

Our Ref: C20/58 Your Ref: DA/0221/1920 CNR-4031

20 February 2020

Goulburn Mulwaree Council Locked Bag 22 GOULBURN NSW 2580

Dear Sir/Madam,

Goulburn Waste Management Facility

Thank you for your referral through the Planning Portal seeking comment from DPI Fisheries on the above proposal.

DPI Fisheries is responsible for ensuring that fish stocks are conserved and that there is no net loss of <u>key fish habitats</u> upon which they depend. To achieve this, DPI Fisheries ensures that developments comply with the requirements of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994* (FM Act) (namely the aquatic habitat protection and threatened species conservation provisions in Parts 7 and 7A of the Act, respectively), and the associated *Policy and Guidelines for Fish Habitat Conservation and Management (2013 Update)*. In addition, DPI Fisheries is responsible for ensuring the sustainable management of commercial, recreational and Aboriginal cultural fishing, aquaculture and marine protected areas within NSW.

The proposal will not require any dredging or reclamation within any waterways. The boundary of the proposal area is approximately 100m distance from the closest area of Key Fish Habitat. Therefore no permits will be required under Part 7 of the *Fisheries Management Act 1994* and the Department has no further comment to make.

If you require any further information, please contact me on (02) 4428 3007.

Yours sincerely

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