louvres, casement windows and externally opening doors		
Objective 4B-2		
The layout and design of single aspect apartments maximises natural ventilation	Depth minimised in accordance with ratio for single aspect apartments.	Yes
Design guidance Apartment depths are limited to maximise ventilation and airflow (see also figure 4D.3)	·	
Natural ventilation to single aspect apartments is achieved with the following design solutions:		
primary windows are augmented with plenums and light wells (generally not suitable for cross ventilation) stack effect ventilation / solar chimneys or similar to naturally ventilate internal building areas or rooms such as bathrooms and laundries courtyards or building indentations have a width to depth ratio of 2:1 or 3:1 to ensure effective air circulation and avoid trapped smells		
Objective 4B-3  The number of apartments with natural cross ventilation is maximised to create a comfortable indoor environment for residents	61.2% of apartments have natural cross ventilation in the first 9 storeys.	Yes
Design criteria		
At least 60% of apartments are naturally cross ventilated in the first nine storeys of the building. Apartments at ten storeys or greater are deemed to be cross ventilated only if any enclosure of the balconies at these levels allows adequate natural ventilation and cannot be fully enclosed		
Overall depth of a cross-over or cross- through apartment does not exceed 18m, measured glass line to glass line		
Design guidance The building should include dual aspect apartments, cross through apartments and corner apartments and limit apartment depths	Achieved where possible.	
In cross-through apartments external window and door opening sizes/areas on one side of an apartment	Achieved.	

(inlet side) are approximately equal to the external window and door opening sizes/areas on the other side of the apartment (outlet side) (see figure 4B.4)		
Apartments are designed to minimise the number of corners, doors and rooms that might obstruct airflow	Achieved where possible.	
Apartment depths, combined with appropriate ceiling heights, maximise cross ventilation and airflow	Achieved.	
Objective 4C-1	Achieved.	Yes
Ceiling height achieves sufficient natural ventilation and daylight access		
Design criteria		
Measured from finished floor level to finished ceiling level, minimum ceiling heights are:		
Minimum ceiling height 2.7m (residential) 3.3m commercial	Minimum 2.7m for habitable Minimum 2.4m for non-habitable.	Yes
Objective 4C-2		Yes
Ceiling height increases the sense of space in apartments and provides for well-proportioned rooms	Achieved where possible.	
Design guidance		
A number of the following design solutions can be used:		
the hierarchy of rooms in an apartment is defined using changes in ceiling heights and alternatives such as raked or curved ceilings, or double height spaces well-proportioned rooms are provided, for example, smaller rooms feel larger and more spacious with higher ceilings ceiling heights are maximised in habitable rooms by ensuring that bulkheads do not intrude. The stacking of service rooms from floor to floor and coordination of bulkhead location above non-habitable areas, such as		
robes or storage, can assist.		
Objective 4C-3 Ceiling heights contribute to the flexibility of building use over the life of the building	Provided.	Yes
Design guidance Ceiling heights of lower level apartments in centres should be greater than the minimum required by the design criteria allowing flexibility and conversion to non-residential uses (see figure 4C.1)		
4D Apartment size and layout		
Objective 4D-1		
The layout of rooms within an apartment is functional,	Provided.	Yes
well organised and provides a high standard of amenity		
Design criteria		
Apartments are required to have the 1.		

following	minimum interi	nal areas:		
Apartment type  Studio 1 bedroom 2 bedroom 3 bedroom	Minimum area 35m2 50m2 70m2 90m2	internal	The proposed apartment sizes are consistent with the minimum apartment sizes and are exceeded.  -1B = 51.6m <sup>2</sup> - 77.1m <sup>2</sup> -2B = 72m <sup>2</sup> - 89.1m <sup>2</sup> -3B = 99.3m <sup>2</sup> - 149m <sup>2</sup> -4B = 121.3m <sup>2</sup> - 141.3m <sup>2</sup>	Yes
The minimum internal Additional bathroom area by 5m² each A fourth bedroom increase the minimum	s increase the	e minimum internal	Achieved.	Yes
external wall with	n a total minimu the floor area of	ve a window in an m glass area of not f the room. Daylight om other rooms	Provided. There is no borrowed light to any habitable room.	Yes
Design guidance Kitchens should no circulation space hallway or entry spa A window should habitable room Where minimum as met apartments no well designed and functionality of the furniture layouts circumstances wou	in larger apa ace) be visible from reas or room of red to demons d demonstrate e space with and circulation	m any point in a dimensions are not trate that they are the usability and realistically scaled on areas. These	Provided where possible.  Provided where possible  Minimum areas and dimensions have been met.	
Objective 4D-2 Environmental per maximised  Design criteria Habitable room of 2.5 x the ceiling I	depths are limite	the apartment is ed to a maximum of	Provided. Consistent with ADG requirements.	Yes
	nbined) the man from a window num ceiling hei ases in room a depths	ights can allow for depth up to the	Apartment depths are limited to 8m for open plan layout.  Noted.	
Objective 4D-3				Yes

