

Record of Preliminary Briefing Western Regional Planning Panel

PANEL REFERENCE, DA NUMBER & ADDRESS	PPSWES-300 – DA119/2025(1) – 1610 Forest Road, Orange
APPLICANT OWNER	Orange City Council / The State of NSW
APPLICATION TYPE	Development application
REGIONALLY SIGNIFICANT CRITERIA	Council related development over \$5 million
KEY SEPP/LEP	State Environmental Planning Policy (Resilience and Hazards) 2021
	State Environmental Planning Policy (Planning Systems) 2021
	State Environmental Planning Policy (Transport and Infrastructure) 2021
	Orange Local Environmental Plan 2011
CIV	\$28,710,036.00 (excluding GST)
BRIEFING DATE	17 June 2025

ATTENDEES

APPLICANT	Alan Giumelli, Scott Maunder, Roxanne Betts
PANEL MEMBERS	Garry Fielding, Donna Rygate, Summer Commins
CONFLICT OF INTEREST	Melanie McDonell
APOLOGIES	Graham Brown
COUNCIL OFFICER(S)	Ben Hicks, Paul Johnston
CASE MANAGER	Lillian Charlesworth

DA LODGED: 2 April 2025

DAYS SINCE LODGEMENT: 83 days

TENTATIVE PANEL BRIEFING DATE: TBD in consultation with council

TENTATIVE PANEL DETERMINATION DATE: Within the 275-day timeframe

KEY MATTERS DISCUSSED

The Panel notes the applicant's presentation and matters discussed with the applicant and council during the briefing. In particular, the Panel notes:

- Concept approval for the precinct was issued in 2022 and the DA should be generally consistent with the concept
- s4.24 of the Act is to be addressed in Council's assessment report
- TfNSW will advise regarding access
- An Event Management Plan may be required, including minimising impacts on access by emergency service vehicles
- Integrated development awaiting a response from NSW Heritage
- Response pending from NSW RFS re bushfire prone land
- 5 submissions received

NEXT STEPS

- Agency responses
- Determination anticipated in August September 2025

Note:

Council is yet to undertake its full application assessment, and therefore future comment will not be limited to matters discussed at the preliminary briefing.