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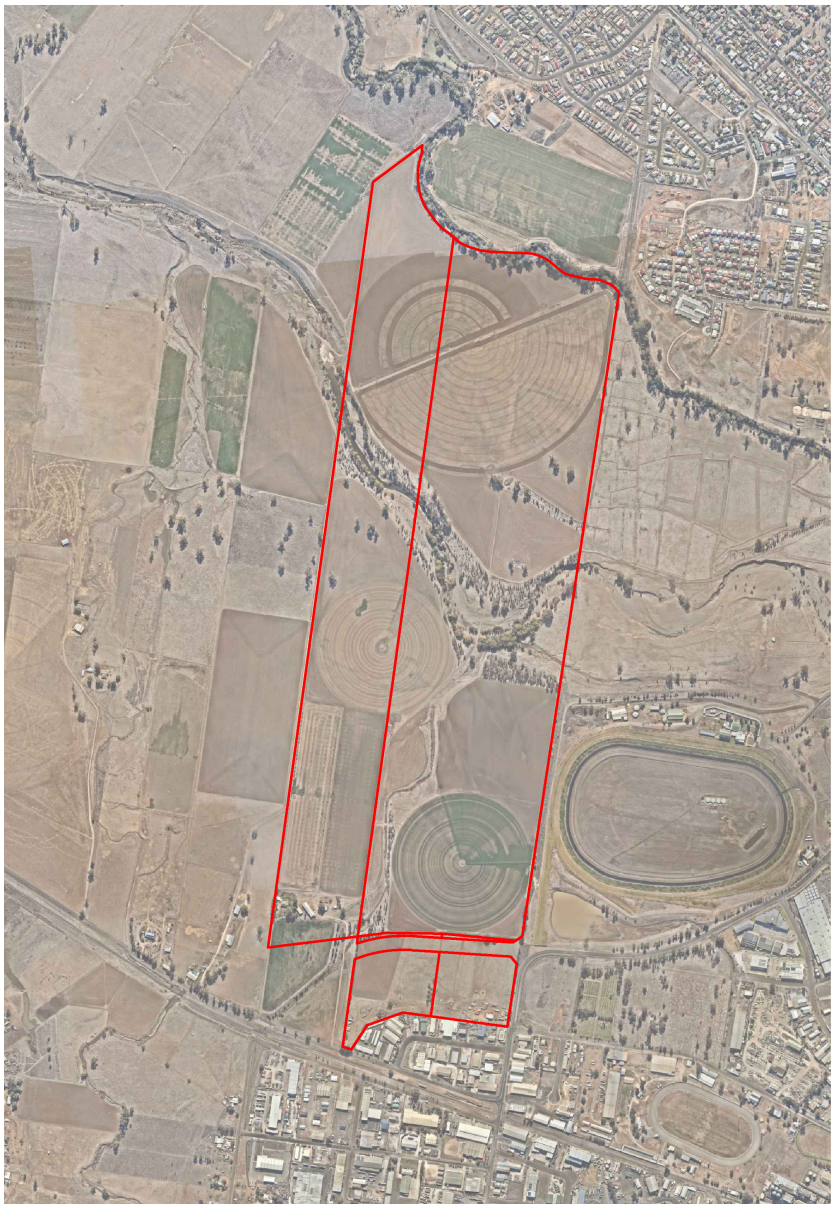

Agricultural Report
For Proposed Solar Farm and Industrial Precinct
Lots 1 -3 DP 1234850 and Lot 60 DP1227482
55 Dampier Street and 72 Wallamore Road,
Taminda NSW 2340

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1. Introduction

Melaleuca Group has been engaged by Elton Consulting on behalf of Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd to undertake an Agricultural Assessment for 55 Dampier Street and 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda NSW 2340 (the site) to allow for the proposed rezoning of part of the Study Area. The proposal will subsequently include development of a Solar Farm and industrial lands. Please refer to Figures 1 and 2 for the site locality plan and a plan showing the rezoning proposal.

The objective of this assessment is to assess the agricultural impact of the proposed development.

2. The Study Area

2.1 Site Identification

The Study Area is located approximately 2.5km west of the Tamworth CBD. The Area consists of four parcels namely (note areas approximate only):

- Lot 1 DP 1234850 - 90 ha;
- Lot 2 DP 1234850 - 5 ha;
- Lot 3 DP 1234850 - 4.5 ha;
- Lot 60 1227482 - 52 ha; and
- a 1.9ha road reserve.

The Study Area is bound by the Peel River in the north and industrial lands/Wallamore Road in the south. To the east is Tamworth Cemetery and Racecourse and to the west is agricultural lands. The Wallamore Anabranch dissects the Study Area in approximately the middle of the Study Area.

2.2 Zoning and Proposal

The Study Area is zoned RU4 Primary Production Small Lots in accordance with the Tamworth Regional Council (TRC) Local Environmental Plan (2010). Surrounding lands are predominantly also zoned RU4 with exception of lands to the south and south-east whereby a mixture of zones occur including IN1 (General Industrial), SP1 (Special Activities), SP3 (Tourist), RE1 (Public Recreation) and B5 (Business Development).

The proposal would see the rezoning of approximately 30ha within Lots 1-3 to IN1 (25ha) and B5 (5ha). The remainder of the Area would remain as RU4. While not being rezoned, approximately 13ha within Lot 60 would be utilised for flood mitigation measures. This area would not be exclusive to flood mitigation activity as flooding is irregular, thereby allowing for other uses to occur.

2.3 Site Usages

Information pertaining to the historical landuses are limited to information available from Kayandel Archaeological Services (2018), available aerial photography and knowledge of agricultural activities in the locality. Given the characteristics of the land it is surmised the Study Area has been used for a range of agricultural pursuits for many years (estimated for nearly 200 years).

Kayandel Archaeological Services (2018) indicate the first Europeans to venture into Tamworth area was from 1818 (John Oxley) with other explorers and settlement of the area soon after. In 1833, 313,298 acres of the Liverpool Plains were granted to the Australian Agricultural Company. The following extract is provided from Kayandel Archaeological Services (2018):

> *Sheep and cattle were grazed on the alluvial plains of the Peel River, and farming consisted primarily of crops such as wheat and, later, tobacco. The Tamworth region, specifically the Goonoo Goonoo estate owned by the Australian Agricultural Company, became known for wool (EJE Town Planning, 2001). The estate was fenced from the mid-1950s, which prevented the shepherding of sheep and was subsequently less cost effective (EJE Town Planning, 2001).*

Given the generic history of the area, it is likely the Study Area was settled and cleared around 100 - 180 years ago with the establishment of large pastoral properties in the area. Initially principal uses were likely to be grazing animals but also some subsistence farming could have occurred. Establishment into broad acre cropping would have soon followed and is the typical agricultural pursuit of the area of today.

Thereby it is surmised predominantly the land was used low intensity grazing (cattle and sheep) and for broad scale cropping such as Wheat, Tobacco with possibilities of Cotton, Canola, Soybean, Corn, Lucerne and a range of other crops throughout its history. Given the Study Area lies within the floodplain of the Peel River, agricultural uses would need to have been adaptive for the ephemeral nature of flooding.

Plates 1 to 2 show general views some of the cropping land within the site in July 2018.

2.4 Local Geology and Soil Description

Banks (2001) maps (Figure 3) and describes the soil landscapes and geology of the Study Area as follows:

- Majority of Study Area, northern section: Alluvial *Peel* Soil Landscape. Geology - Quaternary (Qa) and recent alluvium of the Peel and lower Cockburn Rivers. Sources of parent materials are extremely diverse;
- Majority of southern section of Study Area (south-west of Racecourse): Alluvial *Goonoo Goonoo* Soil Landscape. Geology - Quaternary alluvium derived predominantly from Tertiary basalts of the Liverpool Ranges; and
- Small section near southern boundary of Study Area: Residual *Duri* Soil Landscape. Geology - Complex folded Carboniferous and Devonian sedimentary rocks of the Tamworth Fold Belt. The Devonian geology units include the Baldwin Formation, Keepit Conglomerate, and Mandowa Mudstones.

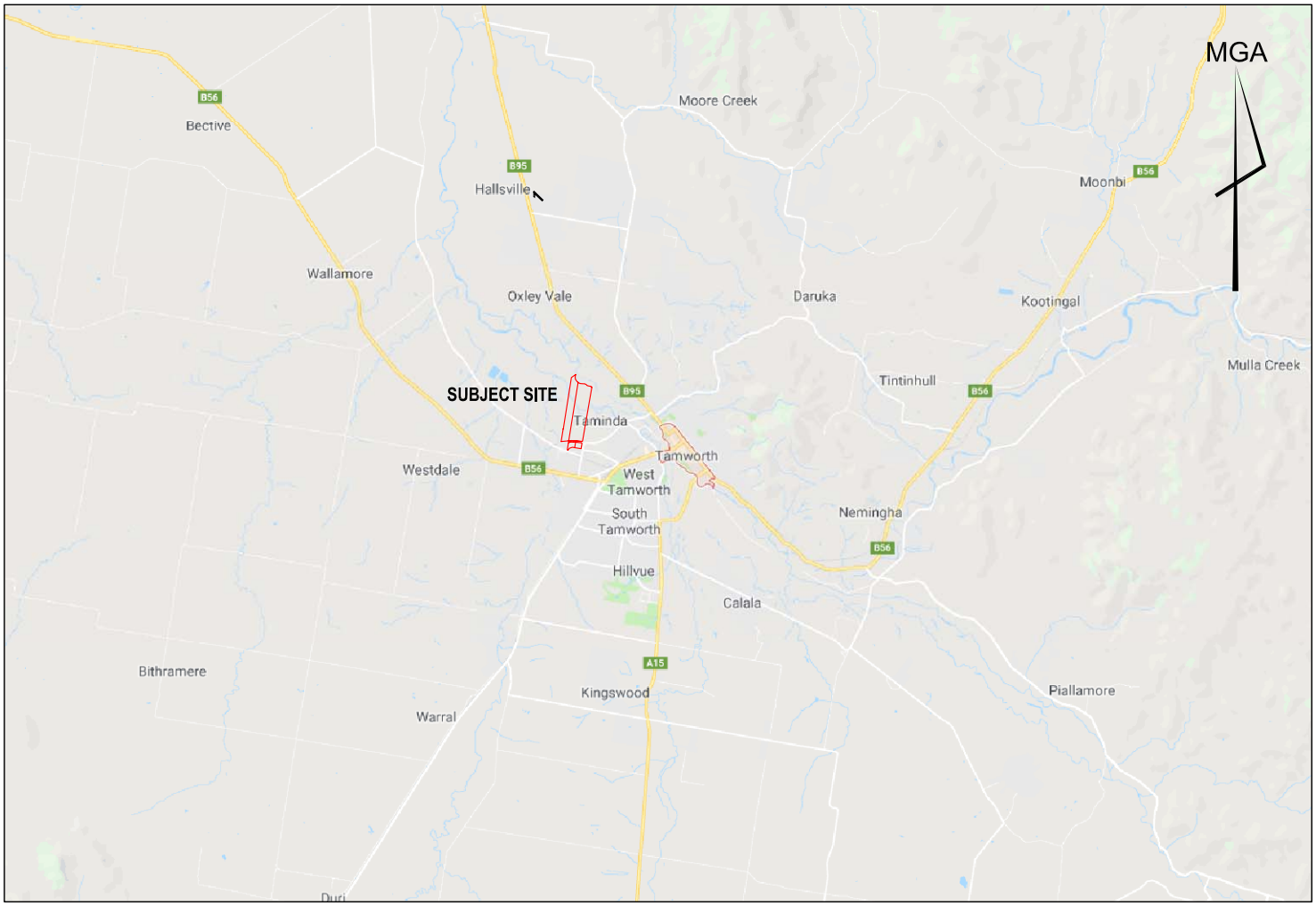

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Figure 1

The existing planning controls identifies the land use as an Primary Production Small Lots. It is proposed to amend the planning controls on site as follows.

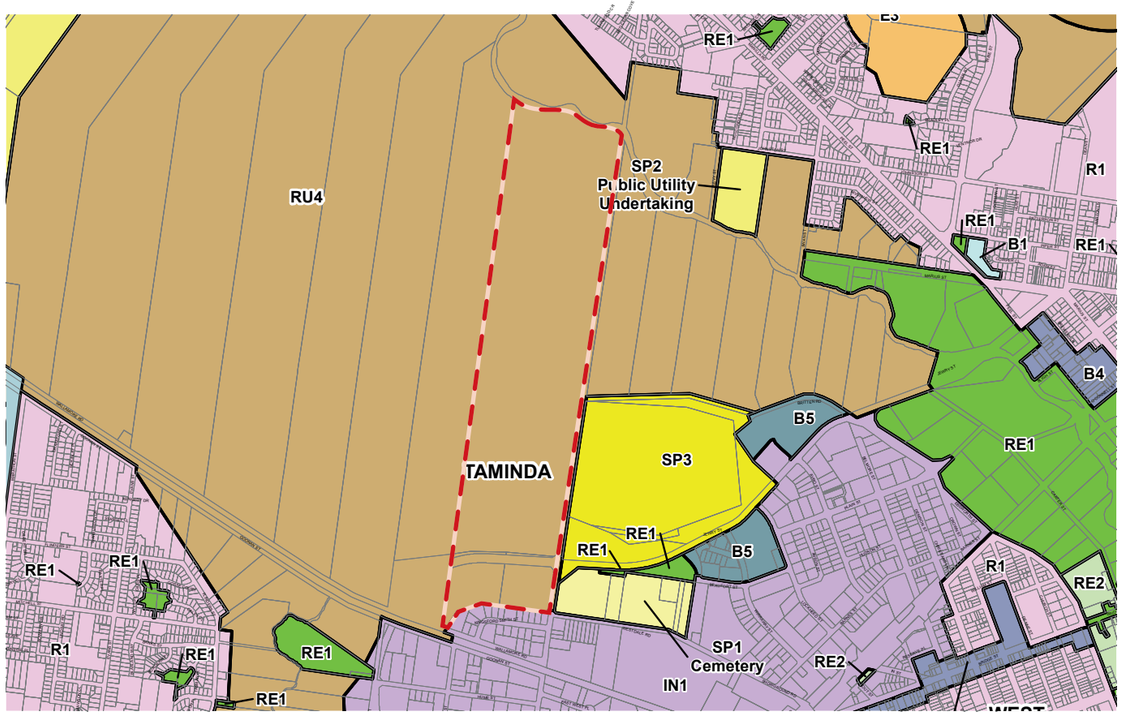
The proposal:

- Amendments to LEP to allow for B5 Business Development and IN1 General Industrial

Total site area = 30Ha

- B5 = 5Ha
- IN1 = 25Ha

Existing Land Zoning



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B1	Neighbourhood Centre
B2	Local Centre
B3	Commercial Core
B4	Mixed Use
B5	Business Development
B7	Business Park
E1	National Parks and Nature Reserves
E2	Environmental Conservation
E3	Environmental Management
IN1	General Industrial
IN3	Heavy Industrial
R1	General Residential
R2	Low Density Residential
R5	Large Lot Residential
RE1	Public Recreation
RE2	Private Recreation
RU1	Primary Production
RU3	Forestry
RU4	Primary Production Small Lots
RU5	Village
RU6	Transition
SP1	Special Activities
SP2	Infrastructure
SP3	Tourist

Proposed Land Zoning

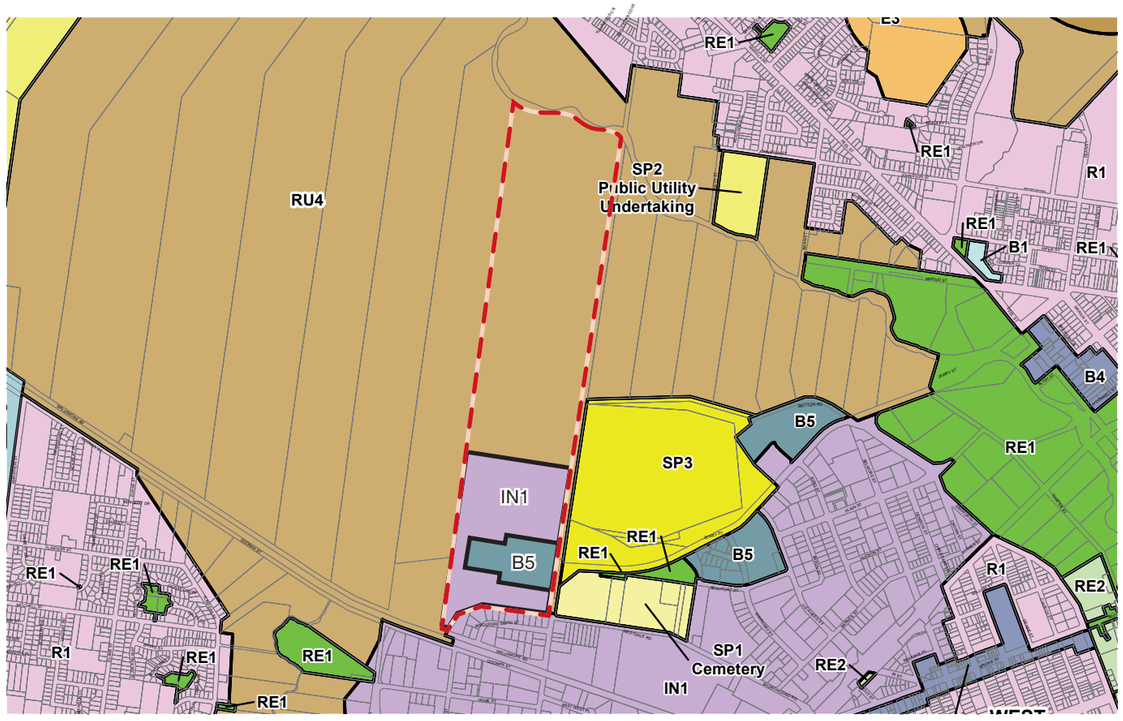

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Figure 2

Plate 1: General view of cropping area on Lot 1 (Source: J Foong).

Plate 2: General view of cropping area on Lot 1 (Source: J Foong).

Figure 3. Soil Landscapes (Banks 2001; source: eSPADE NSW OEH website).

These soil landscapes are described by Banks (2001) as:

Peel (**pe**):

> **Soils –** soil types are individually extensive, but random in distribution. In decreasing order of dominance, soil types encountered include giant, moderately well-drained Black Dermosols (Chernozems); very deep, imperfectly drained Calcareous Black Vertosols (calcareous Black Earths), very deep, imperfectly drained Haplic Black Vertosols (Black Earths); and moderately deep, moderately well-drained Brown Chromosols (Red-brown Earths).

Goonoo Goonoo (**gn**):

> **Soils** – soil types are diverse but individually locally extensive. In decreasing order of importance, soil types encountered include very deep to giant, imperfectly drained Brown Sodosols (Solodic Soils); deep to giant, imperfectly drained Black Vertosols (Black Earths); very deep to giant, poorly drained Grey Vertosols (Grey Clays); shallow, moderately well-drained Calcareous Rudosols (calcareous Alluvial Soils); and deep to giant, imperfectly drained Brown Vertosols (Brown Clays).

Duri (du):

> **Soils** – extremely complex due to rapid changes in underlying lithology. Generally dominated by duplex soils such as moderately deep, moderately well-drained Red and Brown Chromosols (Noncalcic Brown Soils; Red-brown Earths) with minor occurrences of shallow, very well-drained Rudosols (Lithosols) around rock outcrops. Deep, imperfectly drained Red Vertosols (Red Clays) and deep to very deep, imperfectly drained Red and Brown Chromosols (Non-calcic Brown Soils) and possibly some Sodosols (Solodic Soils) occur along drainage lines and on sodic bedrock.

2.5 Topography

The Study Area is considered relatively flat across its entirety. Some undulations occur (e.g. in vicinity of the Wallamore Anabranch). Elevation is around 380m across the Study Area.

2.6 Surface Water

The Study Area is bounded in the north by the Peel river and the Wallamore Anabranch dissects the Study Area. Timbumburi Creek is located to the west.

2.7 Agricultural Land Classification

Three (3) available mapping data sets were available for review, namely:

- Land Capability Mapping (Emery 1985 Soil Conservation Service of NSW);
- Land and Soil Capability Mapping (NSW OEH 2013); and
- Biophysical Strategic Agricultural Land (BSAL) Mapping (Department of Planning and Environment 2013).

Land Capability Mapping (1985) map the majority of the Study Area as:

- Class 2 - Suitable for Regular Cultivation: Soil conservation practices such as strip cropping, conservation tillage and adequate crop rotation (Figure 4).

This area applies to the northern 138 ha of the Study Area. The remaining section of the Area is mapped as Urban.

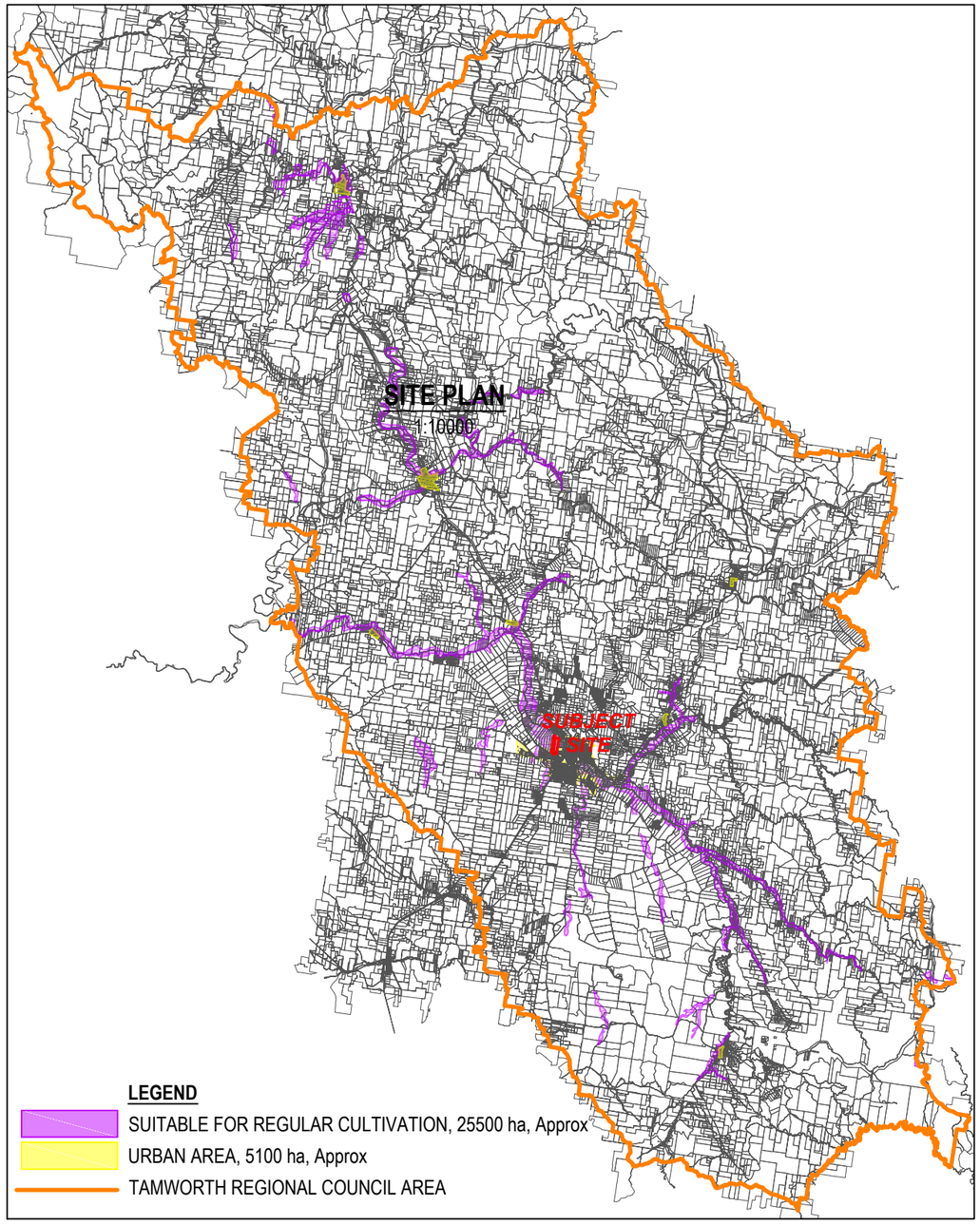
Land and Soil Capability Mapping (NSW OEH 2013) map (Figure 5) the Study Area into three classes, namely:

- Class 2 - Slight but significant limitations. Land capable of sustaining high impact land uses which can be managed by readily available, and easily implemented management practices;
- Class 3 - Moderate limitations. Land capable of sustaining high impact land uses using more intensive, readily available and accepted management practices;
- Class 4 - Moderate to severe limitations. Land generally not capable of sustaining high impact land uses unless using specialised management practices with high level of knowledge, expertise, inputs, investment and technology. Limitations are more easily managed for lower impact land uses (e.g. grazing).

That is, this mapping takes into a number of attributes including:

- Soil acidity;
- Water;
- Soil structure;
- Wind erosion;
- Shallow rock;
- Salinity;
- Mass Movement; and
- Water logging/flooding.

The BSAL (2013) map the majority of the Study Area (152.g ha) as strategic agricultural land (143 ha). This area generally aligns to that mapped within the Land Capability mapping of 1985. That is, it excludes the southern portion of the Study Area (Figure 6). It is important to note, the Proposal is not considered neither a mining or coal seam gas development. However, this mapping was utilised to obtain an understanding of the potential of the land for agricultural pursuits. Thereby, it has been determined that this proposal will not require a submission to the Commonwealth Independent Expert Scientific Committee.



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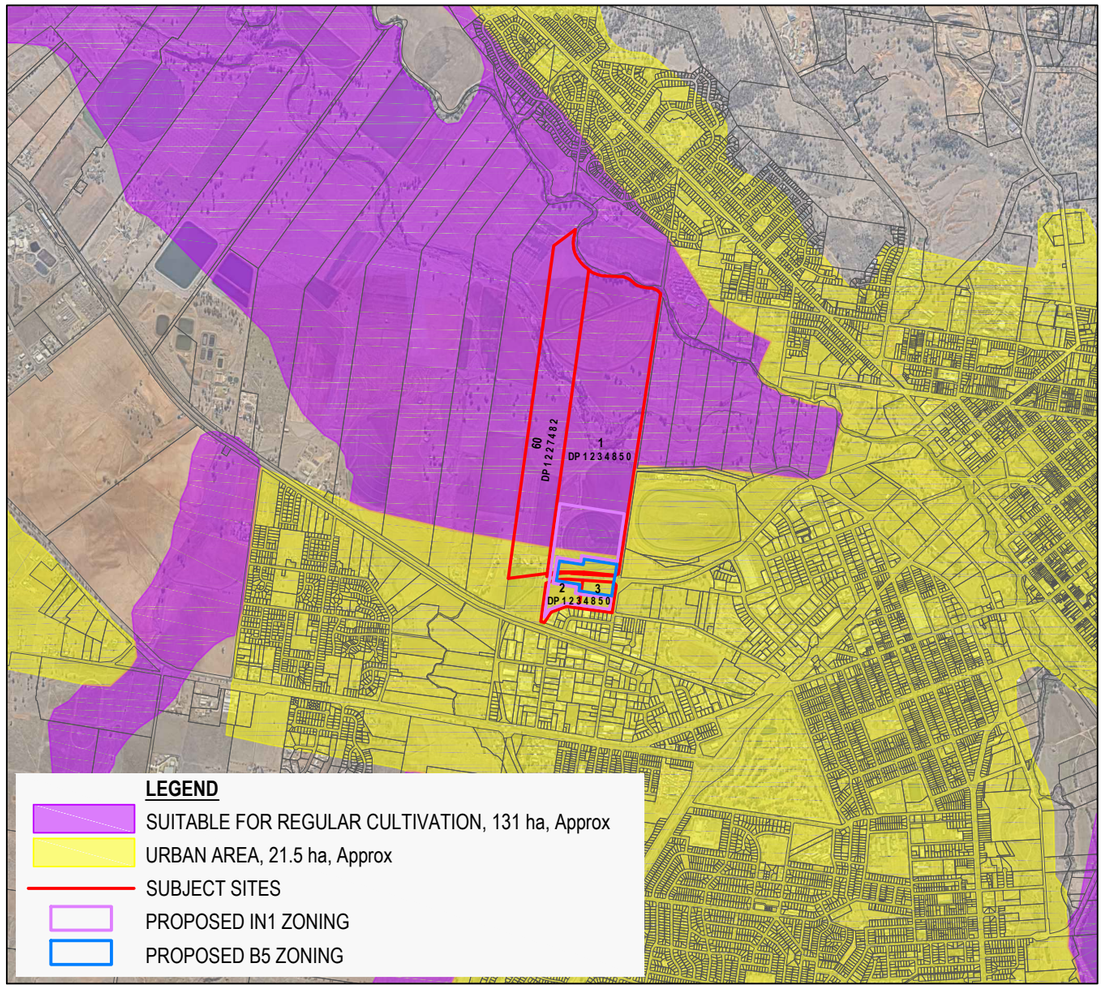

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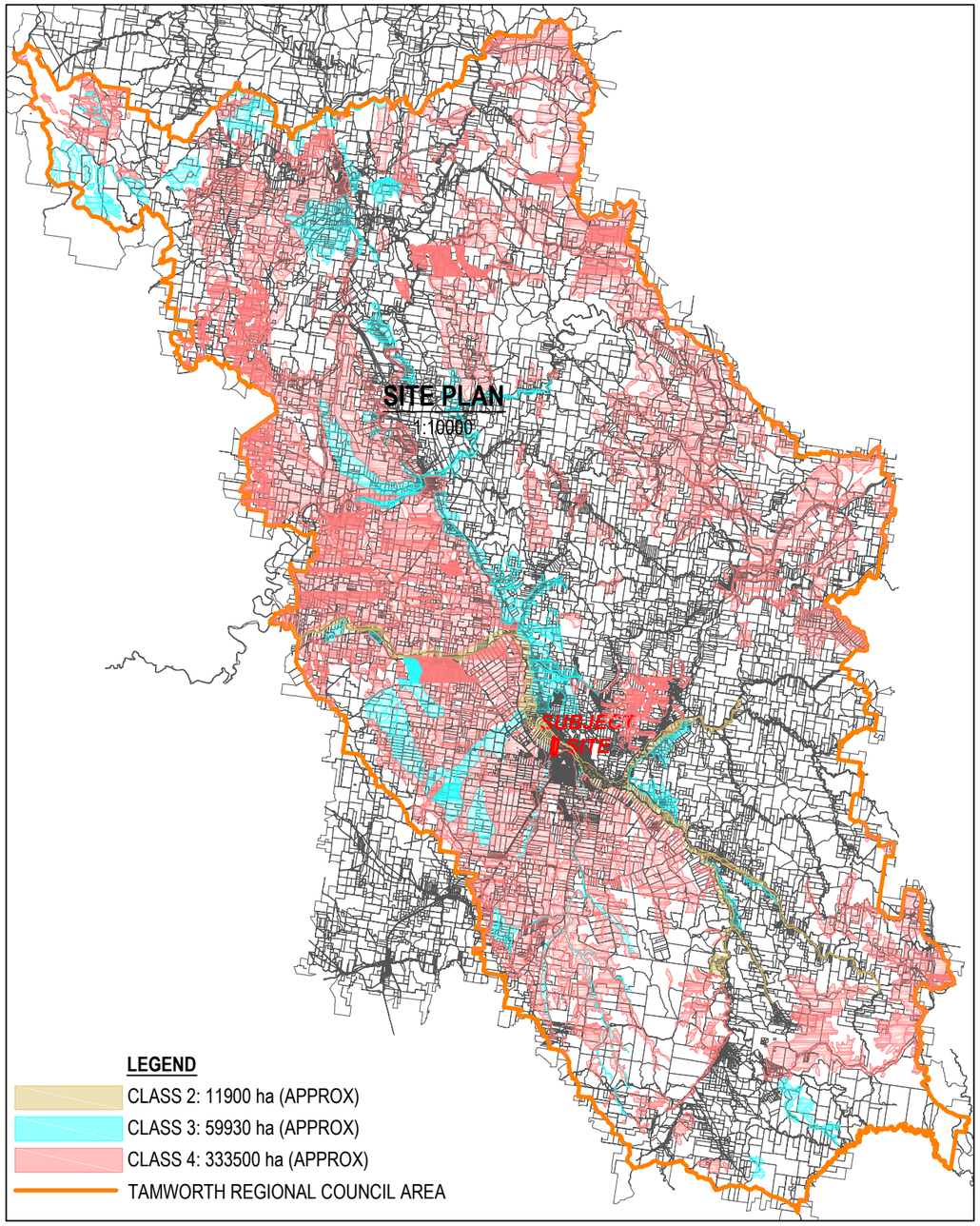

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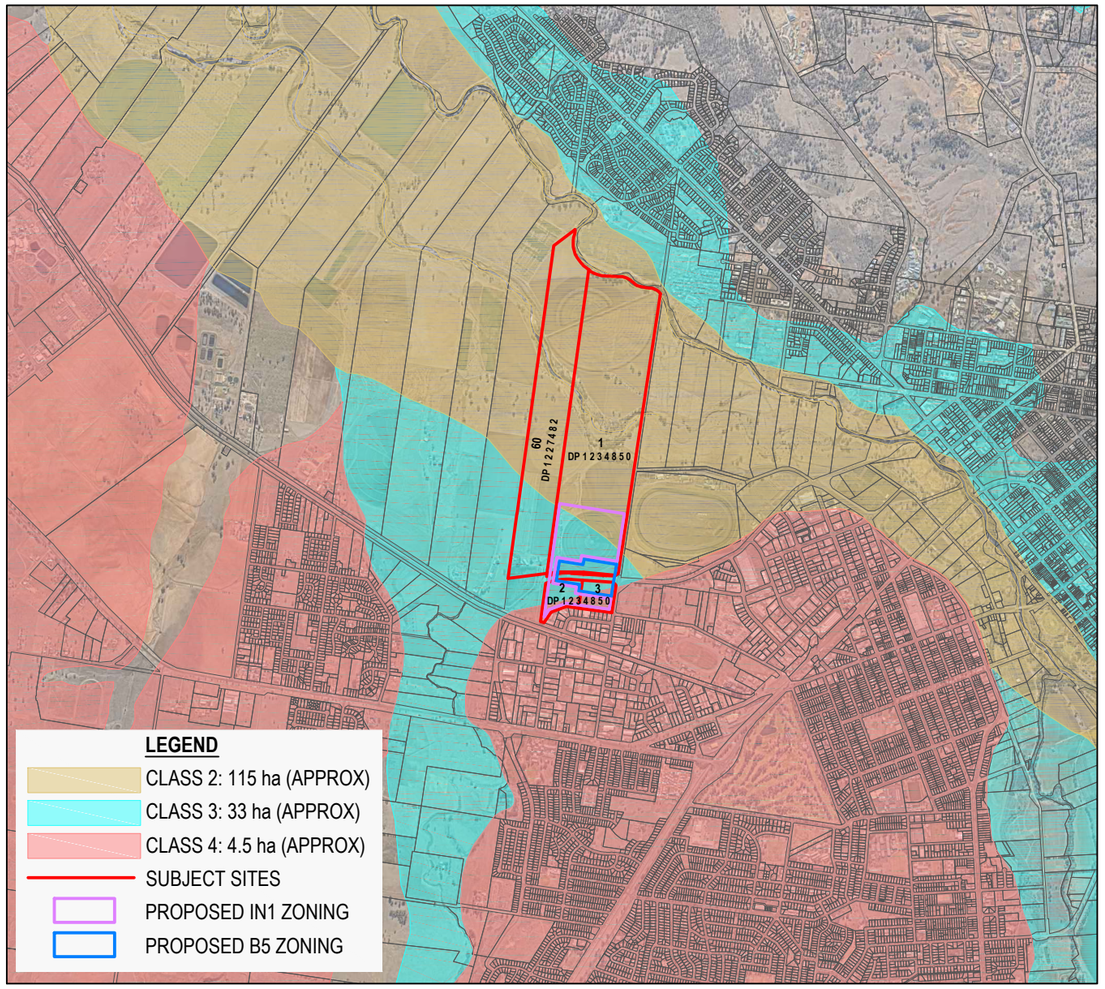

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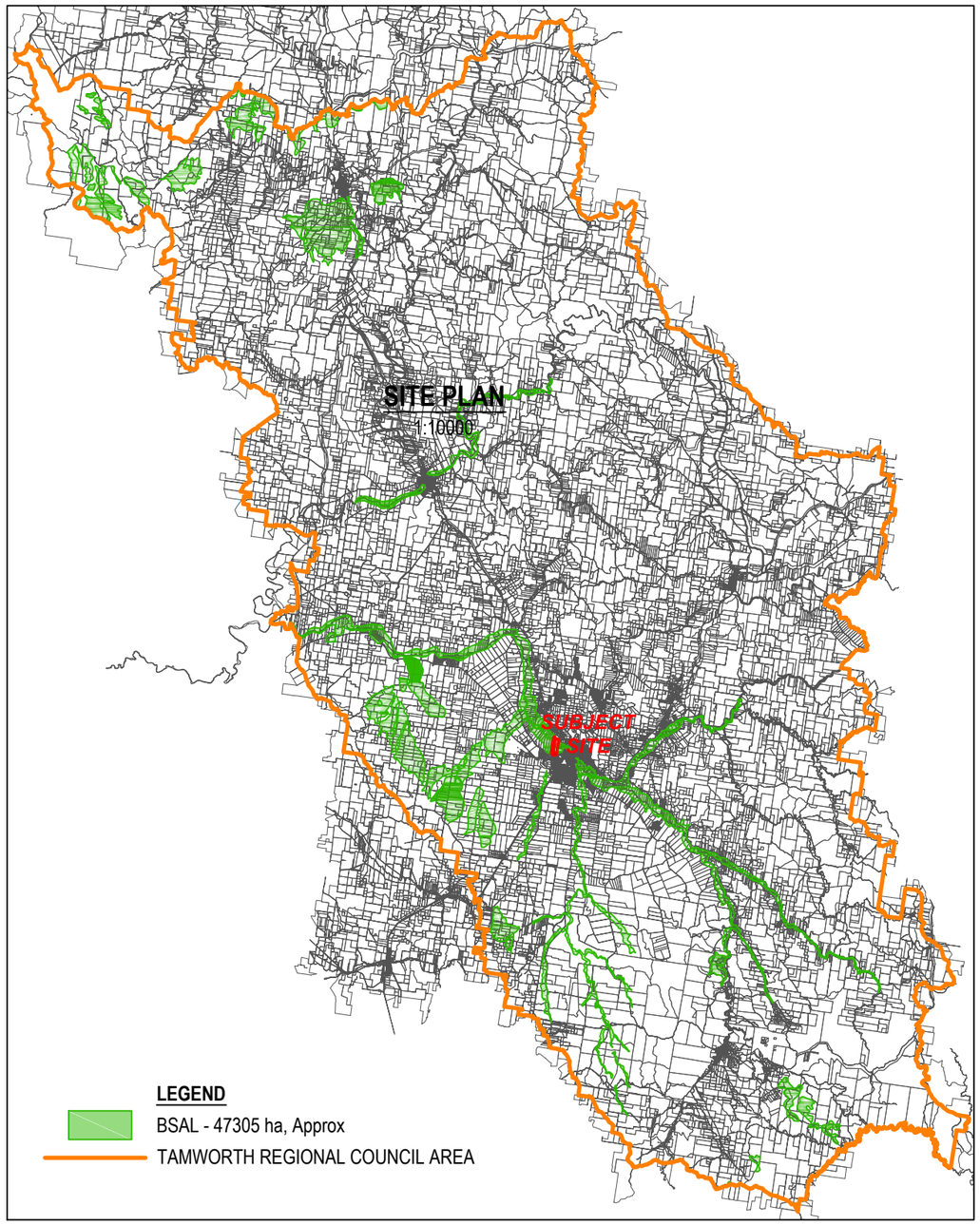

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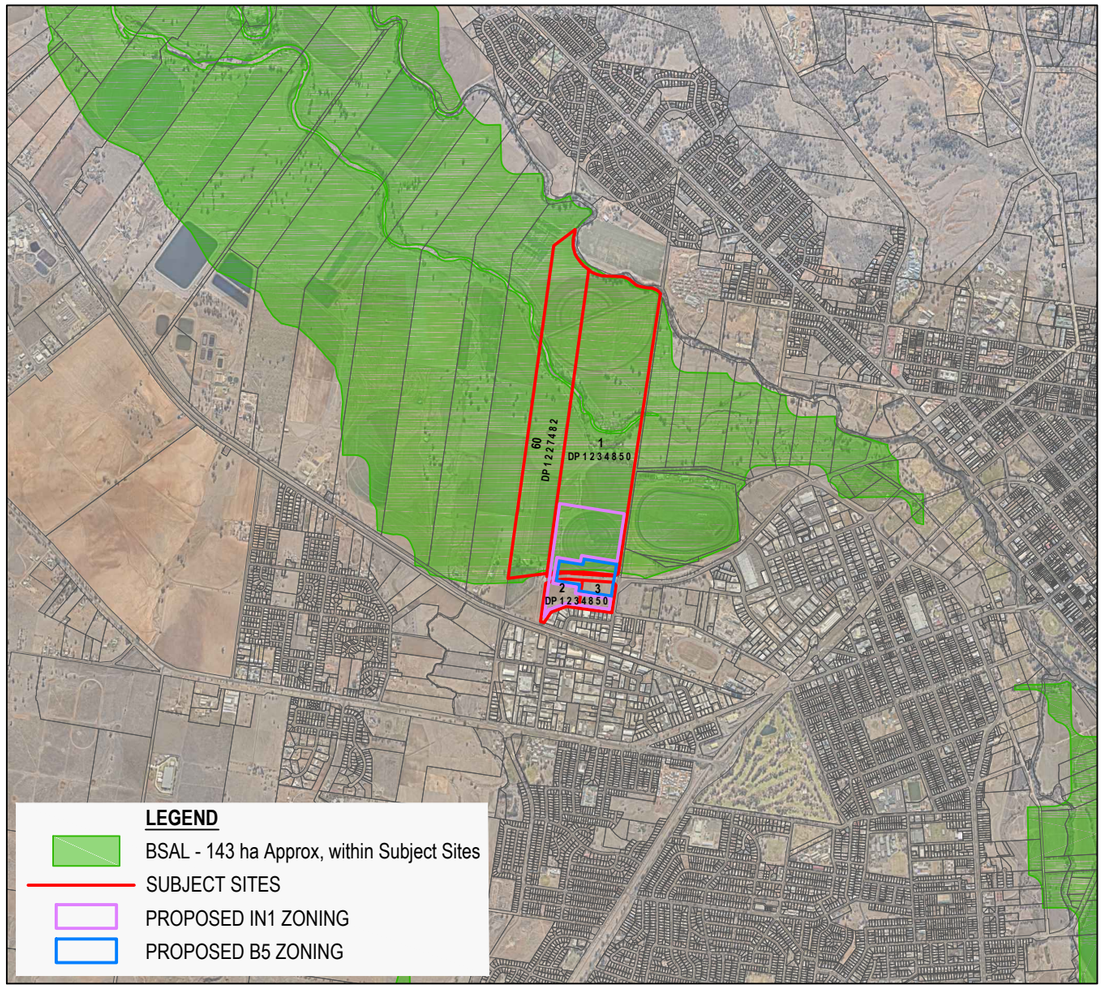

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Title: PLAN OF BIOPHYSICAL STRATEGIC AGRICULTURAL LAND (BSAL) **Figure 6**

3. Agricultural Impacts

3.1 Proposal

As described above, the proposal is to rezone 30ha (or approximately 20% of the Study Area) within Lots 1-3 to IN1 (25ha) and B5 (5ha). The remainder of the Area would remain as RU4. While not being rezoned, approximately 13ha within Lot 60 would be utilised for flood mitigation measures. This area would not be exclusive to flood mitigation as flooding is irregular. That is, the area is likely to be available for use for agricultural purposes (surmised grazing only).

3.2 Agricultural Characteristics

The majority of the Study Area is considered to have good agricultural characteristics. The soils of the site are, in general, considered deep and fertile. The site is relatively flat and irrigation water can be accessed under approved licences.

However, the entire Study Area is located within a floodplain. Thereby, both historically and continuing, agricultural pursuits need to be adaptive to the ephemeral nature of flooding regimes. In addition, the site is located in close proximity to urban and industrial landuses. The latter bounds the south-eastern corner of the site. It is understood Jewry St is earmarked for extension to Wallamore Road and property boundaries confirm this alignment. That is, the road reserve dissects both Lots and 3 in the northern section of those allotments.

The Study Area represents a relatively small area of agricultural land within the LGA as follows:

Land Capability Mapping (Emery 1985 Soil Conservation Service of NSW):

- The Study Area within allotments represents 0.51% of the total area for 'Regular Cultivation' within the Tamworth LGA;
- The road reserve within the Study Area is wholly contained within the 'Urban' classification of this mapping; and
- The proposal area represents 0.06% of the total area for 'Regular Cultivation' within the Tamworth LGA.

Land and Soil Capability Mapping (NSW OEH 2013):

- The Study Area within allotments represent:
    - 0.97% of the total area of Class 2 within the Tamworth LGA;
    - 0.06 % of the total area of Class 3 within the Tamworth LGA; and
    - 0.001% of the total area of Class 4 within the Tamworth LGA.
- The road reserve within the Study Area represents:
    - 0.003 % of the total area of Class 3 within the Tamworth LGA; and
    - none of the road reserve is mapped as Classes 2 or 4.
- The proposal area represents:
    - 0.06% of the total area of Class 2 within the Tamworth LGA;

- 0.02 % of the total area of Class 3 within the Tamworth LGA; and
- 0.001% of the total area of Class 4 within the Tamworth LGA.

Biophysical Strategic Agricultural Land (BSAL) Mapping (Department of Planning and Environment 2013):

- The Study Area represents 0.302% of the total BSAL area within the Tamworth LGA;
- The road reserve within the Study Area is not mapped within the BSAL area; and
- The proposal area represents 0.04% of the total BSAL area within the Tamworth LGA

3.3 Agricultural Impacts by the proposal

The Study Area is considered to consist of relatively good Agricultural lands. It is considered if sufficient water was available, a range of agricultural activities could be pursued. However, a major natural characteristic precludes the Study Area being utilised for a range of high intensity, high value agricultural pursuits (e.g. orchards, plant nursery, intensive animal production). Flooding is considered restrictive for these pursuits as flooding would cripple any infrastructure installed (e.g. machinery, internal roads, buildings and the like). Historically the site has most likely been used for grazing purposes through the majority of its history and this would remain the most viable option for ephemeral use of the land (i.e. ease of moving stock during times of flood).

Recent cropping of the land is possible due to irrigation and crops selected would either be grown out of typical flooding periods (e.g. winter cropping, summer fallow) or crop selection may allow some tolerance to inundation.

The conflicts between Agriculture and urbanisation is likely to possibly be occurring at the site and is considered likely to escalate at the site with the continued growth of Tamworth. Conflicts often occur due to either direct or perceived impacts by both parties and include:

- air quality due to agricultural and rural industry (odour, pesticides, dust, smoke and particulates);
- use and enjoyment of neighbouring land e.g. noise from machinery;
- visual amenity associated with rural industry e.g. the use of netting, planting of monocultures and impacts on views;
- soil erosion leading to land and water pollution;
- clearing of native vegetation;
- stock access to waterways;
- harassment of livestock from straying domestic animals;
- trespass;
- changes to storm water flows or water availability; and
- poor management of pest animals and weeds.

While the proposal removes a small area of good Agricultural land from the Tamworth LGA, the majority of the Study Area would be retained for agricultural purposes. This would include the area earmarked for flood mitigation measures whereby it is considered likely grazing activities could continue.

The Study Area lies in close proximity to the Tamworth urban area. The City of Tamworth is located to the north, south and east. The Study Area is somewhat isolated already from expansive areas of agricultural lands of the Tamworth LGA. Residential areas of Westdale are located to west. As such the proposal does not result in further isolation of agricultural lands. The proposal extends on existing developed lands thereby minimising the impact on agricultural lands in the immediate locality (i.e. Taminda).

4. Discussion and Conclusion

Melaleuca Group Pty Ltd has been commissioned by Elton Consulting on behalf of Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd to undertake an Agricultural Assessment for 55 Dampier Street and 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda NSW 2340 (the site) to allow for the proposed rezoning of part of the Study Area.

The investigation was completed using desktop resources. The Study Area in its current condition is considered degraded due to recent prolonged drought conditions. However, physical characteristics of the Study Area, obtained from desktop resources, indicate the Area is representative of good Agricultural land for the Tamworth area.

However, the Study Area is also flood prone. As such, limitations on intensifying agricultural pursuits are limited due to the inherent risk on infrastructure for such activities. Historical and future agricultural pursuits need to be adaptive to the ephemeral nature of flooding regimes. As such, it is considered likely that low intensity grazing and winter broadscale cropping are the most likely pursuits suitable for the Study Area.

In addition, the Study Area is located within an expanding urban area of the City of Tamworth where urbanisation exists to the north, south and east. Residential development, while not immediately adjacent is located to the west and north. In essence, the Study Area has already become isolated from expansive agricultural lands of the LGA. The proposal expands on urbanisation and does not segregate the remaining portion of the Study Area from agricultural lands.

The Study Area and to a lesser amount, the proposal represents very small areas of good agricultural lands within the LGA. The rezoning proposal would result in areas less than 0.1% of good agricultural land being lost from the LGA. Part of the proposal includes a solar farm.

It is important to note that solar farms do not preclude the use of land for agriculture. Grazing is one agricultural activity that is still possible whilst a solar farm is operating. In addition, it is considered likely that agricultural activities which were occurring prior to the construction of the solar farm would be able to continue once the solar farm is decommissioned and removed. Thereby the loss of agricultural lands by this proposal is considered less than that represented within this report.

In conclusion, this Agricultural Report has identified that while the site demonstrates good agricultural characteristics, flooding, proximity to urbanisation, isolation from other lands and the small scale of the proposal does not represent a significant impact on agricultural lands in the LGA.

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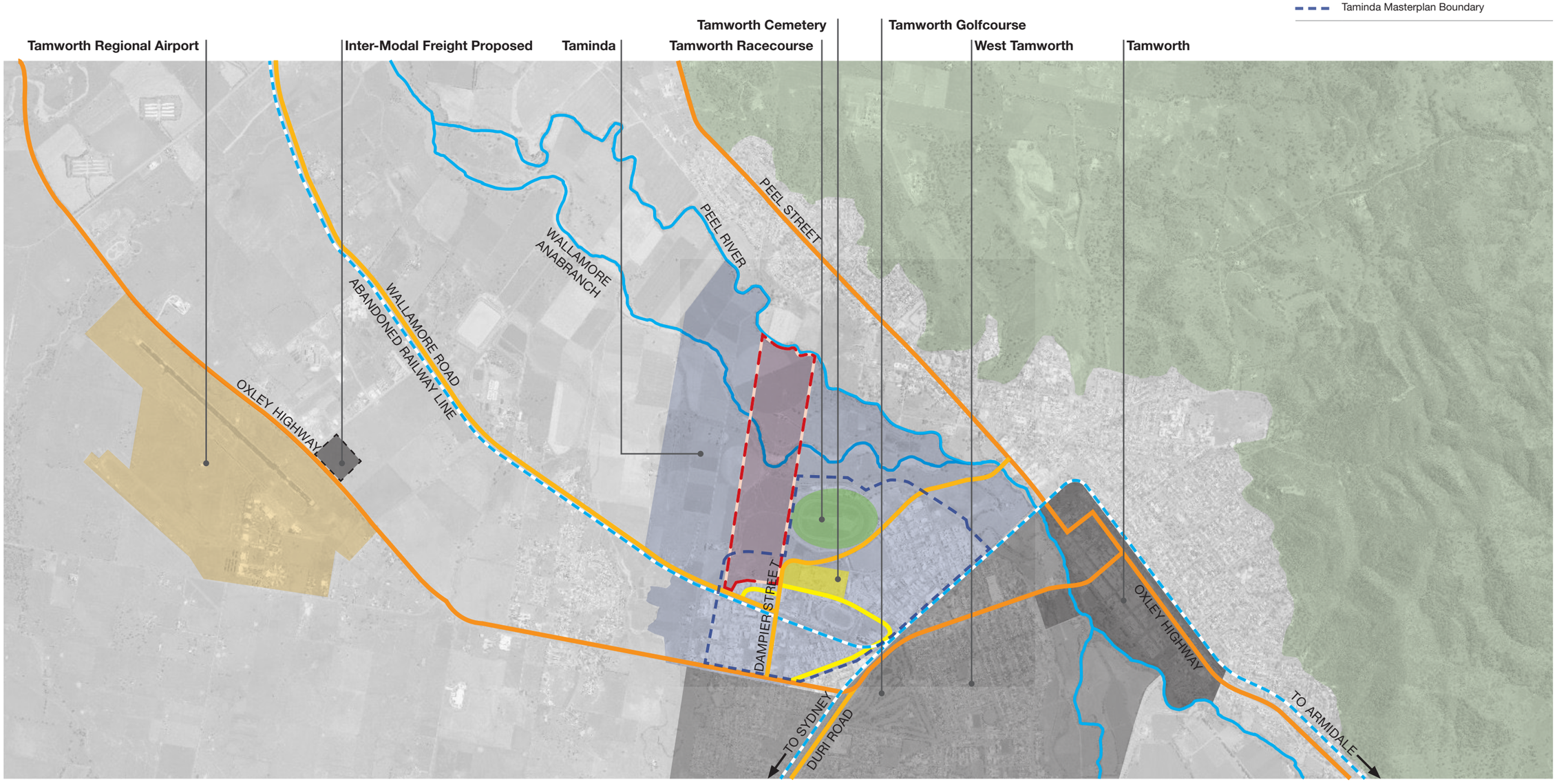
This proposal comprises a unique combination of employment uses to reinvigorate the Taminda industrial precinct.

The key drivers for this new vision are to:

- Establish a dynamic commercial industrial precinct based on current best practice and innovative typologies
- Create a quality development integrated with the solar farm to set a precedent for the future of sustainable development
- Create employment opportunities for the region by delivering a unique benchmark precinct that creates long-term growth
- Facilitate the future extension of the Tamworth bypass and connection between the town and airport

Legend

- Subject Site
- Mountain Ranges
- Taminda Region
- Tamworth
- West Tamworth
- Future Inter-Modal Freight
- Tamworth Regional Airport
- Tamworth Cemetery
- Tamworth Racecourse
- River
- Highway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Train Route
- Taminda Masterplan Boundary



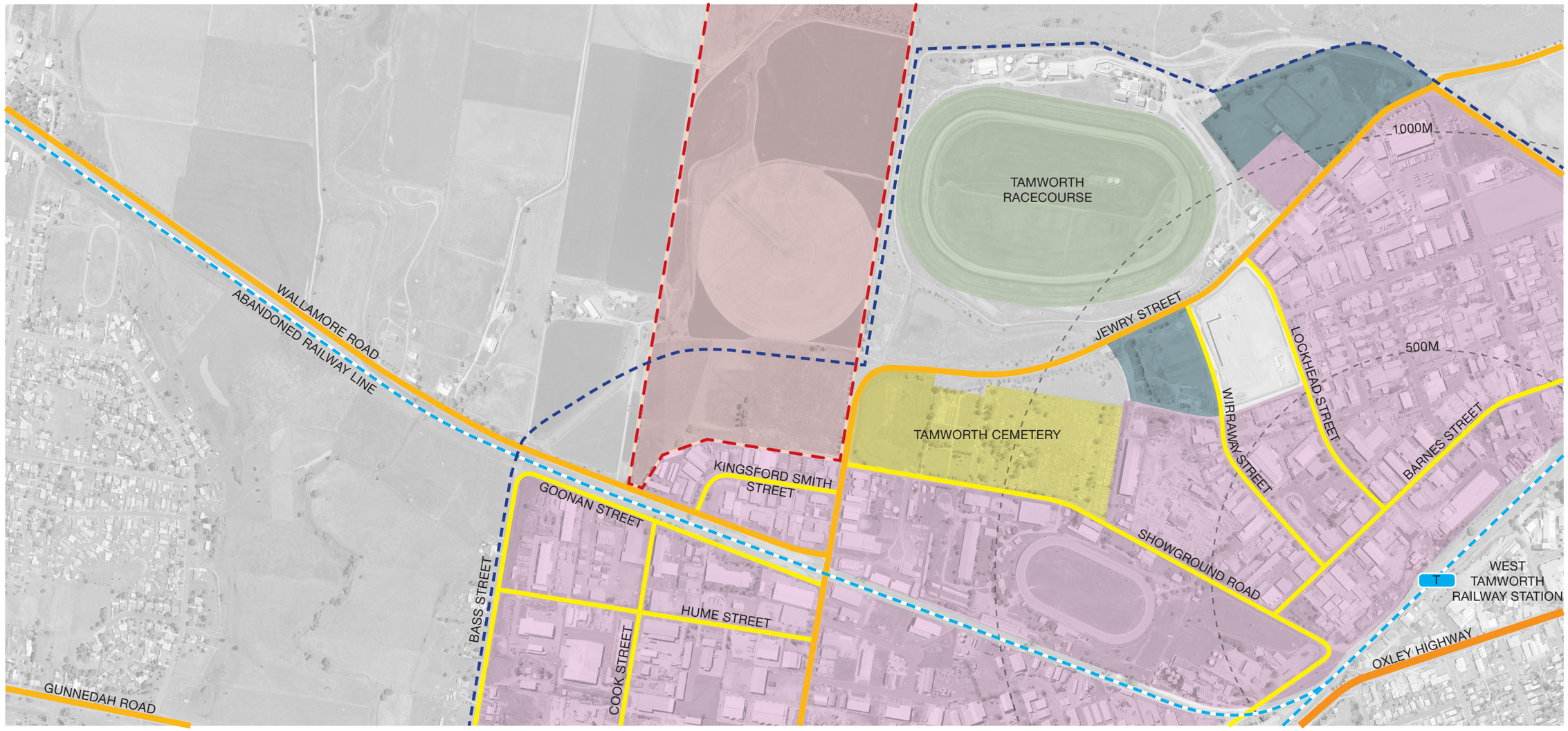
2.02 Site Location

The site is located at 55 Dampier Street and 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda. It occupies the Northern edge of The Taminda Industrial Precinct and agricultural land.