	t layouts are designed to accommodate a household activities and needs		
Design cr	riteria  Master bedrooms have a minimum area of 10m2 and other bedrooms 9m2 (excluding	Provided. Consistent with ADG Requirements.	
2	wardrobe space)  Bedrooms have a minimum dimension of 3m (excluding wardrobe space)	Minimum dimension achieved and shown on plans.	
3	Living rooms or combined living/dining rooms have a minimum width of: . 3.6m for studio and 1-bedroom	Achieved and detailed on plans.	
4	apartments . 4m for 2 and 3-bedroom apartments The width of cross-over or cross-through apartments are at least 4m internally to avoid deep narrow apartment layouts	Minimum width achieved.	
separated	uidance bedrooms, bathrooms and laundries is from living areas minimising direct between living and service areas	Provided where possible.	
All bedroo	oms allow a minimum length of 1.5m for	Provided where possible.	
apartment	bedroom of an apartment or a studio should be provided with a wardrobe of a 1.8m long, 0.6m deep and 2.1m high	Provided.	
	t layouts allow flexibility over time, design may include:		
arrangeme . sp levels betv . du . du apartment are regard purposes calculating . ro (rectangulating) than squal corridors a of usable f	mensions that facilitate a variety of furniture ents and removal paces for a range of activities and privacy ween different spaces within the apartment all master apartments. Note: dual key apartments Note: dual key as which are separate but on the same title ded as two sole occupancy units for the of the Building Code of Australia and for a the mix of apartments om sizes and proportions or open plans ar spaces (2:3) are more easily furnished are spaces (1:1)) ficient planning of circulation by stairs, and through rooms to maximise the amount floor space in rooms	Usable floor area maximised and suitable flexibility in space, with a focus of the layouts provided.	
Objective -			Yes
	s provide appropriately sized private open balconies to enhance residential amenity		
	All apartments are required to have primary balconies as follows:		

Dwelling type Minimum area / Minimum depth Studio apartments 4m2	Achieved - Adequate storage space provided to each apartment.	Yes
1-bedroom apartments 8m2 2.0m		
2-bedroom apartments 10m2 2.0m		
3-bedroom apartments 12m2 2.4m		
The minimum balcony depth to be counted as contributing to the balcony area is 1m		
For apartments at ground level or on a podium or similar structure, a private open space is provided instead of a balcony. It must have a minimum area of 15m2 and a minimum depth of 3m	Provided.	Yes
Design guidance		
Increased communal open space should be provided where the number or size of balconies are reduced	Not applicable.	Yes
Storage areas on balconies is additional to the minimum balcony size	None proposed.	
Balcony use may be limited in some proposals by: consistently high wind speeds at 10 storeys and above close proximity to road, rail or other noise sources exposure to significant levels of aircraft noise heritage and adaptive reuse of existing buildings	N/A	
In these situations, juliet balconies, operable walls, enclosed wintergardens or bay windows may be appropriate, and other amenity benefits for occupants should also be provided in the apartments or in the development or both. Natural ventilation also needs to be demonstrated		
Objective 4E-2		
Primary private open space and balconies are appropriately located to enhance liveability for residents	Appropriately located.	Yes
Design guidance Primary open space and balconies should be located adjacent to the living room, dining room or kitchen to extend the living space	Provided.	
Private open spaces and balconies predominantly face north, east or west	Face East or West or North predominantly.	
Primary open space and balconies should be orientated with the longer side facing outwards or be open to the sky to optimise daylight access into adjacent rooms	Provided.	
Objective 4E-3		
Private open space and balcony design is integrated into and contributes to the overall architectural form and detail of the building	Well integrated.	Yes
Design guidance	Combination of balustrading materials proposed.	

