

BRIEFING DETAILS

BRIEFING DATE / TIME	Monday, 15 June 2020, 10:15am and 10:30am
LOCATION	Teleconference Call

BRIEFING MATTER(S)

PPSSWC-73 – Penrith City Council – DA20/0189 – 4 QUARRY ROAD ERSKINE PARK 2759 – Section 4.55(2) Modification to DA05/1740 for Erskine Park Landfill including Construction of Stabilised Earth Wall to Increase Landfill Air Space

PANEL MEMBERS

IN ATTENDANCE	Justin Doyle (Chair), Nicole Gurrán, Louise Camenzuli, Ross Fowler and Glenn McCarthy
APOLOGIES	None
DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	None

OTHER ATTENDEES

COUNCIL ASSESSMENT STAFF	Wendy Connell, Gavin Cherry and Robert Craig
OTHER	Melissa Felipe – Secretariat

KEY ISSUES DISCUSSED

- The method by which the stabilized earth wall is to be engineered is a crucial aspect of the facility expansion. The Panel notes the reservations of the EPA to certify all aspects of the wall and road construction. The Panel will want to be assured that the engineering assessment has been adequately reviewed by engineers with the relevant expertise either at DA or CC stage through condition.
- Acoustic impacts will be important, and the proposal will need to be reassessed against contemporary standards, with input from the EPA.
- The compatibility of the 1H:3V batter with adequate landscaping and visual presentation, associated maintenance, and the compatibility with any future public use will require careful examination.
- The potential future impact of the gas flaring on the operation of the Nancy-Bird Walton (Western Sydney) Airport should be considered.
- The Panel questioned whether a limit ought to be imposed on the operating life of the land fill, and if so, how that is best to be achieved.

TENTATIVE PANEL MEETING DATE: N/A