The site is situated within close proximity to local amenities, Tamworth Jockey Club, Tamworth Railway Station and Oxley Highway.

Legend

- Subject Site
- Industrial Zone
- B5 Business Development
- Highway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Train Route
- Taminda Masterplan Boundary



2.03 Circulation & Accessibility

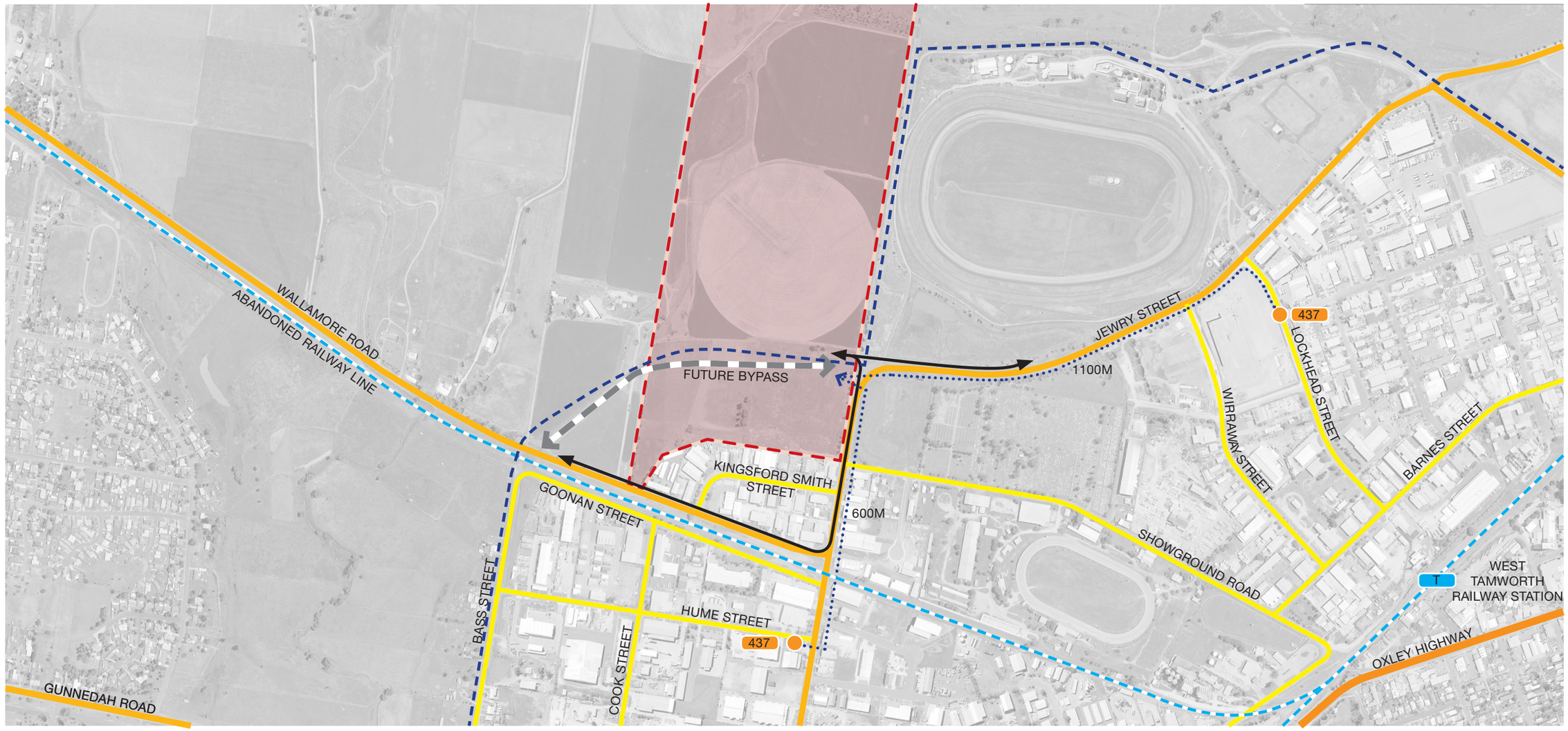
The site is close to Oxley Highway and West Tamworth Train Station.

There are two main vehicular access points into the site, via Dampier Street and Wallamore Road.

The future bypass dissects the site to connect Jewry Street and Oxley Highway.

Legend

- Subject Site
- Highway
- Major Road
- Minor Road
- Train Route
- Pedestrian Route
- Vehicular Access
- Bus Stop
- 437 Bus Route
- Taminda Masterplan Boundary



View 1 - Wallamore Road

View 2 - Entrance to site from Wallamore Road

View 3 - Dampier Street

View 4 - Dampier Street

View 5 - Looking north-west from Dampier Street

View 6- Looking north from the Dampier St and Jewry St bend

Opportunities

1. Opportunity for employment land use
2. Higher architectural exposure and entrance development to Taminda and Tamworth via future bypass
3. Solar farm for a renewable energy source
4. Primary and secondary access points via Dampier Street and Wallamore Road respectively
5. Industrial units to the south allow a point of difference to what we propose
6. Connection to neighbouring precincts and racecourse
7. Marker location for retail development

Constraints

8. Bypass splits site
9. Flood prone land
10. Flood deflection required at boundaries
11. Solar farm position and layout must consider light pollution, particularly due to nearby Tamworth Regional Airport

The existing planning controls identifies the land use as an Primary Production Small Lots. It is proposed to amend the planning controls on site as follows.

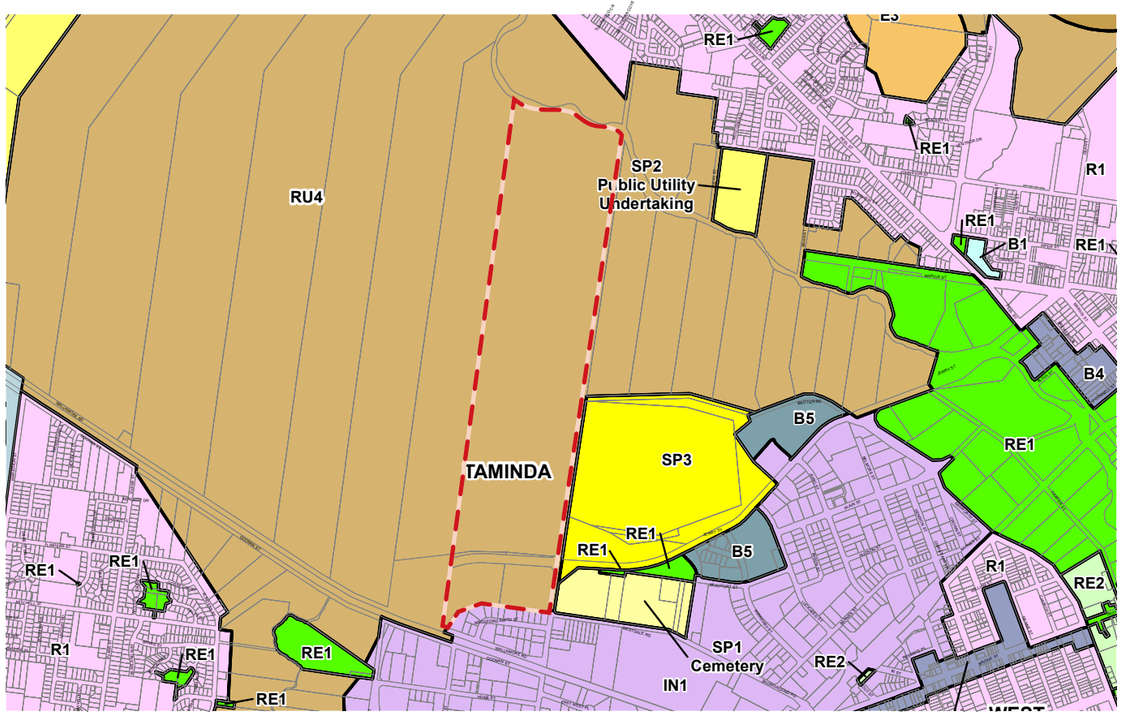
The proposal:

- Amendments to LEP to allow for B5 Business Development and IN1 General Industrial

Total site area = 30Ha

- B5 = 5Ha
- IN1 = 25Ha

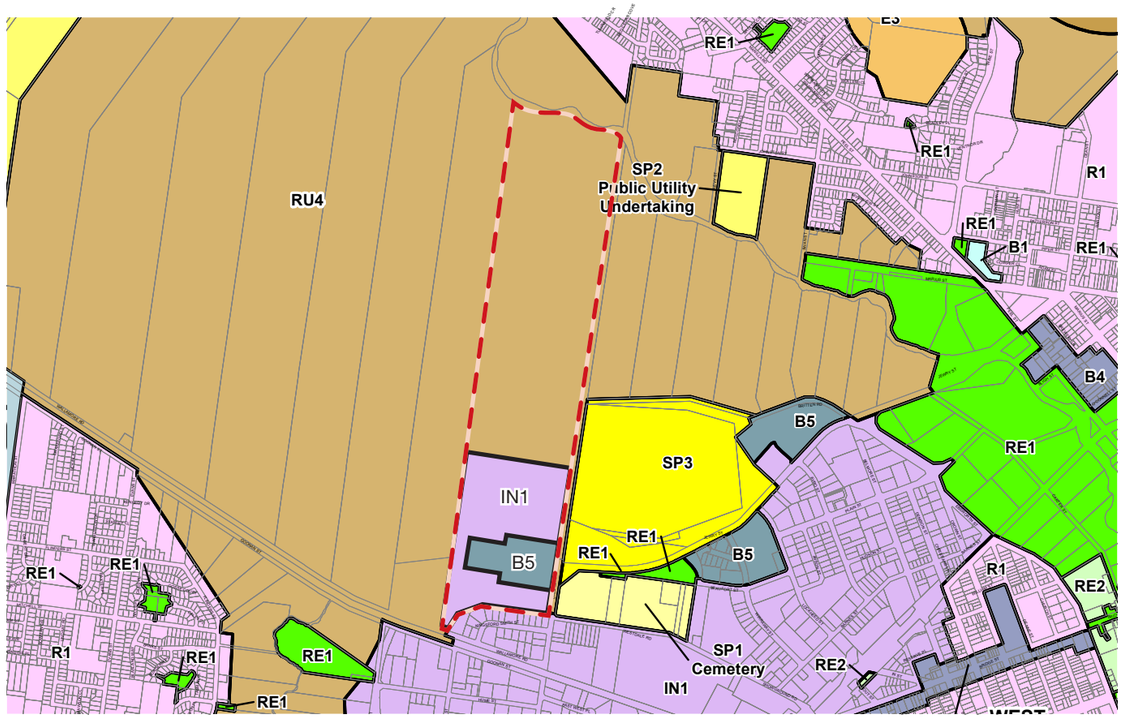
Existing Land Zoning



Zone

- B1 Neighbourhood Centre
- B2 Local Centre
- B3 Commercial Core
- B4 Mixed Use
- B5 Business Development
- B7 Business Park
- E1 National Parks and Nature Reserves
- E2 Environmental Conservation
- E3 Environmental Management
- IN1 General Industrial
- IN3 Heavy Industrial
- R1 General Residential
- R2 Low Density Residential
- R5 Large Lot Residential
- RE1 Public Recreation
- RE2 Private Recreation
- RU1 Primary Production
- RU3 Forestry
- RU4 Primary Production Small Lots
- RU5 Village
- RU6 Transition
- SP1 Special Activities
- SP2 Infrastructure
- SP3 Tourist

Proposed Land Zoning



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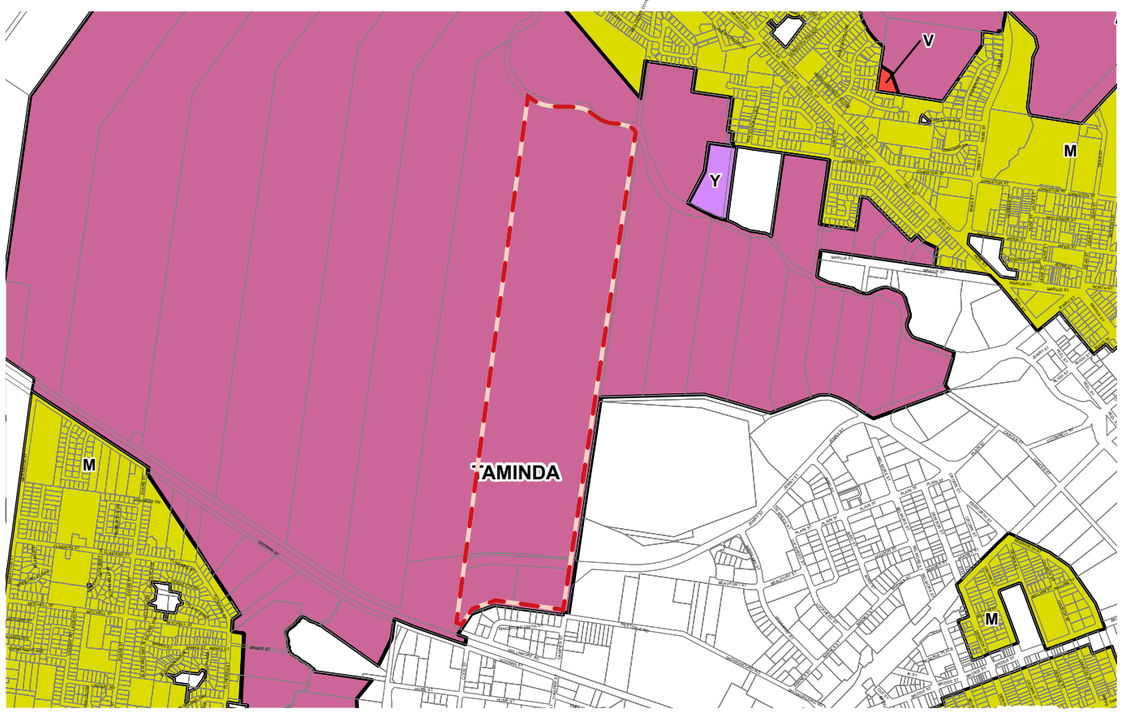
The existing planning controls identifies the land with a minimum lot size of 40ha. It is proposed to amend the planning controls on site as follows.

The proposal:

- B5 = 5Ha minimum
- IN1 = 20Ha minimum

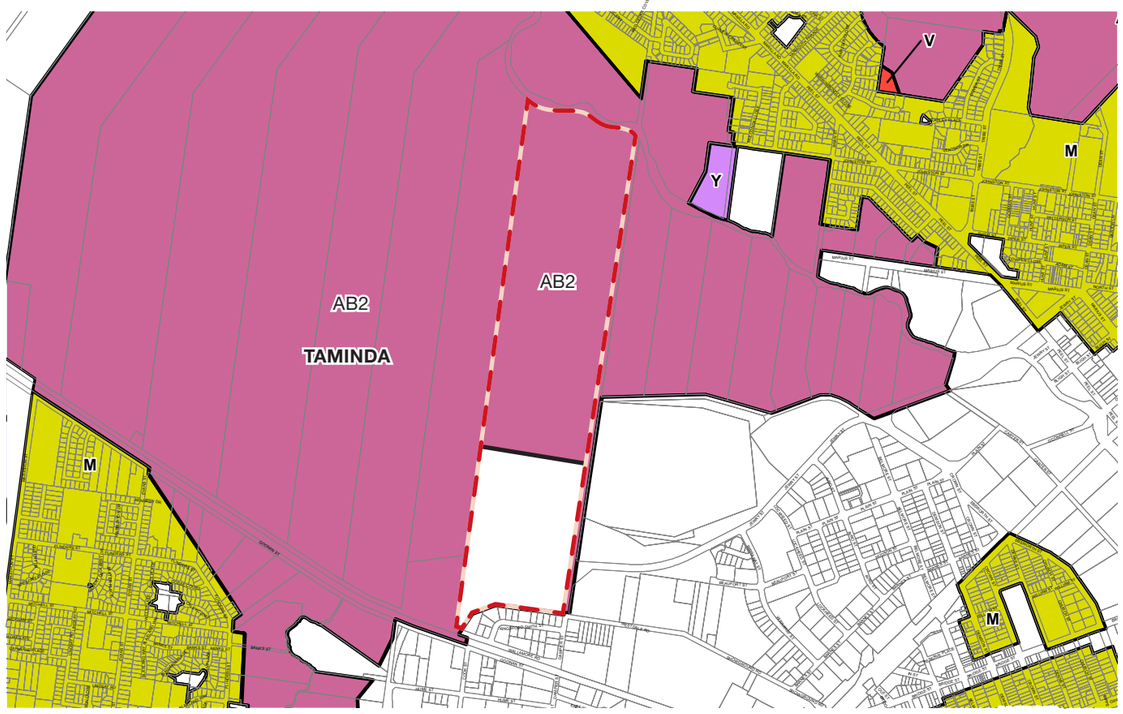
Existing Lot Size Map



Minimum Lot Size (sq m)

M	600
U	1000
V	2000
W	4000
X	7000
Y	1 ha
Z	2 ha
AA1	5 ha
AA2	9.9 ha
AB1	20 ha
AB2	40 ha
AD	100 ha
AF	400 ha
AH	800 ha

Proposed Lot Size Map



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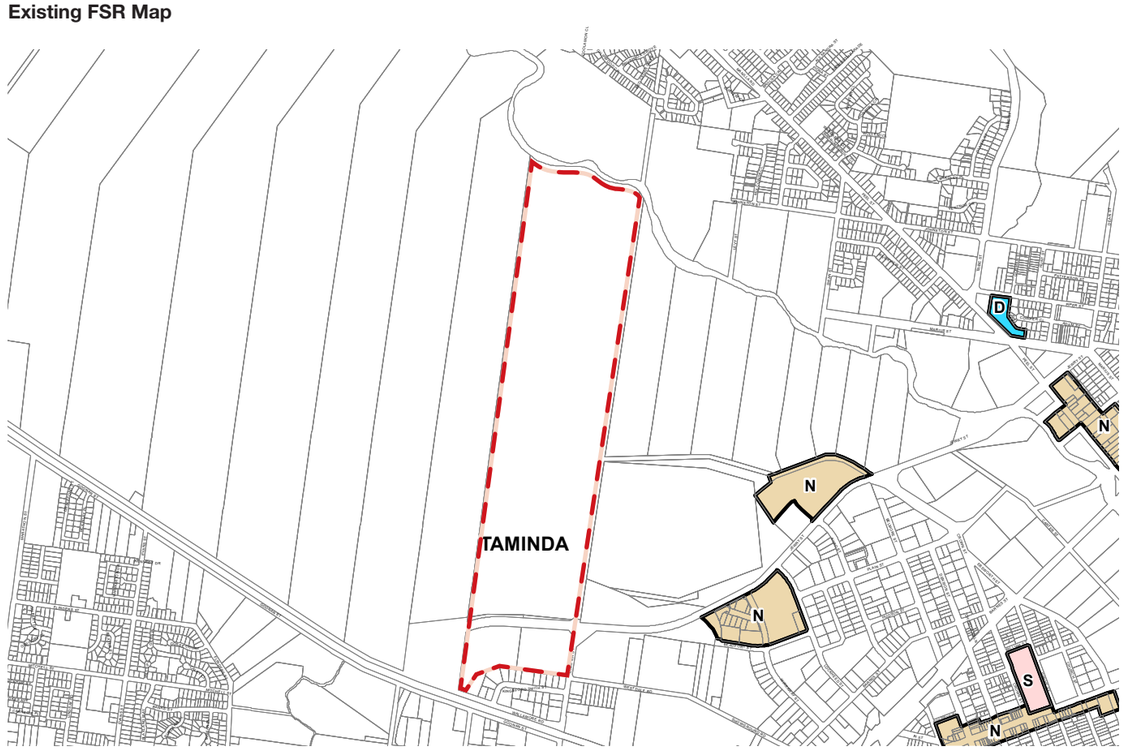
AB2	40 ha
AD	100 ha
AF	400 ha
AH	800 ha

The existing planning controls do not identify a floor space ratio control on the subject site. It is proposed to amend the planning controls on site as follows.

The proposal:

- Amendments to LEP to allow a maximum floor space ratio of 1:1 (N) for B5 Business Development land zone.

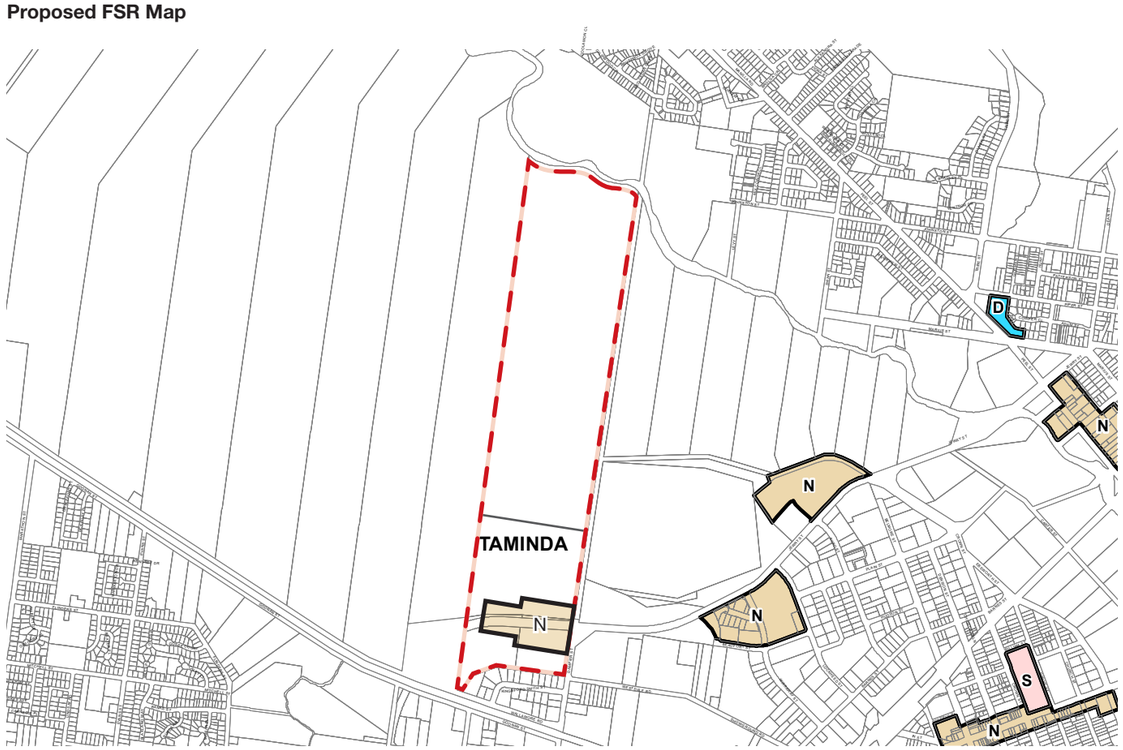
Existing FSR Map



Maximum Floor Space Ratio (n:1)

D	0.5
F	0.6
N	1
S	1.5
T	2
X	4
AA	6

Proposed FSR Map



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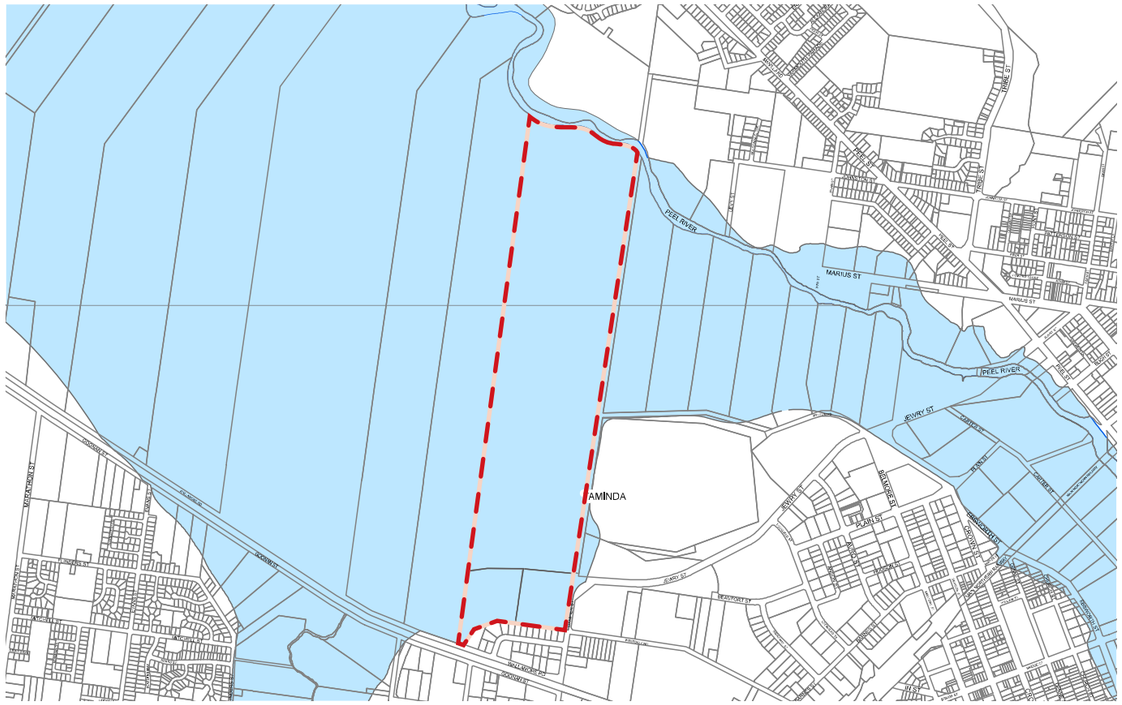
The subject site has been identified as a flood prone area. The proposal seeks to amend LEP map CL3 map (004C) flood planning map to exclude the site with the introduction of flood protection measures.

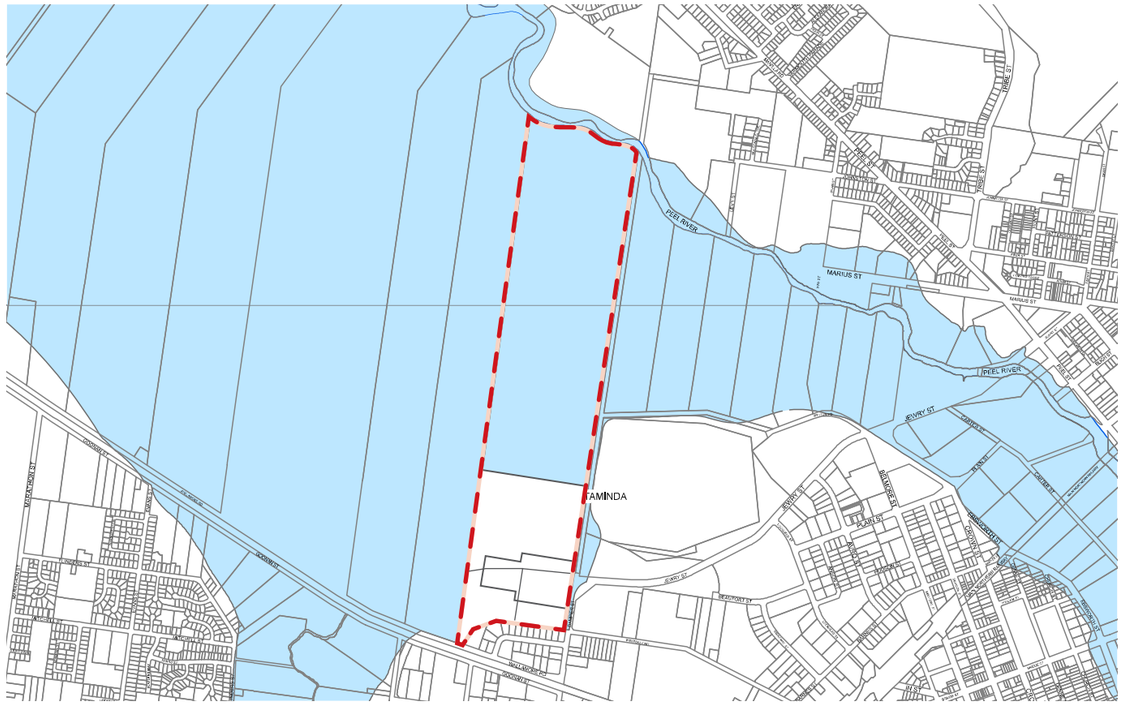
Existing Flood Planning



Flood Planning

Flood Planning Area

Proposed Flood Planning

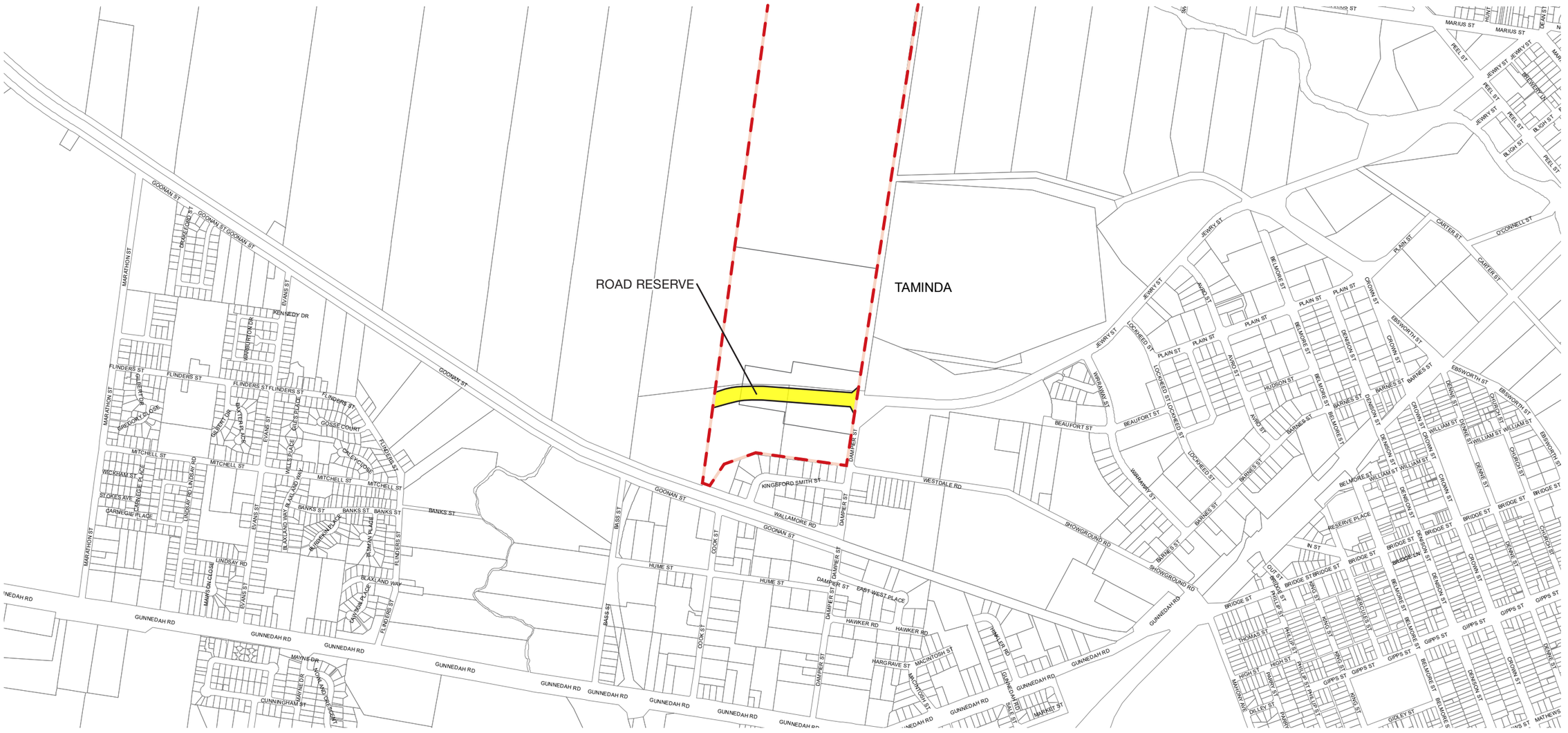


Flood Planning

Flood Planning Area

A road reserve has been identified for future road infrastructure. It is proposed to add the road reserve easement to the LEP road reservation acquisition map.

Proposed Land Reservation Acquisition Map



Character
Simple industrial buildings to the South and East of subject site, characterised by concrete panels, masonry, metal sheet cladding and gable end roofs.

Simple Forms
Existing single-storey buildings to the West and South of the site, identifiable by the verandah and simple roof forms.

Contemporary
Existing community and recreational building at Tamworth varying from the traditional to contemporary.

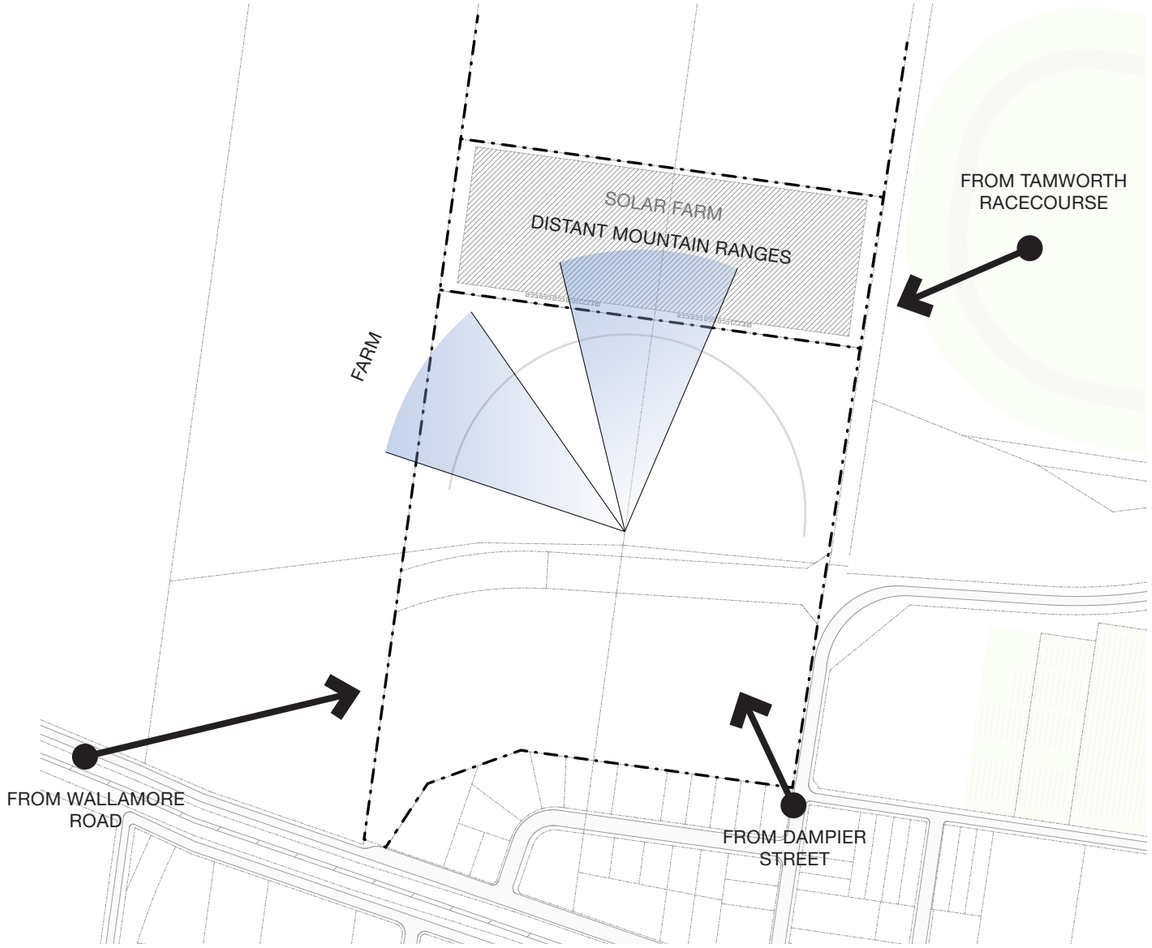
Character
Drawing on the industrial and residential character of Tamworth to create individual character for each unit.

Simple Forms
Applying an angular sawtooth roof to a low profile industrial massing articulates uncomplicated elegance.

Contemporary
The typical urban studio window to allow vast light to penetrate the building and provide views to the outdoors.

Views + Vistas

The site is relatively flat with high visibility from Tamworth Racecourse, and local streets and roads.
Being highly visible to the public domain, there is opportunity for the proposal to positively respond to the surrounding context whilst capturing views to the distant mountain ranges.

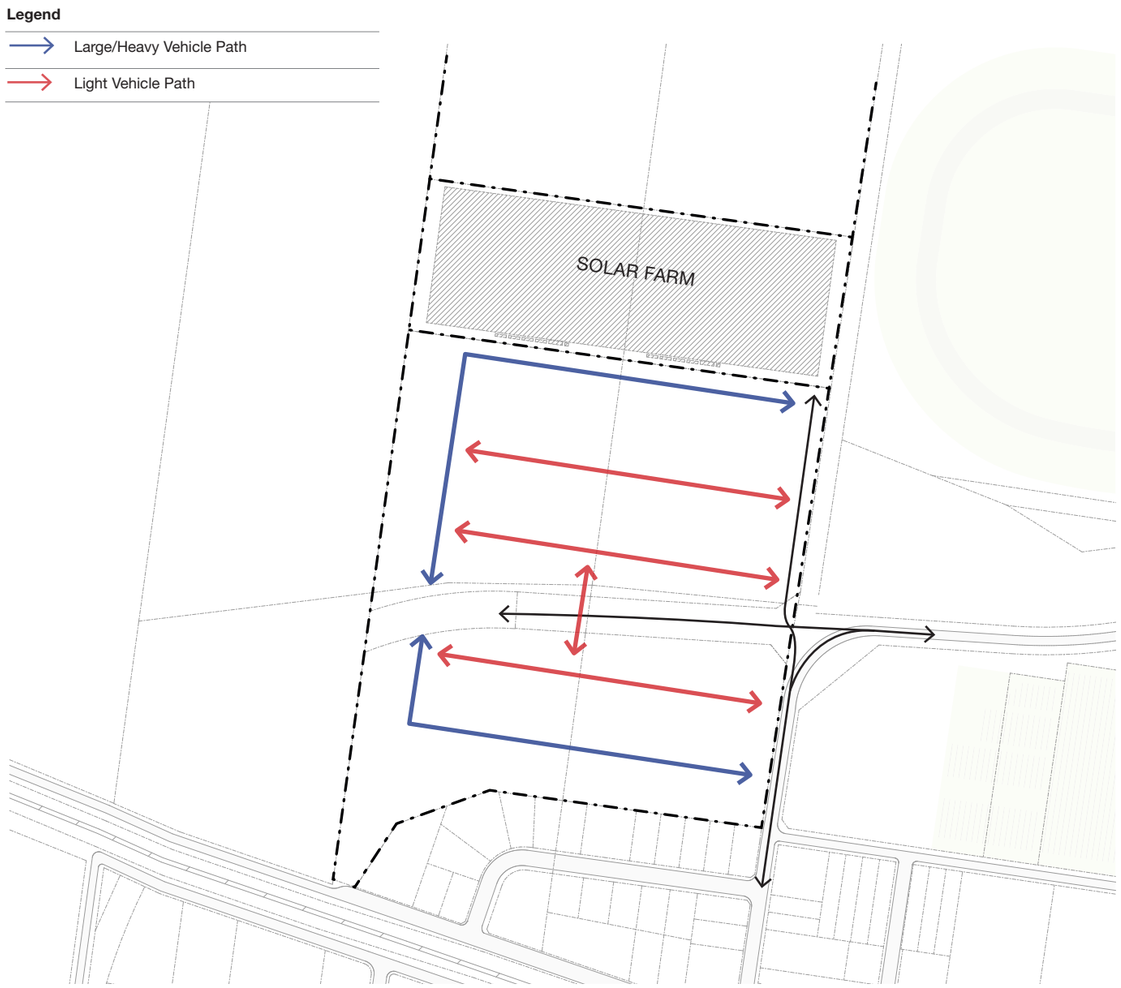


Vehicular Access

Vehicle access points are integrated into the existing and proposed road network.

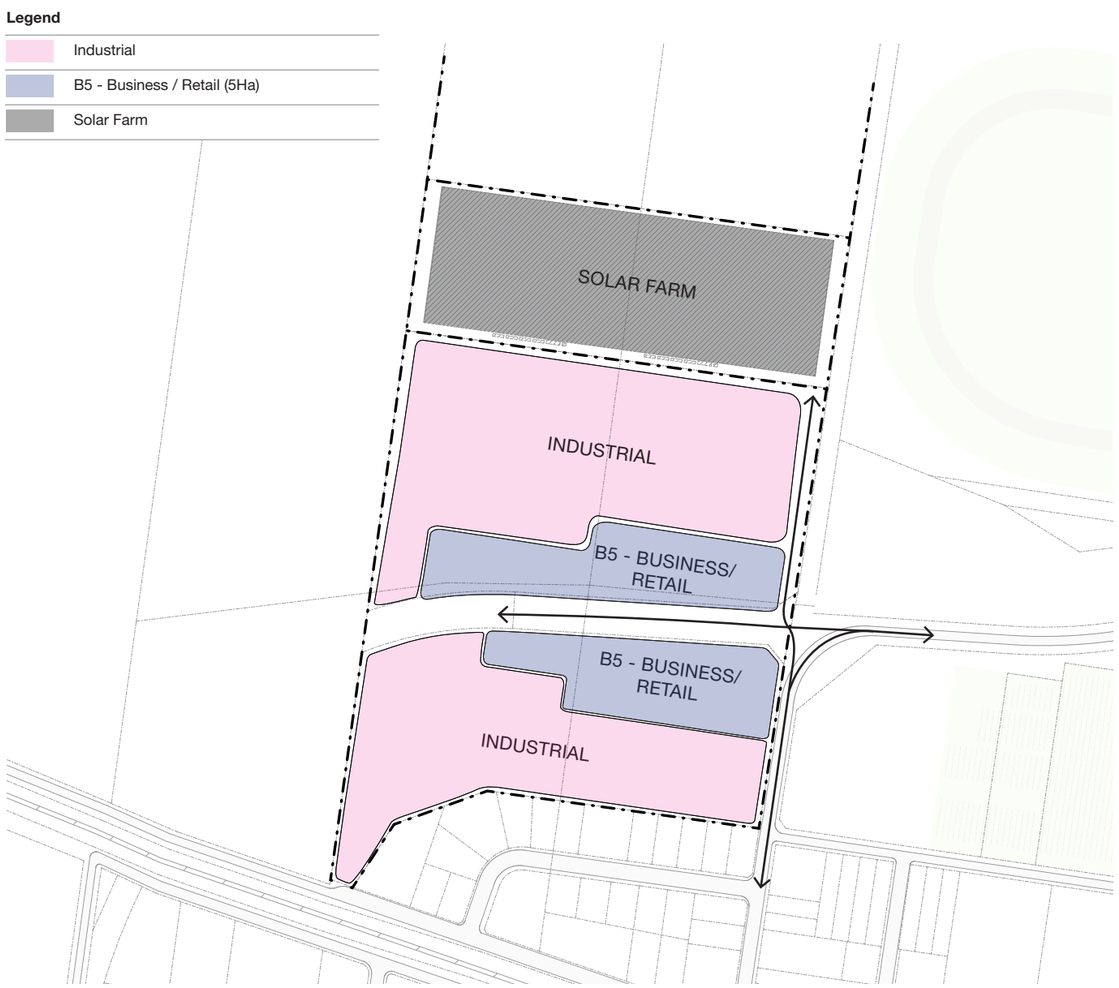
Traffic Management

Safe and separated movement of heavy and light vehicles to promote a safe and flexible environment for users and visitors.



Program

Centrally locating Business/Retail functions creates a strong active community.
The solar farm is located to the North of the site for maximum efficiency.



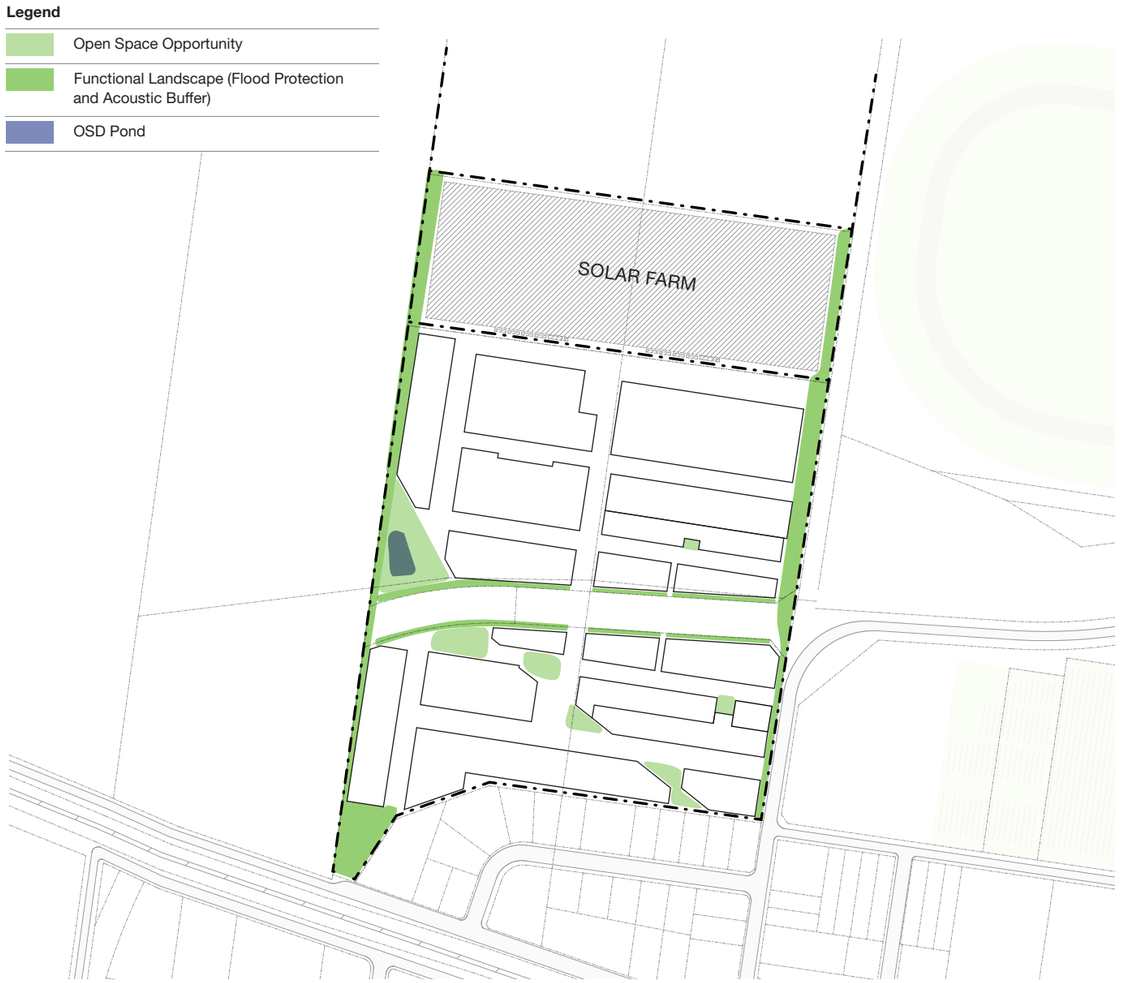
Permeability

Building form break up to respond to access ways, building seperation and enviornmental factors.

Cross through site links to connect the industrial and B5 business retail zoning and open space.

Open Space

Open spaces located throughout the site activates Business/Retail zoning and creates pathways and view corridors.

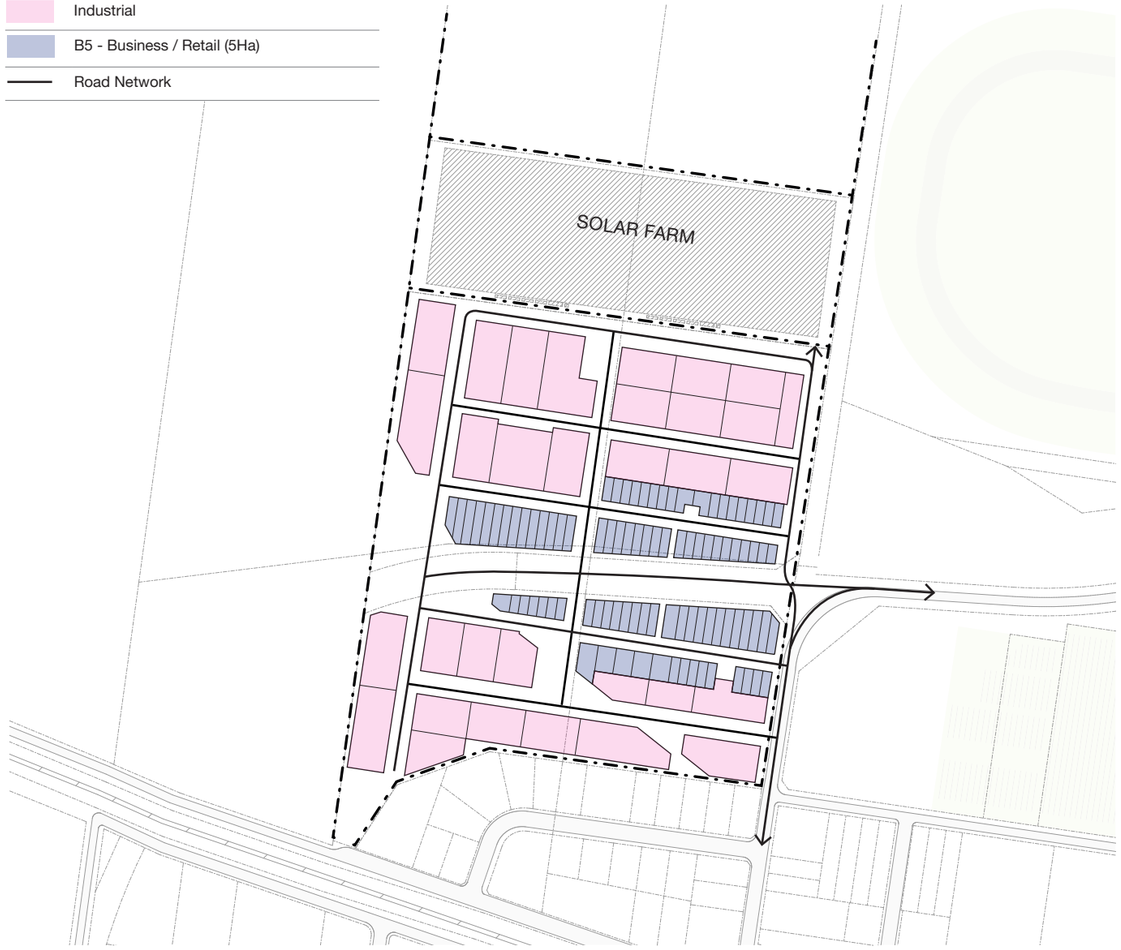


Concept Masterplan (Pre Bypass)
The visionary proposal allows for future growth and expansion of Tamworth's industrial and sustainable sectors, allowing the precinct to adapt for future users, employment and infrastructure upgrades.

An integrated network of open spaces to encourage 'hang-out' areas for employees on their lunch breaks, and roads to a grid layout to facilitate flexibility and legibility within the precinct.

Legend

- Industrial
- B5 - Business / Retail (5Ha)
- Road Network

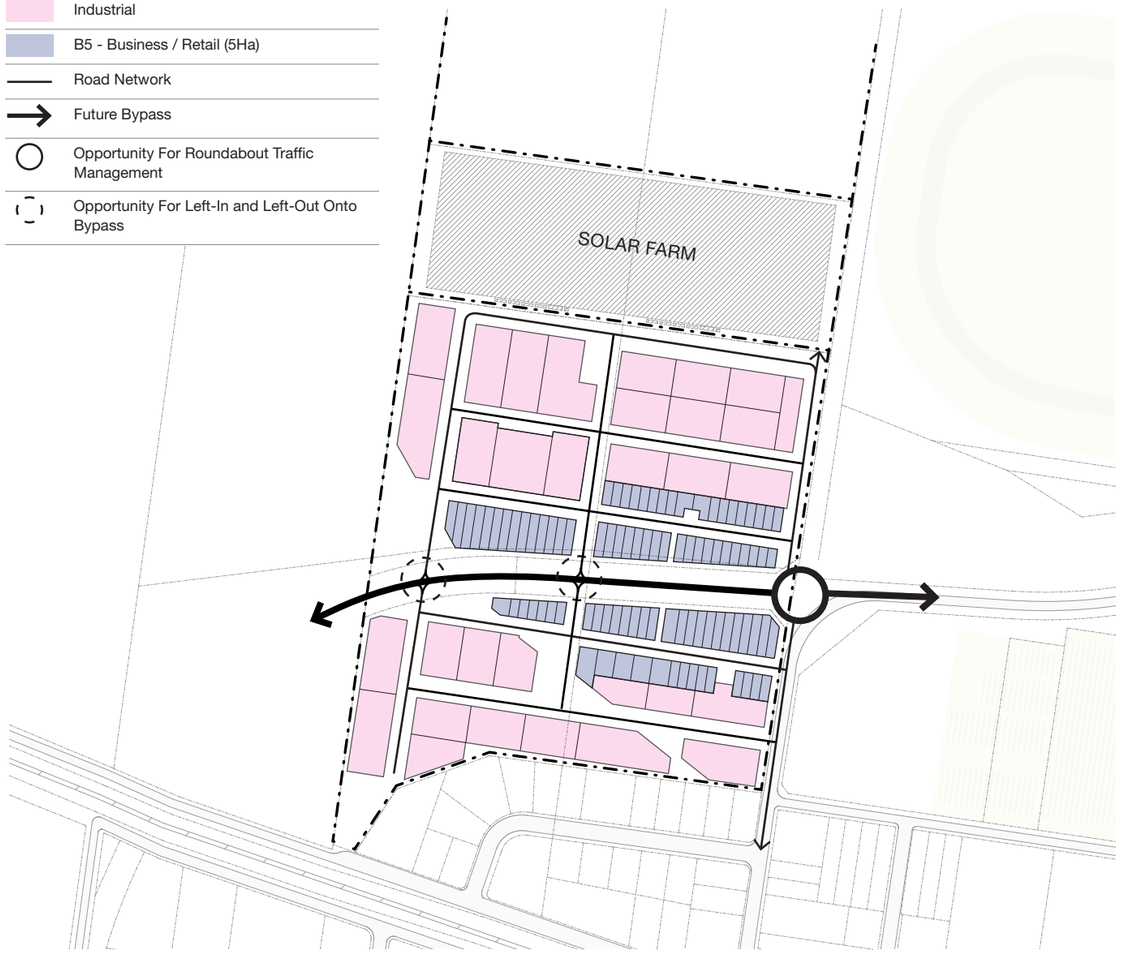


Concept Masterplan (Post Bypass)
The flexibility in the masterplan promotes adaptability, and subsequently limits disruption to traffic flow when the bypass will be introduced.