and properly service the number of apartments  Design criteria  The maximum number of apartments off a circulation core on a single level is eight  For buildings of 10 storeys and over, the maximum number of apartments sharing	Satisfactory.  Provided as approved. 2 lifts	
Objective 4F-1 Common circulation spaces achieve good amenity		Yes
4F Common circulation and spaces		
Design guidance Changes in ground levels or landscaping are minimised	Achieved where possible on sloping site.	
Objective 4E-4 Private open space and balcony design maximises safety	Achieved. Balustrades required to be BCA compliant.	Yes
Water and gas outlets should be provided for primary balconies and private open space	Designed in accordance with BASIX.	
Ceilings of apartments below terraces should be insulated to avoid heat loss	To be screened.	
Where clothes drying, storage or air conditioning units are located on balconies, they should be screened and integrated in the building design	Provided as approved.	
Air-conditioning units should be located on roofs, in basements, or fully integrated into the building design	Provided as approved.	
Downpipes and balcony drainage are integrated with the overall facade and building design	N/A	
Balustrades are set back from the building or balcony edge where overlooking or safety is an issue	screening provided.  Achieved.	
Operable screens, shutters, hoods and pergolas are used to control sunlight and wind	Suitable landscape buffer or	
Projecting balconies should be integrated into the building design and the design of soffits considered		
preferred  Full width full height glass balustrades alone are generally not desirable	Provided where possible.	
balustrades are selected to respond to the location. They are designed to allow views and passive surveillance of the street while maintaining visual privacy and allowing for a range of uses on the balcony. Solid and partially solid balustrades are	Glass balustrades at are accompanied by moveable full height mesh screens for environmental performance.  No unduly projected balconies.	
Solid, partially solid or transparent fences and	A range of treatments proposed.	

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Greater than minimum requirements for corridor widths and/ or ceiling heights allow comfortable movement and access particularly in entry lobbies, outside lifts and at apartment entry doors

Daylight and natural ventilation should be provided to all common circulation spaces that are above ground

Windows should be provided in common circulation spaces and should be adjacent to the stair or lift core or at the ends of corridors

Longer corridors greater than 12m in length from the lift core should be articulated. Design solutions may include:

- a series of foyer areas with windows and spaces for seating
- wider areas at apartment entry doors and varied ceiling heights

Design common circulation spaces to maximise opportunities for dual aspect apartments, including multiple core apartment buildings and cross over apartments

Achieving the design criteria for the number of apartments off a circulation core may not be possible. Where a development is unable to achieve the design criteria, a high level of amenity for common lobbies, corridors and apartments should be demonstrated, including:

- sunlight and natural cross ventilation in apartments
- access to ample daylight and natural ventilation in common circulation spaces
- common areas for seating and gathering
- generous corridors with greater than minimum ceiling heights
- other innovative design solutions that provide high levels of amenity

Where design criteria 1 is not achieved, no more than 12 apartments should be provided off a circulation core on a single level

Primary living room or bedroom windows should not open directly onto common circulation spaces, whether open or enclosed. Visual and acoustic privacy from common circulation spaces to any other rooms should be carefully controlled

Objective 4F-2

Common circulation spaces promote safety and provide for social interaction between residents

## Design guidance

Direct and legible access should be provided between vertical circulation points and apartment entries by minimising corridor or gallery length to give short, straight, clear sight lines

Achieved where possible.

Achieved where possible.

Satisfactory. Multiple windows on eastern and southern ends of common corridors.

Achieved.

N/A

Complies.

N/A

N/A

As previously provided, lobby areas are well-designed and secured.

As previously provided, lobby areas have access to natural light.