The simplicity in the internal road network will maintain the visual links and the legibility of the proposal.

Legend

- Industrial
- B5 - Business / Retail (5Ha)
- Road Network
- Future Bypass
- Opportunity For Roundabout Traffic Management
- Opportunity For Left-In and Left-Out Onto Bypass



Indwe Street
The opportunity to create alternative amenity for the industrial precinct.

Brookvale
The use of colour and material to define spaces.

Footscray
Opportunities for green open spaces to be used for the workers and the wider community.

Indwe Street
Facade articulation to uniquely identify each unit and typology.

Indwe Street
Contemporary construction methods and materials.

Banksmeadow
Facade design to play on light and shadow to redefine industrial units.

Cosgrove Road
Facade articulation that reduces bulk to the larger units.

Sandringham
Cost efficient and effective use of materials.

Indwe Street
Modern construction methods and materials to create contemporary loft style industrial units.

7.3 Architect Drawing Package

Drawing Register

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TAMINDA SOLAR FARM AND INDUSTRIAL PRECINCT DEVELOPMENT SUMMARY

SITE AREAS

NAME	AREA	COMMENTS
Solar Farm	77,165 m²	
IN1 Zone	160,400 m²	Excluding Bypass Easement
B5 Zone	50,000 m²	
Bypass Easement	*19,030 m²*	

GFA AREAS

NAME	AREA	COMMENTS
Retail/Business Sheds (Ground Floor Area Only)	27,500 m² GFA	0.55:1 FSR
Industrial Units (Ground Floor Area Only)	80,200 m² GFA	0.50:1 FSR

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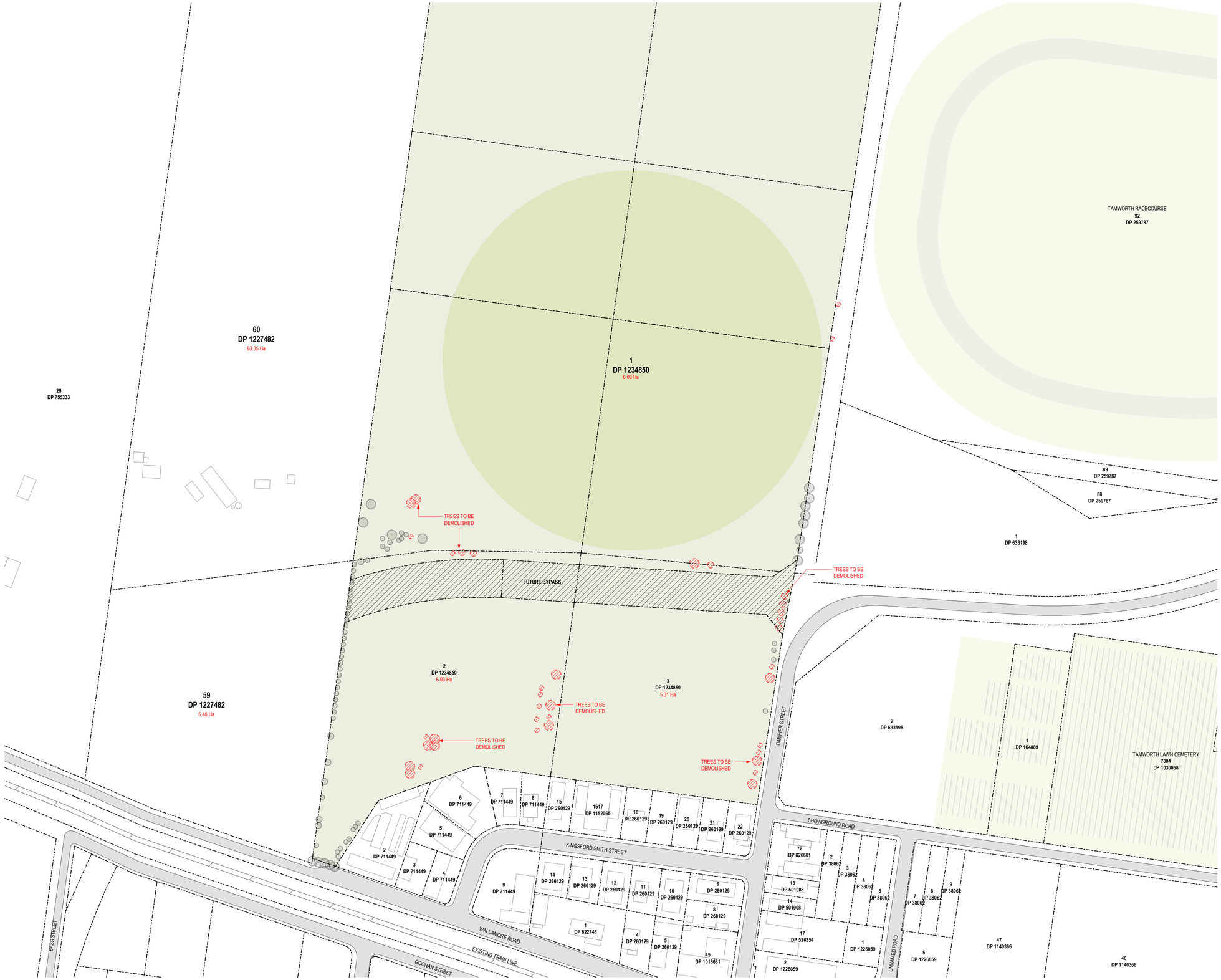

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Demolition Notes

Contractor to confirm existing conditions on site.

Contractor to demolish existing structure/remove all materials. Cut and seal services as required in accordance with local authority requirements and a.s. codes for that trade u.n.o

Protection of works as required by local authorities

Cleaning of site to epa requirements by contractor

Preliminary
Precautionary measures to be undertaken as described in AS.2601-2001. A "hazardous substances management plan" is to be implemented before and during demolition if the preliminary investigation of the building identifies any hazardous materials contained therein. These materials will be removed as per the guidelines of the responsible authority and clearance certificate obtained before demolition commences

Safety fencing
Security fences shall be provided to the street boundary of the demolition site and any additional precautionary measures, taken as may be necessary to prevent unauthorised entry to the site, where the demolition site adjoins a public thoroughfare the common boundary between them shall be fenced for its full length with a hoarding unless the least horizontal distance between the common boundary and the nearest part of the structure is greater than twice the height of the structure. The fencing shall be the equivalent of the chain wire as specified in AS.1725

Notices lettered in accordance with AS.1319 and displaying the words "warning demolition in progress", or similar, shall be fixed to the fencing at appropriate places to warn the public. Provision shall be made for ready access to the site by emergency services personnel in the event of fire or accident

Demolition work
Structures shall be demolished in the reverse order to that of their construction. The order of demolition for buildings shall be progressive, storey by storey, having proper regard to the type of construction. No part of any structure shall be left unsupported or unattended in such a condition that it may collapse or become dangerous. Precautions shall be taken to ensure that the stability of all parts of the structure, and the safety of persons on and outside the site, will be maintained in the event of sudden and severe weather changes.

Walls on the boundaries are to be demolished in a safe and workmanship like manner. Walls shall not be laterally loaded by accumulated debris or rubble, to the extent that they are in danger of collapse, allowable loading of the suspended floors shall be determined by an independent structural engineer.

Dust control
The techniques adopted for stripping out and for demolition shall minimise the release of dust into the atmosphere. Before the commencement of stripping or demolition in an area of a structure, any existing accumulations of dust in that area shall be collected, placed in suitable containers and removed. Selection of an appropriate collection technique, such as vacuuming or hosing down, shall take due account of the nature of the dust and the type of hazard it presents. Dust generated during stripping, or during the breaking down of the building fabric to removable sized pieces, shall be kept damp until it is removed from the site or can be otherwise contained. The use of excess water for this purposed shall be avoided.

Noise control
Noise shall be minimised as far as practicable, by the selection of appropriate methods and equipment, and by the use of silencing devices wherever practicable to epa/code requirements.

Note:
1. Attention is drawn to recommendations in AS.2436
2. Hours of operating equipment may be restricted by regulatory authority

Fire services
Where a fire hydrant service or a fire hose reel service is provided in a building, it shall be available at all times during the demolition of the building, so that all remaining storeys except the two uppermost storeys, are serviced. Access to the fire protection services, including any booster fitting, shall be maintained at all times. If a sprinkler system is installed in a building to be demolished, it shall be maintained in an operable condition at each storey below the two uppermost unstripped storeys.

Suitable portable fire extinguishers shall be kept at all times in working area and are not protected by other fire services, and maintained in an operable condition.

Adjoining properties
Safe access to and egress from adjoining buildings shall be maintained at all times for the duration of the demolition work. No demolition activity shall cause damage to or adversely affect the structural integrity of adjoining buildings. The effects of vibration and conversion on adjoining buildings and their occupants shall be minimised by selecting demolition methods and equipment appropriate to the circumstances. Where any surface of an adjoining building is exposed by demolition, the need for weatherproofing the exposed surface shall be investigated and temporary or permanent protection provided as appropriate. Precautions shall be taken to minimise the spreading of mud and debris by vehicles leaving the site.

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Drawing: **EXISTING SITE & DEMOLITION PLAN**

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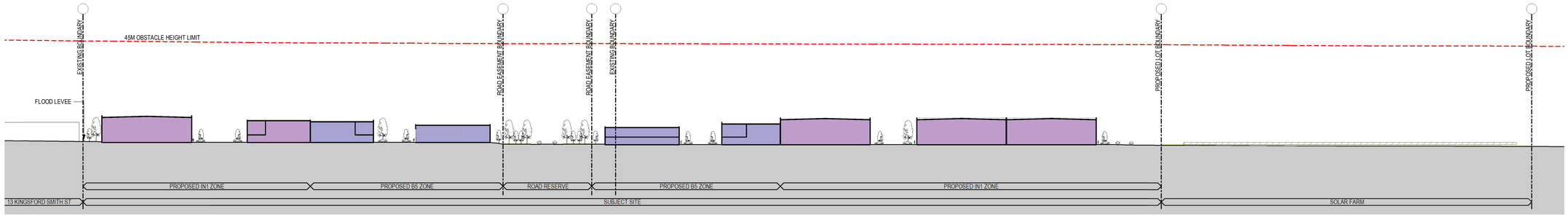

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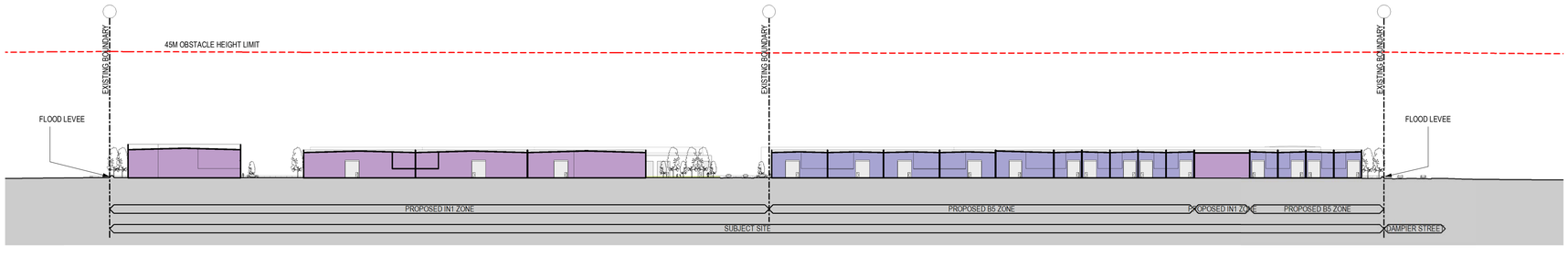

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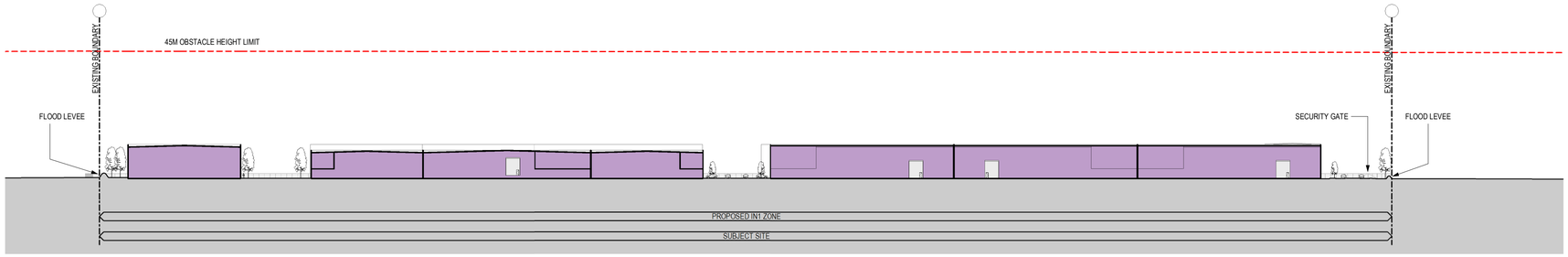

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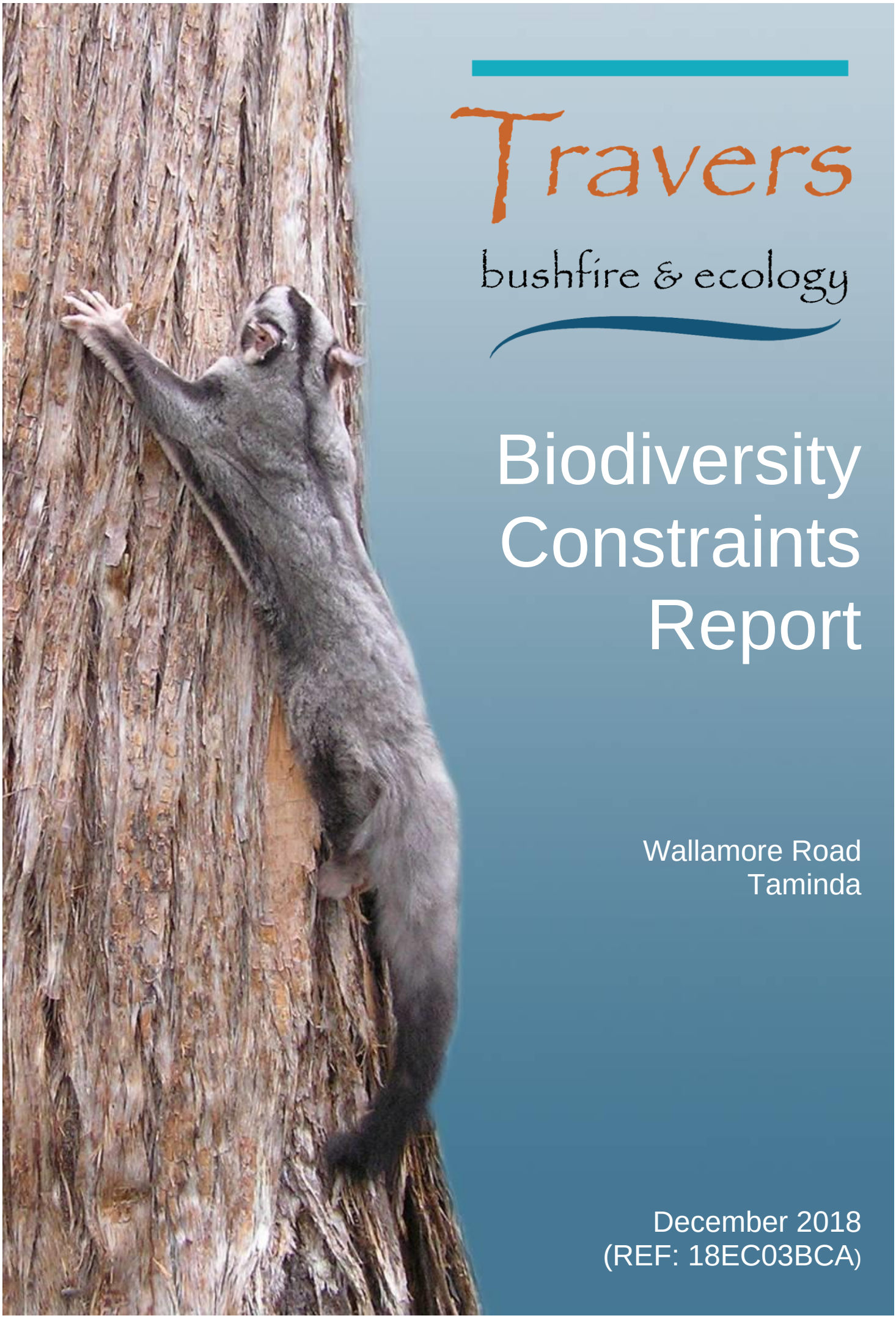

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Biodiversity Constraints Report

Wallamore Road
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Biodiversity Constraints Report

72 and 21 Wallamore Rd,
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Survey effort has been reduced to provide an indication of the insitu vegetation and fauna habitat present. Consequently, further target threatened species survey may be required by the determining authority. The mapping is indicative of available space and location of features which may prove critical in assessing the viability of the proposed works. Mapping has been produced on a map base with an inherent level of inaccuracy. Consequently, the location of all mapped features is to be confirmed by a registered surveyor.

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List of abbreviations

APZ	asset protection zone
BAM	Biodiversity Assessment Method
BC Act	*Biodiversity Conservation Act (2016)*
BCR	*Biodiversity Conservation Regulation (2017)*
BDAR	Biodiversity Development Assessment Report
BPA	bushfire protection assessment
CLUMP	conservation land use management plan
DCP	Development Control Plan
DEC	NSW Department of Environment and Conservation (superseded by DECC from April 2007)
DECC	NSW Department of Environment and Climate Change (superseded by DECCW from October 2009)
DECCW	NSW Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water (superseded by OEH from April 2011)
DEWHA	Commonwealth Department of Environment, Water, Heritage & the Arts (superseded by SEWPAC)
DOEE	Commonwealth Department of Environment and Energy
EEC	endangered ecological community
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EP&A Act	*Environmental Planning and Assessment Act (1979)*
EPBC Act	*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act (1999)*
ESMP	ecological site management plan
FF	flora and fauna assessment
FM Act	*Fisheries Management Act*
FMP	fuel management plan
HTA	habitat tree assessment
IPA	inner protection area
LEP	Local Environment Plan
LGA	local government area
NES	national environmental significance
NPWS	NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service
NSW DPI	NSW Department of Primary Industries
OEH	Office of Environment and Heritage (Part of the NSW Department of Premier and Cabinet)
OPA	outer protection area
PBP	*Planning for bushfire protection 2006*
POM	plan of management
RF Act	*Rural Fires Act (1997)*
RFS	NSW Rural Fire Service
ROTAP	rare or threatened Australian plants
SEPP 44	*State Environmental Protection Policy No 44 – Koala Habitat Protection*
SEWPAC	Commonwealth Dept. of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population & Communities (superseded by DOEE)
SIS	species impact statement
SULE	safe useful life expectancy
TPO	tree preservation order
TPZ	tree preservation zone
TRRP	tree retention and removal plan
TSC Act	*Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995*
VMP	vegetation management plan

Biodiversity Assessment

1.0 Background

Travers bushfire & ecology has been engaged to undertake a biodiversity constraints assessment within the following properties:

Lot 1 DP 1234850 – 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda
Lot 2 DP 1234850 – 21 Wallamore Road, Taminda
Lot 3 DP 1234850 – 55 Dampier Street, Taminda
Lot 60 DP 1227482 – 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda

These lots are located within the Tamworth local government area (LGA). The extent of these entire lots is shown in Figure 1 and referred to as the 'property' and is subject to a proposed rezoning.

The area containing the proposed rezoning is hereafter referred to as the 'subject site' (see Figure 2).

Figure 1 – Aerial appraisal of the property

1.1 Proposed rezoning

The proposal involves the rezoning of the southern third of the property. The future development consists of areas of potential filling creating developable land and areas for a solar farm, a levee and a drainage swale as shown in Figure 2.

Access to the site may be provided via Wallamore Road, a potential northwards extension of Dampier Street and a future extension of Jewry Street along the existing (unformed) road reserve.

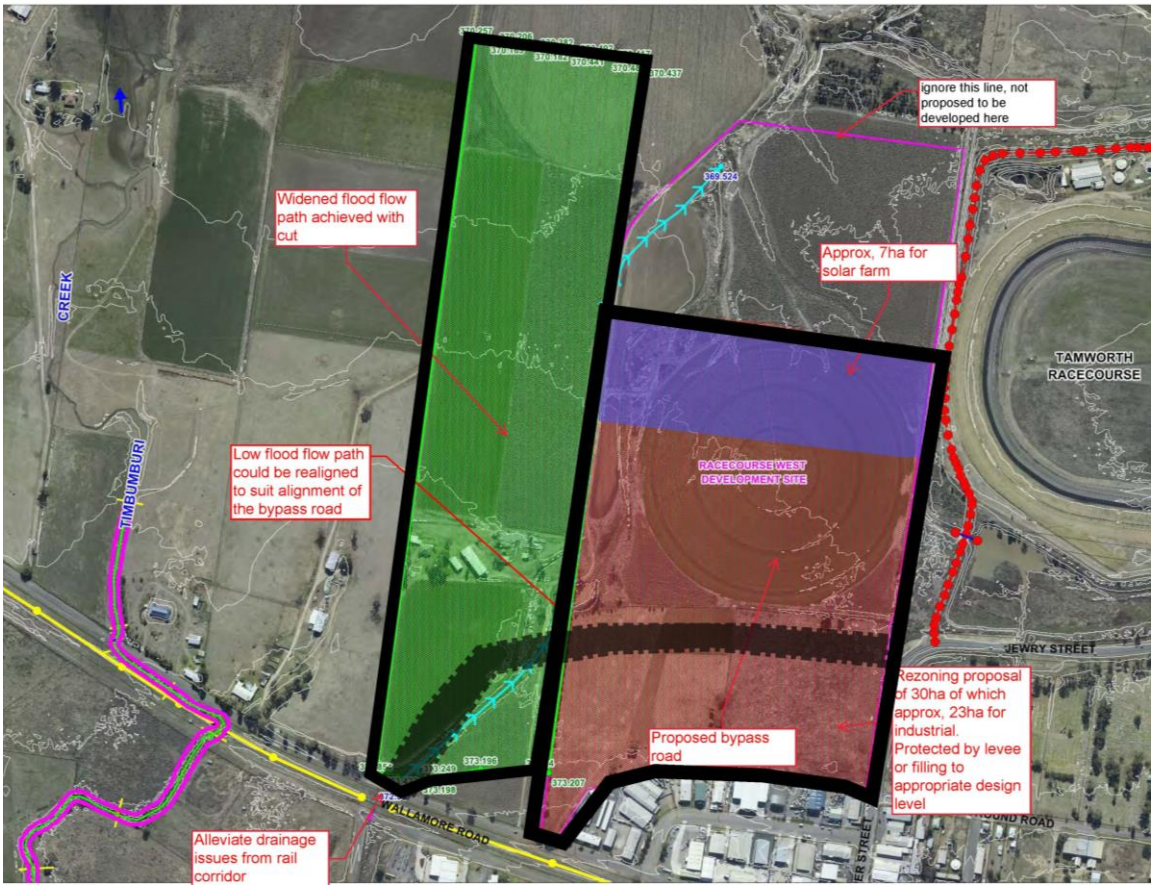

Figure 2 – Proposed rezoning
(Source: Elton Consulting - December 2018)

1.2 Site description

Table 1 provides a summary of the planning, cadastral, topographical, and disturbance details of the subject site.

Table 1 – Site features

Location	Lot 1 DP 1234850 – 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda Lot 2 DP 1234850 – 21 Wallamore Road, Taminda Lot 3 DP 1234850 – 55 Dampier Street, Taminda Lot 60 DP 1227482 – 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda
Location description	The site is located approximately 3 km to the west of Tamworth Town Centre. Wallamore Road and existing industrial development along Kingsford Smith Street forms the boundary to the south, with part of the eastern boundary formed by Dampier Street. Adjoining rural lots are located on the entire length of the western boundary. The study area extends northwards and stops short of the top

	of bank of the Wallamore Anabranch channel associated with the Peel River. The allotments extend further north and are not included in this study north from the southern bank of the anabranch.
Area	Approx. 92ha
Local government area	Tamworth
Zoning	RU4 – Primary production small lots
Grid reference MGA-56	299215E 6558940N
Elevation	Approx. 371 - 377m AHD
Topography	Situated on very gently sloping floodplain, slopes of less than 0.4% with a northerly aspect.
Catchment and drainage	Catchment – Peel River Overland flow into a drainage swale which flows in a NNE direction into the Wallamore anabranch of Peel River.
Existing land use	The property currently contains a rural residence, the remainder of the study area is used for agricultural purposes.

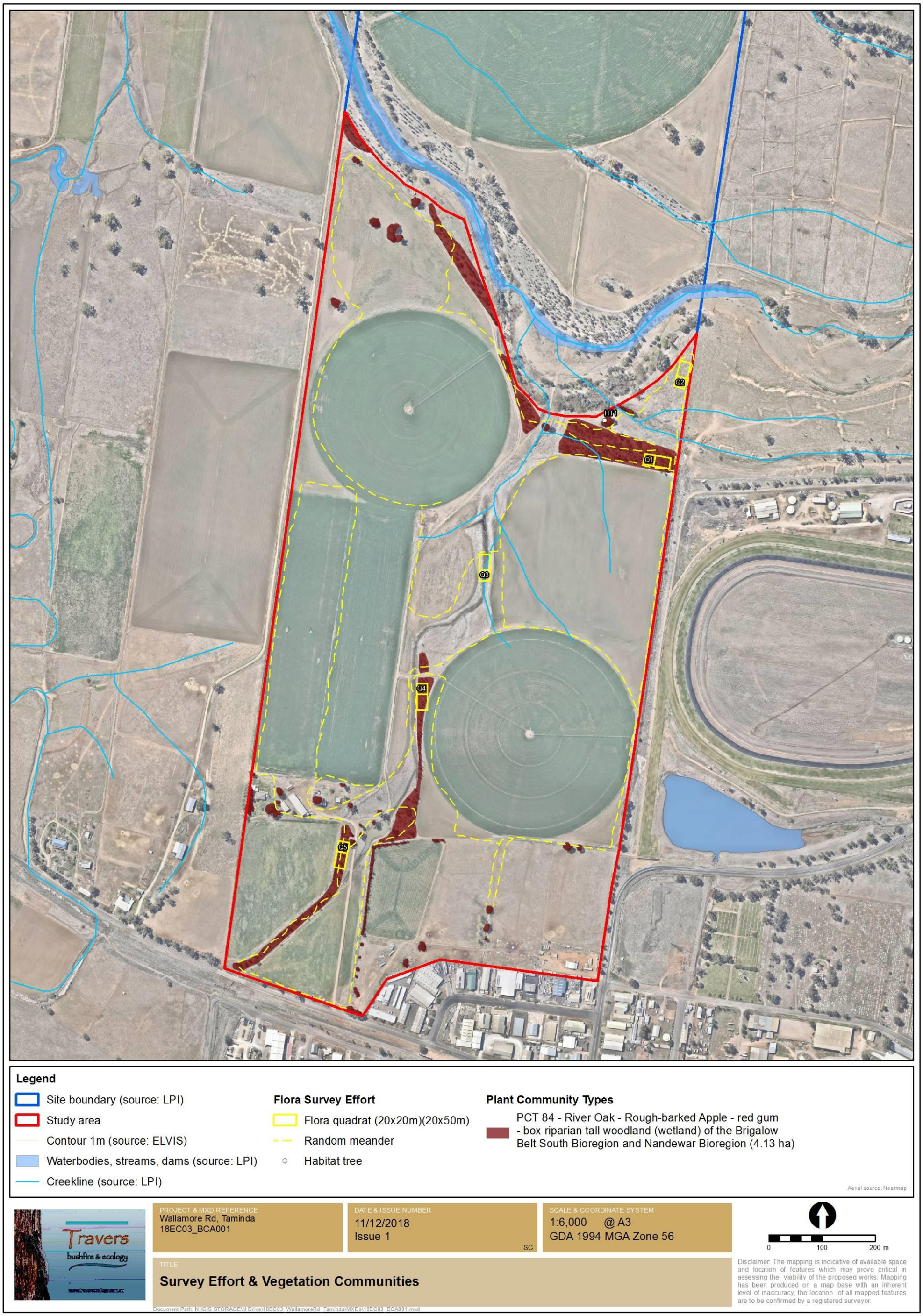

Figure 3 – Field survey effort and vegetation communities

2.0 Biodiversity Offsets Scheme (BOS)

The *BC Act* repeals the *Threatened Species Conservation Act (TSA Act) 1995*, the *Nature Conservation Trust Act 2001* and the animal and plant provisions of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*.

Together with the *Biodiversity Conservation Regulation 2017*, the *BC Act* establishes a new regulatory framework for assessing and offsetting biodiversity impacts on proposed developments and clearing. It establishes a framework to avoid, minimise and offset impacts on biodiversity from development through the Biodiversity Offsets Scheme. Where development consent is granted, the authority may impose as a condition of consent an obligation to retire a number and type of biodiversity credits determined under the new Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM).

2.1 Threshold assessment

The BOS includes two (2) elements to the threshold test – an area trigger and a Sensitive Biodiversity Values Land Map trigger. If clearing exceeds either trigger, the Biodiversity Offset Scheme applies to the proposed clearing.

2.1.1 Sensitive Biodiversity Land Map

Sensitive Biodiversity Values Land has not been mapped within the site – an offset is not required under this trigger. Figure 4 shows the site (blue) in relation to those areas (coloured mauve) as having biodiversity values.

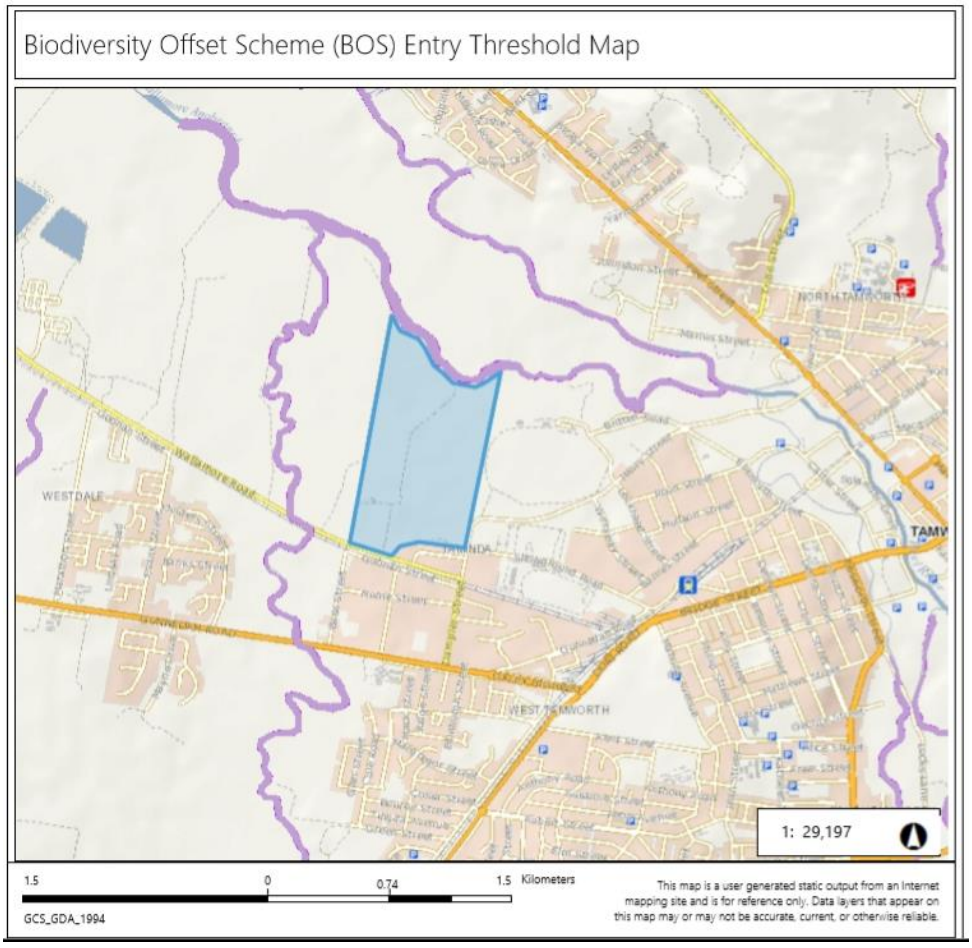

Figure 4 – Biodiversity value land (mauve shading) in the local area
(Source: OEH – Biodiversity Values Map – November 2018)

The area proposed for rezoning is not located on lands mapped as Sensitive Biodiversity Values Land – an offsetting is not required

2.1.2 Area clearing threshold

The area threshold varies depending on the minimum lot size (shown in the Lot Size Maps made under the relevant Local Environmental Plan (LEP)), or actual lot size (where there is no minimum lot size provided for the relevant land under the LEP).

Table 2 – BOS entry threshold report

NSW GOVERNMENT

Biodiversity Values Map and Threshold Report

Results Summary

Date of Calculation	18/11/2018 9:03 AM	**BDAR Required***
Total Digitised Area	92.74 ha	
Minimum Lot Size Method	Lot size	
Minimum Lot Size	0.36 ha	
Area Clearing Threshold	0.25 ha	
Area clearing trigger Area of native vegetation cleared	Unknown #	Unknown #
Biodiversity values map trigger Impact on biodiversity values map(not including values added within the last 90 days)?	no	no

Table 2 identifies that the site has a minimum lot size of 0.36ha, and the clearing threshold for which the BOS applies is 0.25ha. However, the Current LEP states that the minimum lot size for the subject site is 40ha which means that under the BOS scheme the Area Clearing Threshold is actually 0.5ha. Clearing of 'native vegetation' that exceeds 0.5ha will require a biodiversity offset to be obtained.

The proposed rezoning area is not located within any area mapped as Sensitive Biodiversity Land. However, based upon the preliminary design, the impacts will be above 0.5ha and will trigger the BOS. The quantum of impacts upon paddock trees which are included in the Area Clearing Threshold of native vegetation will need to be established at the development application stage to finalise the overall impact areas.

2.2 Serious and irreversible impacts on biodiversity values

Reference is made to the '*Guidance to assist a decision-maker to determine a serious and irreversible impact Office of Environment & Heritage 2017'.* Development consent cannot be granted for non-State significant development under Part 4 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979* (NSW) if the consent authority is of the opinion it is likely to have serious and irreversible impacts (SAII) on biodiversity values. The determination of SAII is to be made in accordance with principles prescribed section 6.7 of the BC Regulation (2017). The principles have been designed to capture those impacts which are likely to contribute significantly to the risk of extinction of a threatened species or ecological community in New South Wales.

The principles have been designed to capture those impacts which are likely to contribute significantly to the risk of extinction of a threatened species or ecological community in New South Wales. These are impacts that:

- will cause a further decline of the species or ecological community that is currently observed, estimated, inferred or reasonably suspected to be in a rapid rate of decline, or
- will further reduce the population size of the species or ecological community that is currently observed, estimated, inferred or reasonably suspected to have a very small population size, or
- impact on the habitat of a species or ecological community that is currently observed, estimated, inferred or reasonably suspected to have a very limited geographic distribution, or
- impact on a species or ecological community that is unlikely to respond to measures to improve habitat and vegetation integrity and is therefore irreplaceable.

The first three principles broadly align with the IUCN (2017) (see also Bland et al. (2016)) criteria used to identify entities at the greatest risk of extinction (i.e. critically endangered entities) and the fourth principle captures impacts on entities that cannot be offset.

Impacts upon the remnant paddock trees or small areas of replanted canopy commensurate with the vegetation type known as PCT 84 – River Oak / Rough-barked Apple red gum box riparian tall woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion & Nandewar Bioregion is not considered to be a potential SAII as this vegetation type is not listed as a threatened ecological community, and therefore by default, does not meet any of the four (4) principles for nomination as a potential SAII.

Reference to the *threatened biodiversity data collection* for the most up-to-date information on ecological communities that are potential SAII and for entity-specific thresholds is recommended if an application is intended to be submitted or is likely to be delayed.

2.3 BOS Conclusion

For council to assess any development proposal a Biodiversity Development Assessment Report (BDAR) will be required. This may involve additional targeted flora and fauna searches and surveys to determine the presence or absence of threatened species or their habitats and to assess the likely impacts of the proposed works upon threatened species, populations or ecological communities or their habitats in accordance with the Significance of Impact Test as specified in the *BC Act.*

The Significance of Impact Test within the BDAR will determine if the proposal is likely to trigger biodiversity offsets or is likely to cause a serious or irreversible impact (SAII) upon threatened species, endangered populations or endangered ecological communities.

3.0 Flora

3.1 Survey

A field inspection was undertaken by Botanist, Mr Robert Sansom B. Sc. (Hons.) on 6-7 November, 2018 over the time frame of approximately 11hrs. This field inspection was restricted to the study area as shown in Yellow within Figure 2 and was undertaken within the study area primarily to confirm the plant community type (PCT) or to determine the ecological and habitat value of the site.

Five (5) flora quadrats of 20m x 50m in accordance with the Biodiversity Assessment Method (BAM) were undertaken within the existing replanted native vegetation of the lot to assist in the identification of any PCT present.

Botanical survey included a random meander in accordance with *Cropper* (1993) to gain a full species list of the plants within the site. A review of the *Atlas of NSW Wildlife* (OEH 2018) was undertaken prior to the site visit to determine threatened species previously recorded within 10km of the subject site, and relevant target searches were undertaken as suited, generally as meandering transects as shown in Figure 3.

All naturally occurring species were identified to species level where possible, and tabulated in Appendix 1.

3.2 Vegetation communities

Within the study area native vegetation occurs as widely scattered remnant trees within large areas of agricultural land. There are also small areas of replanted native trees which do not contain any native shrubs and the ground layer is dominated by exotics grasses, herbs and forbs. These tree planting areas occupy a total of approximately 0.57ha. The vast majority of the study area contains agricultural land currently used for growing Lucerne, oats and a small-grained wheat which are all used for making Hay and stock feed. There is a small area of household gardens located around the dwelling and ancillary farm structures. A variety of small trees consisting of exotic and planted native species occur along the centrally located drainage swale.

The vegetation in the locality has been mapped within *extant and potential natural vegetation of Tamworth, Manilla and Cobbadah VIS_3796* (Rolhauser, Thonell and Peackock 2009) as River Red Gum – River Oak riparian open forest of Brigalow Belt South and Nandewar Bioregions. This corresponds to *River Oak – Rough-barked Apple – Red Gum box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* (PCT 84). Our quadrat and ecological survey results support this classification.

The vegetation within the study site (PCT 84) is not commensurate with any Threatened Ecological Community (TEC) listed under the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016 (BC Act)* or *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act).*

The remaining vegetation in the study area occurs as planted trees, garden beds and managed cropping and pastoral areas.

Field verification of the study area found the following vegetation communities for the purposes of biodiversity constraints assessment include:

- managed agricultural lands, and
- PCT 84 – *River Oak, Rough-barked Apple, Red Gum, box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* (remnant trees or planted canopy only)

Managed Agricultural Lands

Canopy

Widely scattered *Eucalyptus camaldulensis, Eucalyptus sideroxylon, Eucalyptus albens* occur within the agricultural areas of the study area. Canopy projected foliage cover is estimated at less than 1% with a height of 15-24m.

Mid-storey

The mid-storey is generally absent but consists of very sparse occurrences of individual or small clumps of exotic species and contributes less than 1% PFC within the whole study area. Species present include *Lycium ferocissimum, Melaleuca armillaris, Callistemon viminalis* and *Indigofera adesmiifolia*. These species are either exotic weeds or were planted within the household gardens or escaped.

Ground layer

Cropping areas consisted of large areas (95%) of the study area were under cultivation of oats, lucerne or small-seeded wheat. These crops are grown to produce bales of hay or stock feed.

There are introduced or exotic species mixed with these crops and located along farm tracks and within the drainage swale which runs north through the centre of the study area. Typical exotic species observed were *Brassica tournefortii, Capsella bursa-pastoris, Carthamus lanatus, Chenopodium album, Lolium perrenne, Malva parviflora, Rorippa palustris*, and *Rapistrum rugosum.*

Photo 1 – Agricultural land in the north-east corner of the study area (quadrat 2) looking north.

Photo 2 – Agricultural land in use, looking west from the centre of the study area. Note crops of Lucerne (right) and Wheat (left) and isolated scattered individual trees in the middle distance

PCT 84 – *River Oak, Rough-barked Apple, Red Gum, box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* (remnant trees or planted canopy only)

Canopy

There are areas of tree replanting within areas shown in Figure 3. These areas have been replanted with species that are likely to occur naturally on the Peel River floodplain. These patches of replanted trees all contain the same mixture of species such as *Eucalyptus camaldulensis, Eucalyptus sideroxylon, Eucalyptus albens* and presently have a canopy projected foliage cover of 25 to 35% with a height of 8 to 12m.

Travers bushfire & ecology notes that 'native vegetation' either naturally occurring or planted, if impacted by any future proposed works, is assessed under the Biodiversity Assessment Methodology as impacted native vegetation for determination of biodiversity offsetting.

Mid-storey

The mid-storey is absent (see photos 3 and 4).

Ground layer

This layer was generally disturbed through previous removal and impacts from cattle such as grazing and sheltering under the canopy resulting in soil disturbance (see photos 3 and 4). No planting within the ground layer appears to have been undertaken.

There are some exotic species present within the patches of planted trees. Typical exotic species observed were *Rapistrum rugosum, Brassica tournefortii, Capsella bursa-pastoris, Lolium perrenne, Alternanthera pungens, Asphodelus fistulosus*, *Chenopodium album* and *Rorippa palustris.*

This Planted trees vegetation is commensurate with Plant Community Type (PCT) 84 – *River oak, Rough-barked Apple, Red Gum, Box riparian Tall woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar Bioregion*. PCT 84 is not commensurate with any Threatened Ecological Community (TEC) listed within the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016* (*BC Act*) or *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (*EPBC Act*).

Photo 3 – Planted Trees within Quadrat 1 looking west. Note lack of Mid-storey

Photo 4 – Planted trees within Quadrat 4, looking south.
Note lack of mid storey and ground disturbance from cattle

Photo 5 – Remnant trees located approximately 60 metres NE of Quadrat 5, looking N.E.

3.3 Threatened flora species

BC Act – A search of the *Atlas of NSW Wildlife* (OEH, 2018) indicated a list of species that have been recorded within a 10 km radius of the subject site. These species are listed in Appendix 2 Table A2.1 and are considered for potential habitat within the subject site.

EPBC Act – A review of the schedules of the *EPBC Act* indicated the potential for a list of threatened flora species to occur within a 10km radius of the subject site. These species have also been listed in Appendix 2 Table A2.1 for consideration of potential to occur.

Based on the habitat assessment within Table A2.1 it is considered that the subject site provides potential habitat for the following threatened flora species. These species will be considered in the Significance of Impact Test within Appendix 3:

Table 2 – Threatened flora species with suitable habitat present

Scientific name	*BC Act*	*EPBC Act*	Potential to occur
Dichanthium setosum	V	V	Very low

All threatened flora species in both the Bionet (NSW) and *EPBC Act* coordinate search (National) were considered to have very low potential suitable habitat within the study area possibly due to factors such as previous clearing and landscaping works, past and ongoing land management practices, unsuitable soils / geology, unsuitable previous vegetation type or large distance to known specimens.

3.4 Endangered flora populations

No endangered flora populations occur within Tamworth Council LGA.

No specimens of any endangered flora population were observed within the study area during the flora survey. Therefore, it is considered that no endangered populations occur within the study area.

3.5 Endangered ecological communities

No endangered ecological community occurs within Tamworth Council LGA. PCT 84 is not commensurate with any Threatened Ecological Community (TEC) listed within the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016* (*BC Act*) or *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (*EPBC Act*).

Therefore, no endangered ecological communities were observed within the study area during the flora survey.

3.6 State Environmental Planning Policy (Vegetation in Non-Rural Areas) 2017

The *State Environmental Planning Policy (Vegetation in Non-Rural Areas) 2017* (Vegetation SEPP) was one of a suite of Land Management and Biodiversity Conservation (LMBC) reforms that commenced in New South Wales on 25 August 2017. The Vegetation SEPP (the SEPP) works together with the *BC Act* and the *Local Land Services Amendment Act 2016* to create a framework for the regulation of clearing of native vegetation in NSW.

The SEPP will ensure the biodiversity offset scheme (established under the Land Management and Biodiversity reforms) will apply to all clearing of native vegetation that

exceeds the offset thresholds in urban areas and environmental conservation zones that does not require development consent.

Vegetation SEPP applies to the following local government areas:

Bayside, City of Blacktown, Burwood, Camden, City of Campbelltown, Canterbury-Bankstown, Canada Bay, Cumberland, City of Fairfield, Georges River, City of Hawkesbury, Hornsby, Hunter's Hill, Georges River, Inner West, Ku-ring-gai, Lane Cove, City of Liverpool, Mosman, Newcastle, North Sydney, Northern Beaches, City of Parramatta, City of Penrith, City of Randwick, City of Ryde, Strathfield, Sutherland Shire, City of Sydney, The Hills Shire, Waverley, City of Willoughby, Woollahra.

The Vegetation SEPP also applies to land within a variety of zones as set out in the legislation 'Land to which the policy applies'. The zonings that the SEPP applies to include

Zone RU5 Village, Zone R1 General Residential, Zone R2 Low Density Residential, Zone R3 Medium Density Residential, Zone R4 High Density Residential, Zone R5 Large Lot Residential, Zone B1 Neighbourhood Centre, Zone B2 Local Centre, Zone B3 Commercial Core, Zone B4 Mixed Use, Zone B5 Business Development, Zone B6 Enterprise Corridor, Zone B7 Business Park, Zone B8 Metropolitan Centre, Zone IN1 General Industrial, Zone IN2 Light Industrial, Zone IN3 Heavy Industrial, Zone IN4 Working Waterfront, Zone SP1 Special Activities, Zone SP2 Infrastructure, Zone SP3 Tourist, Zone RE1 Public Recreation, Zone RE2 Private Recreation, Zone E2 Environmental Conservation, Zone E3 Environmental Management, Zone E4 Environmental Living or Zone W3 Working Waterways.

3.6.1 Is an Authority to clear vegetation required

As 'development consent' is required for the proposed works the Vegetation SEPP does not apply.

3.7 Local Land Services Act 2013

The Local Land Services Act 2013 *became* fully operational in January 2014. The amended *Local Land Services Act* 2013, provides a new regulatory framework for native vegetation and land management activities in NSW. The amended Act:

- categorises regulated and exempt land to provide certainty and clarity for landholders
- creates Allowable Activities which simplify and expand the former routine agricultural management activities (RAMAs)
- creates the Land Management (Native Vegetation) Code
- establishes a Native Vegetation Panel
- enables landholders to use the Biodiversity Offsets Scheme for agricultural development.

The Local Land Services Act 2013 *established Local Land Services, repealed the* Rural Lands Protection Act 1998, *the* Rural Lands Protection Amendment Act 2008 *and the* Catchment Management Authorities Act 2003*.*

The new Land Management Framework provides landholders with more options to manage native vegetation on their property. Land in NSW is categorised into three main categories including, Category 1 (exempt land), Category 2 (regulated land) and excluded land. Categorisation of land provides certainty to landholders and defines options available for each category for native vegetation management.

The NVR Map generally covers rural land in NSW. It categorises land where management of native vegetation can occur without approval or where management of native vegetation may

be carried out in accordance with Part 5A of the LLS Act. A summary of categories used in the NVR Map is shown below (Figure 5) as it applies to the study area.

Reference to the Native Vegetation Regulation Map identifies that the subject land is not mapped as sensitive or vulnerable regulated land and therefore the Local Land Services Act does not apply. The proposal does not impact vulnerable regulated land.

For the purposes of this assessment we have assumed the land is exempt Land and determination of the proposal is subject to development assessment under the Biodiversity Conservation Act.

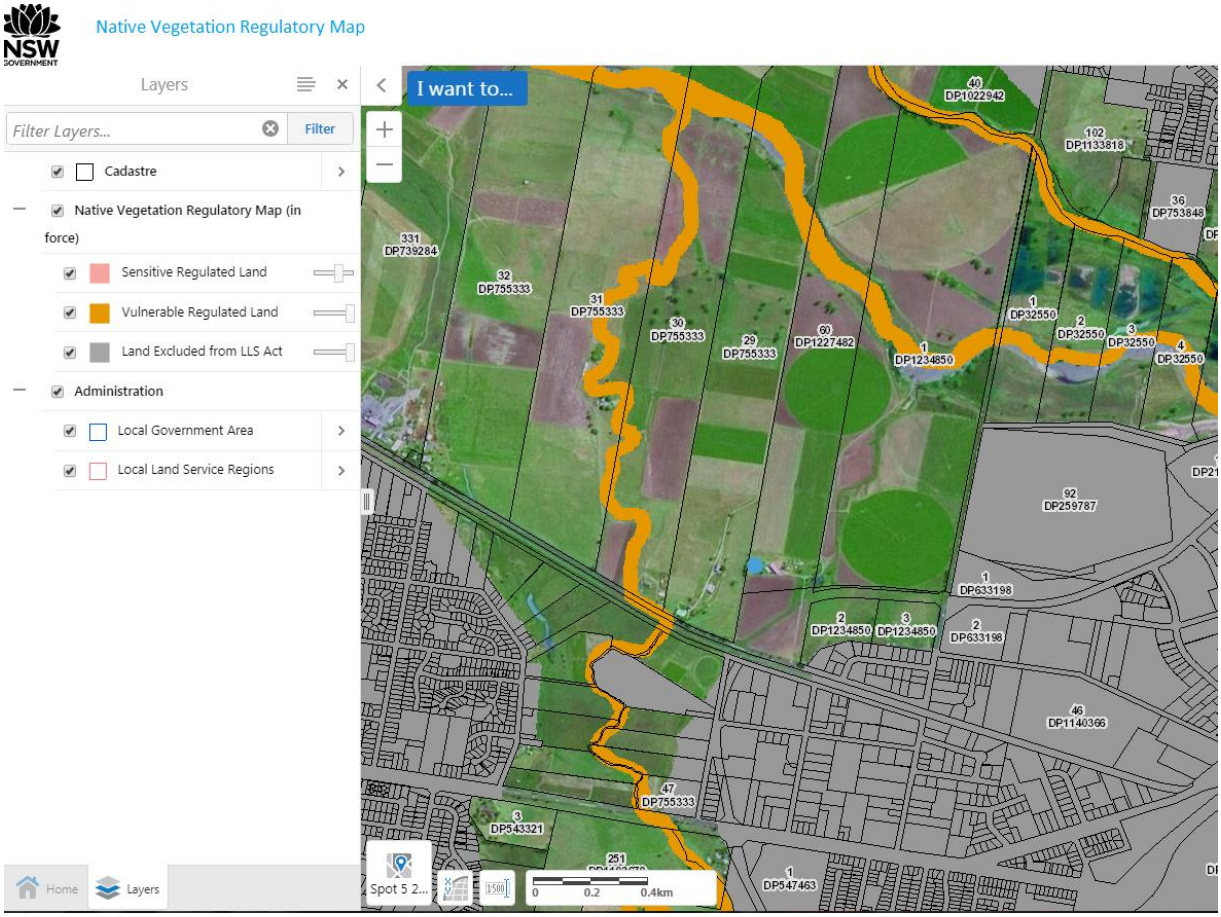

Figure 5 – Native Vegetation Regulation Map
(Source: OEH – Native Vegetation Regulation Map – November 2018)

4.0 Fauna

4.1 Survey / Habitat assessment

A fauna habitat assessment was undertaken during the botanical survey to identify the habitat types available and its quality and to identify any specific or important features.

The fauna habitat assessment is based on a site inspection with notes and photographs taken where required, desktop analysis, threatened species records (OEH 2018) and habitat attributes identified during the flora survey. Particular note was taken to search for the following potential threatened fauna species habitat:

- A count of tree species present to determine 'Potential Koala Habitat' according to the definitions of SEPP 44.
- Hollow-bearing trees present.

- Presence of any raptor nests.
- Terrestrial shelters, burrows and/or hollows.
- Connectivity potential to and from the site.
- Presence of drainages for frog species habitat.

Significant habitat trees are defined as trees containing large hollows suitable for owls/cockatoos and/or two or more good quality medium hollows and/or several small hollows and/or a tree showing notable use by a threatened species (eg. sap feed tree, raptor nest tree or microbat roost).

A review of the Atlas of NSW Wildlife (OEH 2018) was undertaken prior to the site visit to determine threatened fauna species previously recorded within 10km of the subject site.

The following notable habitat features were observed present:

- At least three (3) habitat trees containing good quality medium or small hollows.
- Year-round nectar producing tree species, principally *Eucalyptus* or *Angophora* species
- Seed producing C*asuarina* trees
- Ephemeral constructed drainage lines
- Commercial buildings
- Large areas undergoing agricultural use for stock feed

4.2 Hollow-bearing trees

Hollow-bearing trees were not generally surveyed during the flora survey. However, one tree HT01 was assessed as an unidentified raptor was seen leaving the tree on approach by the botanist. Hollow-bearing tree data for HT01 is provided in Table 3. The location of HT001 is in the north-eastern parts of the study area as shown in Figure 3. This Habitat tree will not be impacted by the proposed works.

Table 3 – Hollow-bearing tree data

No	Common name	DBH (cm)	Height (m)	Spread (m)	Vigour (%)	Hollows recorded
HT001	River Red Gum	180	23	16	75	1x 5-10cm branch hollow 1x 15-20cm branch hollow 2x 20-30cm branch hollows

The recorded hollows may be suitable for hollow-dependent threatened species with considered potential to occur.

The proposed development layout enables retention of this recorded hollow-bearing tree.

4.3 Threatened fauna species

BC Act – A search of the *Atlas of NSW Wildlife* (OEH, 2018) provided a list of threatened fauna species previously recorded within a 10km radius of the subject site. These species are listed in Appendix Table A2.2 and are considered for potential habitat within the subject site.

Fisheries Management Act (*FM Act*) – No habitats suitable for threatened aquatic species were observed within the subject site and as such the provisions of this act do not require any further consideration.

EPBC Act – A review of the schedules of the *EPBC Act* identified a list of threatened fauna species or species habitat likely to occur within a 10km radius of the subject site. These species have also been listed in Appendix Table A2.2.

In accordance with Table A2.2 the following state and nationally listed threatened fauna species are considered to have suitable habitat with varying potential to occur within the subject site. The state listed species will be considered in the seven-part test (Appendix 3):

Table 4 – Threatened fauna species with suitable habitat present

Common name	*BC Act*	*EPBC Act*	Potential to occur
Square-tailed Kite	V	-	unlikely
Little Lorikeet	V	-	unlikely
Grey-headed Flying-fox	V	V	Low
Eastern Bentwing-bat	V	-	Low
Swift Parrot	E	E	low
Dusky Woodswallow	V	-	unlikely
Turquoise Parrot	V	-	unlikely
Speckled Warbler	V	-	unlikely
Diamond Firetail	V	-	unlikely
Koala	V	V	unlikely
Black Falcon	V	-	unlikely

Additional protected migratory species listed under the *EPBC Act* are considered for habitat potential in Table A2.3.

It is concluded that there will be no likely serious or irreversible impact any state or nationally listed threatened fauna species with considered potential to occur.

4.4 Protected migratory species (National)

The EPBC Act Protected Matters Report provides additionally listed terrestrial, wetland and marine migratory species of national significance likely to occur, or with habitat for these species likely to occur, within a 10km radius of the subject site. The habitat potential of migratory species is considered in Table A2.3 (Appendix 2).

No nationally protected migratory bird species were recorded present within the study area during the preliminary survey. The study area does not contain any breeding habitat or habitat of other unique importance for foraging or breeding for nationally listed migratory species. Therefore these species will not likely offer constraint to the proposal.

4.5 Endangered fauna populations

There are no endangered fauna populations known to occur within the Tamworth local government area.

4.6 Connectivity

The vegetation within the subject site is already highly fragmented and disconnected from other areas of contiguous bushland. The nearest natural vegetation occurs immediately to the north of the study area along the banks of the Wallamore Anabranch. The planted canopy vegetation within the study area (shown as reddish-brown patches in Figure 6) are discontinuous and lack any native ground or shrub layers. Other isolated remnant trees are located within the site but do not provide any more than small widely separated single or small groups of trees. Therefore the study area provides no local or regionally important connective values to warrant protection within a conservation corridor. However, the banks of the Wallamore Anabranch located immediately to the north of the study area do support narrow bands of mixed native and exotic (Willows) vegetation.