Yes

Tight corners and spaces are avoided		
Circulation spaces should be well lit at night		
Legible signage should be provided for apartment numbers, common areas and general wayfinding		
Incidental spaces, for example space for seating in a corridor, at a stair landing, or near a window are provided		
In larger developments, community rooms for activities such as owner's corporation meetings or resident use should be provided and are ideally colocated with communal open space		
Where external galleries are provided, they are more open than closed above the balustrade along their length		
Objective 4G-1		
Adequate, well designed storage is provided in each apartment	Internal apartment storage can comply with ADG.	Yes
Design criteria		
In addition to storage in kitchens, bathrooms and bedrooms, the following storage is provided:		
Dwelling type Storage size volume		.,
Studio apartments 4m2	Can comply with suitable areas in the basement and within each unit.	Yes
1-bedroom apartments 6m2	Built-in storage provided to all	
2-bedroom apartments 8m2	bedrooms and living rooms.	
3-bedroom apartments 10m2		
At least 50% of the required storage is to be located within the apartment.		
<b>Design guidance</b> Storage is accessible from either circulation or living areas. Storage provided on balconies (in addition to the minimum balcony size) is integrated into the balcony design, weather proof and screened from view from the street Left over space such as under stairs is used for storage	Satisfactory.	Yes
Objective 4G-2	Satisfactory.	Yes
Additional storage is conveniently located, accessible and nominated for individual apartments		
Design guidance Storage not located in apartments is secure and clearly allocated to specific apartments		
Storage is provided for larger and less frequently accessed items		
Storage space in internal or basement car parks is provided at the rear or side of car spaces or in cages so that allocated car parking remains accessible		

If communal storage rooms are provided they should be accessible from common circulation areas of the building		
Storage not located in an apartment is integrated into the overall building design and is not visible from the public domain		
4H Acoustic privacy		
Objective 4H-1		
Noise transfer is minimised through the siting of buildings and building layout	As previously approved, acoustic privacy addressed.	Yes
Design guidance		
Adequate building separation is provided within the development and from neighbouring buildings/adjacent uses (see also section 2F Building separation and section 3F Visual privacy)		
Window and door openings are generally orientated away from noise sources		
Noisy areas within buildings including building entries and corridors should be located next to or above each other and quieter areas next to or above quieter areas		
Storage, circulation areas and non-habitable rooms should be located to buffer noise from external sources		
The number of party walls (walls shared with other apartments) are limited and are appropriately insulated		
Noise sources such as garage doors, driveways, service areas, plant rooms, building services, mechanical equipment, active communal open spaces and circulation areas should be located at least 3m away from bedrooms		
Objective 4H-2		
Noise impacts are mitigated within apartments through layout and acoustic treatments	As previous approved, acoustic privacy addressed.	Yes
Design guidance Internal apartment layout separates noisy spaces from quiet spaces, using a number of the following design solutions:		
rooms with similar noise requirements are grouped together doors separate different use zones wardrobes in bedrooms are co-located to act as sound buffers		
Where physical separation cannot be achieved noise conflicts are resolved using the following design solutions:		
double or acoustic glazing acoustic seals use of materials with low noise penetration properties		

4J Noise and pollution		
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Objective 4J-1  In noisy or hostile environments the impacts of external noise and pollution are minimised through the careful siting and layout of buildings	As previous approved, acoustic privacy addressed.	Yes
<b>Design guidance</b> To minimise impacts the following design solutions may be used:		
physical separation between buildings and the noise or pollution source residential uses are located perpendicular to the noise source and where possible buffered by other uses non-residential buildings are sited to be parallel with the noise source to provide a continuous building that shields residential uses and communal open spaces non-residential uses are located at lower levels vertically separating the residential component from the noise or pollution source. Setbacks to the underside of residential floor levels should increase relative to traffic volumes and other noise sources buildings should respond to both solar access and noise. Where solar access is away from the noise source, non-habitable rooms can provide a buffer where solar access is in the same direction as the noise source, dual aspect apartments with shallow building depths are preferable (see figure 4J.4) landscape design reduces the perception of noise and acts as a filter for air pollution generated by traffic and industry  Achieving the design criteria in this Apartment Design Guide may not be possible in some situations due to noise and pollution. Where developments are unable to achieve the design criteria, alternatives may be considered in the following areas:		
solar and daylight access private open space and balconies natural cross ventilation		
Objective 4J-2 Appropriate noise shielding or attenuation techniques for the building design, construction and choice of materials are used to mitigate noise transmission	As previously approved, acoustic privacy addressed.	Yes
Design guidance		
Design solutions to mitigate noise include:		
limiting the number and size of openings facing noise sources providing seals to prevent noise transfer through gaps using double or acoustic glazing, acoustic louvres or enclosed balconies (wintergardens) using materials with mass and/or sound insulation or absorption properties e.g. solid balcony balustrades,		
external screens and soffits		