Figure 6 – Local connectivity

5.0 Wetlands, Groundwater dependent Ecosystems and Watercourses

5.1 Endangered wetland communities

A number of wetland communities have been listed as an 'endangered ecological community' under the NSW *BC Act*. We note that ‘wetlands’ are included in the definition of ‘waterfront lands’ in accordance with the *Water Management Act* (*WM Act*) 2000 due to their inclusion in the definition of a ‘lake’ under the same act.

Impacts on wetland communities must be assessed under the *BC Act* and if present the management of wetland communities must be given due consideration in accordance with the objectives and principles of management as contained within the NSW Wetlands Policy (2010), and appropriate management as determined by NSW DPI - Office of Water in their general terms of approval (GTA’s). This may include but not limited to the provision of buffers, management of stormwater runoff and maintenance of natural inflows or runoff into those wetland communities.

- Artesian springs ecological community - endangered ecological community listing
- Castlereagh swamp woodland community - endangered ecological community listing
- Coastal saltmarsh in the NSW North Coast, Sydney Basin and South East Corner bioregions - endangered ecological community listing
- Freshwater wetlands on coastal floodplains of the NSW North Coast, Sydney Basin and South East Corner bioregions - endangered ecological community listing
- Kurri sand swamp woodland in the Sydney Basin Bioregion - endangered ecological community listing
- Lagunaria swamp forest on Lord Howe Island - endangered ecological community listing
- Maroota Sands swamp forest - endangered ecological community listing
- Newnes Plateau Shrub Swamp in the Sydney Basin Bioregion - endangered ecological community listing
- Swamp oak floodplain forest of the NSW North Coast, Sydney Basin and South East Corner bioregions - endangered ecological community listing
- Swamp sclerophyll forest on coastal floodplains of the NSW North Coast, Sydney Basin and South East Corner bioregions - endangered ecological listing
- Sydney Freshwater Wetlands in the Sydney Basin Bioregion - endangered ecological community listing
- The shorebird community occurring on the relict tidal delta sands at Taren Point - endangered ecological community listing
- Upland wetlands of the drainage divide of the New England Tableland Bioregion - endangered ecological community listing
- Wingecarribee Swamp - endangered ecological community listing

In accordance with the *WM Act*, endangered wetland communities are through the definition of ‘lakes’ potentially classed as waterfront land. Referral to DPI WaterNSW may be required for determination under the *WM Act* as a controlled activity. As well as protection, a buffer may be applied to these communities as specified by DPI WaterNSW.

No endangered wetland communities were present within the subject site and therefore a referral to WaterNSW is not required.

5.2 Groundwater dependent ecosystems (GDEs)

Groundwater dependent ecosystems are communities of plants, animals and other organisms whose extent and life processes are dependent on groundwater. Some examples of ecosystems which depend on groundwater are:

- wetlands;
- red gum forests, vegetation on coastal sand dunes and other terrestrial vegetation;
- ecosystems in streams fed by groundwater;
- limestone cave systems;
- springs; and
- hanging valleys and swamps.

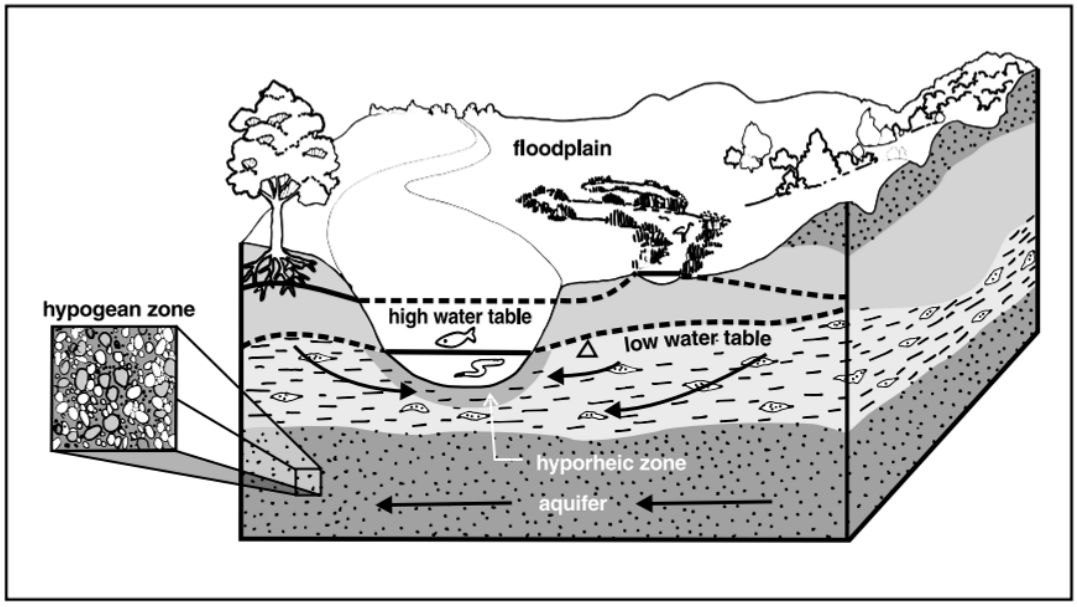

Figure 7 - Alluvial groundwater system discharging into a river

Groundwater dependent ecosystems are therefore ecosystems which have their species composition and their natural ecological processes determined by groundwater (NSW State Groundwater Dependent Ecosystems Policy April 2002).

Remnants of Groundwater Dependent Ecosystems (GDEs) in the form of remnant trees and planted patches of tree species commensurate with PCT 84 - *River Oak – Rough-barked Apple – Red Gum box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* were observed within the subject site This community corresponds to a Red Gum Forest as shown in point two above.

This vegetation community has in the past been reliant on flooding events along the river to create and maintain the floodplain vegetation and its habitat. Impacts on groundwater dependent ecosystems is to be determined and considered in any future biodiversity or impact assessment.

5.3 Watercourses

Topographic maps indicate presence of watercourses within the northern portion of the site (Figure 8).

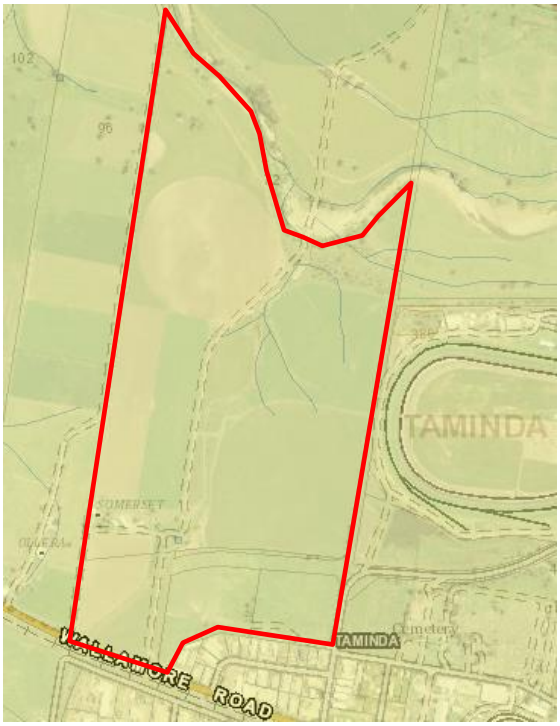

Figure 8 – Mapped Watercourses

A constructed drainage channel however pass through site and discharges into the mapped streams and hence into Wallamore Anabranch as shown as a solid blue line within Figure 9. This constructed drainage channel is also fed by several small depressions which constitute overland flow within large, almost flat cropping areas as shown by blue dashed lines. The drainage channel and ephemeral overland flows are ephemeral in nature.

The parts of the main constructed drainage channel located south of the small dam as shown in Figure 9 are characterised by a series of remnant or planted endemic native trees and also planted exotics and non-endemic trees as shown in Photo 6.

Figure 9 – Ephemeral watercourses within the site

Photo 6 – Looking south along the constructed drainage swale within Quadrat 5

Photo 7 – Looking south along the constructed drainage swale within Quadrat 3

Another ephemeral drainage line exists outside the study area which is located approximately ten (10) metres outside and parallel to the eastern boundary of the subject site. This drainage channel primarily drains the verges of Dampier and Jewry Streets and the horse racing property to the east.

The constructed drainage channel forms as an extension to the existing mapped streams as shown on SixMaps therefore a referral for general terms of approval and controlled activity approval may be required under the *Water Management Act 2000* (*WM Act*).

6.0 Conclusions

Ecological survey and has been undertaken for a proposed rezoning within Lot 1 DP 1234850 – 72 Wallamore Road, Lot 2 DP 1234850 – 21 Wallamore Road, Lot 3 DP 1234850 – 55 Dampier Street and Lot 60 DP 1227482 – 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda.

No threatened flora species, populations or ecological communities have been observed or considered likely to occur in a natural state within the subject site.

Whilst fauna survey has not been undertaken, it is considered that the habitat attributes within the subject site do not provide any significant or unique habitat of breeding importance for any threatened fauna species. Remnant and planted vegetation may provide low key foraging value. The single recorded hollow-bearing tree will be retained and will not be further fragmented from other local adjacent natural habitats.

The native vegetation present within the subject site is attributable to highly modified remnants or planted trees (canopy only) commensurate with Plant Community Type (PCT) 84 - *River Oak, Rough-barked Apple, Red Gum, box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* which is not listed within the NSW *BC Act* (2016) or within the Commonwealth *EPBC Act* (1999) as a Threatened Ecological Community (TEC).

The area clearing threshold for this site is 0.5ha, that is, impacts of more than 0.5ha need to be adequately offset through the BOS. Based upon the preliminary design, the impacts will be above 0.5ha and will trigger the entry into the BOS.

6.1 Recommendations

To minimise adverse ecological impacts, the following mitigation measures are proposed:

1. Assessment of the project in accordance with the Biodiversity Offsetting Scheme (BOS) is recommended.

2. Biodiversity offsetting of impacts is likely to be required. Consideration to the establishment of a Biodiversity Stewardship Site either within the site or within the riparian zone associated with the Wallamore Anabranch is recommended.

3. Alternatively, assess the Biodiversity Credit value of the vegetation to be removed and purchase biodiversity offset credits from the NSW BioBanking Trust.

4. Revegetation such as along the existing or redirected drainage line, is to utilise locally occurring (endemic) native species commensurate with PCT 84 – *River Oak, Rough-barked Apple, Red Gum, box riparian tall Woodland (wetland) of the Brigalow Belt South Bioregion and Nandewar South Bioregion* including trees, shrubs and ground covers to encourage local fauna use, to consolidate remnant vegetation linkages and to provide ‘island’ refuges for native flora and fauna species within the locality.

5. Sediment and erosion control measures in accordance with *Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction* (Landcom 2004) to minimise impact of possible sedimentation to local drainage lines.

6. Control and eradication of invasive ecological weeds should be undertaken to prevent further invasion by these species. High threat weed species listed within the NSW *BC Act* (2016) such as Canary Island Date Palm, White Poplar, Weeping Willow, Khaki Weed, Mediterranean Turnip, Saffron Thistle and Coolatai Grass were observed within the study area.

7. It is recommended that a Vegetation Management Plan (VMP) be produced to ensure that any proposed revegetation areas within the site address the potential to expand the extent of PCT 84 along drainage lines or within the riparian corridor associated with the Wallamore Anabranch and to control or eradicate high threat and environmental weeds which are required to be controlled in accordance with the NSW *Biosecurity Act* (2015).

8. The future development of the site is to consider drainage and native vegetation restoration actions within the site.

Appendix 1
Flora Species List

Table A1.1 – Flora species recorded

Family	Scientific name	Common name
TREES		
Sterculiaceae	*Brachychiton populneus* subsp. *populneus*	Kurrajong
Cupressaceae	*Callitris spp.*	
Casuarinaceae	*Casuarina cunninghamiana* subsp. *cunninghamiana*	River Oak
Myrtaceae	*Eucalyptus albens*	White Box
Myrtaceae	*Eucalyptus camaldulensis*	River Red Gum
Myrtaceae	*Eucalyptus melanophloia*	Silver-leaved Ironbark
Myrtaceae	*Eucalyptus melliodora*	Yellow Box
Myrtaceae	*Eucalyptus sideroxylon*	Red Ironbark
Arecaceae	*Livistona australis*	Cabbage Tree Palm
Meliaceae	*Melia azedarach*	White Cedar
Oleaceae	*Notelaea microcarpa* var. *microcarpa*	Velvet Mock Olive
Arecaceae	*Phoenix canariensis**	Canary Island Date Palm
Salicaceae	*Populus alba**	White Poplar
Salicaceae	*Salix babylonica**	Weeping Willow
Anacardiaceae	*Schinus areira**	Pepper Tree
SHRUBS		
Myrtaceae	*Callistemon viminalis*	Weeping Bottlebrush
Faboideae	*Indigofera adesmiifolia*	Tick Indigo
Solanaceae	*Lycium ferocissimum**	African Boxthorn
Myrtaceae	*Melaleuca armillaris* subsp. *armillaris*	Bracelet Honey Myrtle
Chenopodiaceae	*Sclerolaena tetracuspis*	Brigalow Burr
GROUNDCOVERS		
Amaranthaceae	*Alternanthera pungens**	Khaki Weed
Asphodelaceae	*Asphodelus fistulosus**	Onion Weed
Poaceae	*Austrostipa pubescens*	Tall Speargrass
Poaceae	*Austrostipa ramosissima*	Stout Bamboo Grass
Poaceae	*Avena sativa**	Oats
Asteraceae	*Bidens pilosa**	Cobbler's Pegs
Brassicaceae	*Brassica rapa**	Wild Turnip
Brassicaceae	*Brassica tournefortii**	Mediterranean Turnip
Poaceae	*Bromus cartharticus**	Prairie Grass
Brassicaceae	*Capsella bursa-pastoris**	Shepherds purse
Cyperaceae	*Carex incomitata*	-
Asteraceae	*Carthamus lanatus**	Saffron Thistle
Asteraceae	*Centaurea calcitrapa**	Star Thistle
Chenopodiaceae	*Chenopodium album**	Fat Hen
Asteraceae	*Cirsium vulgare**	Spear Thistle
Asteraceae	*Conyza sumatrensis**	Tall Fleabane

Family	Scientific name	Common name
Apiaceae	*Cyclospermum leptophyllum**	Slender Celery
Poaceae	*Cynodon dactylon*	Common Couch
Cyperaceae	*Cyperus eragrostis**	Umbrella Sedge
Poaceae	*Echinochloa crus-galli**	Barnyard Grass
Boraginaceae	*Echium plantagineum**	Paterson's Curse
Poaceae	*Ehrharta erecta**	Panic Veldtgrass
Chenopodiaceae	*Einadia polygonoides*	-
Apiaceae	*Foeniculum vulgare**	Fennel
Poaceae	*Hyparrhenia hirta**	Coolatai Grass
Juncaceae	*Juncus usitatus*	Common Rush
Poaceae	*Lachnagrostis filiformis*	Blown Grass
Asteraceae	*Lactuca serriola**	Prickly Lettuce
Brassicaceae	*Lepidium africanum*	Common Peppercress
Poaceae	*Lolium perrenne**	Perennial Ryegrass
Malvaceae	*Malva parviflora**	Small-flowered Mallow
Malvaceae	*Malvastrum americanum**	Spiked Malvastrum
Faboideae	*Medicago sativa**	Lucerne
Poaceae	*Microlaena stipoides* var. *stipoides*	Weeping Rice Grass
Malvaceae	*Modiola caroliniana**	Red-flowered Mallow
Alliaceae	*Nothoscordum borbonicum**	Onion Weed
Poaceae	*Notodanthonia spp.*	-
Poaceae	*Paspalum dilatatum**	Paspalum
Poaceae	*Phalaris aquatica**	Phalaris
Plantaginaceae	*Plantago lanceolata**	Ribwort
Polygonaceae	*Polygonum aviculare**	Wire Weed
Lobeliaceae	*Pratia concolor*	Poison Pratia
Brassicaceae	*Rapistrum rugosum**	Turnip Weed
Brassicaceae	*Rorippa palustris**	Yellow Cress
Polygonaceae	*Rumex crispus**	Curled Dock
Malvaceae	*Sida corrugata*	Corrugated Sida
Malvaceae	*Sida rhombifolia**	Paddy's Lucerne
Asteraceae	*Silybum marianum**	Variegated Thistle
Brassicaceae	*Sisymbrium irio**	London Rocket
Asteraceae	*Sonchus asper* subsp. *asper**	Prickly Sowthistle
Asteraceae	*Sonchus oleraceus**	Common Sow-thistle
Asteraceae	*Tragopogon porrifolius* subsp. *porrifolius**	Salsify
Faboideae	*Trifolium repens**	White Clover
Poaceae	*Triticum aestivum**	Wheat
Verbenaceae	*Verbena bonariensis**	Purpletop
Verbenaceae	*Verbena x brasiliensis**	Gin Case
Campanulaceae	*Wahlenbergia communis*	Tufted Bluebell
Waterplants		
Juncaceae	*Juncus effusus**	-

Family	Scientific name	Common name
Cyperaceae	*Bolboschoenus medianus*	a Clubrush
Typhaceae	*Typha orientalis*	Cumbungi
VINES		
Fabaceae	*Vicia sativa subsp. sativa**	Common Vetch
* denotes exotic species		

It should be noted that not all garden, cultivar or landscape species have been identified as part of this assessment.

Appendix 2
Threatened Flora and Fauna Species Habitat Assessment

Table A2.1 – Threatened flora species habitat assessment

Scientific name DATABASE SOURCE1	***BC Act***	***EPBC Act***	**Growth form and habitat requirements** ***Distribution limit***	**Recorded on site (✓)**	**If not recorded on site**				**Required assessment of significance test (✓) (at DA stage)**
					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and / or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Cadellia pentastylis EPBC	V	V	Occurs along the western edge of the North West Slopes from north of Gunnedah to west of Tenterfield. Occurrs within vine thickets and dry rainforest. There appears to be a strong correlation between the presence of Ooline and low- to medium-nutrient soils of sandy clay or clayey consistencies, with a typical soil profile having a sandy loam surface layer, grading from a light clay to a medium clay with depth.	x	x	-	-	x	x
Callistemon pungens EPBC	-	V	Habitats range from riparian areas dominated by *Casuarina cunninghamiana* subsp. *cunninghamiana* to woodland and rocky shrubland. Often in rocky watercourses, usually with sandy granite (occasionally basalt) creek beds. Flowers over spring and summer, mostly in November.	x	Sub-optimal	x	x	x	x
Dichanthium setosum OEH EPBC	V	V	An erect perennial grass to <1m high. Flowers in summer. Grows in woodland and is associated with heavy basaltic black soils and stony red-brown hard-setting loam with clay subsoil. *Known chiefly on the northern tablelands in the Saumarez area, west of Armidale, and 18-30 km east of Guyra. It is more rarely found on the north-western slopes, central western slopes and north-western plains of NSW*	x	Sub-optimal	3 km E. (4 records within 10km)	2003	Very Low	✓
Eucalyptus nicholii OEH	V	-	This species is widely planted as an urban street tree and in gardens but is quite rare in the wild. *It is confined to the New England Tablelands of NSW, where it occurs from Nundle to north of Tenterfield, largely on private property.*	x	x	-	-	x	x

Scientific name DATABASE SOURCE1	***BC Act***	***EPBC Act***	**Growth form and habitat requirements** ***Distribution limit***	**Recorded on site (✓)**	**If not recorded on site**				**Required assessment of significance test (✓) (at DA stage)**
					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and / or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Euphrasia arguta EPBC	CE	CE	An annual herb to 35cm tall, flowers October to January. Grows in grassy areas near rivers. *Recorded from Bathurst to Walcha area.* Considered extinct until recent rediscovery in 2008 near Nundle.	x	x	-	-	x	x
Picris evae EPBC	V	V	Its main habitat is open Eucalypt forest including a canopy of *Eucalyptus melliodora, E. crebra, E. populnea, E. albens, Angophora subvelutina, Allocasuarina torulosa*, and/or *Casuarina cunninghamiana* with a *Dichanthium* grassy understory. Soils are black, dark grey or red-brown (specified as shallow, stony soil over basalt for one collection) and reddish clay-loam or medium clay soils. The flowering and fruiting period is mainly October to January, with a few plants collected in flower or fruit until May. Known in NSW north from the Inverell area, in the north-western slopes and plains regions. It has been collected from Elsmore and Myall Creek (both near Inverell) as well as in Inverell, Oxley Park (Tamworth) and also from Dangar Falls	x	x	-	-	x	x
Prasophyllum sp. Wybong EPBC	-	CE	Known from near Ilford, Premer, Muswellbrook, Wybong, Yeoval, Inverell, Tenterfield, Currabubula and the Pilliga areas. A perennial orchid, appearing as a single leaf over winter and spring. Flowers in spring and dies back to a dormant tuber over summer and autumn. Known to occur in open eucalypt woodland and grassland	x	x	-	-	x	x
Syzygium paniculatum OEH EPBC	V	V	Small tree. Subtropical and littoral rainforest on sandy soil. *Distribution limits N-Forster S-Jervis Bay.*	x	x	-	-	x	x

Scientific name DATABASE SOURCE1	***BC Act***	***EPBC Act***	**Growth form and habitat requirements** ***Distribution limit***	**Recorded on site (✓)**	**If not recorded on site**				**Required assessment of significance test (✓) (at DA stage)**
					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and / or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Thesium australe EPBC	V	V	Erect herb to 0.4m high. Root parasite. Themeda grassland or woodland often damp. *Distribution limits N-Tweed Heads S-south of Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Tylophora linearis EPBC	V	E	Grows in dry scrub and open forest. Recorded from low-altitude sedimentary flats in dry woodlands of *Eucalyptus fibrosa, Eucalyptus sideroxylon, Eucalyptus albens, Callitris endlicheri, Callitris glaucophylla* and *Allocasuarina luehmannii*. Also grows in association with *Acacia hakeoides, Acacia lineata, Melaleuca uncinata, Myoporum* species and *Casuarina* species. Flowers in spring, with flowers recorded in November or May with fruiting probably 2 to 3 months later.	x	x	-	-	x	x

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Table A2.2 – Threatened fauna species habitat assessment

Common name ***Scientific name*** Database source	***BC Act***	***EPBC Act***	**Preferred habitat** ***Distribution limit***	**Recorded on site (✓)**	**If not recorded on site**				**Required assessment of significance test (✓) (at DA stage)**
					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and/or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Booroolong Frog *Litoria booroolongensis* EPBC	E	E	Found near rocky mountain streams on the slopes and tablelands of the Great Dividing Range. *Distribution limit: QLD border to VIC border restricted to highlands.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Bell's Turtle *Wollumbinia belli* EPBC	E	V	Shallow to deep pools in upper reaches or small tributaries of major rivers in granite country. Occupied pools are most commonly less than 3 m deep with rocky or sandy bottoms and patches of vegetation. Most typically uses narrow stretches of rivers 30 - 40 m wide. Most surrounding habitat has been converted to grazing land. *Distribution limit: four disjunct populations in the upper reaches of the Namoi, Gwydir and Border Rivers systems, on the escarpment of the North West Slopes.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Pink-tailed Legless Lizard *Aprasia parapulchella* EPBC	V	V	Inhabits open areas of native grasses and rocky outcrops and scattered rocks. *Distribution from Central tablelands, Southern tablelands, Central Western Slopes, and South West Slopes.*	x	x	-	-	x	x

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					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and/or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Border Thick-tailed Gecko *Uvidicolus sphyrurus* OEH EPBC	V	V	Occurs on steep rocky or scree slopes, especially granite. Recent records from basalt and metasediment slopes and flats indicate its habitat selection may have extended into areas that were cleared for agriculture. Favours forest and woodland areas with boulders, rock slabs, fallen timber and deep leaf litter. Occupied sites often have a dense tree canopy that helps create a sparse understorey. Active at night and shelter by day under rock slabs, in or under logs, and under the bark of standing trees. *Distribution limit: West of the ranges from New England Tableland to Liverpool Range and west to Moree.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Australasian Bittern *Botaurus poiciloptilus* EPBC	E	E	Found in or over water of shallow freshwater or brackish wetlands with tall reed beds, sedges, rushes, Cumbungi, lignum and also in rice fields, drains in tussocky paddocks, occasionally saltmarsh, brackish wetlands. *Distribution limit: N-North of Lismore. S- Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Little Eagle *Hieraaetus morphnoides* OEH	V	-	Utilises plains, foothills, open forests, woodlands and scrublands; river red gums on watercourses and lakes. *Distribution limit - N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	x	✓	5.5km NE (1 record within 10km)	1999	Not Likely	x
Square-tailed Kite *Lophoictinia isura* OEH	V	-	Utilises mostly coastal and sub-coastal open forest, woodland or lightly timbered habitats and inland habitats along watercourses and mallee that are rich in passerine birds. *Distribution limit: N-Goondiwindi. S-South of Eden.*	x	Sub-optimal	4.5 km SE (1 record within 10km)	2013	Unlikely	✓

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					Suitable habitat present (✓)	Nearby and/or high number of record(s) (✓) *Notes 1,2 & 3*	Record(s) from recent years (✓) *Notes 1,2 & 3*	Potential to occur	
Red Goshawk *Erythrotriorchis radiatus* EPBC	E	V	Inhabits tall open forests and woodlands. Breeds in tall trees adjacent to watercourses of wetlands. *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S-Foster.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Black Falcon *Falco subniger* OEH	V	-	Inhabits plains, grasslands, foothills, timbered watercourses, wetland environs, crops; occasionally over towns and cities. *N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden*	x	✓	4 km ESE (4 records within 10km)	3013	Unlikely	✓
Australian Painted Snipe *Rostratula australis* EPBC	E	E	Most numerous within the Murray-Darling basin and inland Australia within marshes and freshwater wetlands with swampy vegetation. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Curlew Sandpiper *Callidris ferruginea* EPBC	E	CE	Mainly coastal, but many inland feeding along tidal mudflats, salt marsh, salt fields, fresh, brackish or saline wetlands and sewerage ponds. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Little Lorikeet *Glossopsitta pusilla* OEH	V	-	Inhabits forests, woodlands; large trees in open country; timbered watercourses, shelterbeds, and street trees. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	x	✓	3 km N (1 record within 10km)	2004	Unlikely	✓
Swift Parrot *Lathamus discolor* OEH EPBC	E	E	Inhabits eucalypt forests and woodlands with winter flowering eucalypts. *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S-South of Eden.*	x	✓	6 km E (2 records within 10km)	2002	Low	✓

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Turquoise Parrot *Neophema pulchella* OEH	V	-	Inhabits coastal scrubland, open forest and timbered grassland, especially ecotones between dry hardwood forests and grasslands. *Distribution limit: N-Near Tenterfield. S-South of Eden.*	x	Sub-optimal	4 km NE (6 records within 10km)	1999	Unlikely	✓
Brown Treecreeper *Climacteris picumnus victoriae* OEH	V	-	Occupies eucalypt woodlands, open woodland lacking a dense understorey with fallen dead timber. *Distribution limit: (Sub species victoriae) Central NSW west of Great Div. Cumberland Plains, Hunter Valley, Richmond, Clarence, and Snowy River Valleys.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Speckled Warbler *Chthonicola sagittata* OEH	V	-	Found in temperate eucalypt woodland and open forest including forest edges, wooded farmland and urban areas with mature eucalypts. *Distribution limit: N-Urbanville. S-Eden.*	x	Sub-optimal	11 km NE (2 records within 10km)	2005	Unlikely	✓
Regent Honeyeater *Xanthomyza Phrygia* EPBC	E4A	CE	Found in temperate eucalypt woodland and open forest including forest edges, wooded farmland and urban areas with mature eucalypts. *Distribution limit: N-Urbanville. S-Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Painted Honeyeater *Grantiella picta* EPBC	V	V	A nomadic bird occurring in low densities within open forest, woodland and scrubland feeding on mistletoe fruits. Inhabits primarily Boree, Brigalow and Box-Gum Woodlands and Box-Ironbark Forests. *Distribution limit: N-Boggabilla. S-Albury with greatest occurrences on the inland slopes of the Great Dividing Range.*	x	x	-	-	x	x

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					Suitable habitat present (✓)	**Nearby and/or high number of record(s) (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Record(s) from recent years (✓)** *Notes 1,2 & 3*	**Potential to occur**	
Dusky Woodswallow *Artamus cyanopterus cyanopterus* OEH	V	-	Found in woodlands and dry open sclerophyll forests, usually dominated by eucalypts, including mallee associations. It has also been recorded in shrublands and heathlands and various modified habitats, including regenerating forests; very occasionally in moist forests or rainforests. Prefers habitat with an open understorey. Often observed in farmland tree patches or roadside remnants. *Widespread in eastern, southern and south-western Australia.*	x	✓	3 km N (1 record within 10km)	2004	Unlikely	✓
Diamond Firetail *Stagonopleura guttata* OEH	V	-	Found in eucalypt woodlands, forests and mallee where there is grassy understorey west of the Great Div. also drier coastal woodlands of the Cumberland Plain and Hunter Richmond and Clarence River Valleys. *Distribution limit: N-Rockhampton Q. S-Eyre Pen Kangaroo Is. SA.*	x	✓	3 km N (4 records within 10km)	2004	Unlikely	✓
Spotted-tailed Quoll *Dasyurus maculatus* OEH EPBC	V	E	Dry and moist open forests containing rock caves, hollow logs or trees. *Distribution limit: N-Mt Warning National Park. S-South of Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Koala *Phascolarctos cinereus* OEH EPBC	V	V	Inhabits both wet and dry eucalypt forest on high nutrient soils containing preferred feed trees. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	x	Sub-optimal	2km E (2 records within 10km)	2006	Unlikely	✓

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Squirrel Glider *Petaurus norfolcensis* OEH	V	-	Mixed aged stands of eucalypt forest & woodlands including gum barked & high nectar producing species & hollow bearing trees. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-Albury.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Greater Glider *Petauroides volans* EPBC	-	V	Favours forests with a diversity of eucalypt species, due to seasonal variation in its preferred tree species. Population density is optimal at elevation levels at 845 m above sea level. Prefer overstorey basal areas in old-growth tree stands. Highest abundance typically in taller, montane, moist eucalypt forests, with relatively old trees and abundant hollows *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S- South of Eden.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby *Petrogale penicillata* EPBC	E	V	Found in rocky gorges with a vegetation of rainforest or open forests to isolated rocky outcrops in semi-arid woodland country. *Distribution limit: N-North of Tenterfield. S-Bombala.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Grey-headed Flying-fox *Pteropus poliocephalus* OEH EPBC	V	V	Found in a variety of habitats including rainforest, mangroves, paperbark swamp, wet and dry open forest and cultivated areas. Forms camps commonly found in gullies and in vegetation with a dense canopy. *Distribution limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-Eden.*	x	Foraging only	6 km ESE (1 record within 10km)	2015	Low	✓
Yellow-bellied Sheathtail-bat *Saccolaimus flaviventris* OEH	V	-	Rainforests, sclerophyll forests and woodlands. *Distribution limit: N-North of Walgett. S-Sydney.*	x	x	-	-	x	x

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East-coast Freetail Bat *Micronomus norfolkensis* OEH	V	-	Inhabits open forests and woodlands foraging above the canopy and along the edge of forests. Roosts in tree hollows, under bark and buildings. *Distribution limit: N-Woodenbong. S-Pambula.*	x	✓	5.5 km NE (1 record within 10km)	1999	Not likely	x
Large-eared Pied Bat *Chalinolobus dwyeri* OEH EPBC	V	V	Warm-temperate to subtropical dry sclerophyll forest and woodland. Roosts in caves, tunnels and tree hollows in colonies of up to 30 animals. *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S-Wollongong.*	x	✓	4.5 km NE (1 record within 10km)	1999	Not likely	x
Eastern Falsistrelle *Falsistrellus tasmaniensis* OEH	V	-	Recorded roosting in caves, old buildings and tree hollows. *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S-Pambula.*	x	✓	7 km WNW (1 record within 10km)	1995	Not likely	x
Eastern Bentwing-bat *Miniopterus orianae oceanensis* OEH	V	-	Prefers areas where there are caves, old mines, old buildings, stormwater drains and well-timbered areas. *Distribution limit: N-Border Ranges National Park. S-South of Eden.*	x	✓	3 km N (3 records within 10km)	2004	Low	✓

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Corbens Long-eared Bat *Nyctophilus corbeni* EPBC	V	V	Inhabits a variety of vegetation types, including mallee, bulloke *Allocasuarina luehmannii* and box eucalypt dominated communities, but it is distinctly more common in box/ironbark/cypress-pine vegetation that occurs in a north-south belt along the western slopes and plains of NSW and southern Queensland. Roosts in tree hollows, crevices, and under loose bark. Slow flying agile bat, utilising the understorey to hunt non-flying prey - especially caterpillars and beetles - and will even hunt on the ground. *Distribution limit: Central NSW west of the ranges.*	x	x	-	-	x	x
Murray Cod *Maccullochella peelii* EPBC	-	V	Utilises a diverse range of habitats from clear rocky streams, such as those found in the upper western slopes of NSW (including the ACT), to slow-flowing, turbid lowland rivers and billabongs. Preferred microhabitat consists of complex structural features in streams such as large rocks, snags (pieces of large submerged woody debris), overhanging stream banks and vegetation, tree stumps, logs, branches and other woody structures. *Distribution limit:* throughout the Murray-Darling Basin	x	x	-	-	x	x

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Unlikely	Represents such a low margin but not enough to 100% rule it one. A significance of impact test is required.								
Not likely	Means 0% change of occurring, despite there being potential habitat. A significance of impact test is not applied to these species.								

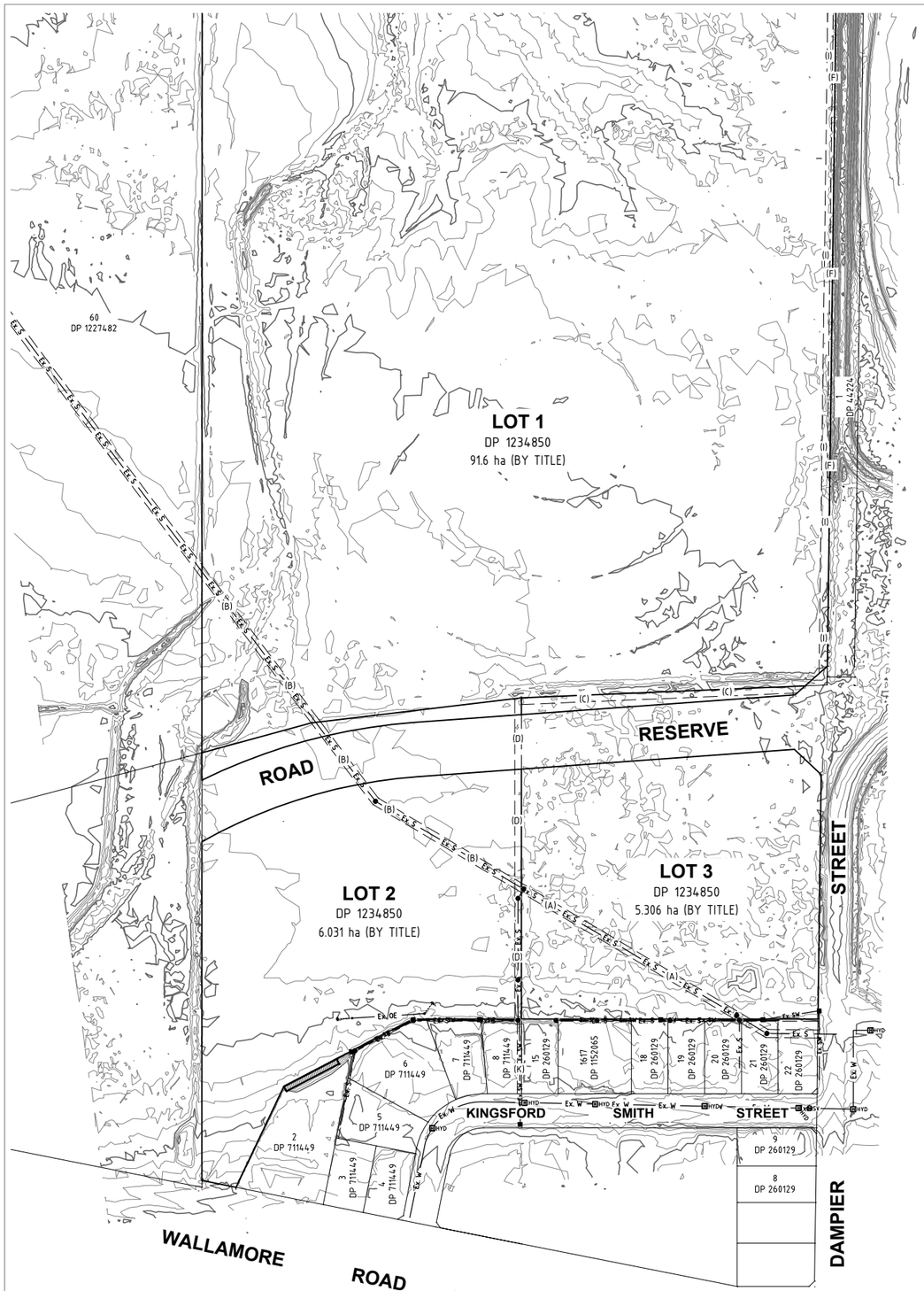
A detailed assessment in accordance with Section 1.7 of the *EPA Act* will be completed for these species in Appendix 3 of this report.

Table A2.3 provides an assessment of potential habitat within the subject site for nationally *protected* migratory fauna species recorded within 10km on the *EPBC Act* Protected Matters Tool. Nationally *threatened* migratory species are considered in Table A2.3.

Table A2.3 – Migratory fauna habitat assessment

Common name ***Scientific name***	**Preferred habitat** ***Migratory breeding***	**Suitable habitat present (✓)**	**Comments on potential impacts**
Osprey *Pandion cristatus*	Utilises waterbodies including coastal waters, inlets, lakes, estuaries and offshore islands with a dead tree for perching and feeding. *Distribution Limit: N-Tweed Heads. S-South of Eden.*	×	-
White-throated Needletail (*Hirundapus caudacutus*)	Airspace over forests, woodlands, farmlands, plains, lakes, coasts, towns; companies forage often along favoured hilltops and timbered ranges. *Breeds Siberia, Himalayas, east to Japan. Summer migrant to eastern Australia.*	✓	No likely significant impact
Yellow Wagtail (*Motacilla flava*)	The yellow wagtail typically forages in damp grassland and on relatively bare open ground at edges of rivers, lakes and wetlands, but also feeds in dry grassland and in fields of cereal crops.	✓	No likely significant impact
Satin Flycatcher (*Myiagra cyanoleuca*)	Heavily vegetated gullies in forests, taller woodlands, usually above shrub-layer; during migration, coastal forests, woodlands, mangroves, trees in open country, gardens. *Breeds mostly south east Australia and Tasmania over warmer months, winters in north east Qld.*	×	-
Rufous Fantail (*Rhipidura rufifrons*)	Undergrowth of rainforests / wetter eucalypt forests / gullies; monsoon forests, paperbarks, sub-inland and coastal scrubs; mangroves, watercourses; parks, gardens. On migration, farms, streets buildings. *Breeding migrant to south east Australia over warmer months. Altitudinal migrant in north east NSW in mountain forests during warmer months.*	✓	No likely significant impact
Fork-tailed Swift (*Apus pacificus*)	Aerial: over open country, from semi-arid deserts to coasts, islands; sometimes over forests, cities. *Breeds Siberia, Himalayas, east to Japan south east Asia. Summer migrant to east Australia. Mass movements associated with late summer low pressure systems into east Australia. Otherwise uncommon.*	✓	No likely significant impact

7.5 Civil and services plan



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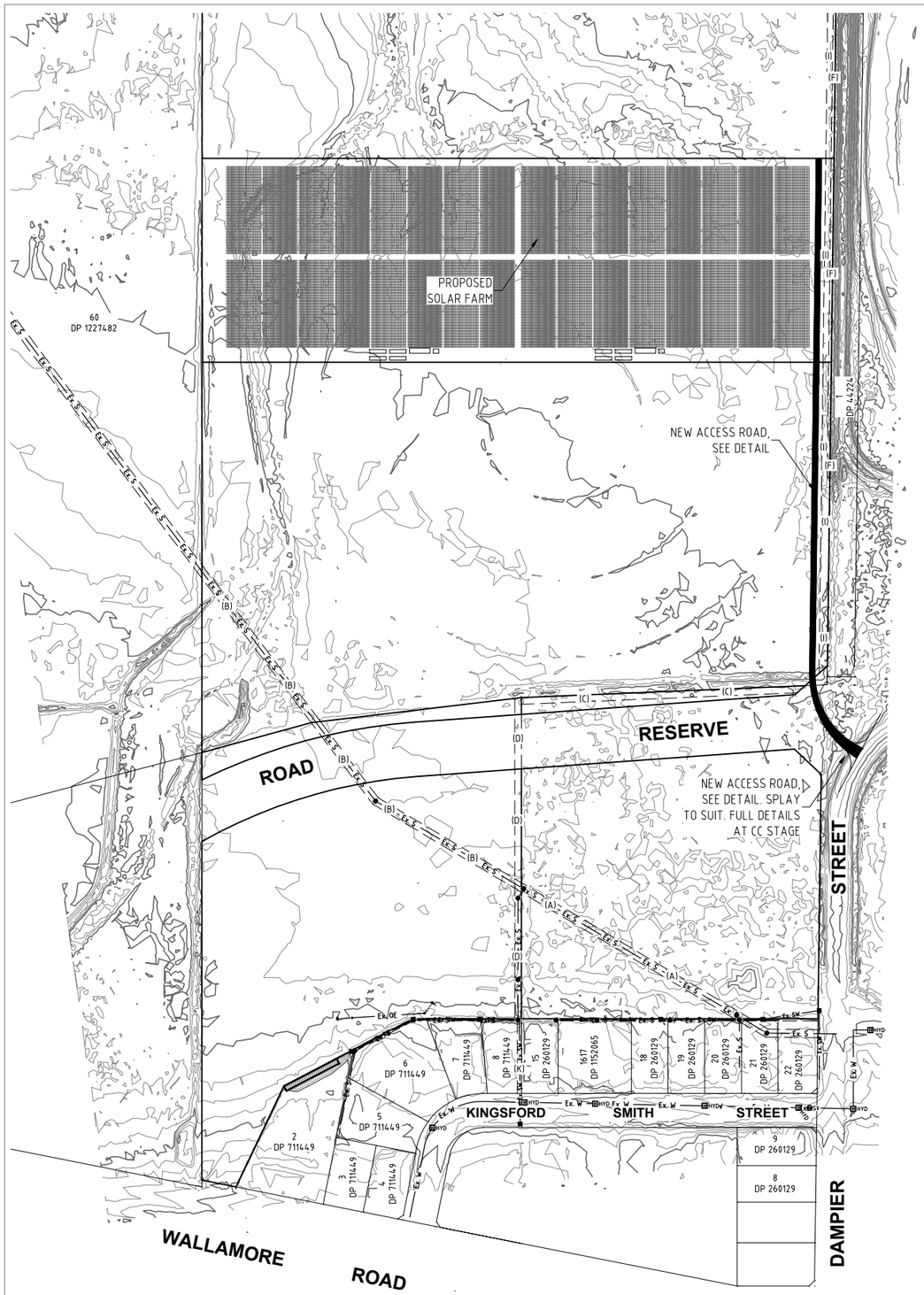

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3. ALL WORK IS TO BE UNDERTAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DETAILS SHOWN ON THE DRAWINGS, THE SPECIFICATIONS AND THE DIRECTIONS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.
4. EXISTING SERVICES HAVE BEEN OBTAINED FROM SURFACE INSPECTION ONLY. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR TO ESTABLISH THE LOCATION AND LEVEL OF ALL EXISTING SERVICES PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF ANY WORK. ANY DISCREPANCIES SHALL BE REPORTED TO THE SUPER-INTENDENT. CLEARANCES SHALL BE OBTAINED FROM THE RELEVANT SERVICE AUTHORITY.
5. WHERE NEW WORKS ABUT EXISTING THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THAT A SMOOTH EVEN PROFILE, FREE FROM ABRUPT CHANGES IS OBTAINED.
6. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ARRANGE ALL SURVEY SETOUT TO BE CARRIED OUT BY A QUALIFIED SURVEYOR.
7. CARE IS TO BE TAKEN WHEN EXCAVATING NEAR EXISTING SERVICES. NO MECHANICAL EXCAVATIONS ARE TO BE UNDERTAKEN OVER TELECOM OR ELECTRICAL SERVICES. HAND EXCAVATE IN THESE AREAS.
8. ON COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION, ALL DISTURBED AREAS MUST BE RESTORED TO ORIGINAL, INCLUDING KERBS, FOOTPATHS, CONCRETE AREAS, GRAVEL AND GRASSED AREAS AND ROAD PAVEMENTS.
9. MAKE SMOOTH TRANSITION TO EXISTING SURFACES.
10. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE ALL TEMPORARY DIVERSION DRAINS AND MOUNDS TO ENSURE THAT AT ALL TIMES EXPOSED SURFACES ARE FREE DRAINING AND WHERE NECESSARY EXCAVATE SUMPS AND PROVIDE PUMPING EQUIPMENT TO DRAIN EXPOSED AREAS. ALL WORK TO BE UNDERTAKEN WITH ADHERENCE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE SOIL AND WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN.
11. THESE PLANS SHALL BE READ IN CONJUNCTION WITH APPROVED ARCHITECTURAL, STRUCTURAL, HYDRAULIC AND MECHANICAL DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS.

SUBGRADE COMPACTION NOTES

1. STRIP TOPSOIL TO EXPOSE NATURALLY OCCURRING MATERIAL.
2. WHERE FILLING IS REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE DESIGN SUBGRADE PROOF ROLL EXPOSED NATURAL SURFACE WITH A MINIMUM OF TEN PASSES OF A VIBRATING ROLLER (MINIMUM STATIC WEIGHT OF 10 TONNES) IN THE PRESENCE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.
3. ALL SOFT, WET OR UNSUITABLE MATERIAL TO BE REMOVED AS DIRECTED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT AND REPLACED WITH APPROVED MATERIAL SATISFYING THE REQUIREMENTS LISTED BELOW.
4. ALL FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE FROM A SOURCE APPROVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT AND SHALL COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING :
   a) FREE FROM ORGANIC AND PERISHABLE MATTER
   b) MAXIMUM PARTICLE SIZE 75mm
   c) PLASTICITY INDEX BETWEEN 2% AND 15%.
5. ALL FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE PLACED IN MAXIMUM 200mm THICK LAYERS AND COMPACTED AT OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT (+ OR - 2%) TO ACHIEVE A DRY DENSITY DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 1289 E3.1 OF NOT LESS THAN THE FOLLOWING STANDARD MINIMUM DRY DENSITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS 1289 E1.1:

LOCATION	STANDARD DRY DENSITY
ROADS	100% STD MDD

6. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROGRAMME THE EARTHWORKS OPERATION SO THAT THE WORKING AREAS ARE ADEQUATELY DRAINED DURING THE PERIOD OF CONSTRUCTION. THE SURFACE SHALL BE GRADED AND SEALED OFF TO REMOVE DEPRESSIONS, ROLLER MARKS AND SIMILAR WHICH WOULD ALLOW WATER TO POND AND PENETRATE THE UNDERLYING MATERIAL. ANY DAMAGE RESULTING FROM THE CONTRACTOR NOT OBSERVING THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE RECTIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR AT THEIR COST.

ROADWORKS NOTES

1. ALL BASECOURSE AND SUB-BASECOURSE MATERIALS SHALL BE PROVIDED BY UCML.
2. ALL BASECOURSE AND SUB-BASE MATERIALS SHALL BE COMPACTED TO ACHIEVE A MINIMUM OF 100% STANDARD MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY AT OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT OF +OR- 2% IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS1289 E1.1

PAVEMENT DESIGN NOTES

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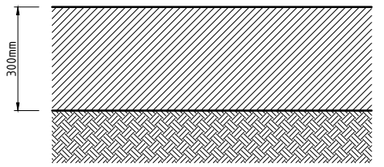

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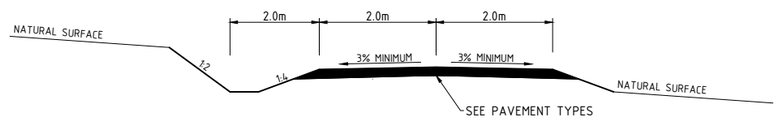

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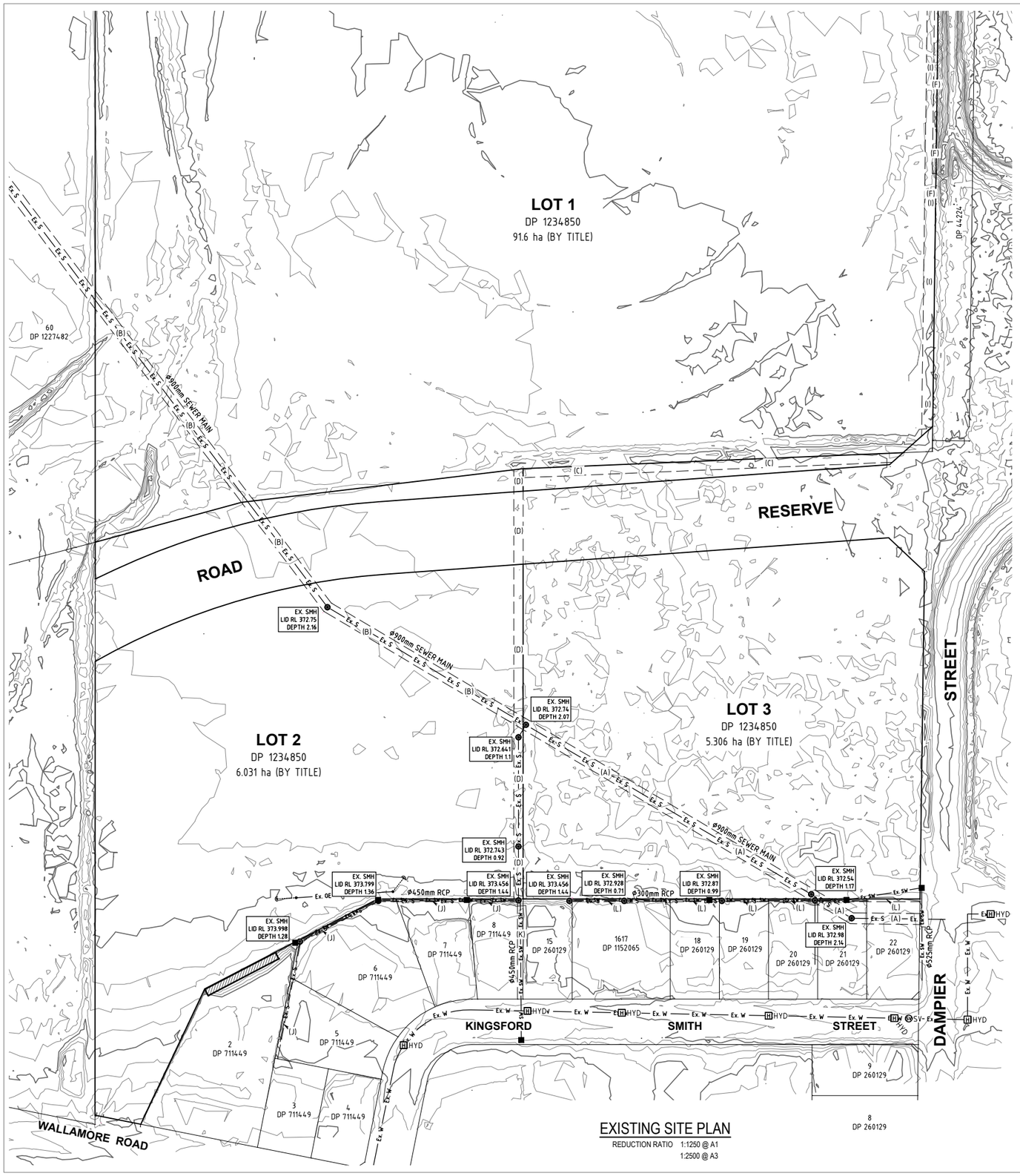

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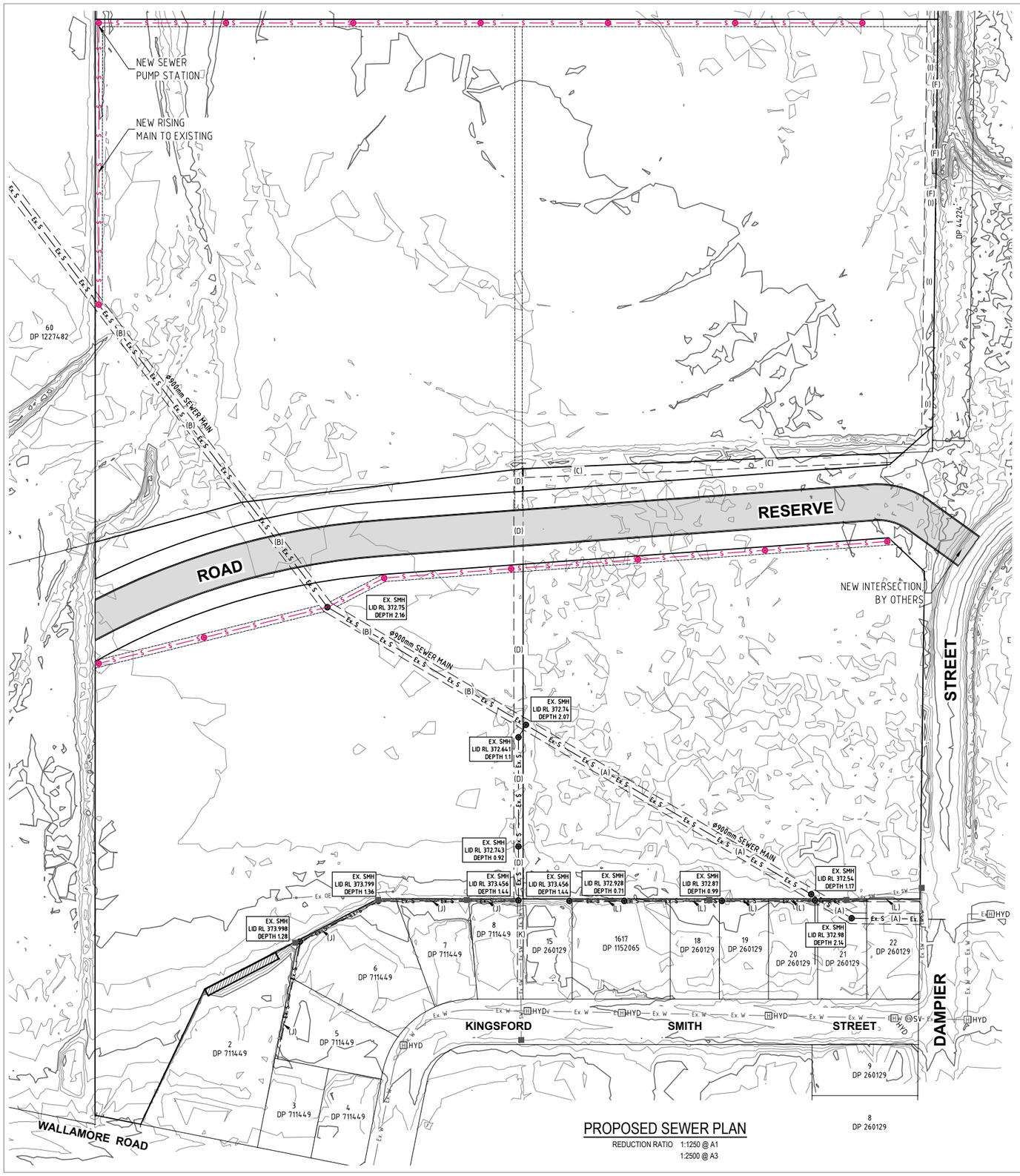

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- PROPOSED SEWER MAIN – APPROX. ONLY
- PROPOSED SEWER MANHOLE – APPROX. ONLY

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NOTES

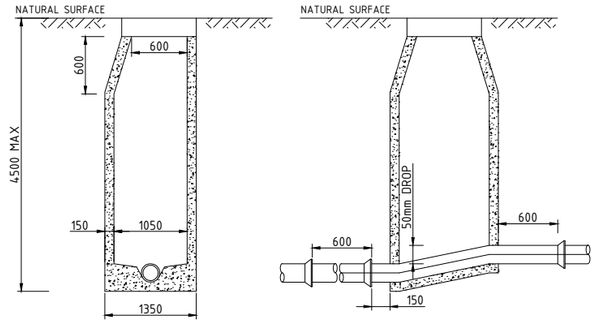
1. ALL SEWER MAINS SHALL BE 150Ø/225Ø CLASS SN8 RRJ UPVC PIPE. ALL GRAVITY LINES TO USE SEWER GRADE FITTINGS WHERE REQUIRED.
2. CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER MAINS AND MANHOLES SHALL BE CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE WSA SEWERAGE CODE, WSA-02, 2002.
3. ANY OTHER SERVICES INCLUDING TELSTRA, GAS, POWER, WATER AND STORMWATER MUST BE LOCATED BEFORE WORK COMMENCES.
4. MANHOLES SHALL BE PRECAST CONCRETE FROM A SUPPLIER APPROVED BY COUNCIL AND HAVE A ROUND REMOVABLE LIGHT DUTY GATIC COVER (UNO) AND A MINIMUM INTERNAL DIAMTER OF 1020mm.
5. 150mmØ BOUNDARY RISERS SHALL BE PROVIDED TO EACH LOT TO TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL'S GUIDELINES FOR ENGINEERING WORKS.
6. RISERS AND SIDELINES TO BE CONSTRUCTED TO WSA-02 2002.
7. FLOW LINE CHANNELS AND INTERSECTIONS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED THROUGH MANHOLES AS PER WSA-02 2002.
8. ALL SEWER MAINS TO BE PRESSURE TESTED AS PER WSA-02 2002 TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL'S GUIDELINES FOR ENGINEERING WORKS.

BEDDING NOTES

1. THE MINIMUM DEPTH TO TOP OF PIPE SHALL BE 1000mm, EXCEPT UNDER ROAD PAVEMENT WHERE MINIMUM COVER TO TOP OF PIPE SHALL BE 1200mm MINIMUM UNLESS SHOWN OTHERWISE. PIPES WITH LESS COVER THAN THESE LIMITS TO BE CONCRETE ENCASED, AND DICL UNDER ROADS.
2. GRADES OF GRAVITY SEWER NOT TO BE FLATTER THAN 1:179 (0.55%) FOR 150mm DIAMETER PIPES AS PER WSA-2014.
3. MANHOLES SHALL BE PLACED AT EACH CHANGE IN DIRECTION OR GRADE OF THE PIPE LINE AT INTERVALS ALONG THE LINE NOT EXCEEDING 80m.

FIELD NOTES

1. BEARINGS AND DISTANCES ARE BY TITLE AND/OR DEED ONLY. NO BOUNDARY INVESTIGATION HAS BEEN CARRIED OUT.
2. SERVICES SHOWN HEREON HAVE BEEN DETERMINED FROM VISUAL EVIDENCE ONLY. PRIOR TO ANY DEMOLITION, EXCAVATION OR CONSTRUCTION ON THE SITE THE RELEVANT AUTHORITY SHOULD BE CONTACTED TO ESTABLISH DETAILED LOCATION AND DEPTH.
3. ALL HEIGHTS TO AHD (AUSTRALIAN HEIGHT DATUM).



TYPICAL MANHOLE SECTION (150mmØ)

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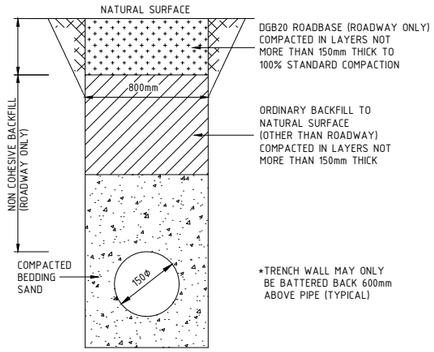

TYPICAL TRENCH SECTION

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* INSTALLATION OF UPVC PIPES SHALL TO CONFORM TO AS2032-1977 "INSTALLATION OF UPVC PIPE SYSTEMS", AS2566-1998 "BURIED FLEXIBLE PIPELINES", WSA-02 2002 AND MANUFACTURERS INSTRUCTIONS.

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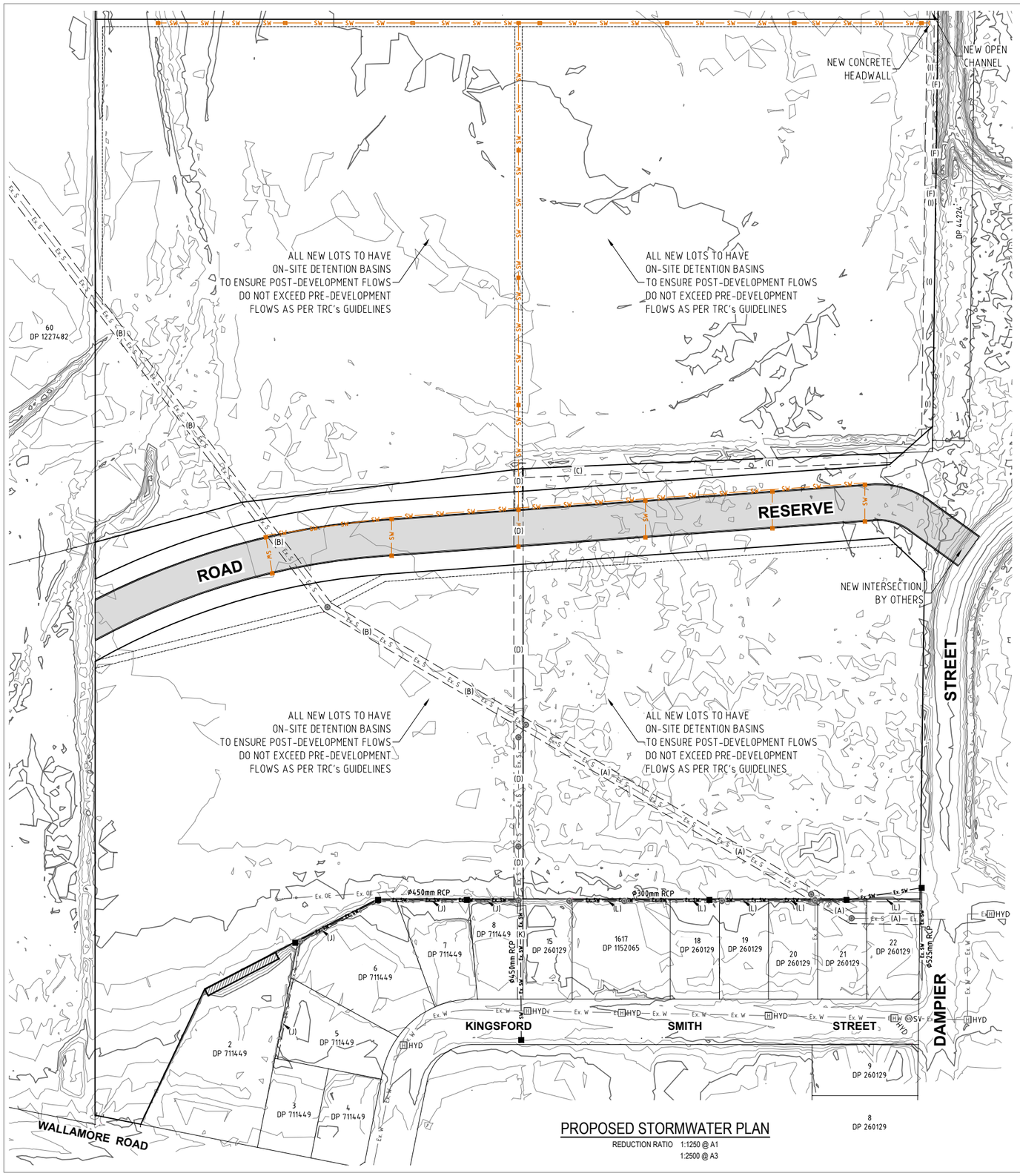

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STORMWATER NOTES

1. CONTRACTOR IS TO ADEQUATELY INFORM HIMSELF AS TO THE DEPTH AND LOCATION OF ALL EXISTING SERVICES PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION.
2. PIPE IS TO BE LAID AT UNIFORM GRADE BETWEEN INVERT LEVELS SHOWN WITH MINIMUM COVER MAINTAINED UNLESS OTHERWISE APPROVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT.
3. MINIMUM COVER OVER ALL PIPES IN NON-TRAFFICABLE AREAS TO BE 450mm UNO. MINIMUM COVER OVER ALL PIPES IN TRAFFICABLE AREAS TO BE 600mm UNO. WHEN THIS CRITERIA CANNOT BE ACHIEVED, PIPES TO BE ENCASED IN 150 CONCRETE.
5. ALL CONNECTIONS TO EXISTING DRAINAGE PITS SHALL BE MADE IN A TRADESMAN-LIKE MANNER AND THE INTERNAL WALL OF THE PIT AT THE POINT OF ENTRY SHALL BE CEMENT RENDERED TO ENSURE A SMOOTH FINISH.
6. PRECAST PITS MAY BE USED AS APPROVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT.
7. ALL PIPES SHALL BE RUBBER RING JOINTED CLASS '2' UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.

COMPACTION OF BACKFILL

1. BEDDING SAND

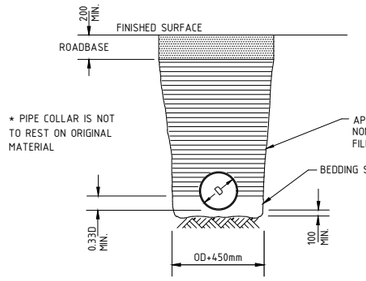
   BEDDING SAND SHALL BE GRANULAR MATERIAL HAVING A LOW PERMEABILITY AND HIGH STABILITY WHEN SATURATED, CONFORMING TO THE GRADING LIMITS FOR BEDDING SAND AS INDICATED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS. BEDDING SAND SHALL BE COMPACTED TO A DENSITY INDEX OF 70% AS DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS1289.

2. APPROVED IMPORTED GRANULAR FILL

   ONLY IMPORTED GRANULAR FILL MATERIAL APPROVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE USED. THIS FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE COMPACTED IN LAYERS NOT EXCEEDING 150mm THICK TO A DRY DENSITY OF 95% OF THE STANDARD MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY OF THE MATERIAL AND WITH A MOISTURE CONTENT NO MORE THAN 1% ABOVE OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT AS DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS1289.

3. ORDINARY EXCAVATED FILL MATERIAL

   ORDINARY EXCAVATED FILL MATERIAL IS EXCAVATED TRENCH MATERIAL THAT IS FREE OF VEGETABLE MATTER, HUMUS, LARGE CLAY LUMPS AND ROCK BOULDERS. THIS FILL MATERIAL SHALL BE COMPACTED IN LAYERS NOT EXCEEDING 300mm THICK, TO A DENSITY OF 90% OF THE STANDRAD MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY OF THE MATERIAL WITH A MOISTURE CONTENT OF NOT MORE THAN 1% ABOVE THE OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT AS DETERMINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS1289.



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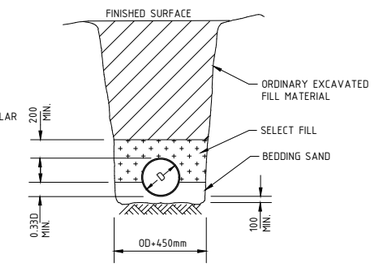

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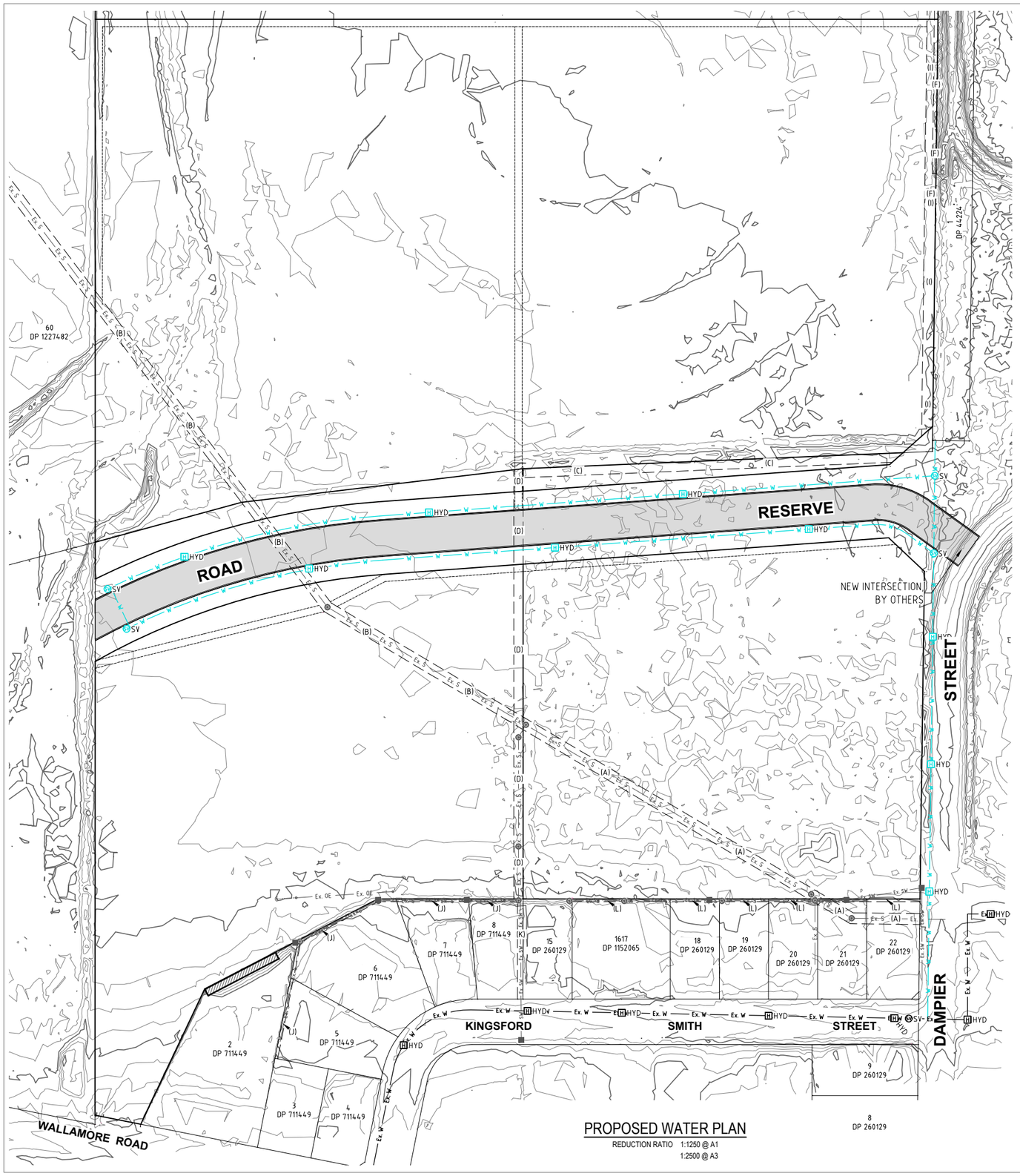

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NOTES:

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2. THE BOTTOM OF THE BRICK, INTERLOCKING CONCRETE BLOCK OR PIPE CHAMBERS SHALL NOT REST DIRECTLY ON THE PIPE BUT ON A COURSE OF BRICKS OR A 100mm THICK CONCRETE FOUNDATION.

3. MINIMUM COVER OVER PIPELINES (ALL TYPES) SHALL BE 750mm IN AREAS SUBJECT TO VEHICULAR LOADING SUCH AS ROADS & FOOTPATHS AND 600mm ELSEWHERE.

4. IN AREAS PAVED WITH BITUMEN SEALING, ASPHALT, CONCRETE OR PAVING BLOCKS THE SURFACE OF VALVE AND HYDRANT COVERS SHALL FINISH FLUSH WITH THE PAVED SURFACE.

5. FOR STOP VALVES INSTALLATION, SOCKETS SHALL BE BUTTED UP TO SPIGOTS AND TRENCH WIDTHS SHALL BE KEPT TO A MINIMUM.

6. FILL SAND SHALL BE COMPACTED IN LAYERS NOT EXCEEDING 150mm AND COMPACTED TO ACHIEVE A MINIMUM 70% DENSITY INDEX AND TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

7. INDICATOR POSTS SHALL BE WHITE IN COLOUR AND ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TYPES :
- 100mm x 100mm REINFORCED CONCRETE WITH 20mm CHAMFERS.
- POWDER COATED METAL SUCH AS "EZIDRIVE" POST OR EQUIVALENT.
- RECYCLED PLASTIC POST WITH RECESSES FOR MARKER PLATES.
- OTHER POSTS APPROVED BY COUNCIL.

8. DIMENSIONS OF SURFACE BOX COVERS SHOWN ON THIS DRAWING ARE NOMINAL. IF SURFACE BOX COVERS OTHER THAN THOSE SHOWN ARE SUPPLIED, THE DIMENSIONS OF THE CONCRETE SURROUNDS SHALL BE ADJUSTED ACCORDINGLY.

9. CONCRETE SHALL HAVE A MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF 20 MPa AND COMPLY WITH THE AUS-SPEC SPECIFICATION FOR MINOR CONCRETE WORKS.

10. THE DIMENSION BETWEEN THE UNDERSIDE OF THE STOP VALVE SURFACE BOX LID AND THE TOP OF THE VALVE SPINDLE SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 80mm. THE TOP OF VALVE SPINDLE SHALL BE NO MORE THAN 300mm BELOW TOP SURFACE OF SURFACE BOX LID. IF THIS CANNOT BE ATTAINED, A GALVANIZED OR EPOXY PAINTED VALVE KEY EXTENSION SECURED BY GRUB SCREWS SHALL BE FITTED. IF NECESSARY, TO ENSURE THAT THE KEY EXTENSION IS CENTERED CORRECTLY A SPIDER ASSEMBLY SHALL BE INCORPORATED IN THE EXTENSION.

PIPE NOTES:

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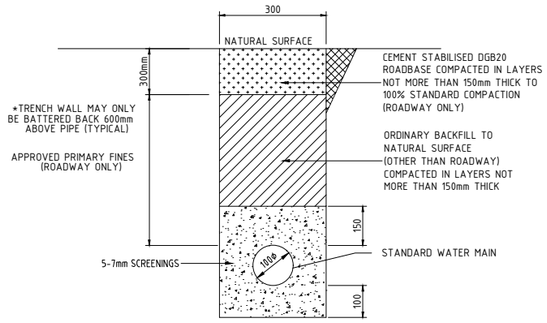

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1 INTRODUCTION

Kayandel Archaeological Services (KAS) has been commissioned by Elton Consulting on behalf of Tamworth-Industrial Pty Ltd (the Proponent) to prepare an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Due Diligence Assessment in relation to Aboriginal Heritage within 55 Dampier Street (Lot 3 DP1234850), Taminda, NSW.

This report outlines the results of the Aboriginal heritage due diligence assessment which meets the requirements of the *Due Diligence Code of Practice* (DECCW, 2010b) and includes recommendations regarding Aboriginal heritage constraints for the proposed rezoning.

Please note that this report is an initial investigation of constraints and opportunities pertaining to identified Aboriginal heritage sites and places on and/or in the immediate vicinity of the proposed development site. It is not an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (ACHAR) prepared in accordance with the guidelines issued by the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH). As such, it would not be sufficient to support an application for an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit, in accordance with Section 90 of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*. Similarly, the report does not consider historical heritage, and would not be sufficient to support an application for a permit under Section 60 or Section 140 of the *Heritage Act 1977*.

1.1 Location of the Subject Area

The Subject Area is located within the Tamworth Regional Council (TRC) Local Government Area (LGA) and the Tamworth Local Aboriginal Land Council (TLALC). The Subject Area is located within the Parish of Murroon, County of Parry (refer to Figure 1).

The Subject Area consists of 55 Dampier Street (Lot 3 DP1234850), Taminda, NSW (refer to Figure 2). The Subject Area covers approximately 4.39ha.

1.2 Proposed Works

Lot 3 DP1234850 is currently zoned as RU4 (Primary Production Small Lots) under the TRC Local Environment Plan 2010 (LEP).

The Proponent has proposed that the Subject Area is rezoned to IN1 (General Industrial).

1.3 Study Limitations

This report is based on a review of available Aboriginal archaeological assessments (sourced from the Heritage Branch library, grey literature and KAS' report library). It is possible that further Aboriginal archaeological assessments or the emergence of new analysis of the Historic archaeological landscape within the Tamworth area may support different interpretations of the evidence in this report.

This report is based exclusively upon desktop assessment.

A summary of the statutory requirements regarding heritage is provided in Section 2. This is made based on our experience of working with the NSW Aboriginal heritage and European heritage systems and does not purport to be legal advice. It should be noted that legislation, regulations, and guidelines change over time and users of this report should satisfy themselves that the statutory requirements have not changed since the report was written.

The results from the 'AHIMS Database Search' (Section 4.2) are valid for 12 months from the date of the search. If this report has not been finalised and/or if it is necessary to update this report, and the

previous AHIMS search is over 12 months old, it will be necessary to undertake another search of the AHIMS to ensure information is current.

1.4 Personnel

This study has been carried out by KAS (refer to Table 1). Background research was undertaken by Meggan Walker. Natalie Stiles completed the mapping. This report was drafted by Meggan Walker; and reviewed by Natalie Stiles and Lance Syme.

Person	Qualification	Experience	Tasks
Lance Syme	BArts (Arch/Paleo), Grad. Dip (Heritage Cons.), M. ICOMOS	20 years	Project Supervision, mapping, report review
Natalie Stiles	BArts (Arch/Paleo), Grad Cert. Arts (Arch), MGIS&RemoteSens	6 years	Mapping & GIS review
Meggan Walker	BArts (Arch/Ancient) (Hons)	<1 year	Background research, report drafting

Table 1: KAS Personnel involved in the preparation of this report

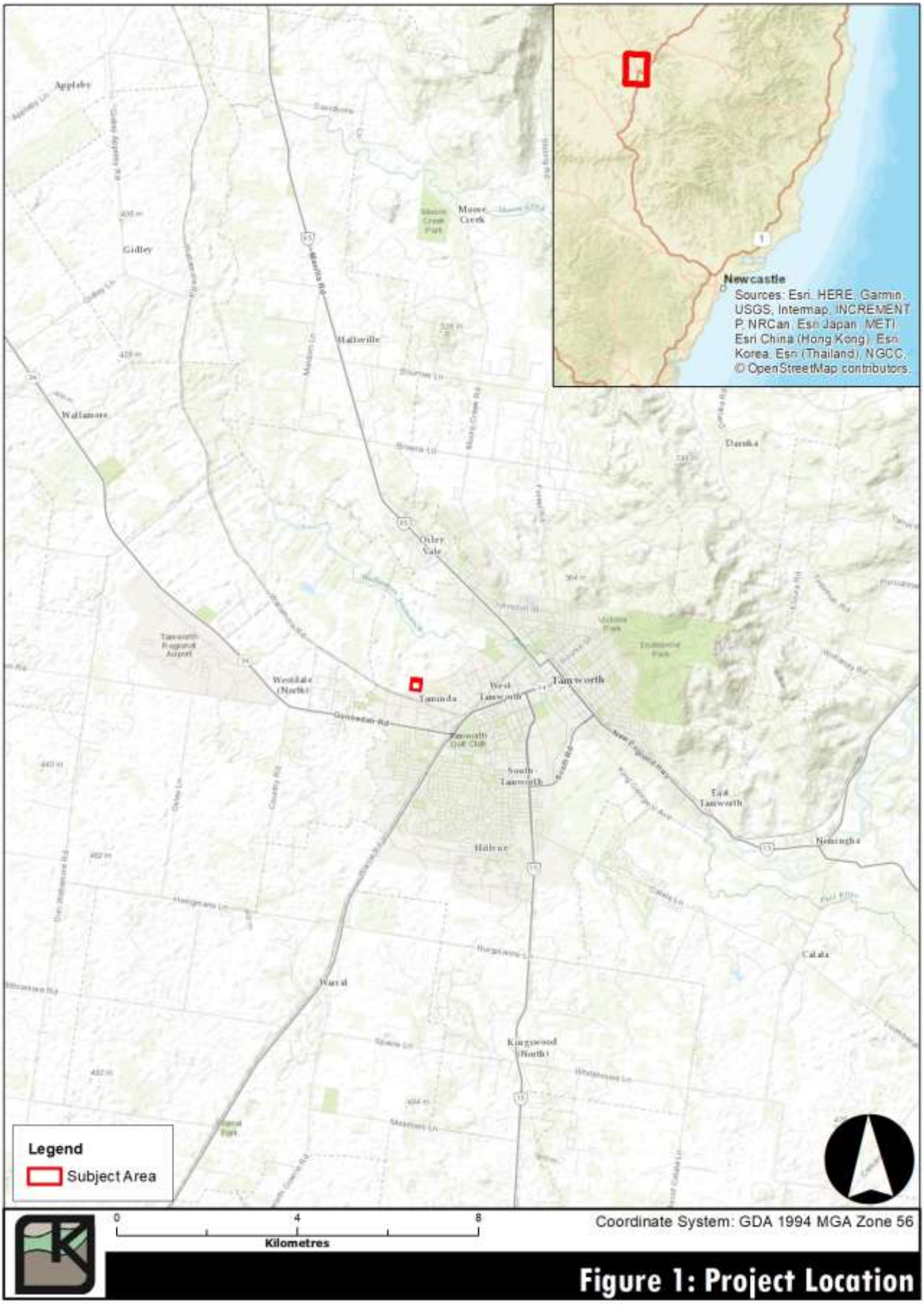

Figure 1: Project Location

Figure 2: Subject Area

2 LEGISLATIVE CONTEXT

The *National Parks & Wildlife Act 1974* provides statutory protection for all Aboriginal 'objects' (consisting of any material evidence of the Aboriginal occupation of NSW) and for 'Aboriginal Places' (areas of cultural significance to the Aboriginal community). Under Section 86 of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act, 1974*, Aboriginal objects are afforded automatic statutory protection in NSW whereby it is an offence to:

> Damage, defence or destroy Aboriginal sites without the prior consent of the Director-General of the National Parks and Wildlife Service (now referred to as the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH).

The Act defines an Aboriginal 'Object' as:

> Any deposit, object or material evidence (not being a handicraft for sale) relating to indigenous and non-European habitation of the area that comprises New South Wales, being habitation before or concurrent with the occupation of that area by persons of non-Aboriginal European extraction, and includes Aboriginal remains.

The *Due Diligence Code of Practice* was introduced in October 2010 by the OEH (formerly the Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water (DECCW)). The aim of the guidelines is to assist individuals and organisations to exercise due diligence when carrying out activities that may harm Aboriginal objects and to determine whether they should apply for consent in the form of an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP).

A due diligence assessment should take reasonable and practicable steps to ascertain whether there is a likelihood that Aboriginal sites will be disturbed or impacted during the proposed works. If it is assessed that sites exist or have a likelihood of existing within the development area and may be impacted by the proposed development, further archaeological investigations may be required. If it is found that Aboriginal sites were to exist within the Subject Area, an AHIP would be required if the proposed impacts cannot be avoided. If it is found to be unlikely that Aboriginal sites were to exist within the Subject Area and the due diligence assessment has been conducted in accordance with the Due Diligence Code of Practice, then the proposed works could proceed without an AHIP.

The *Native Title Act 1994* was introduced to work in conjunction with the *Commonwealth Native Title Act 1993.* Native Title claims, registers and Indigenous Land Use Agreements are administered under the Act. A search of the Native Title register identified a claim by the Gomeroi People over the Subject Area.

3 LANDSCAPE CONTEXT

Tamworth is located in the southern portion of the Nandewar Bioregion. The Nandewar bioregion is bounded by the North Coast, New England Tablelands and Brigalow Belt South Bioregions in the south, east and west respectively. The larger scale geology of the Nandewar Bioregion is characterised by Mesozoic sediments, Devonian sedimentary and volcanic rocks, and Triassic sandstones and shales (NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service, 2003).

The Subject Area is situated within the Liverpool Plains, which is typified by prime agricultural land, with multiple depressions which create lakes after long periods of rain and steep hills arising suddenly from the plains. The Liverpool Plains are bordered to the east by the Great Dividing Range, the south by the Liverpool Range and the west by the Warrumbungle Range. The Namoi River drains the area along with its tributaries, the Peel and Mooki rivers. The Subject Area is located on an alluvial floodplain of the Peel River and Wallamore Anabranch.

Data for rainfall at the Subject Area was taken from Tamworth Airport AWS. The highest mean rainfall is attributed to November, with the highest daily rainfall occurring over the summer months (BOM, 2018).

Soils within the Subject Area consist of the Duri (du) and the Goonoo Goonoo (gn) soil landscapes (Banks, 2001).

The Duri soil landscape is described as a complex geological setting with a mixture of the Devovian sedimentary rocks of the Tamworth belt and interdigitated carboniferous geological units, with soil distribution highly variable owing to the underlying geology. Soils range from Chromosols, Rudosols, Vertosols and Sodosols, all of which vary from red through to brown in colouration The Lithology of the Duri landscape includes arenite, polymictic conglomerate, greywacke and mudstone (Banks, 2001) – some of which are known to be resources utilised by Aboriginal people for the manufacture of stone artefacts.

The Goonoo Goonoo soil landscape is comprised of diverse but individually locally extensive soil types. Soils encountered in this landscape include very deep to giant, imperfectly drained Brown Sodosols (solodic soils); deep to giant, imperfectly drained, Black Vertosols (black earths); very deep to giant, poorly drained Grey Vertosols (grey clays); shallow, moderately well-drained Calcareous Rudosols (calcareous Alluvial Soils); and deep to giant, imperfectly drained Brown Vertosols (Brown clays). These soils have poor drainage and are identified as a flood hazard (Banks, 2001).

Soils are typically shallow duplex soils, comprised of thin clay loam topsoil (A1 horizon) over heavy clays (B horizon), and usually <50cm deep. The heavy clay unit is generally considered to pre-date the Aboriginal colonisation of Australia, and therefore only the upper A1 horizon has the potential to contain Aboriginal objects. The shallow nature of these deposits has implications for the potential and survivability of Aboriginal objects - even minor disturbance and/ or de-vegetation will often result in the complete removal of the upper parts of the soil profile in which objects may occur. Originally, this area would have been dominated by open and/or dry sclerophyll forest, but most of the area is now urbanised and cleared; only creek lines and associated riparian corridors contain dense bushland that may reflect pre-European vegetation (Murphy & Murphy, 2000).

The Subject Area is located 400m south of Wallamore Anabranch on the associated alluvial floodplain. Timbumburi Creek is approximately 426m west of the Subject Area; and is bisected by a number of 1st and 2nd order streams (as defined by the Strahler model). These streams drain north,

through the Subject Area, into the Wallamore Anabranch, and would have provided a temporary water source.

Wilson and McAdam (2000) noted that aerial photography and testimony from local residents attest to the instability of the Peel River, which migrated back and forth across the floodplain. (Wilson & McAdam) suggested that this was typical for all of the watercourses in the region.

It is difficult to reconstruct an understanding of vegetation present in the Tamworth region owing to European land clearing practices. Landform generally has an impact on the vegetation present, with River red Gum, Yellow Box and She-Oak common in the vicinity of major water courses. Blakelys Red Gum, White Box, Kurrajong and Rough-barked Apple are common on slopes and hill sides, with White Box dominant on hills and slopes south of the Peel River (Wilson & McAdam, 2000). The vegetation present within the Subject Area, while also potentially used as Aboriginal economic plants, would also have supported a range of faunal species that would have been utilised by Aboriginal people. The rivers and watercourses in the Tamworth region would also have provided aquatic flora and fauna.

3.1 Historical Land-Use Disturbance

European presence in the Tamworth Region is recorded as early as 1818, and by 1820 the area was already being employed for sheep and cattle grazing. The land was primarily employed by Europeans for grazing with limited more intensive rural practices until late in the nineteenth century, when the alluvial flats along the peel river began to produce successful crops and the demand was stimulated for further agricultural land releases (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

While specific information relating to disturbance at the Subject Area is difficult to determine, from aerial photographs and an understanding of the use of the region it can be understood that the Subject Area has been used primarily for agricultural purposes, mainly relating to crop growth and animal grazing. Current aerials of the Subject Area show disturbance relating to irrigation systems and fence installation, as well as the impacts caused by animal grazing.

4 ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT

4.1 Ethnohistory

The oldest site identified within the Tamworth Region is Bendemeer II, dating to 4,950BP (Wilson & McAdam, 2000); although this is arguably a reflection of the lack of archaeological investigations within the region and preserved datable material rather than a reflection of actual occupation dates.

The Tamworth region and it's surrounds are generally accepted as having been originally inhabited by the Gamilaroi (also referred to as Komilaroi) people, who are recognised by researchers as the primary linguistic group for the greater New England Region (Tindale, 1974; Wilson & McAdam, 2000). Europeans identified a number of groups in the Tamworth region including the Goonoo Goonoo, Gunnedah, Manellae (people who traditionally utilised the Manilla River) and Moonb (Tindale, 1974). Carey (2006) dentifies two sub-communities of the Gamilaroi, who occupied the area now known as Tamworth: the Mooni, and the Goonoo Goonoo people. The Gamilaroi people spoke a range of dialects throughout the New England Region, with Wilson and McAdam (2000) commenting that there were two distinct groups – the Corbon Gamilaroi, who occupied areas surrounding the Peel River including Liverpool Plains, and the Gammon Gamilaroi, who occupied the southern part of the language territory.

European settlement had a devastating effect on the traditional life ways of the Kamilaroi. Violent conflicts between settlers and Aboriginal groups, disease and dispossession of land resulted in population decrease. Conflict in the district was not uncommon. Descendent of Thomas Bowman, one of the early landowners within the project area, passed on stories of Bowman working through the night to build fences to secure them from Aboriginal people (Boileau, 2007). One of the more violent recorded conflicts was the reprisal campaigns of Major James Nunn. Boileau (2007) describes the action thus:

> *"They travelled in a circuit north across the Nandewar Ranges through Archibald Bell's Barraba station, on to Thomas Hall's new station at Bingara, then to Snodgrass Lagoon on Waterloo Creek, midway between the Namoi and the Gwydir, where they massacred an estimated forty or fifty Aboriginal people who were camped there. On their return journey through the foothills the posse engaged in a typical frontier style 'mopping up' operation, hunting down and killing any Aborigine they encountered."*

4.2 AHIMS Database Search

The locations and details of Aboriginal sites are considered culturally sensitive information. It is recommended that this information, including the AHIMS data and GIS imagery, is removed from this report if it is to enter the public domain.

KAS carried out a search of the AHIMS database on the 2nd October 2018 using the Client Service ID 373803 with the coordinates set out in Table 2 below.

	Easting	Northing
Minimum	294806	6554701
Maximum	303806	6563701

Table 2: AHIMS Database Search Criteria

(Zone 56 additional buffer 1kms)

The search area was a 9km by 9km square centred upon the Subject Area, with a 1km buffer (see Figure 3). The results of the AHIMS search are presented in Figure 3 and Table 3. A total of 113 Aboriginal sites have been registered within the search area. Figure 4 shows that Aboriginal sites recorded in proximity to the Subject Area.

It should be noted that the distribution of sites in the AHIMS database is a reflection of where site surveys have been conducted, where exposure and visibility conditions have enabled the detection of sites, and where sites have survived modern land disturbance. The distribution of sites from AHIMS may not be a true reflection of the existing Aboriginal sites in an area.

Site types	Total	%
Open Camp Site	51	*45%*
Isolated Find	38	*34%*
Scarred Tree	10	*9%*
Quarry	5	*4%*
Scarred Tree with Isolated Find	2	*2%*
Open Camp Site with Grinding Groove	1	*1%*
Not an Aboriginal Site	1	*1%*
Open Camp Site and Aboriginal Ceremony and Dreaming	1	*1%*
Open Camp Site with Quarry	1	*1%*
Restricted	1	*1%*
Rock Engraving	1	*1%*
Scarred Tree and Open Camp Site	1	*1%*
Total	***113***	***100%***

Table 3: Site types from AHIMS search (Client Service ID 373803)

The AHIMS search indicates that fifty-three (53) of the one hundred and thirteen (113) identified sites were Open Camp Sites, or Open Camp Sites with other associated features, which comprises of 46.9% of the site types. A further 34% of the site types were identified as Isolated Finds. The site types present from the AHIMS search reflect the landforms present within the region.

4.3 Regional Archaeological Context

Extensive archaeological studies are rare within the Tamworth region or Subject Area. These extensive studies provide material evidence of Aboriginal occupation in the Tamworth region, and provide an indication of where and what types of Aboriginal sites may be located in the landscape.

The most comprehensive analysis of Aboriginal Archaeology in the Tamworth Area is that undertaken by Wilson and McAdam (2000), which involved the survey of a number of areas within the region. The Tamworth Heritage Study (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988) is another regional study, which focused on European Heritage within the Region generally and specific areas within it, as opposed to exclusively focusing on a limited Study Area.

Other archaeological studies within the Tamworth region have involved specific focus on a study area, and primarily restricted to archaeological survey.

Within the greater region, there have been few Aboriginal archaeological studies, most focused on specific study areas and involving primarily archaeological survey. Below is a discussion of various relevant Aboriginal archaeological investigations within the Tamworth Region.

Everick Heritage Consultants (2015)

Everick Heritage Consultants (Everick) (2015) undertook an archaeological study across a range of properties in 2015, on behalf of the Tamworth Regional Council for the Glen Artney Industrial Development. Their Subject Area was approximately 745ha; and was located 6km northwest of the Subject Area.

Everick (2015) undertook a desktop study, and a targeted archaeological field inspection in the process of completing their Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report which was undertaken in accordance with the Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW, 2010b). A total of six (6) Aboriginal sites during the inspection: four (4) isolated artefacts, one (1) low density artefact scatter and one (1) scarred tree.

Wilson and McAdam (2000)

The Tamworth Aboriginal/Archaeological Site Study was undertaken in 2000 by Wilson and McAdam (2000), and involved an extensive series of surveys across the Tamworth city region.

Wilson and McAdam (2000) identified a number of sites across their study area, including one (1) scarred tree (Wallamore Anabranch Scarred Tree (AHIMS #29-2-0285) in proximity to the Subject Area, to the west on the southern bank of the Wallamore Anabranch.

4.4 Previous Archaeological Investigations

There have been no previous archaeological investigations within the Subject Area.

4.5 Previous Predictive Models

Wilson and McAdam (2000)

Wilson and McAdam (2000) proposed a predictive model for the Tamworth region based on their extensive survey and analysis of background information:

- The climatic information suggests Tamworth would have allowed for year-round Aboriginal occupation, with the topographic data suggesting favourable conditions for Aboriginal habitation south of the Peel River (which corresponds to our Subject Area);
- Even though major watercourse are the most likely places for Aboriginal people to congregate, the wandering nature of the Peel River and its tributaries along the flood plain suggest a low likelihood of locating preserved Aboriginal camp sites;
- Aboriginal camp sites are most likely to be preserved in the deep, brown, structured clays or solodic soils of the lower slopes where they meet the alluvial flats but above the flood plain;
- Isolated finds will most likely be located in areas of low gradient within 200m of a watercourse, with artefacts likely to be large or made from highly observable stone;
- Artefact scatters will be most likely located in areas of low gradient in close proximity to a watercourse, and are most likely to contain flakes, retouched flakes, broken flakes, flaked pieces and cores. With axes, mullers and grindstone predicted to be rare. The size of scatters is anticipated to increase with the proximity to reliable watercourses;
- Scarred trees will likely be located within 100m of a watercourse, but are anticipated to be rare extrapolating from previous data owing to European land clearance, with tree types most likely to contain scars being white box and river red gums;
- Carved trees are considered unlikely owing to the tradition of their removal to museums;
- Stone quarry sites are likely to be located on ridges, hill tops and areas of steep slopes, not in proximity to watercourses;

- Grinding grooves may be located where weathered andestitic greywacke outcrops, especially if these outcrops are in proximity to an Aboriginal axe quarry; and,
- Stone arrangements related to ceremony are not anticipated in proximity to watercourses and are unlikely to occur in the region.

Everick Heritage Consultants (2015)

Everick Heritage Consultants (2015) observed that:

- Specific environment contexts including alluvial landforms, low kills, lower slopes and spurs are likely to contain the majority of evidence of Aboriginal occupation;
- Isolated artefacts will be the result of random discard and may occur in almost any environmental context;
- Open Campsites will be primarily secondary flakes in low- or high-density scatters, and associated with other features, potentially containing burials when located on sand strata
- Middens, while the Peel River does contain freshwater Shellfish, are unlikely given their absence in the region; and,
- Modified trees will potentially be present within 100m of the watercourses in old stands of trees.

4.6 Aboriginal Heritage Predictions for the Subject Area

The following predictions for Aboriginal sites to be present within the Subject Area are based on the landforms present:

- Open artefact scatters are more likely in areas less than 100m from a major watercourse, or from a confluence of watercourses;
- The size, density and significance of sites will vary, although it is anticipated that sites will be considerably less complex and less dense at distances greater than 100m from a major watercourse;
- The wandering nature of the Peel River, and the presence of the Subject Area on a floodplain suggests that the potential for surface artefacts is low;
- Where mature trees are present, there is moderate potential for modified trees to exist;
- As past land use disturbance increases in intensity, the ability for Aboriginal objects to provide spatial and chronological information about past Aboriginal land use will decrease;
- Burials are not anticipated to be present in the Subject Area. No instances of Aboriginal burials were identified from the AHIMS search within 9km of the Subject Area; and,
- Areas of Potential Archaeological Deposits (PADs) may be present in locations with minimal previous land disturbance and in close proximity to a watercourse.

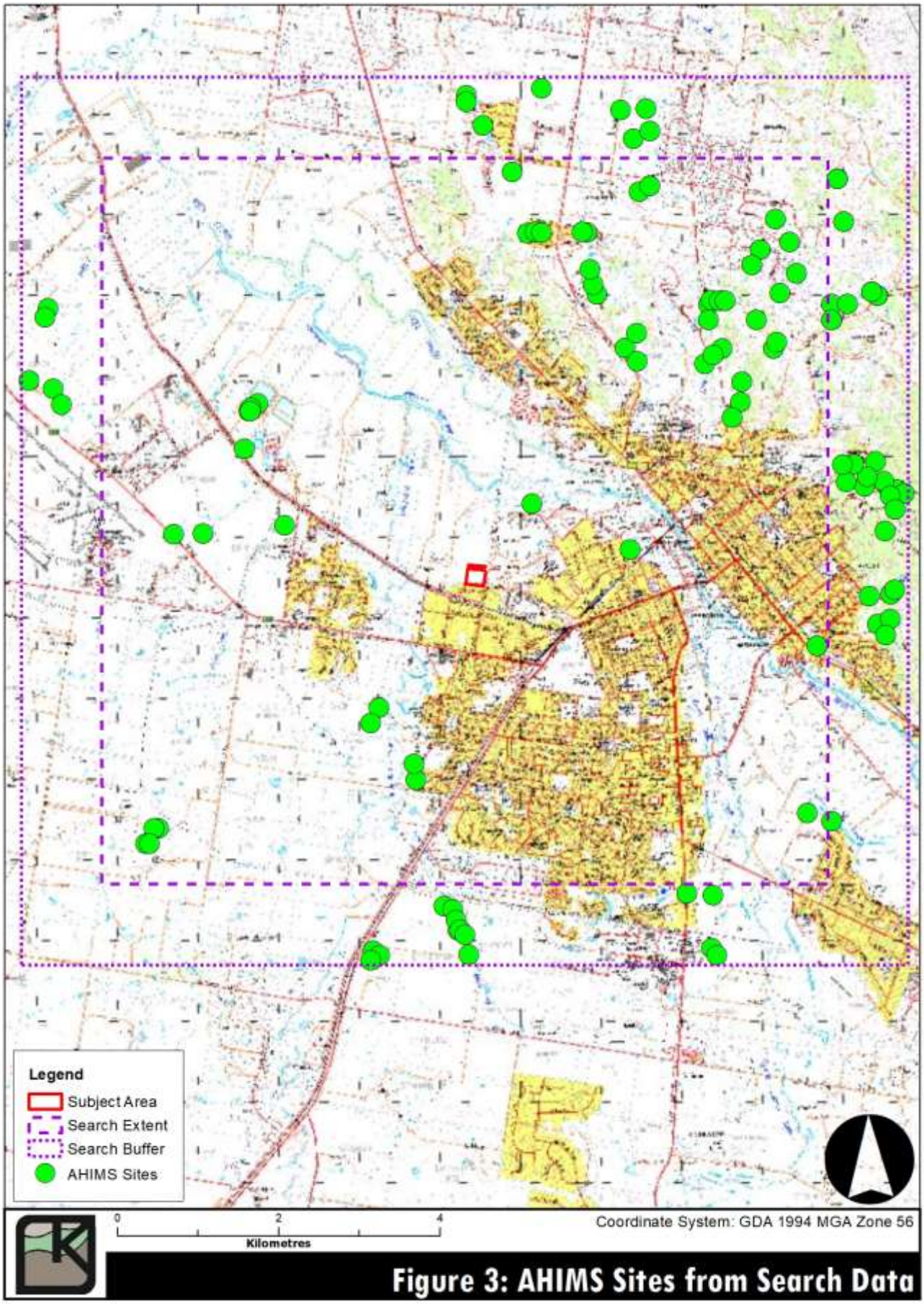

Figure 3: AHIMS Sites from Search Data

Figure 4: AHIMS Sites in Proximity

5 PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

This due diligence assessment provides a preliminary assessment of archaeological potential, that is to determine likelihood of potential archaeological deposits (PAD) being present within the Subject Area. A more comprehensive and detailed investigation of the extent and nature of any archaeological potential would be completed during an archaeological survey report (ASR), where required, under the *Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales* (DECCW 2010 (now referred to as the Office of Environment and Heritage).

This desktop assessment has identified no Aboriginal cultural material within or abutting the Subject Area. One (1) AHIMS site is located approximately 962m to the northeast of the Subject Area, identified as WAB ST 1 (Wallamore Anabranch Scarred Tree 1) (AHIMS #29-2-0285). Given the lack of mature vegetation within the Subject Area resulting from land clearance for agricultural and pastoral activities, it is unlikely that scarred trees will be present. Furthermore, Wilson & McAdam (2000) commented that any artefact-bearing deposits that may have been present across the alluvial plain of the Peel River and its tributaries are likely to have disappeared as a result of the unstable creek line.

Based on the information presented above, no further archaeological investigation is recommended for the Subject Area. If the proposed works as identified in Section 1.2, do uncover any Aboriginal cultural material, further archaeological work will be necessary.

6 DUE DILIGENCE ASSESSMENT

KAS was asked to conduct an Aboriginal archaeological assessment of the Investigation Area in accordance with the *Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales* (DECCW, 2010b). This *Due Diligence Code of Practice* sets out the matters which are to be addressed when assessing whether or not an activity may harm Aboriginal Objects.

The *Due Diligence Code of Practice*, with reference to the DECCW process (Appendix VI), outlines in regard to the proposed project (refer to Section 1.2) within the Subject Area, the following:

1. It is not an activity under Part 3 under s.75B of the EP&A Act;
2. The proposed activity is not exempt under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act, 1974* or *National Parks and Wildlife Regulation, 2009*;
3. The proposed activity will not involve harm that is trivial or negligible;
4. The activity is not within an Aboriginal place and no previous investigations meeting the requirements of this code have identified Aboriginal objects;
5. The proposed activity is not a low impact one for which there is a defense in the *National Parks and Wildlife Regulation, 2009*; and,
6. The proponent is not eligible to use an industry specific code of practice.

Consequently, the Generic Due Diligence Code of Practice (DECCW, 2010b) is to be followed. The decision process determining whether an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) is required is as follows (Appendix VI):

1. The activity will disturb the ground surface, but will not disturb any culturally modified trees;
2. a. the Subject Area does not have previously confirmed site records or other associated landscape feature information on AHIMS;

   b. there are no sites identified within the Subject Area;

   c. there are landscape features that are likely to indicate the presence of Aboriginal objects;
3. The carrying out of the proposed activity can be avoided at the relevant landscape features identified over the Subject Area; and,
4. The desktop assessment completed indicate that the likelihood of Aboriginal objects being present is low.

As such, it is determined that an AHIP is not required for the project as currently proposed, however caution must be exercised. It is extremely important to note that the above conclusions are relevant only to the current Investigation Area and not the Subject Area as a whole, which does contain a registered Aboriginal site and therefore will require further investigation.

7 RECOMMENDATIONS

The following recommendations regarding Aboriginal heritage are based on consideration of:

- The legal requirements of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* (as amended), whereby it is illegal to damage, deface or destroy an Aboriginal relic without first obtaining the written consent of the Director General of National Parks & Wildlife Service;
- The legal requirements of the *Heritage Act 1977*, whereby it is illegal to disturb or excavate any land knowing or having reasonable cause to suspect that the disturbance or excavation will or is likely to result in a relic being discovered, exposed, moved, damaged or destroyed unless the disturbance or excavation is carried out in accordance with an excavation permit;
- The results of the background research, and the desktop assessment; and,
- The likely impacts of the proposed works (refer to Section 1.2 and **Error! Reference source not found.**).

It was found that:

- The desktop assessment did not identify any Aboriginal sites within the Subject Area.

It is therefore recommended that:

1. Works as currently specified can proceed with caution, subject to the recommendations included below;
2. This due diligence assessment must be kept by the Proponent so that it can be presented, if needed, as a defence from prosecution under Section 86(2) of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*;
3. All relevant staff and contractors should be made aware of their statutory obligations for heritage under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*, which may be implemented as a heritage induction;
4. Should the design and/or extent of the proposed development be altered, further archaeological assessment may be required. This may include the need to complete an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA), the full Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements (ACHCR), sub surface investigations under the *Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in NSW* (DECCW, 2010a) and apply for an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) from the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH), NSW;
5. If unrecorded Aboriginal object or objects are identified in the Subject Area during works, then all works in the immediate area must cease and the area should be cordoned off. OEH must be notified by ringing the Enviroline 131 555 so that the site can be adequately assessed and managed;
6. In the unlikely event that skeletal remains are identified, work must cease immediately in the vicinity of the remains and the area must be cordoned off. The proponent must contact the local NSW Police who will make an initial assessment as to whether the remains are part of a crime scene, or possible Aboriginal remains. If the remains are thought to be Aboriginal, OEH must be contacted by ringing the Enviroline 131 555. An OEH officer will determine if the remains are Aboriginal or not; and a management plan must be developed in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal stakeholders before works recommence; and,
7. If, during the course of development works, suspected historic cultural heritage material is uncovered, work should cease in that area immediately. The Heritage Branch, Office of

Environment & Heritage (Enviroline 131 555) should be notified and works only recommence when an approved management strategy has been developed.

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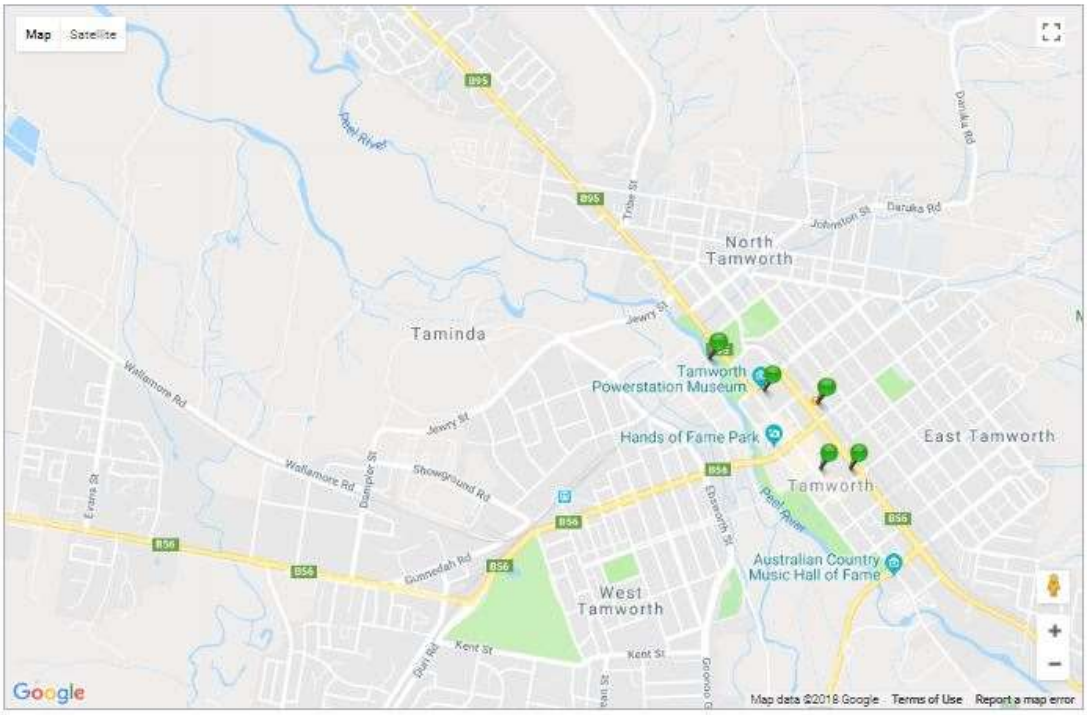
APPENDIX I. State Heritage Register Search Results

Location information for some Aboriginal Places (e.g. burial grounds and sacred sites) have been generalised because of their cultural sensitivity. Location information for restricted Aboriginal Places is not shown at all. If an activity or development is proposed that may potentially impact on or harm (i.e., damage, deface or destroy) an Aboriginal Place, then proponents must undertake a search for the exact boundaries of Aboriginal Places through **AHIMS Web Services**.

Downloading of State Heritage Register spatial datasets and associated metadata into a Geographical Information System (GIS) software package is available through **Data NSW**

Listing Type:	◉ All ○ Aboriginal Places ○ State Heritage Register
Local government area:	Please Choose...
Item name/Database ID:	
SHR number:	
Location:	tamworth
Local Aboriginal Land Council (LALC):	Please Choose...
State theme:	Please Choose...
Item type:	Please Choose...
Item Group:	Please Choose...
Item category:	Please Choose...

Search Reset



APPENDIX II. State Heritage Inventory Search Results

Home > Topics > Heritage places and items > Search for heritage

Search for NSW heritage

Your search did not return any matching results. Please refine your search and try again.
The State Heritage Inventory is a list of heritage items in New South Wales including Aboriginal Places, State Heritage Register, Interim Heritage Orders, State Agency Heritage Registers and Local Environmental Plans.

The Heritage Division is directly responsible for maintaining **Aboriginal Places** and the **State Heritage Register**. A new **combined map search** is now available. For further information about Aboriginal Places and Sites refer to **AHIMS Web Services**

Whilst the Heritage Division seeks to keep the Inventory up to date, it is reliant on State agencies and local councils to provide their data. Always check with the relevant State agency or local council for the most up-to-date information.

Visit **State Heritage Inventory help** if you are unfamiliar with this search facility.

Basic search criteria

Item name/database ID:	
Street name:	
Suburb/town:	taminda
Local Government Area:	Please Choose...
Local Aboriginal Land Council (LALC):	Please Choose...
Heritage listings:	(For Aboriginal Place and State Heritage Register only) Please Choose...
SHR number:	

Additional search criteria

NOTE: For items listed by local councils, there may not be information in the additional search criteria fields.