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Objective 4K-1	The proposed energy and the in-	Voc
A range of apartment types and sizes is provided to cater for different household types now and into the future	The proposed apartment mix is appropriate being a suitable range of units proposed.	Yes
Design guidance A variety of apartment types is provided	The proposed development would provide a range of apartments for the affordable housing component.	
The apartment mix is appropriate, taking into consideration:		
the distance to public transport, employment and education centres the current market demands and projected future demographic trends the demand for social and affordable housing different cultural and socioeconomic groups		
Flexible apartment configurations are provided to support diverse household types and stages of life including single person households, families, multigenerational families and group households		
Objective 4K-2		.,
The apartment mix is distributed to suitable locations within the building	Provided.	Yes
Design guidance		
Different apartment types are located to achieve successful facade composition and to optimise solar access (see figure 4K.3)	Provided.	
Larger apartment types are located on the ground or roof level where there is potential for more open space and on corners where more building frontage is available		
4L Ground floor apartments		
Objective 4L-1		
Street frontage activity is maximised where ground floor apartments are located	Street frontage activity is maximized as approved.	Yes
Design guidance Direct street access should be provided to ground floor apartments		
Activity is achieved through front gardens, terraces and the facade of the building. Design solutions may include:		
both street, foyer and other common internal circulation entrances to ground floor apartments private open space is next to the street doors and windows face the street Retail or home office spaces should be located along street frontages		
Ground floor apartment layouts support small office home office (SOHO) use to provide future opportunities for conversion into commercial or retail		

areas. In these cases provide higher floor to ceiling heights and ground floor amenities for easy conversion		
Objective 4L-2		
Design of ground floor apartments delivers amenity and safety for residents	Appropriate amenity and safety provided.	Yes
<b>Design guidance</b> Privacy and safety should be provided without obstructing casual surveillance. Design solutions may include:		
elevation of private gardens and terraces above the street level by 1-1.5m (see figure 4L.4) landscaping and private courtyards window sill heights that minimise sight lines into apartments integrating balustrades, safety bars or screens with the exterior design		
Solar access should be maximised through:	Solar access maximised.	
high ceilings and tall windows trees and shrubs that allow solar access in winter and shade in summer		
4M Facades		
Objective 4M-1		
Building facades provide visual interest along the street while respecting the character of the local area	The proposed façade continues to provide a high level of visual interest.	Yes
Design guidance		
Design solutions for front building facades may include:		
a composition of varied building elements a defined base, middle and top of buildings revealing and concealing certain elements changes in texture, material, detail and colour to modify the prominence of elements	Appropriate materiality board submitted with the original Development Application with a variety of finishes at both podium and tower levels.	
Building services should be integrated within the overall facade	Services are either within the basement, ground level to side boundary or on the rooftop.	
Building facades should be well resolved with an appropriate scale and proportion to the streetscape and human scale. Design solutions may include:	Proposal is highly resolved with proportional articulation, variation in balustrading finishes, and ground and roof level landscaping.	
well composed horizontal and vertical elements variation in floor heights to enhance the human scale elements that are proportional and arranged in patterns public artwork or treatments to exterior blank walls	Suitable analysis provided in the architectural plans of relationship in the streetscape.	
grouping of floors or elements such as balconies and windows on taller buildings	Fenestration and façade treatment provides clarity in articulation.	
Building facades relate to key datum lines of adjacent buildings through upper level setbacks, parapets, cornices, awnings or colonnade heights		

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Shadow is created on the facade throughout the day with building articulation, balconies and deeper window reveals		
Objective 4M-2		
Building functions are expressed by the facade	Provided.	Yes
Design guidance Building entries should be clearly defined		
Important corners are given visual prominence through a change in articulation, materials or colour, roof expression or changes in height		
The apartment layout should be expressed externally through facade features such as party walls and floor slabs		
4N Roof design		
Objective 4N-1		
Roof treatments are integrated into the building design and positively respond to the street	Roof service elements appropriately integrated and screened behind plant walls as per	Yes
Design guidance	the previous design.	
Roof design relates to the street. Design solutions may include:		
special roof features and strong corners use of skillion or very low pitch hipped roofs breaking down the massing of the roof by using smaller elements to avoid bulk using materials or a pitched form complementary to adjacent buildings Roof treatments should be integrated with the building design. Design solutions may include:		
roof design proportionate to the overall building size, scale and form roof materials compliment the building service elements are integrated		
Objective 4N-2	Provided as approved. The	Yes
Opportunities to use roof space for residential accommodation and open space are maximised	Provided as approved. The proposal includes a highly functional rooftop communal open	165
Design guidance	space of 230m <sup>2</sup> .	
Habitable roof space should be provided with good levels of amenity. Design solutions may include:	Adjacent windows and balconies at Level 15 are appropriately	
penthouse apartments dormer or clerestory windows openable skylights	screened.	
Open space is provided on roof tops subject to acceptable visual and acoustic privacy, comfort levels, safety and security considerations		
Objective 4N-3		
Roof design incorporates sustainability features	The roof incorporates solar panels.	Yes
Design guidance		

Roof design maximises solar access to apartments during winter and provides shade during summer. Design solutions may include:		
the roof lifts to the north eaves and overhangs shade walls and windows from summer sun		
Skylights and ventilation systems should be integrated into the roof design		
40 Landscape design		
Objective 40-1		
Landscape design is viable and sustainable	The proposal landscaping has been provided to satisfaction of	Yes
Design guidance	Council's Landscape Architect and	
Landscape design should be environmentally	subject to conditions in compliance	
sustainable and can enhance environmental	with Council's DCP, the Landscape Masterplan,	
performance by incorporating:	maintenance strategies and	
diverse and appropriate planting	appropriately selected tree	
bio-filtration gardens	plantings for canopy cover in the	
appropriately planted shading trees	medium to long term.	
areas for residents to plant vegetables and herbs		
composting green roofs or walls		
Ongoing maintenance plans should be prepared		
Microclimate is enhanced by:		
appropriately scaled trees near the eastern and western elevations for shade a balance of evergreen and deciduous trees to provide shading in summer and sunlight access in winter shade structures such as pergolas for balconies and courtyards  Tree and shrub selection consider size at maturity and the potential for roots to compete (see Table 4)		
Objective 40-2	Council's Landscape Assessment	
Landscape design contributes to the streetscape and amenity	Architect is of the view the streetscape planting is highly developed and would soften the	Yes
Design guidance	visual impact of the building within	
Landscape design responds to the existing site conditions including:	the streetscape. Council's LA has recommended conditions of	
changes of levels	consent.	
views significant landscape features including trees and rock		
outcrops		
Significant landscape features should be protected by:		
tree protection zones (see figure 40.5)		
appropriate signage and fencing during construction		
Plants selected should be endemic to the region and		
reflect the local ecology		
4P Planting on structures		
Objective 4P-1		V
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Appropriate soil profiles are provided	Appropriate soil profiles are	
Design guidance Structures are reinforced for additional saturated soil weight	provided.	
Soil volume is appropriate for plant growth, considerations include:		
modifying depths and widths according to the planting mix and irrigation frequency free draining and long soil life span tree anchorage  Minimum soil standards for plant sizes should be provided in accordance with Table 5	Appropriate soil volume provided.	
Objective 4P-2		
Plant growth is optimised with appropriate selection and maintenance	Council's Landscape Officers have worked in conjunction with the applicant's landscape architect to	Yes
Design guidance Plants are suited to site conditions, considerations include:	provide tree planting that is appropriate to the site, including the requirement for high quality irrigation, and maintenance. The	
drought and wind tolerance seasonal changes in solar access modified substrate depths for a diverse range of plants plant longevity A landscape maintenance plan is prepared	schedule is subjected to Council's recommended conditions of consent.	
Irrigation and drainage systems respond to:		
changing site conditions soil profile and the planting regime whether rainwater, stormwater or recycled grey water is used		
Objective 4P-3		
Planting on structures contributes to the quality and amenity of communal and public open spaces	Provided as approved. Planting on structures contribute to amenity of green spine and roof top garden.	Yes
Design guidance	San	
Building design incorporates opportunities for planting on structures. Design solutions may include:		
green walls with specialised lighting for indoor green walls wall design that incorporates planting green roofs, particularly where roofs are visible from the public domain planter boxes		
Note: structures designed to accommodate green walls should be integrated into the building facade and consider the ability of the facade to change over time		
4Q Universal design		
Objective 4Q-1	Achieved.	Yes