Owner organisation*:	
Designer/builder:	
Year of construction:	from to:
Item type:	Please Choose...
Item group:	Please Choose...
Item category:	Please Choose...
Australian historic theme:	Please Choose...
NSW historic theme:	Please Choose...
Significance, description, historical notes:	
Information complete:	

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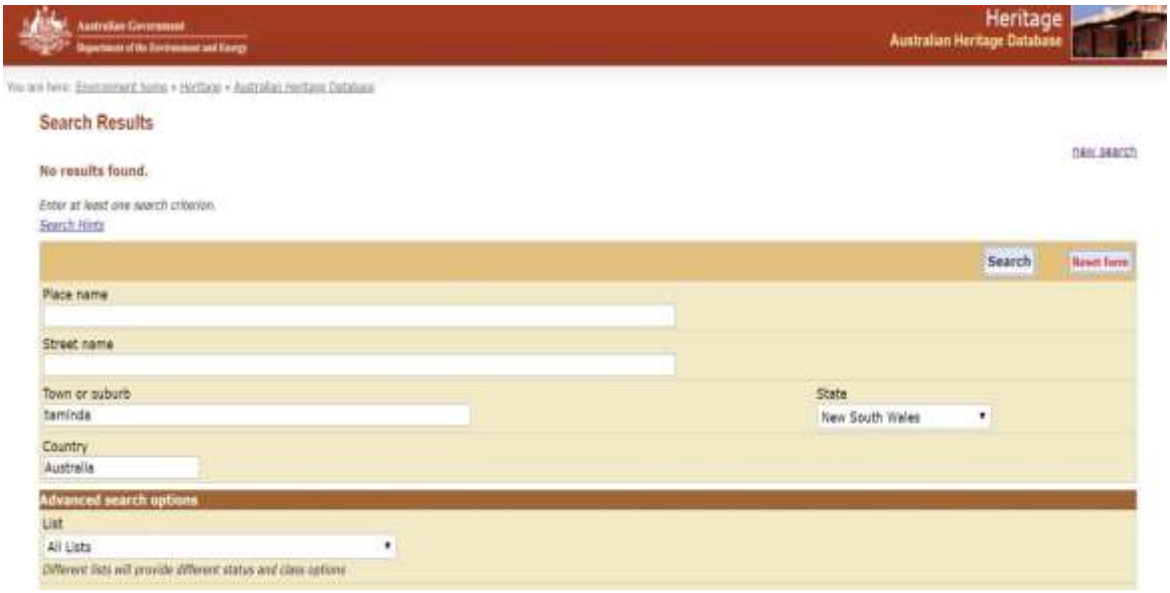
Appendix III. Register of the National Estate Search Results



Appendix IV. Tamworth Local Environment Plan 2010

Appendix V. AHIMS Search Results

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AHIMS Web Services (AWS)
Search Result

Purchase Order/Reference : Taminda_2
Client Service ID : 373803

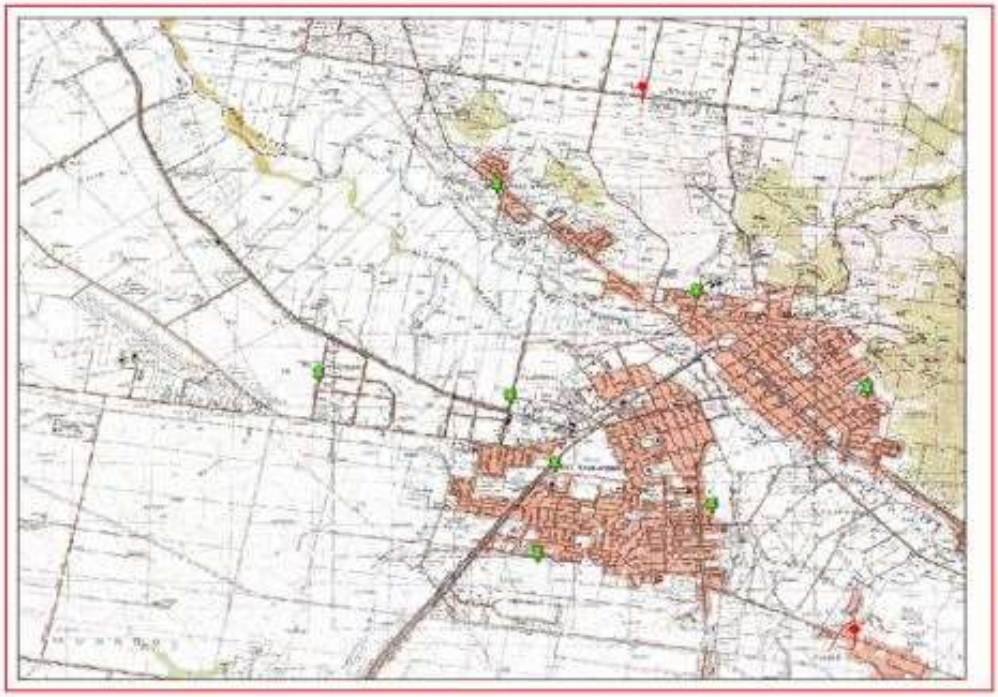
Kayandel Archaeological Services
PO Box 440 15 Henry Street
Picton New South Wales 2571
Attention: Lance Syme
Email: lance.syme@kayandel.com.au

Date: 02 October 2018

Dear Sir or Madam:

AHIMS Web Service search for the following area at Datum :GDA, Zone : 56, Eastings : 294806 - 303806, Northings : 6554701 - 6563701 with a Buffer of 1000 meters, conducted by Lance Syme on 02 October 2018.

The context area of your search is shown in the map below. Please note that the map does not accurately display the exact boundaries of the search as defined in the paragraph above. The map is to be used for general reference purposes only.



A search of the Office of the Environment and Heritage AHIMS Web Services (Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System) has shown that:

113	Aboriginal sites are recorded in or near the above location.
0	Aboriginal places have been declared in or near the above location. *

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AHIMS Web Services (AWS)

Extensive search - Site list report

Your Ref/PO Number : Taminda_2
Client Service ID : 373803

SiteID	SiteName	Datum	Zone	Easting	Northing	Context	Site Status	SiteFeatures	SiteTypes	Reports
29-2-0078	Marsupial Park Endevour Drive Marsupial Park	AGD	56	304550	6559400	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Joanna Newby					**Permits**		
29-2-0059	Marengo 2;	AGD	56	303750	6561500	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -, Stone Quarry : -	Quarry	
	Contact	**Recorders**	J.M Wilson,Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**		
29-2-0001	Tamworth;West Tamworth;	AGD	56	298600	6555800	Open site	Not a Site	Artefact : -	Not an Aboriginal Site	1474
	Contact	**Recorders**	Harry Creamer,Davies Heritage Consultants Pty Ltd					**Permits**		
29-2-0124	Hills Plain 5	AGD	56	303320	6562077	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam,Ivan Johnson					**Permits**		
29-2-0160	Timbumburi Creek Coledale	AGD	56	298575	6556000	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 34		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0150	Garrieties Gully 3	AGD	56	304489	6558108	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0151	MacPherson Hill 1	AGD	56	304324	6557729	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 8		102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0152	MacPherson Hill 2	AGD	56	304476	6557795	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0153	MacPherson Hill 3	AGD	56	304426	6557602	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 33		102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0154	Moore Creek Road 1	AGD	56	300841	6561821	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 11		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0155	Moore Creek Road 2	AGD	56	300796	6561935	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 4		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0156	Moore Creek Road 3	AGD	56	300756	6562125	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 18		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0157	Moore Creek Road 4	AGD	56	301194	6561158	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0158	Moore Creek Road 5	AGD	56	301343	6560990	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0159	Moore Creek Road 6	AGD	56	301332	6561335	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0262	Wentworth Ridge	AGD	56	303110	6561836	Open site	Valid	Grinding Groove : 2, Artefact : 5		

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	Contact T Russell	Recorders	Mr.Bruce Cohen					Permits		
29-2-0106	Hills Plain 1	AGD	56	303060	6562750	Open site	Valid	Stone Quarry : -, Artefact : -	Open Camp Site,Quarry	
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0303	Calala Creek IP/1	AGD	56	303753	6555292	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		102239
	Contact	Recorders	Ivan Johnson,Mr.Patrick Gaynor					Permits	3351,3360	
29-2-0304	Calala Creek IP/2	AGD	56	303454	6555394	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		102239
	Contact	Recorders	Mr.Patrick Gaynor					Permits	3351,3360	
29-2-0337	RPS COMMON EAST 1	GDA	56	302362	6561938	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	RPS Australia East Pty Ltd -Hamilton,Ms.Laraine Nelson					Permits		
29-2-0338	RPS COMMON EAST 2	GDA	56	302463	6561926	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	RPS Australia East Pty Ltd -Hamilton,Ms.Laraine Nelson					Permits		
29-2-0339	RPS COMMON EAST 3	GDA	56	302540	6561926	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	RPS Australia East Pty Ltd -Hamilton,Ms.Laraine Nelson					Permits		
29-2-0104	Hills Plain 4	AGD	56	302870	6562370	Open site	Valid	Stone Quarry : -, Artefact : -	Quarry	
	Contact	Recorders	L McAdam					Permits		
29-2-0105	Hills Plain 3	AGD	56	303230	6562470	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0107	Hills Plain 2	AGD	56	303900	6562720	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	
	Contact	Recorders	Ian Johnson					Permits		
29-2-0103	Hills Plain 6	AGD	56	303030	6561150	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam,Ivan Johnson					Permits	2313,2356	
29-2-0132	Boltons Creek 4	AGD	56	294039	6561643	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 141		97360
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0134	Spring Creek 1 (SC 1)	AGD	56	302227	6561696	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 355		
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0135	Spring Creek 2 (SC 2)	AGD	56	302819	6561506	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0136	Spring Creek 3 (SC 3)	AGD	56	303075	6561229	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 16		
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0137	Spring Creek 4 (SC 4)	AGD	56	302224	6561500	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 9		
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson					Permits		
29-2-0126	Kamilaroi Walking Track 1	AGD	56	304418	6558883	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 7		102239
	Contact	Recorders	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam,Ivan Johnson					Permits		

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29-2-0139	Spring Creek 6-Tamworth	AGD	56	302634	6560739	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 5		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0296	Wallamore Road ST1	GDA	56	296632	6560564	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Ivan Johnson,Mr.Patrick Gaynor					**Permits**	3146,3152	
29-2-0172	Hills Plain IP/10	AGD	56	299790	6563340	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 3		
	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**	3153,3154	
29-2-0173	Hills Plain IP/11	AGD	56	299982	6562580	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		
	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**	3153,3154	
29-2-0174	Hills Plain IP/12	AGD	56	300073	6562594	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		
	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**	3153,3154	
29-2-0175	Hills Plain IP/13	AGD	56	300158	6562586	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**	3153,3154	
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	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**		
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	Contact Searle	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**		
29-2-0178	Barnes Gully IP/1	AGD	56	301256	6558659	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		99292
	Contact T Russell	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**		
29-2-0214	Oakburn 3	AGD	56	294100	6560650	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		103183
	Contact T Russell	**Recorders**	Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					**Permits**		
29-2-0275	DTG/OC 2-Murroon Creek 2	GDA	56	295350	6555200	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Stephanie Garling					**Permits**		
29-2-0277	DTG/ST 1-Timbumburi Ck	GDA	56	298140	6556700	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Stephanie Garling					**Permits**		
29-2-0280	Garawul Gurar 1	GDA	56	304300	6559750	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson					**Permits**		
29-2-0281	Hill Plain 4	GDA	56	302870	6562370	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam,Ivan Johnson					**Permits**		
29-2-0282	Spring Creek ST 2	GDA	56	302622	6560484	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam					**Permits**		

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29-2-0285	WAB ST 1 (Wallamore Anabranch Scarred Tree 1)	GDA	56	300143	6559413	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam					**Permits**		
25-2-0008	Heather Brae Scarred Tree	AGD	56	296468	6559903	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Ms.Suzanne Hudson					**Permits**		
29-2-0288	Garrieties Gully Historic Site	GDA	56	304637	6558345	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		102239
	Contact	**Recorders**	Janice Wilson,Leila McAdam					**Permits**		
29-2-0289	DTG/OC 1 Murron Creek 1	GDA	56	295400	6555200	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Stephanie Garling					**Permits**		
29-2-0306	Tamworth Botanical Gardens Cultural Artefact Area & Scarred Tree Sections 1 & 2	GDA	56	304130	6559908	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 200, Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : 6		
	Contact Mr.Brian Allan	**Recorders**	Barry Cain					**Permits**		
25-2-0009	Marsupial Park 2	GDA	56	304648	6559347	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	PJG Consulting,Mr.Patrick Gaynor					**Permits**	3798	
29-2-0334	Heatherbrae 1	GDA	56	296064	6559045	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Mr.Adrian Piper					**Permits**		
29-2-0335	Heather brae 2	GDA	56	295698	6559035	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Mr.Adrian Piper					**Permits**		
29-2-0336	Heather brea 3	GDA	56	297071	6559146	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Mr.Adrian Piper					**Permits**		
29-2-0346	VICTORIA PARK SITE 1	GDA	56	303994	6559895	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Tamworth LALC,Mr.Donnie (Chris) Fermor					**Permits**		
29-2-0347	Victoria Park 2	GDA	56	303676	6557653	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	**Recorders**	Tamworth LALC,Mr.Donnie (Chris) Fermor					**Permits**		
29-2-0093	DTG/OC1 - Murroon Creek 1	AGD	56	295400	6555200	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	
	Contact	**Recorders**	Mr.Mark Rawson					**Permits**		
29-2-0094	DTG/ST1 - Timbumduri Creek	AGD	56	298140	6556700	Open site	Valid	Modified Tree (Carved or Scarred) : -	Scarred Tree	
	Contact	**Recorders**	Mr.Mark Rawson					**Permits**		
29-2-0092	DTG/OC2 - Murroon Creek 2	AGD	56	295350	6555200	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	
	Contact	**Recorders**	Stephanie Garling					**Permits**		

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29-2-0012	Tamworth Oxley Lookout	AGD	56	304400	6559500	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	102239
	Contact	Recorders	Eugene Stockton					Permits		
29-2-0060	Marengo 3	AGD	56	303750	6561700	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	
	Contact	Recorders	J.M Wilson,Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					Permits		
29-2-0061	Marengo 4	AGD	56	304250	6561850	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -, Aboriginal Ceremony and Dreaming : -		
	Contact	Recorders	J.M Wilson,Archaeological Surveys & Salvage					Permits		
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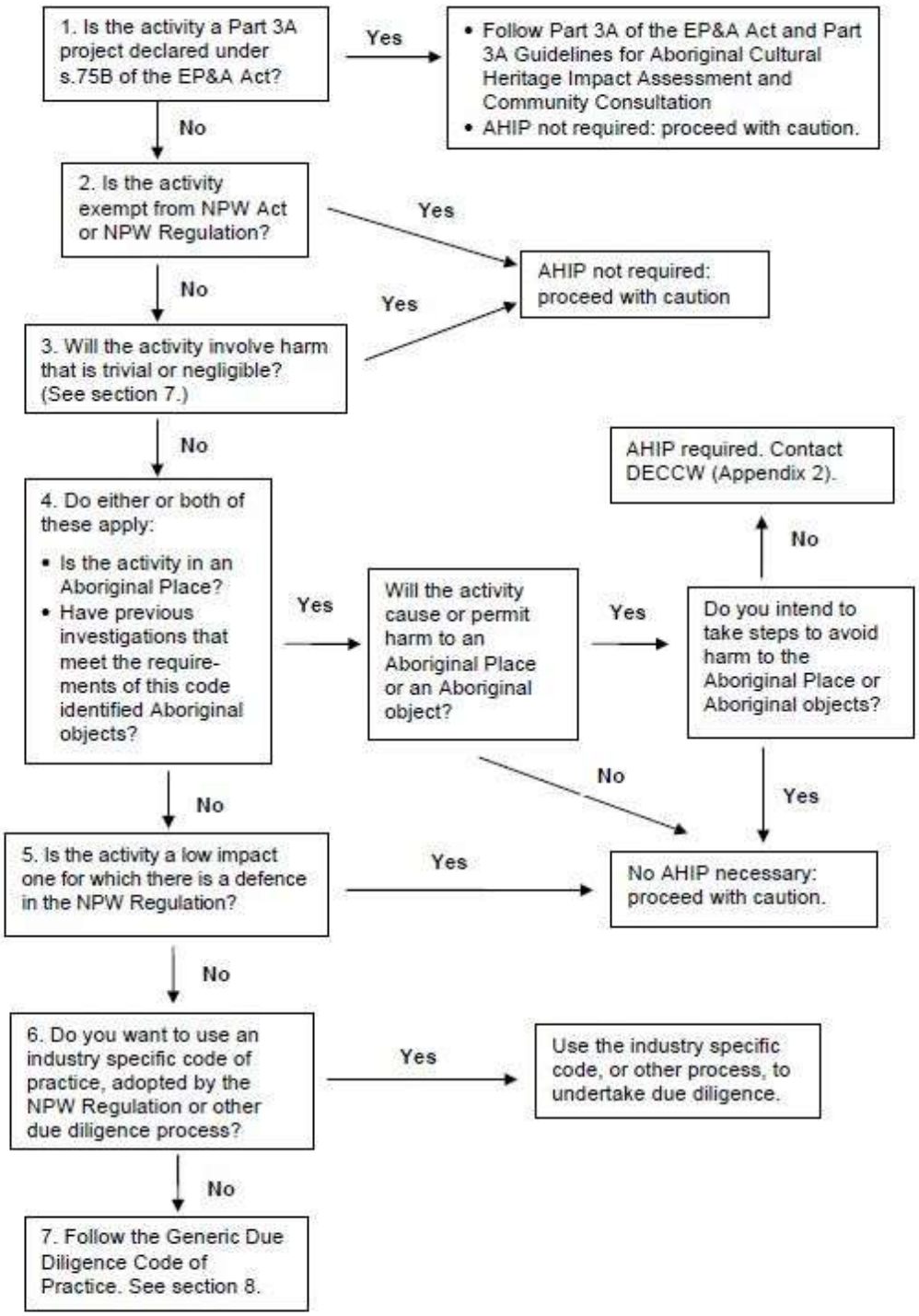

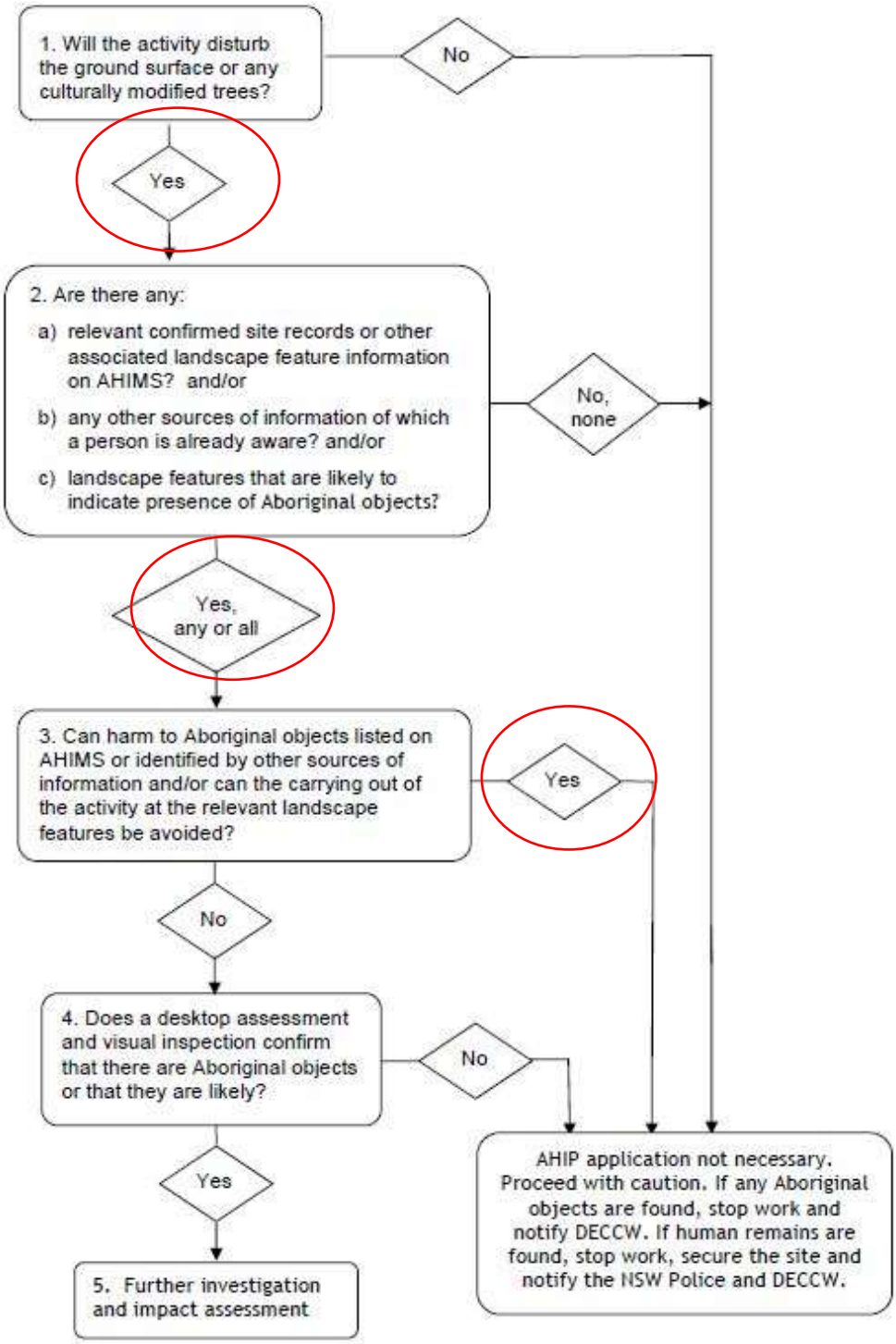

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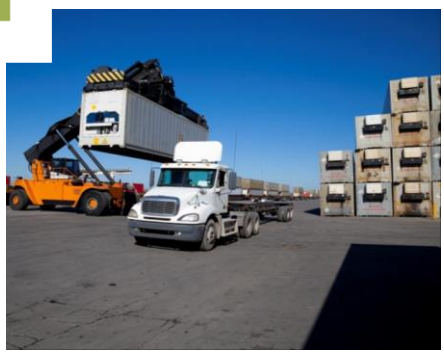

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd (the Client) is preparing a planning proposal to rezone around 30 hectares of land located in Tamworth Township (the township), from its current RU4 - Primary Production Small Lots zoning to IN1 General Industrial and B5 Business Development. HillPDA was commissioned to provide an understanding of the likely future demand for industrial floorspace and its implication on the amount of land required.

As stated, the planning proposal seeks to rezone around 30 hectares of land located approximately a ten minute drive west of Tamworth CBD. The subject site adjoins an existing industrial precinct known as Taminda and is broadly bounded to the south by Wallamore Road and light industrial properties along Kingsford Smith Street, to the north by rural land and Peel River, and to the east by Dampier Street and the Tamworth Racecourse (Figure 1).

In 2008, the Taminda Revitalisation and Economic Development Strategy provided Council with a strategy to effectively manage, both from an urban design and economic viewpoint, the future development of the Taminda industrial precinct. Recommendations in the strategy were to ensure that the precinct maintains its regional significance as an industrial precinct while also protecting the ongoing economic viability of the area.

The subject site was previously identified as being an appropriate location for an expansion of Taminda industrial precinct in order to meet the townships needs for additional industrial and bulky goods zoned land. Specifically, the Strategy recommended that part of the subject site be zoned for bulky goods retailing and industrial uses. However, this recommendation has not yet been initiated.

In light of this, the following undertakes a high level assessment of Tamworth's economic profile and existing industrial precincts in order to forecast the likely demand for industrial zoned land. It then further projects the demand for IN1 General Industrial and B5 Business Development land and the appropriateness of the subject site to meet this forecast need.

Population and employment profile

Industries associated with 'blue collar' occupations[1] have historically been a major component of Tamworth's local economy and employment generator, with this trend likely to continue into the future. These industries make up a quarter of Tamworth economy and generate over 5,000 jobs (almost one fifth of all jobs generated in the LGA).

Tamworth also enjoys rates of low unemployment, high self-sufficiency and high job self-containment. These economic factors, combined with 4,700 new working age residents forecast to reside in the LGA over the next 25 years, demonstrates the need to provide increased employment opportunities and the need to plan for appropriate zoned land to accommodate them.

Furthermore, Tamworth is in a strategic position being a regional employment hub and service provider for the region. Over the coming years there would likely be an increased demand for additional industrial land to be provided in close proximity to the town centre and transportation nodes. This will be required to both support and service Tamworth's growing population and its strategic position.

[1] Defined for the purpose of this study as including the industries of mining; manufacturing; electricity, gas, water and waste services; wholesale trade; and transport, postal and warehousing.

Tamworth industrial lands review

Currently, the LGA provides just over 763 hectares of land zoned for industrial purposes (heavy industrial, general industrial and business park zoning) with 416 hectares or 55% being vacant. The majority of this vacant land is located outside the town, near the airport, on land that would need to be serviced, remediated and/or mitigated against flooding. The cost of such works may be undermining the viability of development.

Thirty nine per cent (39%) of the employment area (299 hectares) is zoned IN1 General Industrial. The largest and most developed of these precincts is Taminda. 8 hectares of Taminda was recently rezoned and the amount of vacant land in the precinct has increased to around 32 hectares (26 hectares of IN1 General Industrial and 6 hectares of B5 Business Development). However removing the Showground site and the Greyhound racecourse reduces the vacancy to 14 hectares – 5.5% of the whole estate.

Total industrial land needs assessment

In order to project the demand for industrial land we forecasted employment growth in the LGA under a low and high scenario.

Under a low growth scenario employment in the LGA is forecast to increase to around 33,220 by 2036. This represents an increase of around 6,690 jobs or 25% from 2016. Under this scenario, employment increases proportionally with population growth, while workforce participation rate remains steady at around 55%.

Under a high growth scenario employment in the LGA is forecast to increase to around 35,990 jobs by 2036. This represents an increase of around 9,462 jobs or 36% from that recorded in 2016. Under this scenario, employment increases proportionally at a higher rate assuming the intermodal terminal proceeds.

Under these two scenarios, it was estimated that between 1,365 and 2,778 additional jobs would be accommodated in Tamworth's industrial precincts. This increase in employment would generate demand for an additional 140,000sqm to 285,000sqm of industrial floor space. Between 34 hectares and 114 hectares of industrial zoned land would be required to accommodate the extra floor space.

Currently, the LGA contains around an estimated 416 hectares of industrial zoned land which is vacant. This is sufficient to accommodate the projected growth in demand over the next 20 years.

However, the bulk of this land is not suitable or, at a minimum, not ideal to accommodate the future growth in urban services. Some of these sites are in isolated locations and may incur significant additional capital investment to service the land and provide necessary infrastructure. Other precincts rely heavily on proposed or anticipated investment with lead times difficult to factor or provide market certainty to. The geographic location of some precincts lends to more specialised tenants that either have a relationship with the airport or require relative isolation to other uses, for example a poultry abattoir / processing plant.

General Industrial land needs assessment

The Taminda estate is uniquely positioned to provide land for the expansion of urban services and light industries that support the growing township. It is superior to any alternative areas given the area is generally free of land use conflicts, is adequately serviced, enjoys agglomeration with existing businesses and has proximity to labour, capital and consumer markets. Our market research has shown that typical buyers show a strong preference for these attributes and that Taminda is preferred to alternative locations.

If we assumed that 50% of future demand for industrial land is directed towards general industrial zoned land and light industries, then around 17 to 57 hectares of additional land would be required to accommodate the growth over the next 20 years. There is currently around 32 hectares of vacant IN1 and B5 zoned land in

Tamworth Township or only 14 hectares net of the Showground and Greyhound racecourse. This is insufficient to meet long-term demand - say over the next 20 years.

The subject site is currently the most appropriate location to meet short-term demand for IN1 zoned land in the Township given:

1. The uncertainly in timeframes surrounding the proposed expansion areas
2. Proximity to the Township and existing infrastructure
3. Strong market appeal for light industries and urban services
4. The fact that the subject site was previously recommended for rezoning for bulky goods or general industrial purposes in Council's *Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy 2008.*

INTRODUCTION

1.0 INTRODUCTION

Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd (the Client) is preparing a planning proposal to rezone around 30 hectares of land located in Tamworth Township (the township), from its current RU4 - Primary Production Small Lots zoning to permit B5 Business Development uses (around 5 hectares), solar farm (around 7 hectares) and General Industrial (around 18 hectares).

The Client has commissioned HillPDA to undertake a study that provides an understanding as to the likely future demand for industrial floorspace within Tamworth local government area (LGA) and the implications that this demand would have upon on the current and future supply of land zoned for industrial purposes.

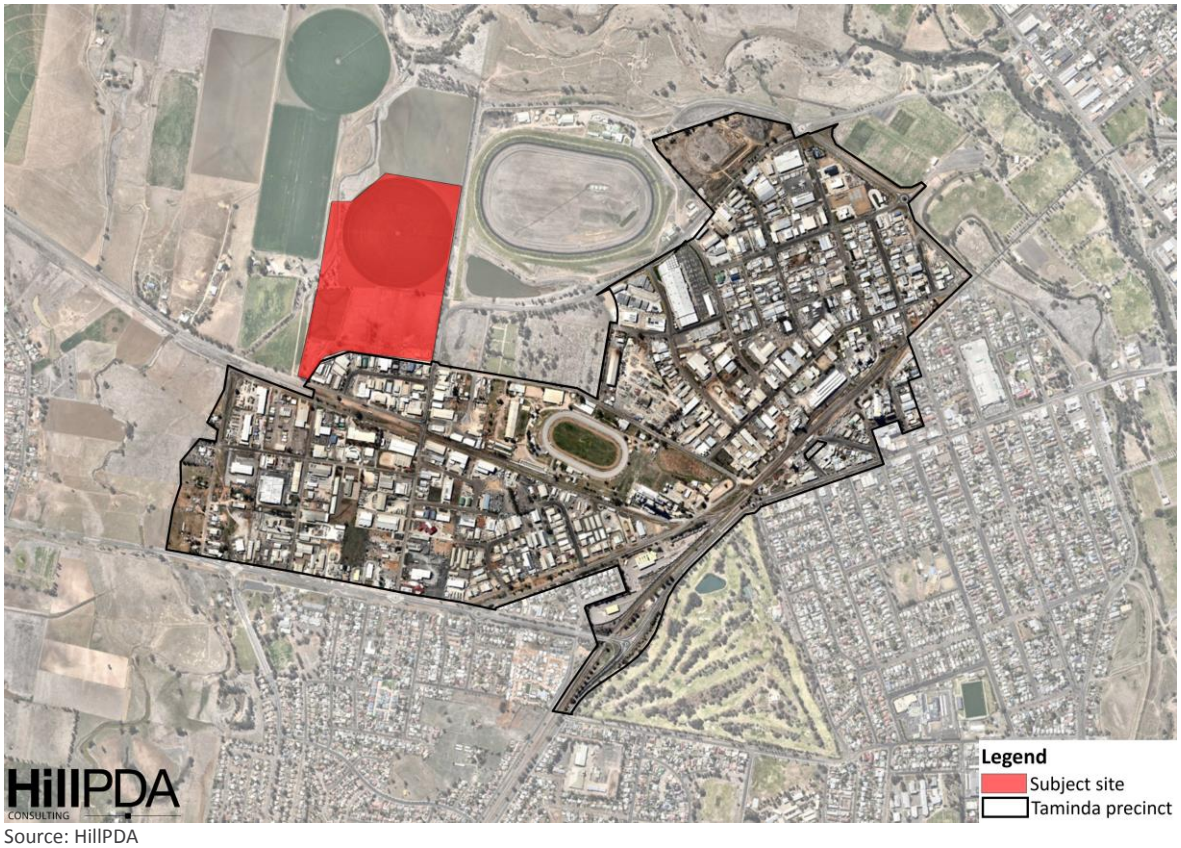
1.1 Planning Proposal

As stated the Client is preparing a planning proposal to rezone around 102 hectares of land located approximately a ten minute drive west of Tamworth CBD in an area known as Taminda.

The subject site is bounded to the south by Wallamore Road and light industrial properties along Kingsford Smith Street, to the north by rural land and Peel River, and to the east by Dampier Street and the Tamworth Racecourse.

The subject site is currently vacant, however if rezoned it could provide around 72 industrial lots, giving capacity for a range of industrial like uses. The site benefits from proximity to the town, existing industrial uses and residential populations. These locational attributes and increased efficiencies through the increased synergy of uses elevate the subject site's attractiveness for industrial development. The site also straddles the proposed bypass providing additional potential for increased accessibility and connectivity in the future.

Figure 1: Subject site



Source: HillPDA

1.2 Report structure

To meet the requirements of the brief, the study has been structured in the following manner:

- **Chapter 2: Contextual review|** undertakes a high-level review of recent planning policies that guide and promote the development of industrial land in the locality
- **Chapter 3: Economic profile |** undertakes an analysis of economic trends in the LGA, with a particular focus on those trends that impact the demand for additional industrial land
- **Chapter 4: Industrial precinct profiles |** undertakes an assessment of the current state of each industrial precinct, locational attributes, other characteristics and capacity to accommodate additional growth
- **Chapter 5: Industry engagement |** undertakes engagement with local industry representatives to understand the key drivers, constraints, buyers' locational preferences and any long term trends in demand
- **Chapter 6: Demand & gap analysis |** undertakes an assessment of the likely demand for additional floorspace in the township. The chapter also undertakes a gap analysis to determine the quantum of additional employment lands required to accommodate forecast growth.

2.0 CONTEXTUAL REVIEW

This Chapter undertakes a review of background planning policies of relevance to industrial land provision and development within Tamworth Township.

2.1 New England North West Regional Plan 2036

The New England North West Regional Plan 2036 is a 20-year blueprint for the future of the New England North West region, commissioned in 2015. The Plan outlines a vision to create a leading and diverse regional economy in NSW through the delivery of four goals:

1. A strong and dynamic regional economy
2. A healthy environment with pristine waterways
3. Strong infrastructure and transport networks for a connected future
4. Attractive and thriving communities.

Of relevance to this study are the following excerpts:

- Armidale and Tamworth will accommodate over half of the region's population by 2036. Each city has assets that support a growing population and the provision of services to the wider region
- Well-located employment land is a key component to a successful centre. Employment land supply will be encouraged in locations supported by freight access and protected from encroachment by incompatible development
- New international freight opportunities through the Brisbane West Wellcamp Airport and expanded Tamworth Regional Airport
- The region is uniquely positioned to leverage opportunities associated with growing global and domestic markets
- Narrabri, Moree and Tamworth support existing and proposed intermodal terminals and will continue to be significant areas for outbound containerised freight.

Page 31 of the Plan identifies a future industrial investigation area flanking each side of the existing heavy industrial zoning adjoining Tamworth Airport. However, any possible expansion in this area would likely be related to and dependent on the development of an intermodal hub. In November of 2017, Tamworth secured $7.4 million from Growing Local Economies fund for the project. This money would go towards repairing and then re-instating the Barraba branch line from West Tamworth to Westdale along Wallamore Road. If fully developed the intermodal hub would increase Tamworth's profile for investment and attract a number of industrial businesses. Tamworth Council has bought a large land holding in this area.

2.2 Lower North West Regional Economic Development Strategy 2018-22

This Strategy has been developed for the Lower North West Region which encompasses the Tamworth Regional, Gunnedah Shire and Liverpool Plains Shire Local Government Areas (LGAs). The Strategy has four categories of strategies and actions being:

- Delivery key infrastructure as a foundation for growth
- Provide a positive, supportive environment to facilitate business growth and investment
- Support and leverage key sectors

- Position and promote the region as a location of choice

Specific strategies include "investing in key road and road transport infrastructure such as upgrading New England highway to reduce transportation costs" and improving and leveraging "airport Infrastructure such as the upgrade of Tamworth Airport to support greater capacity". Of particular relevance is the strategy to "plan for and provide suitable land for business expansion and growth".

The planning proposal is consistent with these policies.

2.3 Tamworth Tomorrow 2016-2021

Tamworth Tomorrow is a strategy focussed on driving the economic growth of the Tamworth region through increasing the region's population base, which fuels the economy, driving innovation, investment, cultural activity and entrepreneurial spirit. The Strategy notes the importance that manufacturing provides to Tamworth's local economy.

Of relevance to this study are the following action(s) and excerpts:

- The Strategy states that the uptake of advanced manufacturing will support existing manufacturers to enter new markets, devise new products and improve productivity. It will also help establish innovative local industries by creating new business models, products and processes
- The Strategy states that approximately 70 hectares of unconstrained industrial land can be developed and Tamworth Regional Council has strategically planned to expand the industrial zone exponentially. However, the location of the 'unconstrained developable or expansion areas' are not identified in the Strategy nor has allocation been given to the composition of these areas, in terms of zonings
- **Action 4.5 |** Encourage regional collaboration between researchers and the advanced manufacturing sector centred on commercial outcomes to generate new global growth markets for the sector.

2.4 Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy 2008

The Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy provided Council with a strategy to effectively manage, both from an urban design and economic viewpoint, the future development of the Taminda industrial precinct. Recommendations in the strategy were to ensure that the precinct maintains its regional significance as an industrial precinct while also protecting the ongoing economic viability of the area.

The strategy identified six precincts that could provide additional industrial and bulky goods zoned land to accommodate the projected demand. The precincts are identified in the figure below.

Figure 2: Taminda Revitalisation – precinct identification

Source: Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy 2008

Of relevance to this study are the following key findings and recommendations:

- Precinct 6 as shown in the figure above, comprises a proportion of the subject site, and was identified as being suitable for both bulky goods retailing and industrial uses. With the precinct being large enough to support up to twenty-two 5000sqm lots, or up to fifty smaller lots

- The strategy identified that improved access could be achieved through the development of a "thoroughfare" along Jewery Street southward to Gunnedah Street, it states:

  The Masterplan proposes the possible extension and reinforcement of Jewry Street at the major thoroughfare through Taminda. Jewry Street would continue due west along an elevated flood levee from its current western most point at the intersection with Dampier Street; lying within an existing road easement, it would sweep southwards briefly intersecting with Bass Street before meeting Gunnedah Road at a major intersection.

  This would have the benefit of removing unnecessary traffic from internal streets; provide the opportunity to create well defined entrance points to the estate; and increase traffic movement along Jewry Street to support development of adjacent land parcels.

  The capital works program could be funded through a mix of s.94 contributions and developer agreements over new land releases within Taminda, funds raised from the sale of Council land, and Council's usual capital works budget.

- Future demand for industrial land ranged between a low of an additional 21 hectares to a high of 77 hectares of land with a likely level of 47 hectares over the next 20 years (assumed to be 2028).

Recommendations and proposed land use by precinct are provided below:

Table 1: Recommendations by precinct

Precinct	Description	Proposed Use	Total area (ha)	Probable development footprint (ha)	Proposed average lot size (sqm)	Lots Created no.
1	Belmore Street	Light Industrial	3.74	3.18	2,000	16
4	Jewry & Dampier	Light Industrial	3.88	3.29	2,500	13
2	Jewry Road	Bulky Goods	10.01	8.51	3,000	28
3	Showground	Heavy Industrial	17.25	14.66	4,000	37
5	Racecourse	Tourism/Commercial	7.87	3.94	5,000	8
6	Jewry Road Extension	Light Industrial/Bulky Goods	12.92	10.98	5,000	22
Total Land Area			**55.67**	**44.56**		
Total Industrial and Bulky Goods			**47.8**	**40.62**		

Source: Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy 2008

The above recommendations were implemented except for:

- Precinct 3 - remains undeveloped for industrial purposes, with it being zoned as light industrial rather than the recommended heavy industrial
- Precinct 5 - 8 hectares of land was rezoned in 2018 providing an additional 6.4 hectares of B5 and 1.6 hectares of IN2 zoned land.
- Precinct 6 – was not zoned for industrial or bulky goods purposes rather RU4 - Primary Production Small Lots.

3.0 ECONOMIC PROFILE

The following Chapter undertakes a review of economic data and trends in Tamworth LGA which are likely to influence the demand for additional industrial land.

3.1 Resident population characteristics

Over a 15 year period from 2001, the population of Tamworth LGA increased by 7,832 persons or 15%. This represents an annual compound growth of 0.94% which was higher than Regional NSW (0.75%) over the same period.

Over the same period Tamworth's population aged, evident in persons over 60 years comprising 25% of the population in 2016 compared to 19% in 2001. The proportion of persons aged 18 to 59 years declined from 53% to 51% in 2016 and persons aged less than 18 years decreased from 28% of the population in 2006 to 24% of the population in 2016.

Despite this, persons in the working age bracket of 18 to 59 years increased over the period by 2,566 persons. Persons in this age bracket would drive demand for increased employment opportunities while the overall increase in the population would increase demand for industrial and urban services.

Figure 3: Population growth by age composition (LGA)

Source: Community id, HillPDA

3.1.1 Population projections

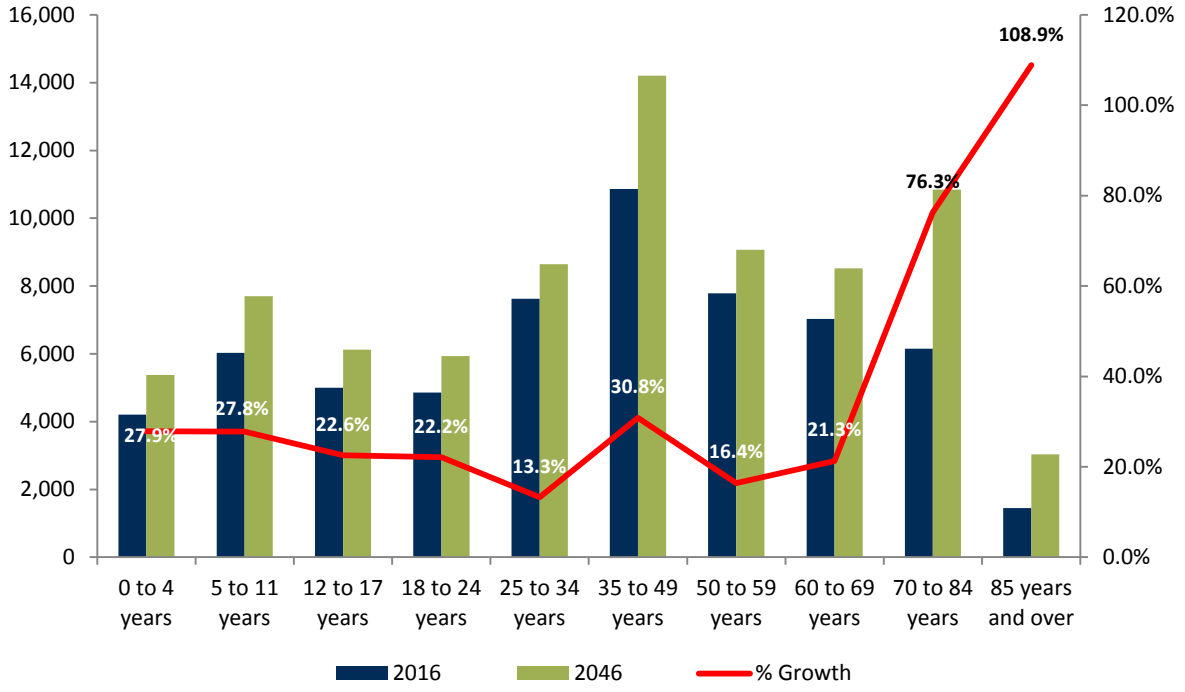
Over the next 25 years, Tamworth is expected to experience relatively strong population growth – more than the previous 15 years. The population is expected to increase from around 61,000[2] in 2016 to 79,470 in 2041, an increase of around 18,465 or 30%. This represents an annual compound growth rate of 1.06%.

[2] Forecast id estimated the resident population in Tamworth LGA at 61,003 residents in 2016. The Census is generally considered an undercount

Over this period the population is expected to continue to age, a trend reflective of Regional NSW. By 2026 it is forecast that just over a quarter of the population would be aged 60 years and over.

Despite the ageing of the population, persons in the working cohort of 18 to 60 years are expected to experience strong growth, with an additional 6,720 residents in this cohort expected to reside in the LGA by 2041.

Figure 4: Population projection by age cohort 2016-2041



Source: Community id, HillPDA

3.1.2 Employment by industry

The top four industries that residents of Tamworth were employed in remained relatively stable over the last five years. These were health care and social assistance; retail trade; and education and training. Interestingly manufacturing was the third largest employment industry in 2011. However, by 2016 it had dropped two places with construction replacing it in 2016 as the fourth largest employment industry.

Over the period, the top three industries that experienced the greatest growth in employment were health care and social assistance (357 more jobs); education and training (178 more jobs); and construction (173 more jobs).

The top two industries that experienced the largest contraction over the period were manufacturing (a decrease of 369 jobs) and financial and insurance services (a decrease of 115 jobs). Manufacturing is predominantly located in industrial precincts. A decline in employment in this industry could lead to a reduced demand for industrial floorspace and zoned land.

Despite a decline in residents seeking employment in manufacturing, total employment generated by 'blue collar' industries which are typically located in industrial precincts[3] accounted for 17% of the resident workforce. This indicates that manufacturing was still an important employment generator for residents of Tamworth.

[3] This includes the industries of manufacturing; electricity, gas, water and waste services; wholesale trade; and transport, postal and warehousing.

As of 2016, the combined blue collar industries accounted for around a quarter of the total jobs that residents of Tamworth were employed in. This provides an understanding of the significant contribution these industries provide to the local economy and workforce.

Table 2: Resident employment by industry 2011-2016

Industry	2011	2016	Growth	% growth 11-16
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1,661	1,727	66	4.0%
Mining	193	281	88	45.6%
Manufacturing	2,322	1,953	-369	-15.9%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	288	246	-42	-14.6%
Construction	1,863	2,036	173	9.3%
Retail Trade	2,863	2,879	16	0.6%
Wholesale trade	879	749	-130	-14.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	1,748	1,761	13	0.7%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1,266	1,254	-12	-0.9%
Information Media and Telecommunications	283	257	-26	-9.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	594	489	-105	-17.7%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	363	364	1	0.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	881	956	75	8.5%
Administrative and Support Services	651	817	166	25.5%
Public Administration and Safety	1,491	1,581	90	6.0%
Education and Training	2,152	2,330	178	8.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	3,543	3,900	357	10.1%
Arts and Recreation Services	249	257	8	3.2%
Other Services	1,088	1,070	-18	-1.7%
Inadequately described or not stated	517	1,079	562	108.7%
Total	**24,895**	**25,986**	**1,091**	**4.4%**

Source: Community id, HillPDA

3.1.3 Unemployment

The unemployment rate in Tamworth decreased from 8.8% in 2001 to 5.8% in 2016. This rate has remained lower than that recorded for Regional NSW which decreased from 9.2% to 6.6% over the same period.

3.1.4 Resident workforce industry location quotient

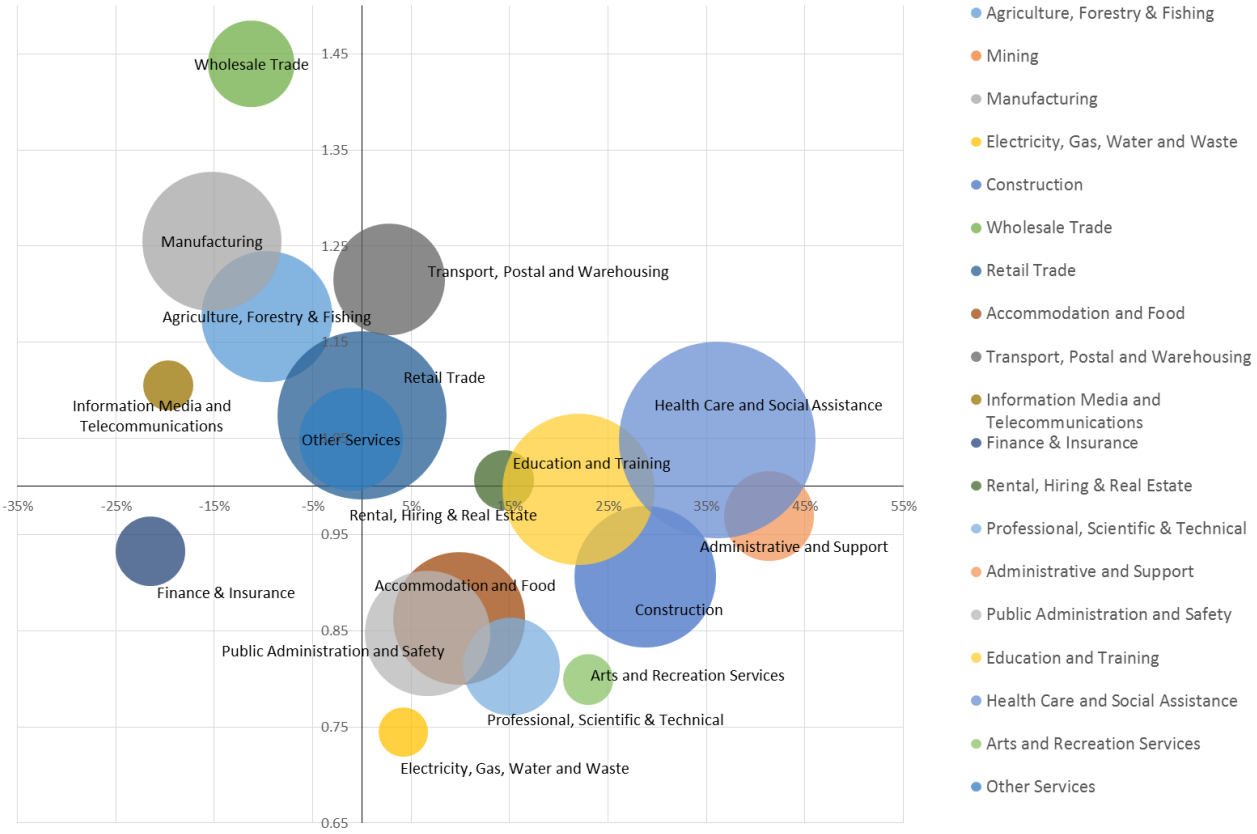
Location quotient (LQ) is a valuable way of quantifying how concentrated a particular industry is in a region as compared to a benchmark, in this case, Regional NSW. A LQ of greater than 1 reveals that there is an above representation of production in that industry.

The LQ is shown on the vertical axis while the change in employment from 2006 to 2016 is on the horizontal axis.

Interpreting the graph:

1. The size of the circle represents the relative size of the industry
2. Industries to the right of the origin are growth industries
3. Industries to the left of the origin are declining
4. Industries above the origin have high specialisation (above representation relative to Regional NSW)
5. Industries below the origin have low specialisation.

Figure 5: Resident workforce growth-share matrix (2006-2016)



Source: Community id, ABS 2016 Community Profiles, HillPDA

In the graph above the following industries were in the following quadrants

Quadrant	Indication	Industries
North eastern	High industry specialisation and growth "industries likely experiencing an expanding stage"	**Wholesale Trade**; Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services; Education and Training; Health Care and Social Assistance; and **Transport, Postal and Warehousing**
South eastern	Low industry specialisation and high growth "industries likely to be at the emerging stage"	**Mining**; **Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services;** Construction; Accommodation and Food Services; Professional, Scientific and Technical Services; Administrative and Support Services; Public Administration and Safety; and Arts and Recreation Services
North western	High industry specialisation but low growth	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; **Wholesale Trade**; **Manufacturing**; Information Media and Telecommunications; and Other Services
South western	Low industry specialisation and low growth	Financial and Insurance Services

3.2 Businesses and industry characteristics

As of 2017, there were 5,426 businesses located within Tamworth which was a slight increase from that recorded in 2013 (5,393 businesses).

Industries that have recorded positive growth over the period and that are relevant to this study include: transport, postal and warehousing (+4 businesses); and mining (+2 businesses).

Businesses that generally locate in the industrial areas but recorded negative growth and relevant to this study include: manufacturing (-14 businesses); electricity, gas, water and waste services (-5 businesses); and wholesale trade (-18 businesses).

Table 3: Counts of businesses – Tamworth LGA

Industry	2013	2017	Change #	Change %
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1363	1369	6	0%
Mining	8	10	2	25%
Manufacturing	208	194	-14	-7%
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	19	14	-5	-26%
Construction	830	845	15	2%
Wholesale trade	146	128	-18	-12%
Retail trade	320	284	-36	-11%
Accommodation and food services	211	213	2	1%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	331	335	4	1%
Information media and telecommunications	14	17	3	21%
Financial and insurance services	367	404	37	10%
Rental, Hiring, & Real Estate Services	435	432	-3	-1%
Professional Scientific & Technical Services	316	309	-7	-2%
Administrative and support services	148	158	10	7%
Public administration and safety	14	12	-2	-14%
Education and training	48	50	2	4%
Health care and social assistance	260	276	16	6%
Arts and recreation services	68	58	-10	-15%
Other services	256	264	8	3%
Currently unknown	49	36	-13	-27%
Total	**5,393**	**5,426**	**33**	**1%**

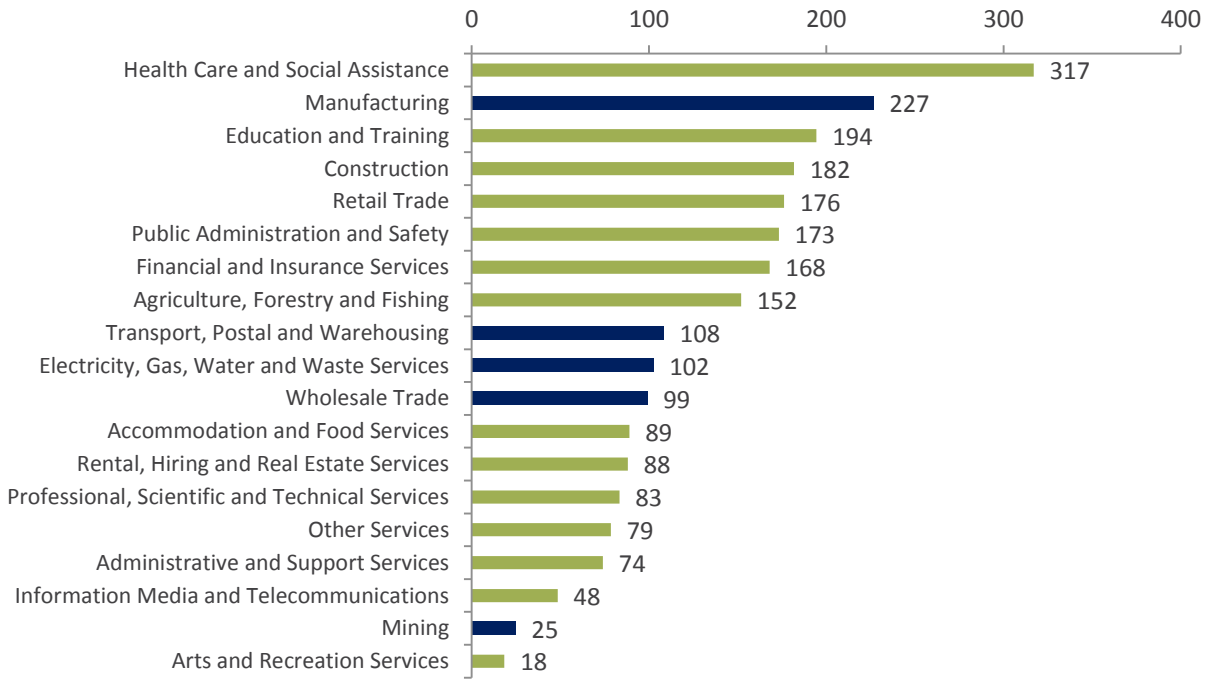
Source: ABS Regional Summaries

3.2.1 Industry value added

As of 2016 local industries contributed $2.4 billion to Tamworth's local economy. Of this, manufacturing was the second most productive industry, generating $227 million.

Combined, 'blue collar' industries contributed almost a quarter of the value added by all industries in Tamworth. This highlights the significant contribution these businesses provide to the local economy and the importance of providing appropriately located land for their continued growth and expansion.

Figure 6: Industry value added 2015/2016 ($million)



Source: Economy id

3.3 Employment characteristics

In 2016, Tamworth generated around 26,530 jobs, a 19% increase from 2001 (around 22,325 jobs). The top four employment industries in 2016 were:

1. Health care and social assistance – generating 3,963 or 15% of jobs
2. Retail trade – generating 3,107 or 12% of jobs
3. Manufacturing - generating 2,513 or 9% of jobs
4. Education and training – generating 2,419 or 9% of jobs.

Although manufacturing has recently witnessed a decline in the total number of businesses present in the LGA, it still remains a significant employment generator. Also, as of 2016 manufacturing generated more jobs than the total number of Tamworth residents employed in the industry. This implies that the industry provides enough jobs for Tamworth residents while also attracting additional employees from surrounding LGA's, further increasing its importance across the region.

The top four growth industries over the last 16 years, by total employment, were as follows:

1. Health Care and Social Assistance - generating an additional 1,362 jobs
2. Construction - generating an additional 871 jobs
3. Education and Training - generating an additional 6,99 jobs
4. Manufacturing - generating an additional 542 jobs.

Although manufacturing has generated an additional 542 jobs over the last 16 years, it must be noted that over the last five years there has been a 31 job retraction. Combined, 'blue collar' industries generated around one-fifth of all jobs generated in the LGA over the last 16 years.

The change of employment, over the last 16 years, by individual industry is provided in the table below.