Achieved.	Yes
The design provides for suitable flexibility with the provision of 1-, 2-, 3-, and 4-bedroom apartments.	Yes
Achieved.	Yes
	The design provides for suitable

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Objective 4R-2		
Adapted buildings provide residential amenity while not precluding future adaptive reuse	Achieved.	Yes
Design guidance		
Design features should be incorporated sensitively into adapted buildings to make up for any physical limitations, to ensure residential amenity is achieved. Design solutions may include:		
generously sized voids in deeper buildings alternative apartment types when orientation is poor using additions to expand the existing building envelope		
Some proposals that adapt existing buildings may not be able to achieve all of the design criteria in this Apartment Design Guide. Where developments are unable to achieve the design criteria, alternatives could be considered in the following areas:		
where there are existing higher ceilings, depths of habitable rooms could increase subject to demonstrating access to natural ventilation, cross ventilation (when applicable) and solar and daylight access (see also sections 4A Solar and daylight access and 4B Natural ventilation) alternatives to providing deep soil where less than the minimum requirement is currently available on the site building and visual separation — subject to demonstrating alternative design approaches to achieving privacy common circulation		
car parking alternative approaches to private open space and		
balconies		
4S Mixed use		
Objective 4S-1		
Mixed use developments are provided in appropriate locations and provide active street frontages that encourage pedestrian movement	N/A – No active uses required for Area 12.	N/A
Design guidance		
Mixed use development should be concentrated around public transport and centres		
Mixed use developments positively contribute to the public domain. Design solutions may include:		
development addresses the street active frontages are provided diverse activities and uses avoiding blank walls at the ground level live/work apartments on the ground floor level, rather than commercial		
Mixed use development should maximise retail and commercial  Objective 4S-2	N/A	N/A

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Residential levels of the building are integrated within the development, and safety and amenity are maximised for residents		
Design guidance		
Residential circulation areas should be clearly defined. Design solutions may include:		
residential entries are separated from commercial entries and directly accessible from the street commercial service areas are separated from residential components residential car parking and communal facilities are separated or secured security at entries and safe pedestrian routes are provided concealment opportunities are avoided Landscaped communal open space should be provided at podium or roof levels		
4T Awnings and signage		
Objective 4T-1		
Awnings are well located and complement and integrate with the building design	Achieved.	Yes
Design guidance		
Awnings should be located along streets with high pedestrian activity and active frontages		
A number of the following design solutions are used:		
continuous awnings are maintained and provided in areas with an existing pattern height, depth, material and form complement the existing street character protection from the sun and rain is provided awnings are wrapped around the secondary frontages of corner sites awnings are retractable in areas without an established pattern  Awnings should be located over building entries for building address and public domain amenity		
Awnings relate to residential windows, balconies, street tree planting, power poles and street infrastructure		
Gutters and down pipes should be integrated and concealed		
Lighting under awnings should be provided for pedestrian safety		
Objective 4T-2		
Signage responds to the context and desired streetscape character	No signage proposed at this stage of the development.	N/A
Design guidance		

Signage should be integrated into the building design and respond to the scale, proportion and detailing of the development		
Legible and discrete way finding should be provided for larger developments		
Signage is limited to being on and below awnings and a single facade sign on the primary street frontage		
4U Energy efficiency		
Objective 4U-1		
Development incorporates passive environmental design	BASIX provided.	Yes
Design guidance		
Adequate natural light is provided to habitable rooms (see 4A Solar and daylight access)		
Well located, screened outdoor areas should be provided for clothes drying		
Objective 4U-2		
Development incorporates passive solar design to optimise heat storage in winter and reduce heat transfer in summer	BASIX provided.	Yes
Design guidance		
A number of the following design solutions are used:		
the use of smart glass or other technologies on north and west elevations thermal mass in the floors and walls of north facing rooms is maximised polished concrete floors, tiles or timber rather than carpet		
insulated roofs, walls and floors and seals on window and door openings overhangs and shading devices such as awnings,		
blinds and screens  Provision of consolidated heating and cooling infrastructure should be located in a centralised location (e.g. the basement)		
Objective 4U-3		
Adequate natural ventilation minimises the need for mechanical ventilation	Natural ventilation maximised where possible.	Yes
Design guidance A number of the following design solutions are used:		
rooms with similar usage are grouped together natural cross ventilation for apartments is optimised natural ventilation is provided to all habitable rooms and as many non-habitable rooms, common areas and circulation spaces as possible		
4V Water management and conservation		
Objective 4V-1	BASIX provided.	Yes
Potable water use is minimised	υποίπ ριονίατα.	163

Design guidance  Mare efficient fittings, appliances and wastewater reuse should be incorporated  Apartments should be individually metered  Rainwater should be collected, stored and reused on site  Drought tolerant, low water use plants should be used within landscaped areas  Objective 4V-2  Uthan stormwater is treated on site before being discharged to receiving waters  Design guidance  Water sensitive urban design systems are designed by a suitably qualified professional  A number of the following design solutions are used: runoff is collected from roofs and balconies in water tanks and plumbed into tellest, laundry and irrigation porous and open paving materials is maximised on site stormwater and infiltration, including bioretention systems such as rain gardens or street tree pits  Objective 4V-3  Flood management systems are integrated into site design  Design guidance  Detention tanks should be located under paved areas, driveways or in basement car parks  On large sites parks or open spaces are designed to provide temporary on-site detention basins  4W Waste management  Objective 4W-1  Waste storage facilities are designed to minimise impacts on the streetscape, building entry and amenity of residents  Design guidance  Adequately sized storage areas for rubbish bins should be located discreetly away from the front of the development or in the basement car park  Waste management and storage facilities designed in accordance with the design criteria.  Waste management and storage facilities designed in accordance with the design criteria.  Vest management and storage facilities designed in accordance with the design criteria.  Frovided as approved. The proposal sproved as approved. The proposal sprovided with OSD and implemented.			
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Objective 414/0		
Objective 4W-2	Provided.	Yes
Domestic waste is minimised by providing safe and convenient source separation and recycling	i i iovided.	165
Design guidance		
All dwellings should have a waste and recycling		
cupboard or temporary storage area of sufficient size		
to hold two days worth of waste and recycling		
Communal waste and recycling rooms are in		
convenient and accessible locations related to each		
vertical core		
For mixed use developments, residential waste and		
recycling storage areas and access should be		
separate and secure from other uses		
Alternative waste disposal methods such as		
composting should be provided		
4X Building maintenance		
Objective 4X-1		
Building design detail provides protection from	Provided as approved.	Yes
weathering		
Design guidance		
A number of the following design solutions are used:		
roof overhangs to protect walls		
hoods over windows and doors to protect openings detailing horizontal edges with drip lines to avoid		
staining of surfaces		
methods to eliminate or reduce planter box leaching		
appropriate design and material selection for hostile		
locations		
Objective 4X-2	Provided as approved.	Yes
Systems and access enable ease of maintenance	Frovided as approved.	163
Design guidance		
Window design enables cleaning from the inside of the		
building		
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Building maintenance systems should be incorporated and integrated into the design of the building form, roof		
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Design solutions do not require external scaffolding for		
maintenance access		
Manually operated systems such as blinds,		
sunshades and curtains are used in preference to		
mechanical systems		
Centralised maintenance, services and storage		
should be provided for communal open space areas		
within the building		
Objective 4V 2		
Objective 4X-3	Provided.	Yes

Material selection reduces ongoing maintenance costs
<b>Design guidance</b> A number of the following design solutions are used:
sensors to control artificial lighting in common circulation and spaces natural materials that weather well and improve with time such as face brickwork easily cleaned surfaces that are graffiti resistant robust and durable materials and finishes are used in locations which receive heavy wear and tear, such as common circulation areas and lift interiors