Table 4: Employment generation by industry 2001-2016

Industry	2001	2006	2011	2016	2001-16 Growth #	2006-16 Growth #	2011-16 Growth #
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	2,315	2,300	1,985	1,959	-356	-341	-26
Mining	18	29	53	57	39	28	4
Manufacturing	1,971	2,491	2,544	2,513	542	22	-31
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	215	262	309	389	174	127	80
Construction	1,308	1,808	2,271	2,179	871	371	-92
Wholesale Trade	1,084	943	935	869	-214	-73	-65
Retail Trade	2,864	3,010	3,022	3,107	243	97	85
Accommodation and Food Services	1,931	1,649	1,838	1,794	-136	145	-44
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1,164	1,259	1,311	1,255	91	-5	-56
Information Media & Telecommunications	356	325	345	320	-36	-5	-25
Financial and Insurance Services	577	606	613	598	21	-8	-16
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	290	339	425	418	128	78	-7
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	860	842	962	894	34	52	-69
Administrative and Support Services	581	601	704	690	109	89	-14
Public Administration and Safety	1,164	1,527	1,633	1,565	400	38	-68
Education and Training	1,720	1,980	2,312	2,419	699	439	107
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,601	3,033	3,623	3,963	1,362	930	340
Arts and Recreation Services	232	202	256	256	24	54	0
Other Services	1,074	1,157	1,225	1,285	211	128	60
Total	**22,325**	**24,363**	**26,367**	**26,530**	**4,205**	**21,66**	**162**

Source: Economy id

3.3.1 Local employment industry location quotient

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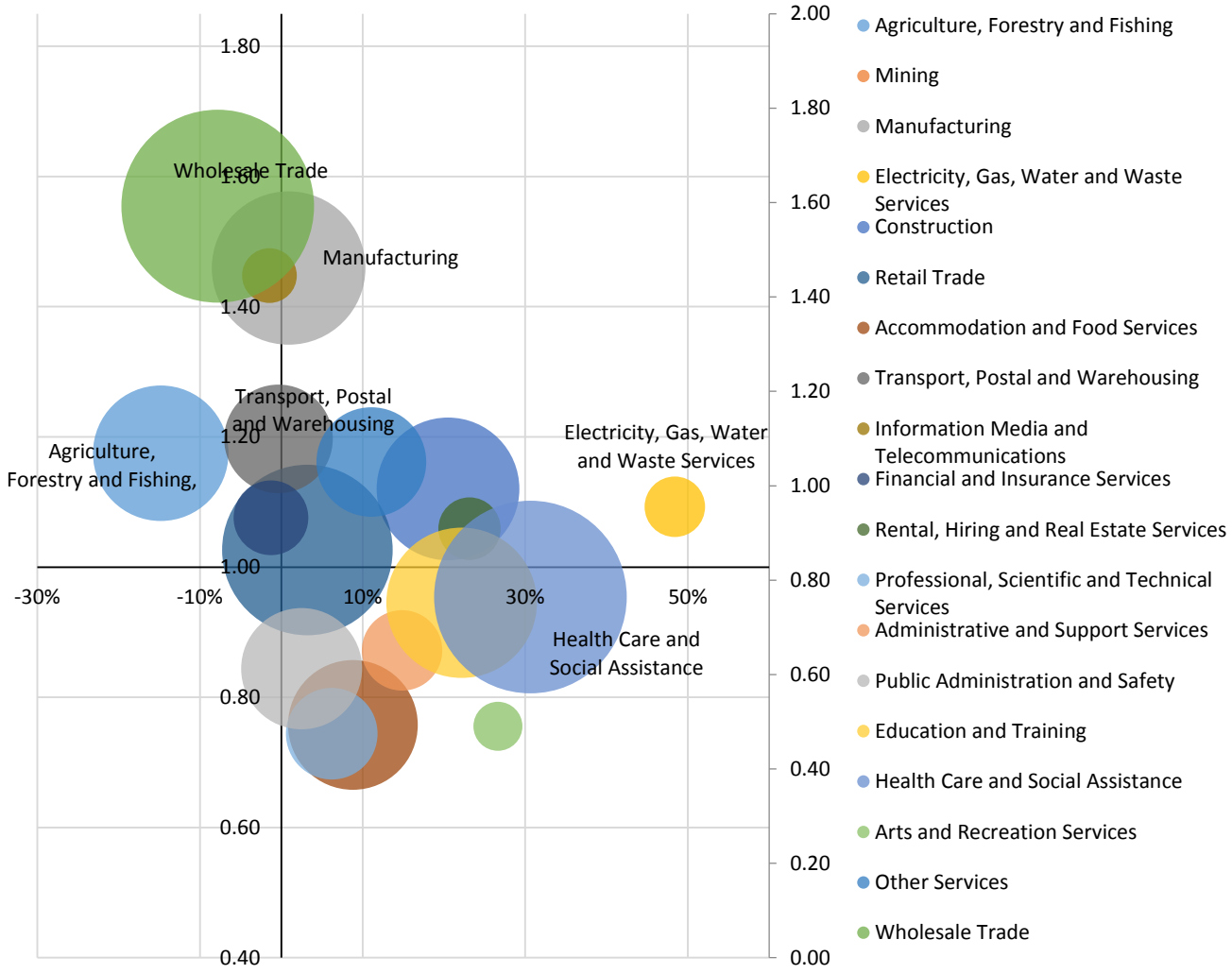
Figure 7: Employment growth-share matrix (2006-2016)



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South eastern	Low industry specialisation and low growth "industries likely to be at the emerging stage"	**Mining**; Accommodation and Food Services; Professional, Scientific and Technical Services; Administrative and Support Services; Public Administration and Safety; Education and Training; Health Care and Social Assistance; and Arts and Recreation Services
North western	High industry specialisation and low growth	Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; **Wholesale Trade; Transport, Postal and Warehousing;** Information Media and Telecommunications**; and** Financial and Insurance Services
South western	Low industry specialisation and low growth	

3.3.2 Tamworth self-sufficiency

Self-sufficiency is calculated by dividing the number of jobs located in Tamworth LGA by the number of employed residents.

Tamworth had a self-sufficiency rate of 97% indicating that there were 0.97 jobs provided for every employed resident. This rate was the third largest rate, with only to Walcha and Narrabri LGA's when comparing the surrounding LGAs self-sufficiency rates.

Note that Tamworth generated significantly more employment opportunities in 2011 than the surrounding LGAs, further highlighting the LGAs importance as a regional economic generator.

Table 5: Self-sufficiency rate 2011

LGA	Jobs (a)	Employed residents (b)	Self-sufficiency rate (a/b)
Walcha	1,490	1,443	1.03
Narrabri	5,891	5,791	1.02
Tamworth Regional	**23,958**	**24,746**	**0.97**
Liverpool Plains	2,855	3,068	0.93
Gunnedah	4,834	5,195	0.93
Upper Hunter Shire	4,986	6,498	0.77
Gwydir	1,489	1,979	0.75
Uralla	1,688	2,722	0.62

Source: TPA 2011 JTW, HillPDA

3.3.3 Tamworth self-containment

Self-containment measures the proportion of local residents that live and work within the same geographical area.

Of the 24,746 jobs generated in Tamworth, around 22,789 lived and worked within the LGA. This indicates a high self-containment rate of 92%, which has the highest rate when comparing surrounding LGAs.

The high containment rate is typical of regional areas where the longer travel distances, when compared to capital city rates, tend to influence local residents to live and work in the same LGA.

Table 6: Self-containment rate 2011

LGA	Live and work in LGA (a)	Employed residents (b)	Self-containment (a/b)
Tamworth Regional	22,789	24,746	92%
Narrabri	5,279	5,791	91%
Walcha	1,254	1,443	87%
Gunnedah	4,347	5,195	84%
Liverpool Plains	2,398	3,068	78%
Gwydir	1,329	1,979	67%
Upper Hunter Shire	4,312	6,498	66%
Uralla	1,148	2,722	42%

Source: TPA 2011 JTW, HillPDA

3.3.4 Self-containment by individual industry 2011

The majority of industries have a high self-containment rate of 90% and above. The industry of mining had the lowest rate probably owning to the fly in fly out nature of its employment base.

Excluding mining, 'blue collar' industries combined had a containment rate of 92% with 4,329 residents living and working in the LGA.

Table 7: Self-containment rate by industry 2011

Industry	Live and work within the LGA	Employed residents	Self-containment
Accommodation and Food Services	1,705	1,740	98%
Financial and Insurance Services	578	592	98%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	274	281	98%
Retail Trade	2,778	2,851	97%
Health Care and Social Assistance	3,402	3,540	96%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	351	366	96%
Manufacturing	2,191	2,310	95%
Education and Training	2,033	2,150	95%
Public Administration and Safety	1,400	1,482	94%
Other Services	1,023	1,084	94%
Arts and Recreation Services	231	245	94%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	822	873	94%
Information Media and Telecommunications	263	285	92%
Wholesale Trade	804	880	91%
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1,455	1,639	89%
Administrative and Support Services	561	652	86%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1,060	1,237	86%
Construction	1,345	1,847	73%
Mining	51	186	27%
Inadequately described	204	232	88%
Not stated	258	274	94%
Total	22,789	24,746	92%

Source: TPA 2011 JTW, HillPDA

3.4 Key findings

- There would be demand for additional urban services and appropriate land to accommodate these services as the resident population increases
- Tamworth's population is forecast to continue to age over the coming decade, leading to a possible increase in demand for health care and social assistance businesses
- Despite this forecast ageing, persons within the primary working age cohort of 18 to 60 years are forecast to increase by just over 6,700 residents. Indicating that increased employment opportunities would be required over the coming years
- Combined, 'blue collar' industries generated around one-fifth of all jobs generated in Tamworth as of 2016
- Manufacturing was the second most productive industry in Tamworth, contributing $227 million to the local economy
- Combined, 'blue collar' industries contributed almost a quarter of the value added by all industries in Tamworth
- Tamworth's benefits from a low unemployment rate, high self-sufficiency rate and high self-containment rate – implying that increases in the primary working age cohorts would likely see a corresponding increase in employment opportunities and demand for employment lands.

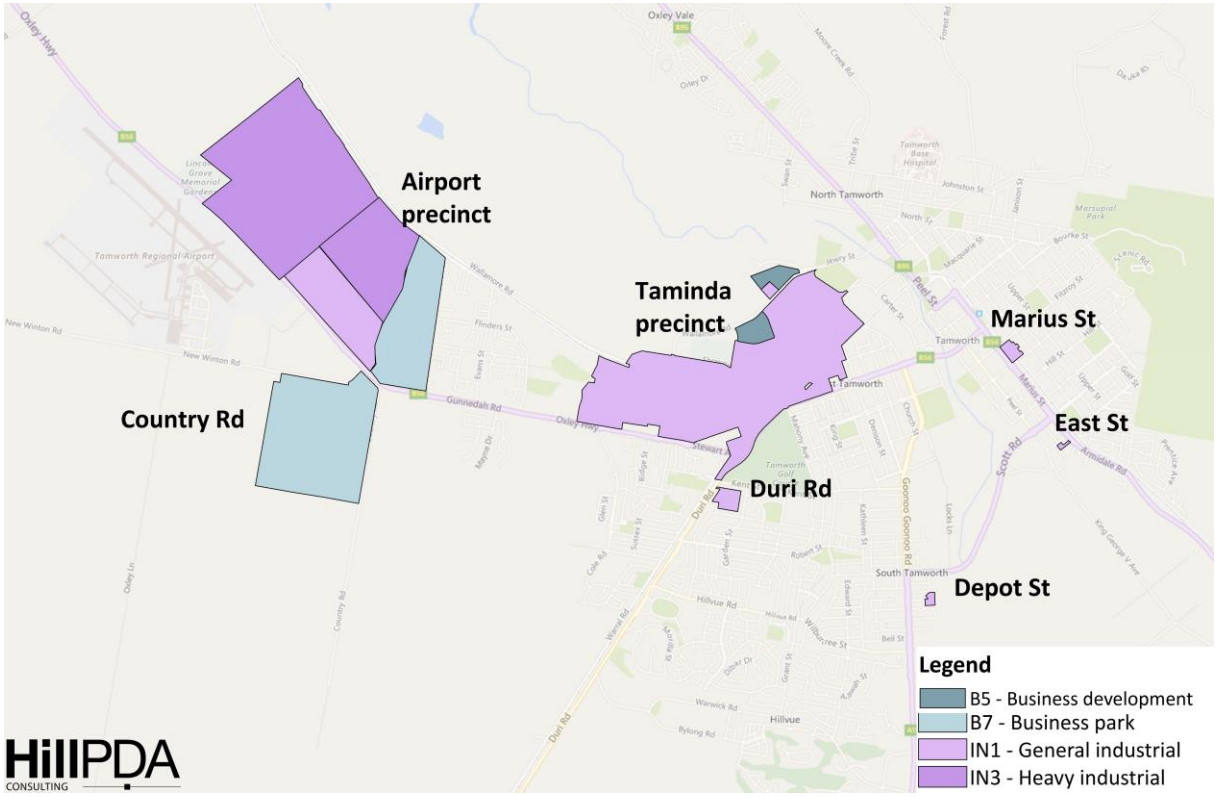
4.0 INDUSTRIAL PRECINCTS

The following provides an overview of industrial precincts in the Tamworth Township. The chapter identifies attributes, such as the total size, developed and vacant land and other locational attributes.

To assess the amount of undeveloped land we have measured vacant lots in each precinct. Lots that seemed to be used for storage by an adjoining lot or within a lot were excluded while large lots which could be subdivided were included, where appropriate.

The figure below provides an overview of the industrial precincts within Tamworth Township.

Figure 8: Tamworth industrial precinct overview



Source: HillPDA

4.1 Tamworth airport industrial precinct

Tamworth airport industrial precinct is located adjacent to Tamworth regional airport around 8.3 kilometres west or a 12 minute drive from Tamworth city centre[4]. The precinct is approximately 375 hectares in size and is zoned as IN3 - heavy industrial (~258 hectares), IN1 – General Industrial (~50 hectares) and B7 – Business Park (~67 hectares).

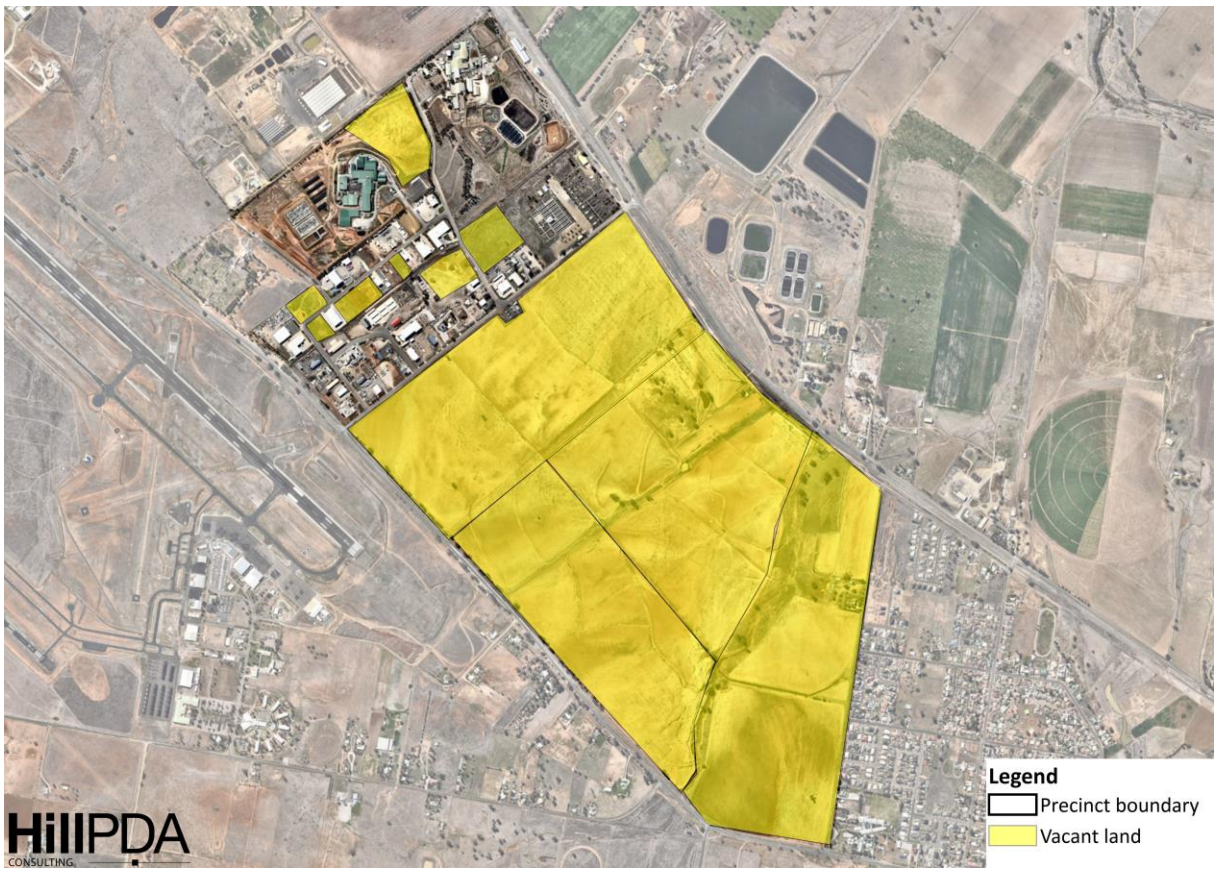
The location near the airport and distance from Tamworth city centre provide the opportunity for businesses associated with the airport to co-locate nearby, while also providing a suitable area for those industries that need to be separated from other more sensitive land uses, such as light industrial, residential and retail in Taminda.

[4] Google drive times

The precinct has good access to heavy vehicles and is not surrounded by conflicting land uses. We have estimated that there is around 260 hectares of vacant land remaining in the precinct although 69 hectares of this has been identified as a possible site for the development of an intermodal facility and there are a couple of water courses through the remaining site (Murroon Creek).

Future uses to the precinct are likely to be heavy industrial uses or those directly associated with the airport/intermodal facility. In contrast, urban support services and other various industrial uses would still prefer a location closer to urban populations such as the Taminda industrial precinct.

Figure 9: Tamworth airport industrial precinct



Source: HillPDA – vacant land either vacant lots or a large proportion of a lot that is vacant and not being utilised

4.2 Country road precinct

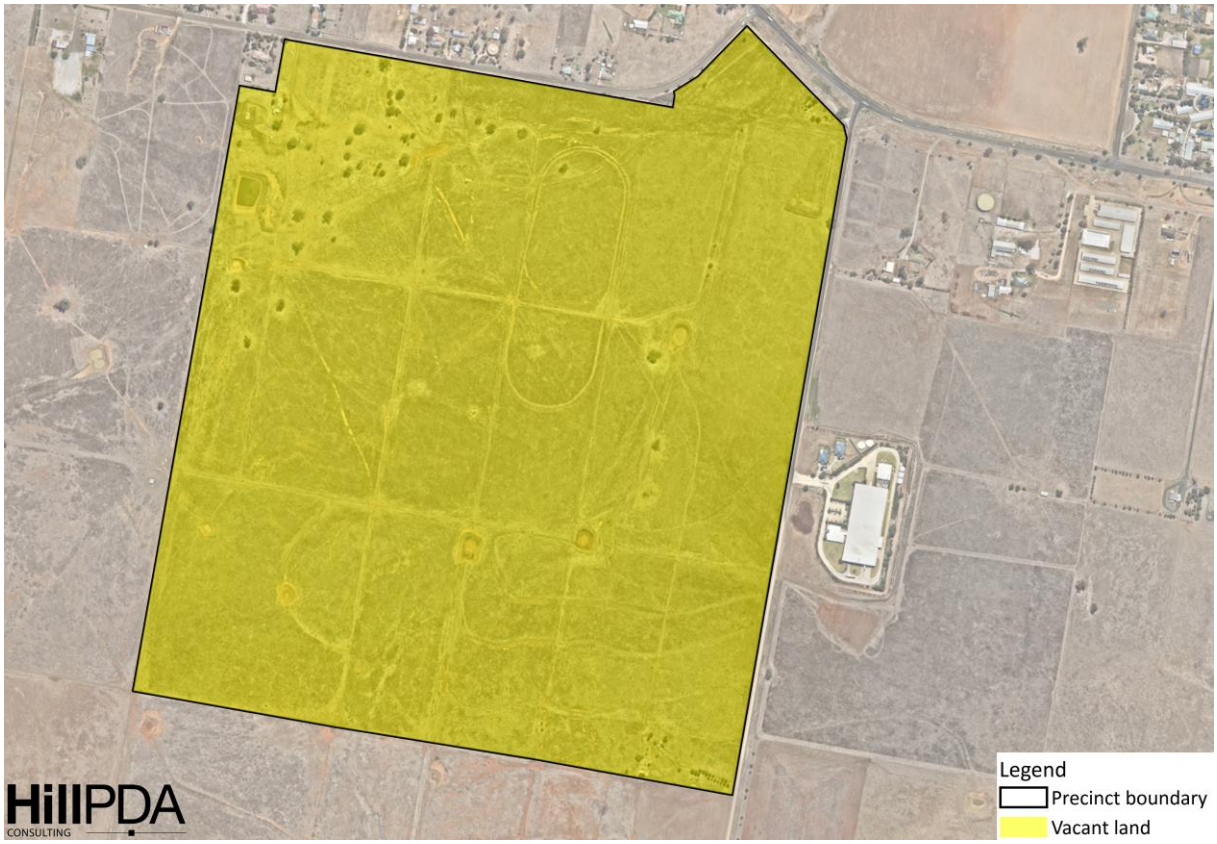
The country road precinct is located just to the south of Tamworth regional airport 6.1 kilometres west or a 10 minute drive from Tamworth city centre[5]. The precinct is somewhat isolated geographically, being quite detached from Taminda and the airport. The precinct is approximately 123 hectares in size and is zoned as B7 - business park.

The precinct has good access for heavy vehicles and is not surrounded by conflicting land uses. The entire precinct is currently vacant except for one residential building. The precinct also has servicing constraints in terms of access to water and sewer. The costs in providing these services undermine profitability.

The land has remained undeveloped. We understand that development approval has been given for commercial and industrial uses, however development has not commenced.

[5] Google drive times

Figure 10: Country Road industrial precinct



Source: HillPDA

4.3 Taminda industrial estate

The Taminda precinct is located just to the south of Tamworth Jockey Club. It is 1.1 kilometres west or a 3 minute drive from Tamworth city centre[6]. The precinct is approximately 255 hectares in size and is mostly zoned as IN1 – general industrial (~240 hectares). Around 14 hectares is zoned B5 including the recently rezoned parcel of land around Federation Park north of Jewry Street immediately east of the Racecourse. The B4 – mixed use zoning has been excluded from the above figures.

The precinct has good access to heavy vehicles and is separated from surrounding sensitive land uses, although some residential properties are located in the precinct. Land uses are predominantly related to urban services, transport and warehousing, storage, building supplies and bulky goods. These land uses support and provide urban services for the Tamworth residents and businesses.

We have estimated that there is around 32 hectares of vacant land remaining in the precinct, of this around 26 hectares is zoned for general industrial purposes. This includes the Showground and the Greyhound racecourse. If we remove these properties then vacant land is 14 hectares (5.5% of the total estate) of which 8 hectares are IN1 (3.3% of total IN1 land in the estate).

Around eight hectares has recently been zoned north of Jewry Street leaving around 24 hectares vacant south of Jewry Street. Three hectares of this land is Precinct 6 as identified in the Taminda Revitalisation Strategy (Section 2.3 of this study). This area has remained largely un-used and undeveloped since its recommendation for rezoning for industrial purposes.

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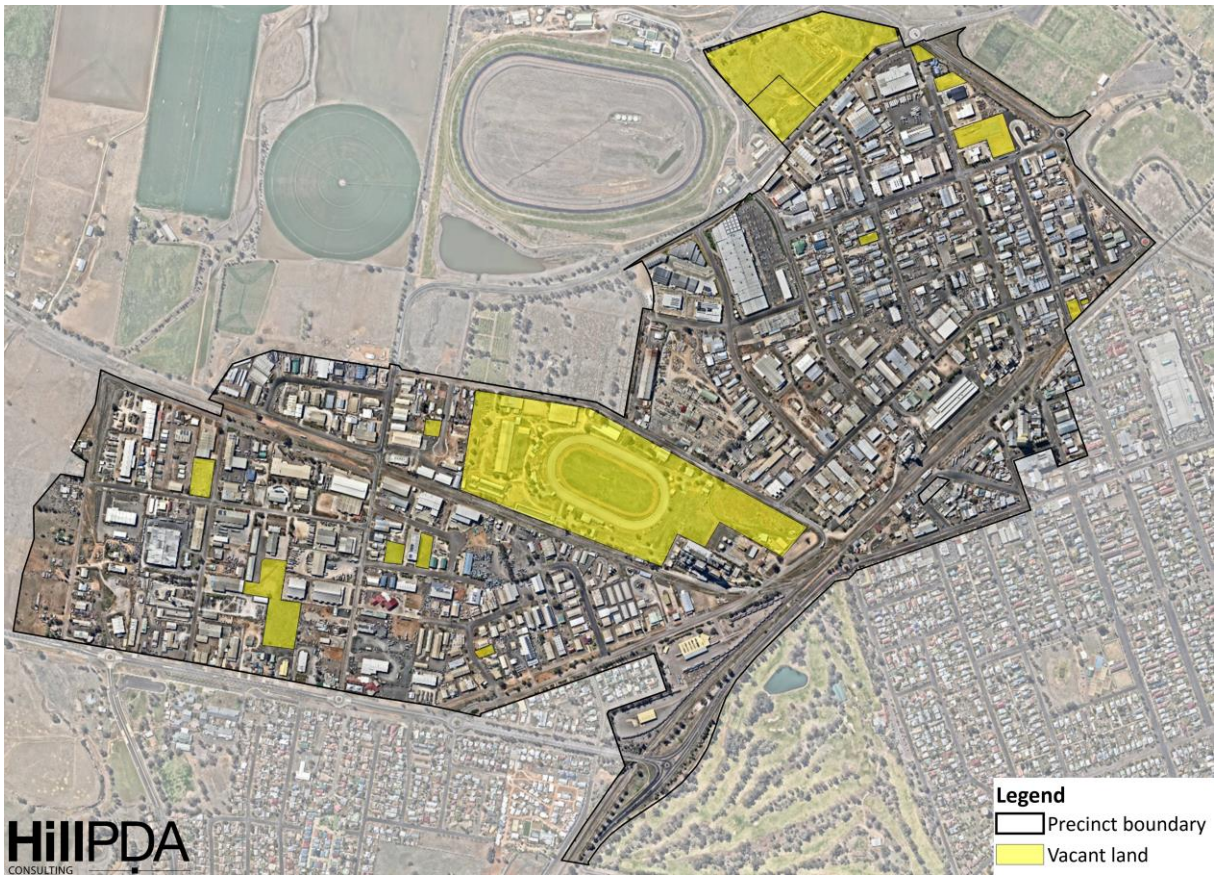
Figure 11: Taminda industrial precinct



Source: HillPDA – vacant land either vacant lots or a large proportion of a lot that is vacant and not being used as storage

4.4 Smaller township industrial precincts

There are four smaller industrial precincts located in the township, these are:

East Street precinct | is located on the southern extreme of Tamworth City Centre and could provide around 0.5 hectares of IN1 – general industrial zoned land. A substation is located in the precinct with the remaining 0.2hecatres being vacant land. Residential uses do adjoin a proportion of its border.

Marius Street precinct | is located on the border of Tamworth City Centre and could provide around 3 hectares of IN1 – general industrial zoned land. Agricultural and warehousing uses are located in the precinct. Expansion options are limited due to residential uses bordering the precinct and uses in place already.

Duri Street precinct | the precinct is located just to the south of Taminda precinct around 3.1 kilometres southwest or a 5 minute drive from Tamworth city centre[7]. The precinct is approximately 4.8 hectares in size and is zoned as IN1 – general industrial. The precinct is occupied by a single use and contains no vacant land. There are no expansion options for the precinct and it is surrounded by residential uses.

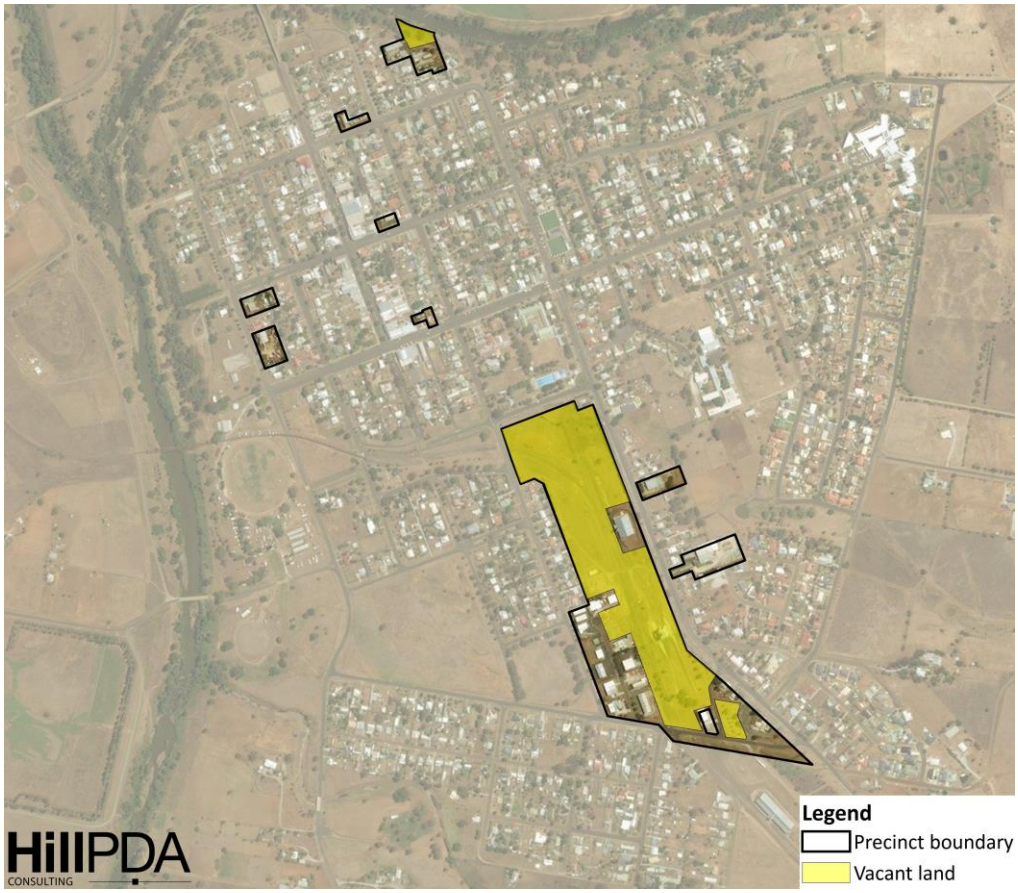
Depot Street precinct, South Tamworth| the precinct is located around 3.1 kilometres west or a 5 minute drive from Tamworth city centre[8]. The precinct is approximately 1 hectare in size and is zoned as IN1 – general industrial. The site is occupied by a Council depot. There are no expansion options for the precinct, as it is surrounded by residential homes and access is through the residential area.

[7] Google drive times
[8] Google drive times

4.5 Manilla industrial precincts

Additional land zoned for industrial purposes exists in the town of Manilla located around 43 kilometres or a 34 minute drive to the north of Tamworth Township. The town contains one large industrial precinct and eight smaller precincts. Combined these precincts provide around 19 hectares of zoned land of which around 11 hectares is estimated to be vacant.

Figure 12: Manilla industrial precincts



Source: HillPDA

4.6 Assessment of Tamworth Township industrial precinct summary

The table below provides a high level summary of the above analysed precincts zonings, land area and vacant land.

Table 8: Industrial precinct summary

Precinct	Zoning	Land area (ha)	Vacant land (ha)
Airport precinct	IN3	375	260
Country Rd	B7	123.0	123.0
Taminda	IN1 and B5	254.6	32.4
Duri Rd	IN1	4.8	
Marius St	IN1	2.8	
East ST	IN1	0.5	0.2
Depot St	IN1	1.1	
Total		**761.8**	**415.6**

Source: HillPDA

The following provides a summary of the assessment of each precinct in terms of market appeal. The evaluation of each category has been given a high, medium or low ranking based on value judgements with a "High" rating being positive towards high market appeal and "Low" rating being negative.

Table 9: Industrial precincts locational or site specific characteristics

Category	Airport	Country Rd	Taminda	Duri St	Marius St	East St	Depot St
Access for heavy vehicles	High	High	High	Medium	High	High	High
Free of Land use conflicts	High	Medium	High	Low	Low	Medium	Low
Possible expansion areas	High	High	Medium	Low	Low	Low	Low
Flood free	High	High	High	High	High	High	High
Existing Business Agglomeration	Medium	Low	High	Low	Medium	Medium	Low
Proximity to Town Centre	Medium	Medium	High	Low	High	High	Low
Proximity to Labour	Medium	Medium	High	Low	High	High	Low
Total Score	18	16	20	10	16	17	11

Source: HillPDA

In the above table the "Total Score" row refers to the sum of the above with a "High" rating achieving a score of 3 and a "low" rating achieving a score of zero. Clearly the Taminda precinct scores the highest due largely to its high level of existing business agglomeration and proximity to the town centre and surrounding residential areas.

The airport precinct also scores quite well in its own right but it doesn't score as well as Taminda due to its lack of proximity to the town centre and supporting, established labour and consumer markets. The other precincts are relatively inferior largely due to their location, small scale and in some cases adjoining residential land resulting in potential land use conflicts.

5.0 MARKET APPRAISAL

This Chapter is an analysis of recent sales data within Tamworth's industrial precincts. Industry engagement was undertaken to understand the local market demand.

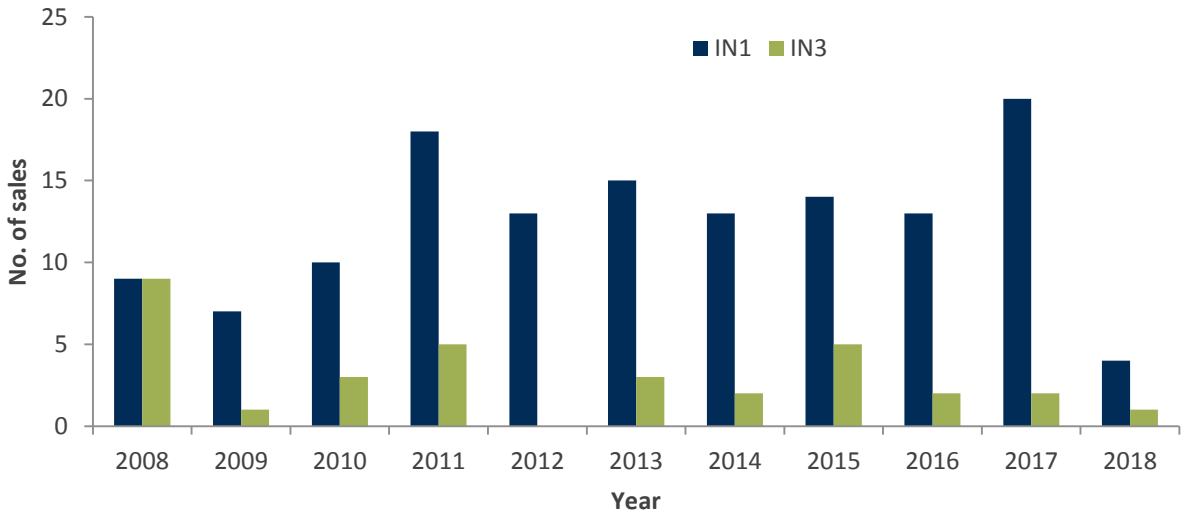
5.1 Industrial market research

5.1.1 Industrial sales volume

An analysis of industrial property sales within the Tamworth locality over the past ten years highlights a consistent low transactional activity for properties particularly in the IN3 Heavy Industrial zoned lands. There has been a reasonable level of transactional activity between 2011 and 2017 with the number of sales peaking in those years. More recently, IN1 Light Industrial zoned land peaked in 2017 which saw 20 properties sold in the calendar year while on average 10 to 15 properties are usually sold in any one calendar year. Heavy industrial properties range from one to five properties per calendar year but peaked in 2008 which saw nine property transfers.

There have been few sales of Strata Titled properties in our findings.

Figure 13: Sales volume for IN1 & IN3 zoned properties between years 2008-2018



There appears to be no direct correlation between median sale prices for either light or heavy industrial properties and the volume of sales transactions.

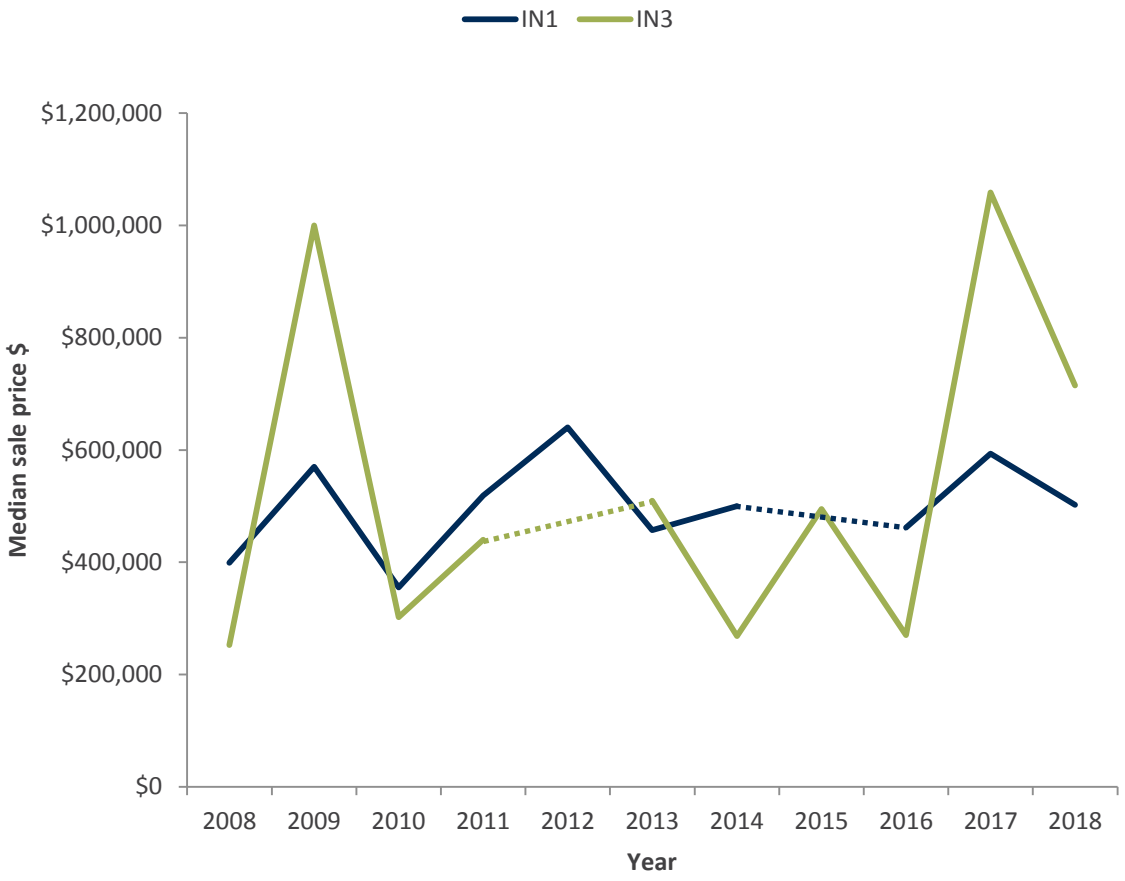
5.1.2 Industrial median sales prices

The figure below provides an indication of the volatility in median sales prices for industrial properties within the Tamworth locality. This is mainly due to the varying age and quality of improvements.

Given the small data set, it is challenging to draw definitive conclusions regarding the trend but we are able to derive that the median sale price for IN1 Light Industrial property has been consistent, peaking in 2009, 2012 and 2017 with median sale values ranging between $570,000 and $640,000 on a median lot size of 2,314 sqm. Sale prices fell slightly in the post GFC years from 2010 and between 2013 to 2016. Median sale prices between 2010 to 2016 ranged from $355,000 to $462,000 on an median lot size of 2,207sqm.

The peak in median sale price in 2017 for IN3 zoned land is due to only two sale transactions in the year and is not a reliable indication of an increase of median sale prices.

Figure 14: Median sale prices of IN1 & IN3 zoned properties between years 2008-2018



We have also analysed land sales (or minimally improved land) over the past ten years that shows significant fluctuations in the median land sale rates. The below figure shows that the median sale rate of IN1 land has increased from $104 to $115/sqm of site area reflecting a 10% increase over a seven year period (averaging a growth trend equivalent to CPI). However, the median sale rate of IN3 land has increased significantly from $45 to $94/sqm reflecting a 108% increase over a seven year period.

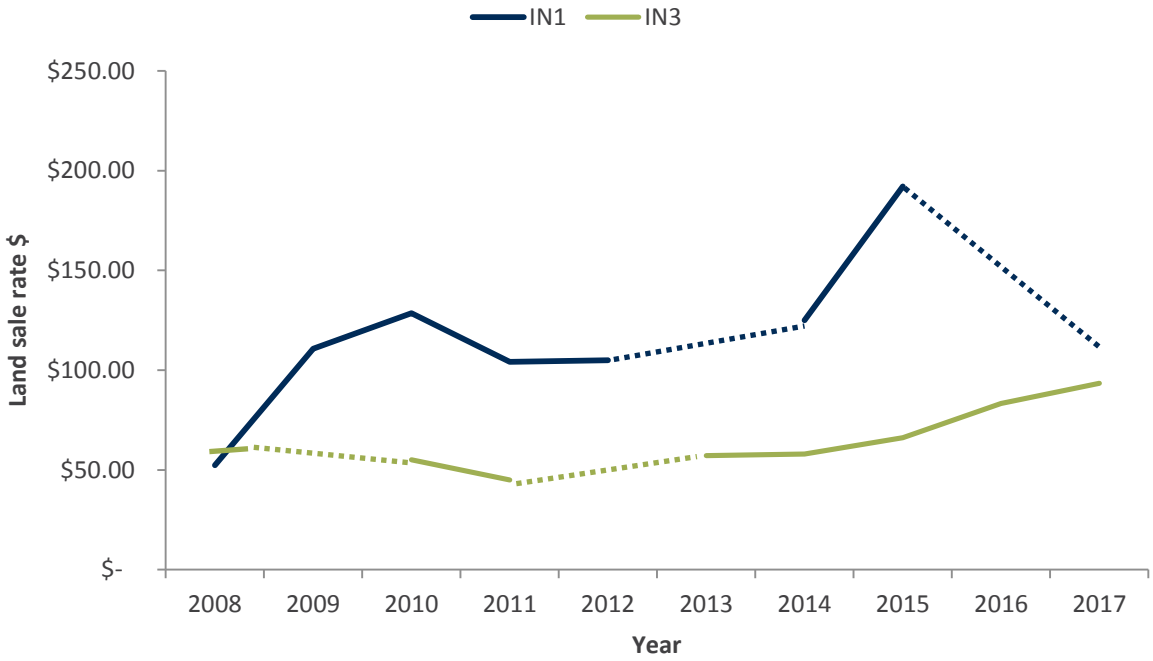
In 2015, 29 Belmore Street was sold for $192/sqm of site area to the adjoining property owner to potentially provide a secondary street access. A premium appears to have been paid and has caused an unusual peak in median land values and is not reflective of typical land values for this locality.

There has been consistent growth (in line with CPI) in land values for IN1 zoned land, although IN2 land appears to have strengthened. The figure below highlights an increase in values for both light and heavy industrial however experienced a marginal drop within the period of 2011 to 2013 and strengthening in 2017.

An alternative source is the Valuers General which reported a 10.2% increase over the 2016/2017 FY, driven by a recent increased demand for industrial land.

Discussions with three local selling agents have indicated that serviced unimproved IN1 zoned land would have a market land value rate of $100-$125/sqm and serviced IN3 zoned land would have a market land value rate of $80-$100/sqm.

Figure 15: Land sales rate for IN1 and IN3 zone between years 2008-2017



Dashed line indicates that there had been no sales in the year.

5.1.3 Industrial Rents

Agents have reported that industrial rents range from $100 to $150/sqm gross of GLA (average building size of 250sqm). On average, a 1-3 month rent free period is negotiated and is dependent on the length of the lease term.

5.2 Industrial market commentary

5.2.1 Location preference

The Tamworth Industrial market comprises a mixture of older style industrial warehousing and workshops with a number of newer stock interspersed throughout.

There are two main distinct precincts; Taminda (East Tamworth) and the Airport or Intermodal Precinct.

Taminda (East Tamworth) is an established industrial precinct located west of the CBD area. Bounded by the Peel River, rural acreages (to the north) and residential (to the south) and is considered to be fully-developed. The precinct is desirable for light industrial operators such as trades, bulky goods, yards, manufacturers, engineering and mechanical businesses and workshops.

The Intermodal Precinct (Airport) is considered to be a growth area and lies adjacent to Tamworth Airport. The land is currently partly zoned IN3 Heavy Industrial, RU4 Primary Production Large Lots and RU5 Large Lot Residential. This precinct caters for heavy industries such as livestock, agriculture, logistics and mining which will benefit from the soon to be competed freight rail project. The Glen Artney estate was recently expanded to include additional IN1, IN3 and B7 zones. This area will be desirable for large multi-national companies that require road access and the airport.

5.2.2 Competing stock

In our investigation we have found limited unimproved industrial land holdings. The most notable site with similar potential is Tamworth Regional Council's land that lies adjacent to the proposed multi-user Rail Freight Intermodal Terminal.

Another notable site is a parcel of land zoned B7 and is situated south of the Intermodal Precinct (Airport) precinct, more particularly on the southern corner of the intersection of New Winton Road, Oxley Highway and Country Road. The parcel is owned by Hunter Land Holding Pty Ltd which has subsequently gained development consent for a staged 26 lot industrial subdivision with new roads. To date there has been no construction or sale activity and the project has been put on hold.

5.2.3 Land characteristic and constraints

The Intermodal Precinct (Airport) is considered to be a growth area but extending services to it is undermining development feasibility. The levelling and grading of the land due to flooding impacts also requires addressing. The proximity to the airport, main road and proposed freight rail are strong positive attributes.

Taminda (East Tamworth) is located closer to the town centre and is bounded by residential properties to the south. It is similarly affected by surrounding flood prone land but is located within an established precinct with services to the road boundary. Lower civil work costs are anticipated comparatively to land in the Intermodal Precinct (Airport).

5.2.4 What types of businesses are likely to locate to the subject site?

- In the current market, the industrial market is dominated by owner-occupiers.
- The subject site has direct and quick access to Wallamore Road from Dampier Street and is positioned on the fringe of Taminda (East Tamworth). Current occupiers in Taminda are light industrial users comprising urban services such as auto repairers, hardware and bulky goods, building and landscaping supplies, pet stores, engineering and mechanical businesses and workshops. Similar operators are anticipated if the subject site is rezoned and redeveloped.
- The Airport site is likely to attract wholesalers, livestock, agriculture, logistics and mining industries with the completion of multi-user Rail Freight Intermodal Terminal.
- Agents have reported an increased in the level of enquires from institutional and national companies for industrial space for warehousing and processing.
- Agents have reported a lack of willingness by some business operators and clients to travel 5 kilometres for work and business. Business precincts such as those located in an Intermodal Precinct (Airport) and are considered to be too isolated. Taminda currently provides light industrial urban services and proximity to the town centre and residential areas is a strong attribute for these businesses.

5.2.5 What size lots are the most being demanded?

- At present, 1,000 – 1,500sqm lots in the Taminda precinct with older industrial warehouses of 200-400sqm are highly sought after.
- Larger lots of 5,000sqm plus are highly sought in the Intermodal Precinct (Airport) by multi-national companies.
- Average size lot in the IN3 precinct is 6.3 hectares (or 2.0 hectares after removing the largely undeveloped land between Marathon Street and Goddard Lane). Median size is 5,665sqm.

- Average size lot in the Taminda precinct is 4,124sqm – less than a quarter of the average size lot in the Westdale IN3 precinct. The median size lot in Taminda is 2,023sqm – almost one third the median size lot in the Westdale IN3 precinct.
- The smaller lots in Taminda are suitable for urban services such as auto repairs, home improvements, engineering services and the like.

5.2.6 Is there adequate appropriately zoned land? Should there be more industrial land?

- Real estate agents have reported an increased level of enquires and the leading indicator is the short selling period of land/stock averaging one to two months.
- They have also reported purchases' intentions to knock down older industrial sheds on 1,000 to 1,500sqm lots for redevelopment in Taminda which indicates a lack of new stock on the market.
- As heavy industries expand or new businesses establish headquarters in Tamworth, an increase of demand from supporting businesses will require industrial land resulting in additional strain on current low supply. The best example of the effect of a new transport hub is located in Wagga Wagga, the Riverina intermodal Freight and Logistics (RiFL) hub which comprises new major rail and road infrastructure and a freight terminal. This has attracted new enterprises to the area and has generated considerable employment and economic activity.

6.0 DEMAND & GAP ANALYSIS

The following Chapter projects the additional demand for industrial land in the township, with a particular focus on the demand for IN1 – general industrial land.

6.1 Supply and demand methodology

The following methodology has been applied to project the amount of additional industrial land the township would require to accommodate the forecast growth in employment.

1. Analyse the growth in employment by industry type in the LGA over the last 15 years
2. Project employment generated in the LGA by industry type over the next 20 years
3. Quantify the increase in employment for industries typically located in industrial precincts
4. Project the amount of floorspace to accommodate the increase in employment based on typical full-time equivalent employment densities
5. Project the amount of land required to accommodate the additional employment floorspace
6. Examine whether the amount demanded is greater than the current and potential future employment lands total in the Tamworth Township.

6.2 Employment projections

6.2.1 Historic employment growth trends

As noted in Chapter 3, the number of jobs generated in Tamworth LGA reached 26,530 jobs in 2016. This represented an increase of 19% or just over 4,200 job over that recorded in 2001 (22,325 jobs). Of this net growth, 631 jobs or 15% were related to 'blue collar' industries.

The right three columns provide the annual compound growth rate for a particular industry over a certain time over in the last 15 years.

These compound growth rates are used to project out three possible employment growth scenarios.

Table 10: Employment growth and annual growth rates

					Annual growth rate		
Industry	**2000/01**	**2005/06**	**2010/11**	**2015/16**	**2001-16**	**2006-16**	**2011-16**
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	2315	2300	1985	1959	-1.1%	-1.6%	-0.3%
Mining	18	29	53	57	8.0%	7.0%	1.5%
Manufacturing	1971	2491	2544	2513	1.6%	0.1%	-0.2%
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Services	215	262	309	389	4.0%	4.0%	4.7%
Construction	1308	1808	2271	2179	3.5%	1.9%	-0.8%
Wholesale Trade	1084	943	935	869	-1.5%	-0.8%	-1.4%
Retail Trade	2864	3010	3022	3107	0.5%	0.3%	0.6%
Accommodation and Food Services	1931	1649	1838	1794	-0.5%	0.8%	-0.5%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1164	1259	1311	1255	0.5%	0.0%	-0.9%
Information Media & Telec.	356	325	345	320	-0.7%	-0.2%	-1.5%
Financial and Insurance Services	577	606	613	598	0.2%	-0.1%	-0.5%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	290	339	425	418	2.5%	2.1%	-0.3%

Professional, Scientific & Technical Ser.	860	842	962	894	0.3%	0.6%	-1.5%
Administrative and Support Services	581	601	704	690	1.1%	1.4%	-0.4%
Public Administration and Safety	1164	1527	1633	1565	2.0%	0.2%	-0.9%
Education and Training	1720	1980	2312	2419	2.3%	2.0%	0.9%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2601	3033	3623	3963	2.8%	2.7%	1.8%
Arts and Recreation Services	232	202	256	256	0.7%	2.4%	0.0%
Other Services	1074	1157	1225	1285	1.2%	1.1%	1.0%
Total Industries	**22325**	**24363**	**26367**	**26530**	**1.2%**	**0.9%**	**0.1%**
'blue collar' industries	4452	4984	5152	5083	0.9%	0.2%	-0.3%

Source: Economy id, HillPDA

6.2.2 Employment projections

Projecting the above compound growth rates to 2036 formed the basis of out three employment growth scenarios:

- **Scenario 1 – low growth |** extrapolated the individual industry annual growth rate experienced over the last 10 years (from 2006 to 2016) to project employment growth to 2036.
- **Scenario 2 – high growth |** extrapolated the individual industry annual growth rate experienced over the last 15 years (from 2001 to 2016) to project employment growth to 2036.

Using the above methodology the following employment projections were derived:

6.2.2.1 Scenario 1 – low growth employment projection

Under Scenario 1 employment generated in the LGA increases to around 33,220 jobs by 2036. This represents an increase of around 6,690 jobs or 25% from that recorded in 2016.

Under this scenario, employment increases proportionally with population growth, while workforce participation rate (ratio of workers to residents above 15 years old) remains steady at around 55%.

Table 11: Scenario 1 – low growth employment projections

Industry	2016	2021	2026	2031	2036
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1959	1808	1669	1540	1429
Mining	57	80	112	157	223
Manufacturing	2513	2524	2535	2546	2597
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Ser.	389	474	577	703	856
Construction	2179	2392	2626	2882	3213
Wholesale Trade	869	835	802	770	734
Retail Trade	3107	3157	3208	3259	3319
Accommodation and Food Services	1794	1871	1952	2036	2096
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1255	1253	1250	1248	1253
Information Media and Telec.	320	317	315	312	308
Financial and Insurance Services	598	593	589	585	583
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	418	464	515	572	637
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	894	921	949	978	1004
Administrative and Support Services	690	739	791	848	906
Public Administration and Safety	1565	1584	1603	1623	1671

Education and Training	2419	2674	2956	3267	3621
Health Care and Social Assistance	3963	4531	5179	5920	6777
Arts and Recreation Services	256	288	324	365	404
Other Services	1285	1355	1428	1505	1589
Total Industries	**26530**	**27859**	**29380**	**31117**	**33219**
'blue collar' industries	5083	5133	5184	5235	5323

Source: HillPDA

6.2.2.2 Scenario 2 – high growth projection

Under Scenario 2, employment generated in the LGA increases to around 35,990 jobs by 2036. This represents an increase of around 9,462 jobs or 36% from that recorded in 2016.

Under this scenario, employment increases proportionally at a higher rate (~11% higher with population growth, while workforce participation rate increases to 60%).

Table 12: Scenario 2 – high growth employment projections

	2016	2021	2026	2031	2036
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1959	1853	1753	1658	1569
Mining	57	84	123	181	265
Manufacturing	2513	2725	2955	3204	3474
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Ser.	389	474	577	703	856
Construction	2179	2583	3062	3629	4302
Wholesale Trade	869	808	751	697	648
Retail Trade	3107	3193	3281	3371	3464
Accommodation and Food Services	1794	1751	1708	1667	1627
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	1255	1286	1319	1352	1387
Information Media and Telec.	320	308	298	287	277
Financial and Insurance Services	598	605	612	619	626
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	418	472	533	602	680
Professional, Scientific and Technical Ser.	894	905	917	929	941
Administrative and Support Services	690	730	773	819	867
Public Administration and Safety	1565	1727	1906	2103	2321
Education and Training	2419	2711	3037	3403	3812
Health Care and Social Assistance	3963	4561	5248	6039	6949
Arts and Recreation Services	256	265	273	282	292
Other Services	1285	1365	1449	1538	1633
Total Industries	**26530**	**28404**	**30574**	**33085**	**35991**
'blue collar' industries	5083	5312	5552	5803	6065

Source: HillPDA

6.3 Employment directed towards industrial precincts

The next step is to allocate the amount of employment directed towards Tamworth's industrial precincts based on individual industry types, composition and land use requirements. The first second column in the table below is the proportion of an industry's total employment typically directed accommodated in industrial precincts.

Table 13: Employment directed to industrial precincts

Industry	% directed to Industrial zoned land	Scenario 1		Scenario 2	
		2016	2036	2016	2036
Mining	70%	40	156	40	186
Manufacturing	100%	2,513	2,597	2,513	3,474
Electricity, Gas, Water & Waste Ser	100%	389	856	389	856
Construction	50%	1,089	1,607	1,089	2,151
Wholesale Trade	70%	609	514	609	454
Retail Trade	10%	311	332	311	346
Accommodation and Food Services	30%	538	629	538	488
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	90%	1,129	1,127	1,129	1,248
Rental, Hiring & Real Estate Services*	20%	84	127	84	136
Other Services**	40%	514	635	514	653
Total		**7,215**	**8,580**	**7,215**	**9,993**

Source: HillPDA, *includes agricultural farming equipment's sales and renting, **includes automotive repairs

6.4 Industrial floorspace demand

We have applied industry standard employment densities[9] to the growth in employment directed to Tamworth's industrial precincts in order to quantify the amount of additional floorspace required.

Under the two scenarios an additional 141,390sqm to 285,165sqm would be required in the LGA's industrial precincts to meet employment growth over the next 20 years.

Table 14: Industrial floorspace demand (2016-2036)

Industry	Industrial employment density (sqm/worker)	Scenario 1	Scenario 2
Mining	200	23,192	29,180
Manufacturing	100	8,378	96,100
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	150	70,086	70,149
Construction	75	38,792	79,635
Wholesale Trade	150	-14,198	-23,261
Retail Trade	80	1,692	2,854
Accommodation and Food Services	60	5,430	-3,015
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	200	-347	23,757
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	80	3,511	4,198
Other Services	40	4,851	5,565
Total		**141,387**	**285,163**

Source: HillPDA

6.5 Demand for industrial land

We have applied average floorspace ratios (FSRs) typically developed in regional industrial precincts to the above total floorspace demand under each scenario in order to estimate the amount of additional land required.

[9] Number of employees per square metre

Typically, the building area of industrial developments does not encompass the entirety of the developable land of the parcel they reside within. This is as a result of the specific site requirements of typical industrial occupiers which require setbacks from property boundaries and the need for truck turning areas, parking areas, loading and unloading, etc. As such HillPDA has applied a ratio of 0.3 and 0.5 to the projected additional industrial floorspace demand.

Using this methodology it is forecast that Tamworth LGA is likely to absorb an additional 28 hectares to 95 hectares of industrial zoned land to accommodate the projected demand in employment floorspace over the next 20 years.

It is prudent to provide an additional supply of land (or contingency) above that projected in the interest of maintaining a healthy market through consumer choice, price competition and futureproof. Without some level of vacancies, land values could be inflated undermining further economic growth and investment. A healthy positive supply of land (or contingency level) is considered to range between 20% and 40% and we have adopted a contingency level of 20%.

With this taken into account, a minimum of 34 hectares to 114 hectares of industrial zoned land would be required to meet demand over the next 20 years.

Table 15: Forecast demand for additional industrial zoned land by 2036

	Scenario 1	Scenario 2
Total additional floorspace	141,387	285,162
Land required @ 0.3 FSR (ha)	47	95
Land required @ 0.5 FSR (ha)	28	57

Source: HillPDA

6.6 Supply and demand

Currently, Tamworth LGA provides around 762 hectares of land that is zoned for industrial purposes with an estimated 416 hectares of this being vacant. Refer to the table immediately below.

Table 16: Current and potential supply of industrial zoned land in Tamworth LGA

Precinct	Zoning	Land area (ha)	Vacant land (ha)
Airport precinct	IN3, IN1 and B7	375	260
Country Rd	B7	123	123
Taminda	IN1 and B5	254.6	32.4
Duri Rd	IN1	4.8	
Marius St	IN1	2.8	
East ST	IN1	0.5	0.2
Depot St	IN1	1.1	
Total		**761.8**	**415.6**

Source: HillPDA

The current 416 hectares of vacant land is sufficient to accommodate the projected growth in demand over the next 20 years (Table 16). However the majority of this vacant land is located outside the town, near the airport, and/or on land that would need to be serviced, remediated and/or mitigated against flooding. The cost of such works would undermine the viability of development.

Thirty nine per cent (39%) of the employment area (299 hectares) is zoned IN1 General Industrial. The largest and most developed of these precincts is Taminda. Around 240 hectares of Taminda is zoned IN1 and a further

14 hectares is zoned B5. Only 32 hectares or 12.5% of the estate is currently vacant. If we removed the Showground and greyhound race track it brings the amount of vacant land down to 14 hectares – only 5.5% of the total estate.

6.7 Implications for general industrial zoned land

A closer look at the amount of industrial land in the LGA reveals that of the 584 hectares currently zoned, 267 hectares or 46% is zoned for general industrial purposes with only 7% of this being vacant.

This is compared to heavy industrial zoned land, which comprises 194 hectares or 33% of industrial land stocks, of which 79 hectares or 41% is vacant.

Land zoned for business parks purposes, which permits light industrial uses, comprises 123 hectares of land or 21% of all industrial related zoned land. Of this total, 100% is vacant land.

This highlights the high demand for general industrial land to accommodate local services, indicated by the low level of vacancies.

If we assumed that 50% of the future demand for industrial land is directed towards light and general industrial zoned land, then around 17 to 57 hectares of additional land would be required to accommodate the growth in urban services over the next 20 years.

With only 26 hectares of vacant general industrial land currently present in the Tamworth Township (or 8 hectares net of the Showground and Greyhound racetrack), additional land zoned for general industrial purposes will be required over the coming years.

The subject site is currently the most appropriate location to meet the immediate future demand within the Township given:

1. The uncertainly in timeframes surrounding the proposed expansion and rezoning of further lands
2. Proximity to the Township and existing infrastructure
3. Its high market appeal
4. The fact that the subject site was previously recommended for rezoning for general industrial purposes in Council's *Taminda Revitalisation + Economic Development Strategy 2008.*

6.8 Implications for the subject site

Notwithstanding the large potential supply of land, there remain a few other issues to consider. Taminda achieved the highest score for market appeal given it's the most developed precinct and its proximity to the town centre and established residential areas.

The other precincts that are in proximity to the township are in isolated locations and may incur significant additional capital investment due to costs associated with servicing the land or the provision of infrastructure.

Some other precincts rely heavily on proposed or anticipated investment with lead times difficult to factor or provide market certainty to. The geographic location of some precincts lends to more specialised tenants that either have a relationship with the airport or require relative isolation to other uses, for example a poultry processing plant. Taminda is uniquely positioned to provide land for the expansion of urban services in line with the growing community of the township.

7.0 SUGGESTED LAND USE MIX

This chapter explores the idea of alternate uses for the subject site in Taminda by exploring a number of case studies or example estates. Due to the evolving nature of existing industrial areas experiencing an increase in demand for commercial uses the case studies examined includes commercial focused business parks where a hybrid of industrial and commercial uses are visible. Note that these examples do not include out-of-centre retail and commercial businesses that potentially compete with the traditional existing town centres.

7.1 Case Studies

The case studies explored are:

- Norwest Business Park;
- Riverside Corporate Park, North Ryde;
- Wetherill Park Employment Area; and
- West Byron Employment Area

Each of these is explored below.

7.1.1 Norwest

Norwest Business Park is located off Windsor Road in the outer suburbs the Baulkham Hills Local Government Area (The Hills Shire), approximately 36km to the northwest of Sydney CBD10. It covers approximately 377ha11 of land (equivalent in size to Sydney CBD), of which around 172 hectares (say 135ha net of internal roads) is zoned for employment uses. The balance was developed as the Bella Vista residential estate. The Norwest Business Park is located immediately to the east of Old Windsor Road and approximately 1km north of the M2 Motorway.

Today Norwest Business Park contains more than 450,000sqm of business floorspace space which predominately constitutes commercial floorspace[12]. 800 companies are located in the park employing around 23,000 people[13]. The complex consists of a mix of commercial, professional & health care services and a number of mixed tenanted office buildings. Business tenants within Norwest are diverse, ranging from information technology (e.g. Alltech, Cathay Pacific) and pharmaceuticals (e.g. Douglas, Rhone Polenc, Sigma Pharmaceuticals, Wyeth, ResMed), to manufacturing (e.g. Schneider Electric, Bullivants), construction (e.g. AV Jennings, Clarendon Homes) and financial and service companies (e.g. AAMI Insurance, The Reserve Bank of Australia, Capital Finance). The Hills Shire Council also recently moved into the park and Woolworths established their headquarters here employing over 4,000 workers in one building.

The primary employment function of Norwest is supported by two shopping centres:

- Marketown Shopping Centre which provides 8,300sqm (gross lettable area or GLA) of retail floorspace including a 4,000sqm Coles supermarket. It is a single level shopping centre on a site of 4.4 hectares with 53 shops including 20 restaurants and take-away food stores[14].

[10] Source: Googlemaps
[11] Source: Invest Sydney Hills, The Hills Shire Council (2011)
[12] Source: Potential Locations for a Business Park in the South West, Hill PDA 2011
[13] Source: http://norwestbusinesspark.com.au/, Wikipedia, NSW TPA
[14] Source: Property Council of Australia Shopping Centres Directory (2018)

- Circa Retail Shopping Centre was opened recently in 2009 and provides approximately 21 shops totalling 5,200sqm[15] (GLA) shopfront floorspace including a Woolworths supermarket of 3,045sqm. Site area is 1.14 hectares.

These retail facilities provide important support services to employees on site and residents in the surrounding area. Clustering appropriate retail uses on-site is consistent with the principles of sustainable development by reducing the need for workers to travel to access such facilities and diversifying job opportunities. The two centres comprise 4.2% of the total area of the business park. Combined with the ice rink and the three main hotels these facilities comprise more than 9% of the area of the business park.

Norwest was very slow to develop in the first 10 years of its life. Despite much investment in roads and services businesses were reluctant to locate there. Perhaps the three strongest catalysts that attracted businesses were:

- The construction and opening of the M2 motorway, which gave much more rapid access to other main parts of Sydney such as Sydney CBD, Macquarie Park and the Airport;
- The development of the Bella Vista housing estate which provided executive style living right next to the business park; and
- The Marketown which gave it a centre for providing retail and commercial services to workers in the business park and also to the residents of Bella Vista.

In 2005, the Woolworths Limited head office was constructed, and now employs several thousand staff. Norwest became more than just a place to work. It became a place to live, shop and work. Since then the development was vastly more rapid and today there are few remaining development sites. The estate now accommodates a range of other uses including a private hospital, Hillsong mega-Church and a second shopping centre. There are also several hotels – Novotel, Adina Apartments and Quest Bella Vista. Employment by occupation type is shown in the table below

Table 17: Norwest – Employment by Occupation Type 2016

Occupation	No.	% of Total
Managers	4,082	17.3%
Professionals	7,583	32.1%
Technicians and Trades Workers	2,124	9.0%
Community and Personal Service Workers	1,739	7.4%
Clerical and Administrative Workers	4,209	17.8%
Sales Workers	1,688	7.2%
Machinery Operators and Drivers	596	2.5%
Labourers	1,149	4.9%
Inadequately described/ Not stated	419	1.8%
TOTAL	23,589	100.0%

Source: ABS Working Population Profile for Bella Vista SA2 2016

Construction of the Northwest Rail Line commenced in 2014, with two railway stations being built in the Norwest Business Park - Bella Vista Station and Norwest Station. The North West Rail Link is scheduled to open to the public in 2019. There are a number of planning proposals relating to the redevelopment of sites in

[15] Source: Property Council of Australia Shopping Centres Directory (2018)

proximity to train stations for considerably higher density living and employment uses including the Marketown Shopping Centre. Norwest continues to expand and by 2031 it is expected to house 32,000 jobs[16].

7.1.2 Riverside Corporate Park

The Riverside Corporate Park is located in the suburb of North Ryde, approximately 14 kilometres to the north east of the Sydney Central Business District, immediately to the east of the intersection of Epping Road, Delhi Road and the M2 Motorway.

The Riverside Corporate Park is located on the former site of the CSIRO. Its development was initiated by the CSIRO in the early 1990s through the sale of surplus parcels of land to private enterprise. The intention was to foster the development of commercial activity which complemented the research based activities of the CSIRO. Initially it was slow to attract business essentially because the locality lacked the identity, facilities and support services sought by potential investors and occupants.

CSIRO developed the "Central Services Facility" – now called the Village – in the middle of the estate. Later came several substantial office complexes, notably those of Oracle, Microsoft, Fujitsu and Quest Serviced Apartments, which has made it become one of Sydney's most prominent business locations. Today the Park occupies 26.6 hectares (excluding the residential sites and the area of internal roads). It accommodates an estimated 220,000 square metres of business floor space employing around 10,000 workers and is now serviced by the new train station at North Ryde. Employment by industry type is provided in the table below:

Table 18: Riverside Corporate Park – Employment by Industry Type 2016

Industry	No.	% of Total
Primary	72	0.7%
Manufacturing	1561	15.7%
Utilities	25	0.3%
Construction	1,239	12.5%
Wholesale Trade	1,253	12.6%
Retail Trade	301	3.0%
Accommodation and Food Services	147	1.5%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	62	0.6%
Information Media and Telecommunications	118	1.2%
Financial and Insurance Services	111	1.1%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	45	0.5%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	3,837	38.6%
Administrative and Support Services	682	6.9%
Public Administration and Safety	34	0.3%
Education and Training	85	0.9%
Health Care and Social Assistance	218	2.2%
Other	152	1.5%
TOTAL	9,942	100.0%

Source: Transport for NSW TPA 2018

The site of the Village is approximately one hectare and accommodates a tennis court, A 25m swimming pool, 2 financial services, a newsagency, two medical services, three food services (restaurant and take-away), an

[16] Source: Wikipedia

animal pharmacy, printing services, a telecommunications service provider and a child care centre. The village occupies around 4% of the total area of the business park. The Village and Quest apartments combined make up 6.5% of the business park area.

Riverside Corporate Park is more a business park filled with A and B-grade commercial buildings rather than an industrial park like Taminda. Nevertheless it provides a good case study of the importance of a central services facility to the marketing and economic success of an employment area. In this case The Village is the only example of a retail and commercial services centre which captures its entire revenue from workers and businesses in the estate and none from residents in the locality.

7.1.3 Wetherill Park Employment Area

The Wetherill Park industrial area is bounded by Prospect Reservoir and the LGA boundary with Holroyd to the North, Cowpasture Road to the West, The Horsley Drive and Victoria Street to the South and Hassall Street to the East. This is shown on the aerial photo below.

Figure 1 - Aerial View of Wetherill Park Employment Area

Source: NSW Department of Lands Six Viewer

The area is also defined by employment zones under Fairfield LEP 2013. The predominant zone is IN1 but there are also areas of IN2, B5 along Horsley Drive and a small pocket of B1 which accommodates a McDonalds restaurant.

Total area is 600 hectares of which around 43 hectares (7%) is zoned B5.

The area accommodates almost 21,000 workers. Job density is 35 workers per hectare which is considerably lower than more traditional industrial areas with densities at around 70 to 80 jobs per hectare. This reflects the nature of the employment zone which is large warehouses for storage and transport related industries. Whilst manufacturing businesses are quite predominant they are larger and more automated.

Table 19: Wetherill Park Industrial Area – Employment by Industry Type 2016

Industry	No.	% of Total
Primary	72	0.3%
Manufacturing	8,010	38.3%
Utilities	270	1.3%
Construction	2,380	11.4%
Wholesale Trade	3,259	15.6%
Retail Trade	830	4.0%
Accommodation and Food Services	385	1.8%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	2,378	11.4%
Information Media and Telecommunications	76	0.4%
Financial and Insurance Services	257	1.2%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	270	1.3%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	471	2.3%
Administrative and Support Services	766	3.7%
Public Administration and Safety	170	0.8%
Education and Training	57	0.3%
Health Care and Social Assistance	206	1.0%
Other	1,030	4.9%
TOTAL	20,887	100.0%

Source: Transport for NSW TPA 2018

Within the B5 zone is a shopping centre called Greenway Plaza on the corner of Horsley Drive and Elizabeth Street. Site area is 6.385 hectares. Greenway Plaza has a leasable floor area of approximately 28,000sqm (of which around 20,000sqm is occupied). Large format stores include:

- Three gymnasium/fitness centres,
- Spotlight (2,500sqm),
- Officeworks (2,100sqm),
- The Good Guys (2,200sqm),
- Supercheap Auto,
- BCF (bulky goods),
- Intersport (sportswear and equipment),
- Petbarn, Beds-R-Us, Rugs and flooring and Service NSW
- Joe's Fruit shop (700sqm)
- Four specialty food stores (bakery, butcher, seafoods, cakes)
- 14 restaurants and take-away food stores
- five non-food specialty stores
- two personal services (hair and dry cleaners).
- There are also 10 non-retail commercial premises providing a range of services including legal, financial, medical and real estate services.

There are a number of large format retailers (lighting, hardware, bridal, etc) along Horsley Drive in the B5 zone but the area never developed as a destination bulky goods centre.

In the middle of the industrial estate, at 447 Victoria Street, a small multi-function commercial building was recently constructed on a 7,400sqm site. It comprises a single level tavern, an occupation health centre and four levels of commercial suites providing a range of services including real estate, legal, financial, accountancy, travel, employment and food (café and restaurant).

Wetherill Park is a more direct comparable being mostly industrial with lower than typical job density ratios (at around 35 jobs per hectare) with industries that are mainly manufacturing, warehousing and transport related. However its retail and commercial centre is on the boundary of the precinct and it is likely to capture a fair proportion of its trade from the adjacent residential area – not just from workers in the industrial area. Furthermore the employment area is very large at 600 hectares and hence few workers would be walking to

7.1.4 West Byron Employment Area

The West Byron Employment Area also known as the "Byron Arts and Industry Employment Precinct" is the largest industrial estate in Byron LGA, comprising over 140 industrial premises (not including individual strata allotments). The precinct has a number of employment zonings, being IN2 General Industrial, B1 Neighbourhood Centre, B4 Mixed Use and B7 Business Park. Uses in the precinct are highly variable, including urban support services. Services support the strong tourist retail market with a number of retail outlets and internet businesses operating out of the precinct.

Total areas by zone are as follows:

- IN2 Light Industrial zone: 30.0 ha
- B7 Business Park zone: 9.8 ha
- B1 Neighbourhood centre: 0.9 ha
- B4 Mixed Use: 7.3 ha
- TOTAL 48.0 ha

The precinct is located 4.5 kilometres to the west of Byron Bay town centre along one of the two entry corridors into the town. This close proximity to Byron Bay Town Centre and significant clustering of commercial, retail and industrial businesses in the precinct have contributed to the success of the precinct. The precinct has experienced very strong increases in land values – almost doubling from 2013 to 2017 – driven by strong demand, limited supply and very strong increases in rents (Valuers Australia, 2017).

Figure 16: Byron Arts and Industry employment precinct

At the northern end of the employment precinct is the Sunrise Boulevard Centre which comprises the Byron West Shopping Fair and the "Habitat".

Figure 17: Byron Bay Sunrise Boulevard Centre

The Byron West Shopping Fair is a 2,700sqm shopping centre anchored by a 1,600sqm supermarket. Specialty shops include two cafes/restaurants, liquor store, medical services and a pharmacy. The remaining retail space scattered throughout the industrial area is bulky goods such as lighting, furniture, hardware and the like as well a few cafes and fast food stores and a petrol/auto-service station. There is a range of other services in the industrial area to support workers including a couple of gymnasiums. There are 1,200 residents that live immediately to the northeast of the industrial area that patronise the shopping centre, but that number is insufficient to support the centre which means that a significant level of its trade comes from workers in the locality.

The Habitat is a mixed use business hub currently under construction. It will combine live and work, commercial office, retail and cafe spaces. The site is 7.3ha and zoned B4 Mixed Use.

As shown in the table below the floor space audit identified the following employment uses as occupying the greatest proportion of gross floor area: retail trade (23%); manufacturing (13%) and wholesale trade (12%). The precinct has a floor space vacancy rate of 4.6% and approximately 85,554sqm of vacant land. Fifteen per cent of properties in the precinct incorporated some form of sustainability element.

Table 20: Byron Arts and Industry employment precinct floor space audit

Industry	Floor space (sqm)	(%)
Manufacturing	20,385	13.3%
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	60	0.0%
Construction	2,022	1.3%
Wholesale Trade	18,096	11.8%
Retail Trade	34,900	22.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	1,223	0.8%
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	12,630	8.3%
Information Media and Telecommunications	449	0.3%
Financial and Insurance Services	241	0.2%
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	11,715	7.7%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	5,689	3.7%
Administrative and Support Services	4,184	2.7%
Public Administration and Safety	1,859	1.2%
Education and Training	1,402	0.9%
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,336	1.5%
Arts and Recreation Services	11,924	7.8%
Other Services	14,498	9.5%
Inadequately described	446	0.3%
Residential	1,862	1.2%
Vacant Floor Space	6,990	4.6%
TOTAL FLOOR SPACE	153,000	100%
Vacant land	85,554	57%

Source: HillPDA Survey 2017

The range of retail, commercial, medical and recreational services in the locality has assisted the employment area to be one of the most successful in the far north coast region. Other factors have been the location between the highway and the Byron Town Centre with direct access in all directions. The estate has developed and continues to develop in an interest mix of creative industries and support services.

7.2 Suggestions for Taminda

Commercial services, retail and human support services including accommodation, food services and childcare facilities are important components in successful employment precincts whether they are predominantly white-collar office precincts or blue-collar industrial estates. Two of the above cases studies (Norwest and Riverside Corporate Park) are commercial business parks which differ from the more traditional industrial area of Taminda. Nevertheless the support service demand of workers is similar particularly given the shift towards a more quasi-commercial role observed in many traditional precincts. Wetherill Park is a good benchmark being mostly industrial with lower than typical job density ratios and industries that are mainly manufacturing, warehousing and transport related. However its retail and commercial centre is on the boundary of the precinct and it is likely to capture a fair proportion of its trade from the adjacent residential area.

Riverside Corporate Park is more of a business park than an industrial area but its retail and commercial centre is more modest in scale. It is almost entirely dependent on the workers and businesses in the estate getting no trade from residents in the surrounding suburbs.

Byron Bay provides a good benchmark given that it is a regional employment area, is of similar size to Taminda and has similar employment numbers. However the jobs are a little more weighted towards the creative and boutique industries.

Overall the proportion of total workers in these estates that work in retail and hospitality services is between 6% and 16% - around 20% in the case of West Byron. The site area occupied by these uses ranges generally between 8% and 15% of the total employment precinct.

Taminda is around 255 hectares of zoned employment land predominantly IN1. Around 7 hectares south of Jewry Street is zoned B5 but this is already developed. Bunnings occupies around 4 hectares of this land and existing industrial units occupies the balance. The estate lacks a central services facility to support businesses and workers.

There is a parcel of land of 6.4 hectares on the north side of Jewry Street just to the east of the Racecourse that was recently rezoned to B5 but this site is not central (middle of the estate or at a main entry point). It's likely to be developed in the future for bulky goods or industrial uses rather than for commercial services.

With direct frontage on the collector road through the estate No. 55 Dampier Street is a reasonable location for a B5 zone. We would recommend a site area of around 5 hectares. Notwithstanding employment density in Taminda is around 30-35 jobs per hectare – similar to Wetherill Park but considerably lower than business parks. Wetherill Park however has more than 20,000 workers and more than 6,000 residents supporting the Greenway Plaza. The advantage of the B5 zone is that it will allow more traditional industrial services should commercial and retail services fail to be delivered due to lack of market interest.

8.0 ECONOMIC OUTPUT

This chapter quantifies the likely economic output from the development of the estate assuming full occupancy. Economic output can be measured in a number of ways including gross output (revenue), employment and gross value added (contribution to gross regional product) both direct (production on site) and indirect (production and consumption off site).

8.1.1 Direct Impacts

Assuming all 30 hectares is developed and based on an average density 70 jobs per hectare over 5 hectares in the B5 zone, 3 jobs per hectare on the solar farm and 35 jobs per hectare over the IN1 zone then we estimate total employment on site to reach 1,000. Gross revenue is likely to be $384m, total salaries $57m and gross value added (GVA) to be $119m every year. The performance indicators by a likely mix of industry type are shown in the table below.

Table 21: Direct Economic Impacts of the Planning Proposal

Industry	No. of Workers	Revenue ($m)	Salaries ($m)	GVA ($m)
Manufacturing	284	123.2	18.8	34.0
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	37	38.2	4.0	17.4
Construction	148	53.6	7.8	16.2
Wholesale trade	109	35.0	3.6	6.3
Retail Trade	62	52.3	4.6	7.5
Accommodation and Food Services	38	4.1	1.0	1.6
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	182	50.8	10.4	23.1
Information Media and Telecommunications	8	3.5	0.7	1.7
Financial and Insurance Services	10	3.9	0.4	2.1
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	8	1.7	0.6	0.9
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	14	1.5	0.7	0.9
Administrative and Support Services	12	1.6	0.6	0.9
Public Administration and Safety	23	1.4	1.1	1.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	42	6.9	1.3	2.6
Other Services	23	6.4	1.2	2.4
Total	**1,000**	**384.0**	**56.8**	**118.9**

Source: HillPDA from ABS Australian Industry 2016-17

8.1.2 Indirect Impacts

Industries have strong linkages with other sectors of the economy so their impacts go further than direct contribution. "Multipliers" refer to the level of additional economic activity generated by a source industry.

There are two types of multipliers:

- Production induced: which is made up of:

- First round effect: which is all outputs and employment required to produce the inputs for construction;
- An industrial support effect: which is the induced extra output and employment from all industries to support the production of the first round effect; and

- Consumption induced: which relates to the demand for additional goods and services due to increased spending by the wage and salary earners across all industries arising from employment.

The source of the multipliers adopted in this report is ABS Australian National Accounts: Input-Output Tables 2015-16 (ABS Pub: 5209.0). These tables identify first round effects, industrial support effects and consumption induced multiplier effects in respect of gross revenue, employment and gross value added.

The table below quantifies associated economic multipliers resulting from the construction process. This table illustrates with economic multipliers from the Australian National Accounts that the likely industries occupying the site would have the following indirect impacts in terms of GVA (contribution to national GDP):

- Production induced GVA of $145m; and
- Consumption induced GVA of $152m

Table 22: Indirect Economic Impacts of the Planning Proposal

Industry	Direct GVA ($m)	Production Induced	Consumption Induced	Total GVA
Manufacturing	34.0	55.9	52.6	142.5
Electricity, Gas, Water and Waste Services	17.4	21.8	16.9	56.1
Construction	16.2	28.4	26.4	70.9
Wholesale trade	6.3	5.0	7.2	18.6
Retail Trade	7.5	4.2	7.7	19.4
Accommodation and Food Services	1.6	1.3	1.9	4.7
Transport, Postal and Warehousing	23.1	21.3	25.7	70.0
Information Media and Telecommunications	1.7	1.7	1.7	5.1
Financial and Insurance Services	2.1	1.1	1.3	4.5
Rental, Hiring and Real Estate Services	0.9	0.4	0.3	1.6
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	0.9	0.7	1.2	2.8
Administrative and Support Services	0.9	0.5	1.1	2.5
Public Administration and Safety	1.5	0.7	1.8	4.1
Health Care and Social Assistance	2.6	0.8	3.0	6.5
Other Services	2.4	0.8	2.8	5.9
Total	**118.9**	**144.5**	**151.6**	**415.0**

Source: HillPDA and ABS Input Output Tables 2015-16

Total direct and indirect contribution to the Australian economy every year from businesses on the site would amount to $415m every year.

Note that the multiplier effects will occur over a national reach and are not necessarily local. The ABS states that:

> *"Care is needed in interpreting multiplier effects; their theoretical basis produces estimates which somewhat overstate the actual impacts in terms of output and employment. Nevertheless, the estimates illustrate the*

high flow-on effects of construction activity to the rest of the economy. Clearly, through its multipliers, construction activity has a high impact on the economy."

In particular the multiplier impacts can leave the impression that resources would not have been used elsewhere in the economy had development not proceeded. In reality many of these resources would have been employed elsewhere. It should also be noted, as stated in the NSW Treasury guidelines, that:

"Direct or flow on jobs will not necessarily occur in the immediate vicinity of the project – they may be located in head office of the supplier or in a factory in another region or State that supplies the project"[17].

Notwithstanding these limitations, economic multiplier impacts represent considerable added value to the local and broader Australian economy.

[17] Source: Office of Financial Management Policy & Guidelines Paper: Policy & Guidelines: Guidelines for estimating employment supported by the actions, programs and policies of the NSW Government (TPP 09-7) NSW Treasury

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1 INTRODUCTION

Kayandel Archaeological Services (KAS) has been commissioned by Elton Consulting on behalf of Tamworth-Industrial Pty Ltd (the Proponent) to prepare a Statement of Heritage Impact (SoHI) for the proposed industrial rezoning of the property 55 Dampier Street (Lot 3 DP1234850), Taminda, NSW.

This SoHI was undertaken as a desktop study, with consideration of the plans prepared by Eltons Consulting (dated 22/10/2018) and of the appropriate Local Government Legislation.

This report has been developed to satisfy the requirements of the Heritage Office Guidelines (HO & DUAP, 2002), the Heritage Office Manual (NSW Heritage Office, 1996) and the Burra Charter (ICOMOS, 1999) and demonstrates the suitability of the development on the site.

1.1 Location of the Subject Area

The Subject Area is located within the Tamworth Regional Council (TRC) Local Government Area (LGA) in the Parish of Murroon, and County of Parry (refer to Figure 1).

The Subject Area consists of the 55 Dampier Street (Lot 3 DP1234850), Taminda (refer to Figure 2). The Subject Area covers approximately 4.39ha.

1.2 Proposed Works

Lot 3 DP1234850 is currently zoned as RU4 (Primary Production Small Lots) under the TRC Local Environment Plan 2010 (LEP).

The Proponent has proposed that the Subject Area is rezoned to IN1 (General Industrial).

1.3 Study Limitations

This report is based on a review of available Historic archaeological assessments (sourced from the Heritage Branch library, grey literature and KAS' report library). It is possible that further Historic archaeological assessments or the emergence of new analysis of the Historic archaeological landscape within the Tamworth area may support different interpretations of the evidence in this report.

This report is based exclusively upon desktop assessment.

The 'Statement of Significance' (Section 4.3) made in this report is a combination of both facts and interpretation of those facts in accordance with a standard set of assessment criteria. It is possible that another professional may interpret the Historic archaeological landscape within the Tamworth area and physical evidence in a different way.

A summary of the statutory requirements regarding heritage is provided in Section 2. This is made based on our experience of working with the NSW Aboriginal heritage and European heritage systems and does not purport to be legal advice. It should be noted that legislation, regulations, and guidelines change over time and users of this report should satisfy themselves that the statutory requirements have not changed since the report was written.

1.4 Authorship

This study has been carried out by Kayandel Archaeological Services (KAS). Background research was undertaken by Meggan Walker. Natalie Stiles completed the mapping. This report was drafted by Meggan Walker; and reviewed by Natalie Stiles and Lance Syme.

Person	Qualification	Experience	Tasks
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Meggan Walker	BArts (Arch/Ancient) (Hons)	<1 year	Background research, report drafting

Table 1: KAS personnel involved with the preparation of this report

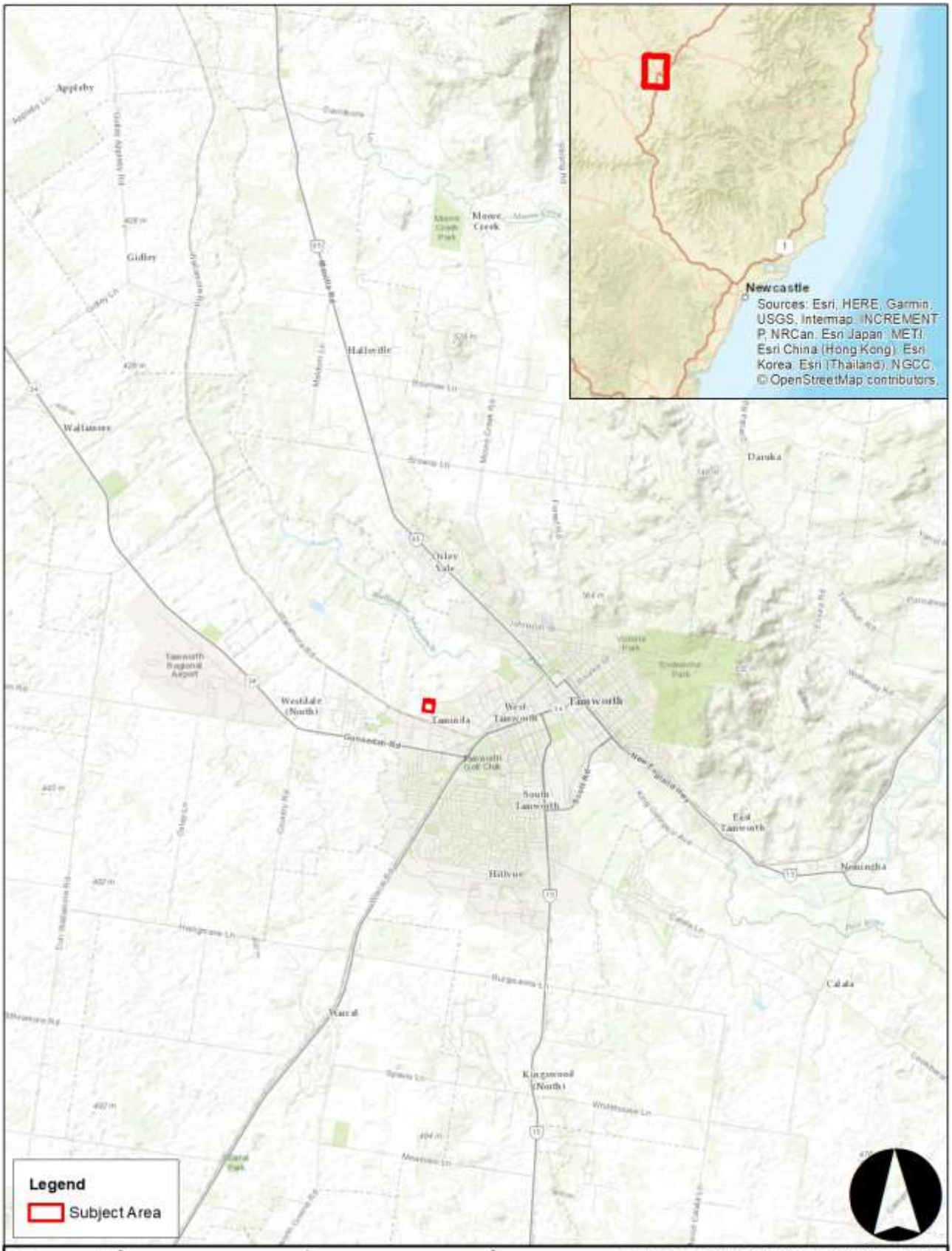

Figure 1: Project Location

Figure 2: Subject Area

2 APPLICABLE POLICY AND LEGISLATION

European and Aboriginal cultural heritage in Australia is protected and managed under a variety of legislation. The following section provides a brief summary of the Acts which are relevant to the management of cultural heritage in NSW. It is important to note that these Acts are presented as a guide and are not legal interpretations of legislation by the consultant.

2.1 Commonwealth Legislation

2.1.1 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Heritage Protection Act 1984

The purpose of the *Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Heritage Protection Act 1984* (Heritage Protection Act) is the preservation and protection from injury or desecration of areas and objects in Australia and in Australian waters that are of particular significance to Aboriginal people in accordance with Aboriginal tradition.

Under the Heritage Protection Act the responsible Minister can make temporary or long-term declarations to protect areas and objects of significance under threat of injury or desecration. The Act can, in certain circumstances, override state and territory provisions, or it can be implemented in circumstances where state or territory provisions are lacking or are not enforced. The Act must be invoked by or on behalf of an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander or organisation.

2.1.2 Environment Protection & Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act)

The *Commonwealth Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) took effect on 16 July 2000. Under Part 9 of the EPBC Act, any action that has, or is likely to have, a significant impact on a matter of National Environmental Significance (known as a controlled action under the Act), may only progress with approval of the Commonwealth Minister for the Environment. An action is defined as a project, development, undertaking, activity (or series of activities), or alteration to any of these. Where an exception applies, an action will also require approval if:

It is undertaken on Commonwealth land and will have or is likely to have a significant impact;

1. It is undertaken outside Commonwealth land and will have or is likely to have a significant impact on the environment on Commonwealth land; and,
2. It is undertaken by the Commonwealth and will have or is likely to have a significant impact.

Under Section 28 subsection (1) "The Commonwealth or Commonwealth Agency must not take inside or outside Australian jurisdiction an action that has, will have, or is likely to have a significant impact on the environment inside or outside Australian jurisdiction." The EPBC Act defines 'environment' as both natural and cultural environments and therefore Aboriginal and historic cultural heritage items included on the Register of the National Estate are regarded as part of the cultural environment.

Recently, Australia has changed legislation that protects its national heritage places. Three new laws came into effect in January 2004 and are essentially a combination of previous heritage system with a number of changes that include the establishment of a National Heritage List (NHL) and a Commonwealth Heritage List (CHL).

The National Heritage List records places with outstanding natural and cultural heritage values that contribute to Australia's National identity. The Commonwealth Heritage List will comprise natural, Aboriginal and historic places owned or managed by the Commonwealth. The new laws provide changes that offer greater legal protection under the existing *Environment Conservation and*

Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act). Under the new system, National Heritage will join six other important 'matters of national environmental significance' (NES) already protected by the EPBC Act.

The three new Acts are:

- The *Environment and Heritage Legislation Amendment Act (No.1) 2003;*
- The *Australian Heritage Council Act 2003*; and
- The *Australian Heritage Council (Consequential and Transitional Provisions) Act 2003.*

Approval under the EPBC Act is required if you are proposing to take an action that will have, or is likely to have, a significant impact on the National Heritage values of a National Heritage place and/or any other NES matter. This action must be referred to the Australian Government Minister for the Environment and Heritage. The Minister will decide whether an action will, or is likely to, have a significant impact on a matter of national environmental significance.

The heritage provisions of the EPBC Act allow for a transition period whilst the National and Commonwealth Heritage Lists are finalised. During this transition period the Register of the National Estate acts in conjunction with the formative National and Commonwealth lists to provide full coverage for items already identified as having cultural heritage significance.

2.1.3 Native Title Act 1993 (Amended)

The *Native Title Act of 1993*, as amended, recognises and protects native title, and provides that native title cannot be extinguished contrary to the Act. The National Native Title Tribunal (NNTT) is a Commonwealth Government agency set up under this Act to mediate native title claims under the direction of the Federal Court of Australia.

The National Native Title Tribunal maintains the following registers:

- National Native Title Register;
- Register of Native Title Claims;
- Unregistered Claimant Applications; and,
- Register of Indigenous Land Use Agreements.

The objective of a search of the NNTT registers is to identify possible Aboriginal Stakeholders that would not perhaps receive representation as part of the Local Aboriginal Land council or Elders groups.

2.2 New South Wales Legislation

The following New South Wales legislation protects aspects of cultural heritage and is relevant to development activities in the Subject Area.

2.2.1 Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

The EP&A Act requires that consideration be given to environmental impacts as part of the land use planning process. This includes impacts on Aboriginal and non–Aboriginal cultural heritage items and places. The Act also requires that Local Government Areas (LGAs) prepare Local Environmental Plans (LEP) and Development Control Plans (DCP) in accordance with the Act to provide guidance on the level of environmental assessment required. LEPs often list locally significant heritage items. Three parts of the EP&A Act are most relevant to Heritage. Part 3 relates to planning instruments, including those at local and regional levels; Part 4 controls development assessment processes; and Part 5 refers to approvals by determining authorities.

2.2.2 National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974

The *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* provides for protection of Aboriginal objects (sites, relics and cultural material) and Aboriginal places. Under the Act (Section 5), an Aboriginal object is defined as:

> *any deposit, object or material evidence (not being a handicraft for sale) relating to indigenous and non-European habitation of the area that comprises New South Wales, being habitation both prior to and concurrent with the occupation of that area by persons of European extraction, and includes Aboriginal remains.*

An Aboriginal place is defined under this Act as an area that has been declared by the Minister administering the *National Parks and Wildlife Act* as a place of special significance for Aboriginal culture. It may or may not contain physical Aboriginal objects.

Under Section 86 of the Act it is an offence to knowingly destroy, deface, damage or desecrate, or cause or permit the destruction, defacement, damage or desecration of, an Aboriginal object or Aboriginal place, without the prior written consent from the Director-General of the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH). In order to obtain such consent, a Section 90 Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) application must be submitted and approved by the OEH Director-General. In considering whether to issue a permit under Section 90, OEH will take into account:

- The objectives and justifications for the proposed activity;
- The appropriateness of the methodology to achieve the objectives of the proposed activity;
- The significance of the Aboriginal object(s) or place(s) subject to the proposed impacts;
- The effect of the proposed impacts and the mitigation measures proposed;
- The alternatives to the proposed impacts;
- The conservation outcomes that will be achieved if impact is permitted;
- The outcomes of the Aboriginal community consultation regarding the proposed impact and conservation outcomes;
- The views of the Aboriginal community about the proposed activity; and,
- The knowledge, skills, and experience of the nominated person (s) to adequately undertake the proposed activity.

Under Section 89A of the Act it is a requirement to notify the OEH Director-General of the location of an Aboriginal object. Identified Aboriginal items and sites are registered with the NSW OEH on AHIMS.

2.2.3 The Heritage Act 1977 (NSW) (Amended 1999) and the NSW Heritage Division

The *Heritage Act 1977* is the primary piece of State legislation affording protection to all items of environmental heritage (natural and cultural) in New South Wales. "Items of environmental heritage" include places, buildings, works, relics, moveable objects and precincts identified as significant based on historical, scientific, cultural, social, archaeological, architectural, natural or aesthetic values. A 'Place' is defined as an area of land, with or without improvements and a 'Relic' is defined as any deposit, object or material evidence that relates to the settlement of the area that comprises New South Wales, not being Aboriginal settlement, and that is 50 years or more old The *Heritage Act 1977*, established the Heritage Council of NSW, provides advice and recommendations to the Minister for Planning relating to conservation and management of items of environmental heritage. The Heritage Council is also required to maintain a database of items of

State heritage significance: The State Heritage Register (SHR), a database of items of both State and local heritage significance and the State Heritage Inventory (SHI).

If the Heritage Council believes that a heritage item or place needs to be conserved, it can make a recommendation to the Minister, who decides whether to place protection on that item. There are two types of protection available: interim heritage orders and listing on the State Heritage Register. These forms of protection are 'binding directions', which means that the heritage item that is protected in one of these ways cannot be demolished, redeveloped or altered without permission from the Heritage Council.

The *Heritage Act 1977* does not apply to Aboriginal "relics" (any deposit, object or material evidence). These items are protected under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*; however, some aspects of Aboriginal cultural heritage management and protection are covered by provisions of the *Heritage Act 1977*.

The Heritage Council NSW can recommend that the Minister of Planning make Interim Protection Orders (IPOs) to preserve areas of land that have natural, scientific or cultural significance that can include land with Aboriginal places or relics on it.

Particular Aboriginal places and items that the community has formally recognised as being of high cultural value can also be listed on the State Heritage Register. This provides an extra level of protection in addition to that provided by the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*.

2.2.3.1 State Heritage Register Search

A search of the State Heritage Register for Taminda was carried out as part of preparing this SoHI (refer to Appendix I). No items listed on the State Heritage Register were identified within and/or abutting the Subject Area.

2.2.3.2 State Heritage Inventory Search

A search of the State Heritage Inventory (SHI) for Tamworth was undertaken as part of preparing this SoHI (refer to Appendix II). Table 2 shows the SHI places that are in proximity to the Subject Area.

Item	Address	Database Number	Significance	Relationship to the Subject Area
Tamworth Grandstand	Britten Road	2470010	Local	In the vicinity of the Subject Area (approximately 270m)

Table 2: Heritage Items in the vicinity of the Subject Area from the SHI

2.3 Local Government Controls

2.3.1 Tamworth Regional Local Environment Plan (2010)

Heritage is dealt with under Section 5.10 and Schedule 5 of the Tamworth Regional Local Environment Plan (LEP) 2010. Section 5.10 (1) outlines the objectives of the clause, including:

(a) to conserve Aboriginal objects and Aboriginal places of heritage significance.
(b) to conserve the heritage significance of heritage items and heritage conservation areas, including associated fabric, settings and views,
(c) to conserve archaeological sites,
(d) to conserve Aboriginal objects and Aboriginal places of heritage significance.

The clause states that development consent is required for the following activities:

(a) Demolishing or moving a heritage item, Aboriginal Object, or building within a conservation area;
(b) Altering a heritage item that is a building by making structural changes to its interior or by making changes to anything inside the item that is specified in Schedule 5 in relation to the item;
(c) Disturbing or excavating an archaeological site;
(d) Disturbing or excavating an Aboriginal place of heritage significance;
(e) Erecting a building on land on which an Aboriginal object is located, or that is within an Aboriginal place of significance;
(f) Subdividing land on land on which an Aboriginal object is located, or that is within an Aboriginal place of significance.

Section 5.10 (8) Specifically applies to Aboriginal Places of Heritage Significance and outlines the level of assessment and notification which needs to be undertaken for development affecting Aboriginal places, prior to granting development consents.

Schedule 5 – Environmental Heritage lists places of heritage significance registered on the local listing. These items are primarily European and post-contact sites, however occasionally Aboriginal places are listed at the local level,

2.3.1.1 Tamworth Regional LEP 2010 Schedule 5 Search Results

A search of the Schedule 5 was undertaken for the Subject Area. The heritage map from the LEP pertinent to the Subject Area is included as Appendix IV. Table 3 (refer to Figure 3) lists the heritage items located in proximity to the Subject Area.

Item	Address	Database Number	Significance	Relationship to the Subject Area
Tamworth Grandstand	Britten Road	I307	Local	In the vicinity of the Subject Area (approximately 270m)

Table 3: Tamworth Regional LEP 2010 Schedule 5 Items in proximity to the Subject Area

2.4 Non-Statutory Listings

The National Trust of Australia (NSW) is a community-based organisation with independently constituted Trusts in each state and territory. The NSW National Trust compiles a heritage list primarily of historic places, but they also include some Aboriginal and natural places. Listing helps to provide recognition and promote public appreciation and concern for local heritage.

The National Trust Register has no legal foundation or statutory power but is recognised as an authoritative statement on the significance to the community of particular items and is held in high esteem by the public.

2.4.1 Register of the National Estate Search

A search of the Register of the National Estate was undertaken as part of preparing this SoHI (0).

The Register of the National Estate (RNE) was closed in 2007 and is no longer a statutory list.

The RNE is maintained on a non-statutory basis as a publicly available archive and educational resource.

Items entered in the RNE prior to its closure in 2007 as identified as “registered”. The existence of an entry for a place in the RNE does not in itself create a requirement to protect the place under

Commonwealth law. Nevertheless, information in the register may continue to be current and may be relevant to statutory decisions about protection.

No items listed on the RNE were identified within and/or abutting the Subject Area.

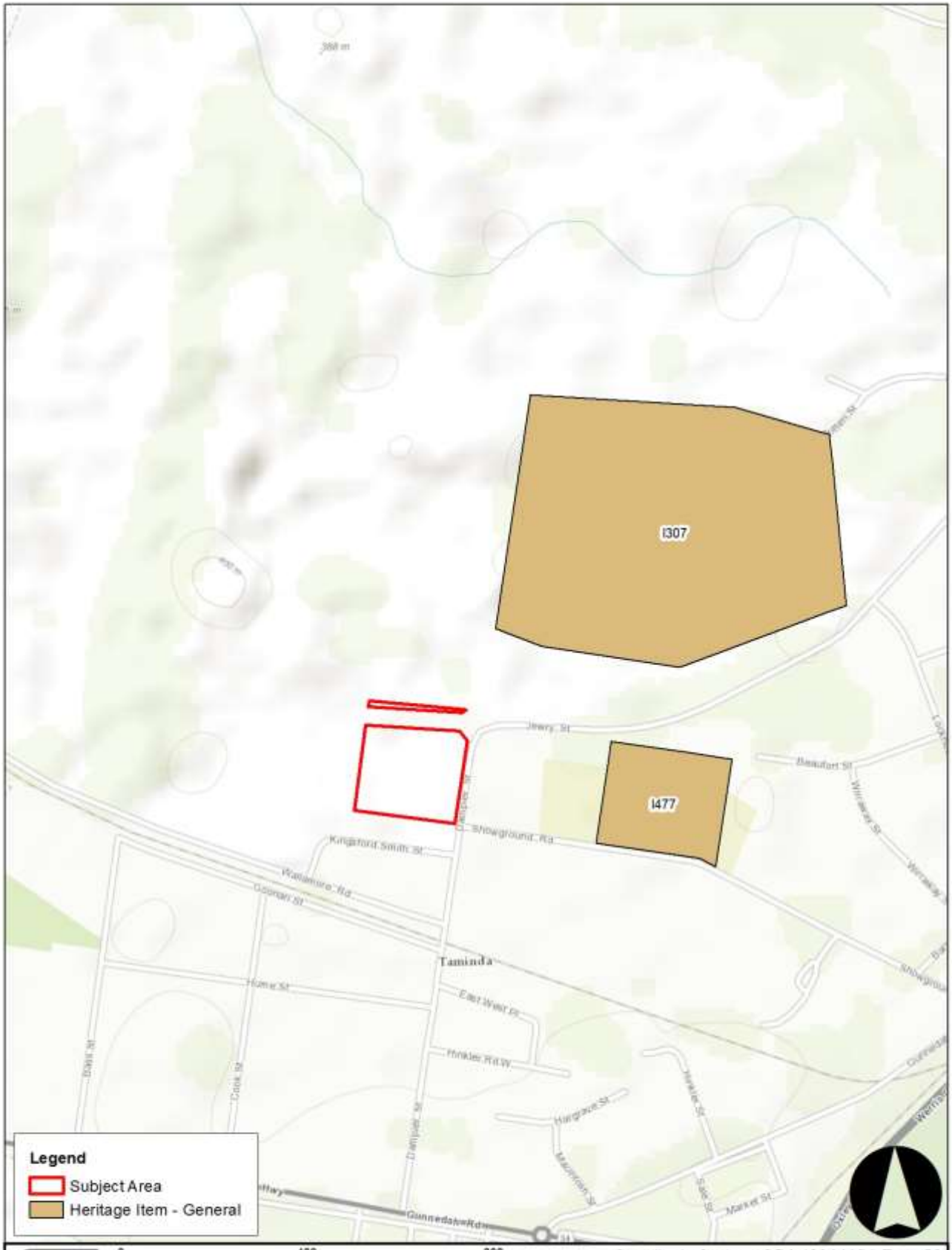

Figure 3: Heritage Items in Proximity

3 HISTORICAL OVERVIEW

3.1 Local Indigenous Groups

The oldest site identified within the Tamworth Region is Bendemeer II, dating to 4,950BP (Wilson & McAdam, 2000); although this is arguably a reflection of the lack of archaeological investigations within the region and preserved datable material rather than a reflection of actual occupation dates.

The Tamworth region and it's surrounds are generally accepted as having been originally inhabited by the Gamilaroi (also referred to as Komilaroi) people, who are recognised by researchers as the primary linguistic group for the greater New England Region (Tindale, 1974; Wilson & McAdam, 2000). Europeans identified a number of groups in the Tamworth region including the Goonoo Goonoo, Gunnedah, Manellae (people who traditionally utilised the Manilla River) and Moonb (Tindale, 1974). Carey (2006) dentifies two sub-communities of the Gamilaroi, who occupied the area now known as Tamworth: the Mooni, and the Goonoo Goonoo people. The Gamilaroi people spoke a range of dialects throughout the New England Region, with Wilson and McAdam (2000) commenting that there were two distinct groups – the Corbon Gamilaroi, who occupied areas surrounding the Peel River including Liverpool Plains, and the Gammon Gamilaroi, who occupied the southern part of the language territory.

European settlement had a devastating effect on the traditional life ways of the Kamilaroi. Violent conflicts between settlers and Aboriginal groups, disease and dispossession of land resulted in population decrease. Conflict in the district was not uncommon. Descendent of Thomas Bowman, one of the early landowners within the project area, passed on stories of Bowman working through the night to build fences to secure them from Aboriginal people (Boileau, 2007). One of the more violent recorded conflicts was the reprisal campaigns of Major James Nunn. Boileau (2007) describes the action thus:

> *"They travelled in a circuit north across the Nandewar Ranges through Archibald Bell's Barraba station, on to Thomas Hall's new station at Bingara, then to Snodgrass Lagoon on Waterloo Creek, midway between the Namoi and the Gwydir, where they massacred an estimated forty or fifty Aboriginal people who were camped there. On their return journey through the foothills the posse engaged in a typical frontier style 'mopping up' operation, hunting down and killing any Aborigine they encountered."*

3.2 The Beginnings of Settlement of Tamworth

The first Europeans to venture into the Tamworth region were led by John Oxley, in his expedition into the northern interior of New South Wales in 1818. Two further expeditions followed, Allan Cunningham's expedition skirted the western edge of Parry Shire in 1827, and Thomas Livingstone Mitchell's in 1831. The lands of the Peel River Valley were not the objective of these expeditions; however, Oxley named a number of the landscape features he saw along the journey, including the Peel River, named in honour of the Right Honourable Robert Peel. Thomas Livingstone Mitchell succeeded Oxley in the surveying of the area, preferring indigenous names for landscape features (EJE Town Planning, 2001). For example, Mount Barragundy was recorded as Warrigundi on his 1834 map and remained the official name for 130 years. The mountain was renamed Mount Terrible in 1967, and it is unsure if this name came from a convict corruption of the name Carrabobila to Terrible Billy, or as a result of the terrorisation of the Aboriginal people of New England. British

pastoralists followed these expeditions, as a result of Oxley's enthusiastic description of the Liverpool Plains and Peel Valley, stating (EJE Town Planning, 2001):

> *"it would be impossible to find a finer or more luxuriant country…the grass was most luxuriant; the timber good and not thick: in short no place in the world can afford more advantages to the industrious settler".*

3.3 Farming at Tamworth

The Australian Agricultural Company was the first major company to operate in the Tamworth region, with unbroken association from 1834 to 1985.

In 1833, 313,298 acres of the Liverpool Plains were granted to the Australian Agricultural Company, which was a British pastoral company (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988). Along with their sister company, the Peel River Land and Mineral Company, the Australian Agricultural Company owned most of the land west of Tamworth.

In the late 1820s, the government in Sydney introduced laws regarding Limits of Location – restricting settlement to a roughly 320km radius of Sydney. The Australian Agricultural Company's land grant exceeded this limit and encouraged individual pastoralists to also push these limits (EJE Town Planning, 2001). These settlers had no legal claim to lands, and simply set their cattle and sheep to pasture. Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd and Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd (1988) commented that farming in the lands south of the Peel River primarily involved grazing animals on a temporary basis, with squatters using the land and shepherding their animals.

Sheep and cattle were grazed on the alluvial plains of the Peel River, and farming consisted primarily of crops such as wheat and, later, tobacco. The Tamworth region, specifically the Goonoo Goonoo estate owned by the Australian Agricultural Company, became known for wool (EJE Town Planning, 2001). The estate was fenced from the mid-1950s, which prevented the shepherding of sheep and was subsequently less cost effective (EJE Town Planning, 2001).

This ephemeral use of the land, and lack of legal claim, did not inspire these 'squatters' to make any improvements to the land, and thus no substantial buildings or structures were erected until after 1852 when minimal security was won by the squatters in the form of fourteen-year leases (EJE Town Planning, 2001).

The monopoly of the Australian Agricultural Company was brought to an end when the government resumed 99,519 acres under Closer Settlement legislation in 1909 (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

3.4 Nineteenth & Twentieth Centuries in Tamworth (Taminda)

The Tamworth region was one of the few large towns established outside of the metropolitan dominance of the regions of Sydney, Newcastle and Wollongong. Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd and Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd (1988) attribute the success of Tamworth to the facilities provided to the region and the population.

The majority of the Tamworth region has historically been used for low intensity farming, involving sheep and cattle grazing on the plains. As mentioned in Section 3.3, the trial and success of more high intensity agricultural processes involving the planting of crops such as wheat, and later tobacco on the alluvial plains surrounding the Peel River in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries led to the expansion of farming in the area.

From the 1850s, Tamworth was a base for government services – initially land administration, police and the judiciary. With the extension of the railway line into West Tamworth in 1878 and East Tamworth in 1882, the city became a regional centre. Buildings such as the ANZ Bank, the Post Office and the Lands Department are considered by Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd and Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd (1988) to be among the most outstanding built heritage items within the region.

In 1888, Tamworth became the first town in the colony to be lit by electricity (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

Between 1900-1902, the Tamworth region went into drought. The Australian Agricultural Company, by this point the Peel River Land and Mineral Company, suffered as a result. In 1908, the Wade government in New South Wales imposed a Compulsory Purchase Order on the company for 40,352 hectares in the vicinity of Tamworth (Including the current Subject Area). A further 32,805 acres were sold between 1925 and 1935, and a further 9,720 acres were compulsorily resumed for War Service Land Settlement in 1953. The remaining 4853ha was sold in auction in 1985, bringing the Company's monopoly in the region to a complete close (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

In 1908, domestic and industrial requirements for light and power led to the establishment of the local gas works, and a new power house was built in the town in 1922, providing power to the surrounding rural area – including Taminda (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

The Subject Area was part of the land grant to the Australian Agricultural Company (refer to Figure 4), that was included in a parcel of land that was subdivided and sold after the government resumed the land in 1909. The land remained zoned for farming.

Historic maps and land records show that in In June1909, Joseph Henry Starr purchased Lot 26 (Settlement Purchase No 1909/30), which corresponds to the eastern portion of the current Subject Area. In 1947, the Subject Area was outside of the bounds of the city of Tamworth; however, by 1964 the bounds of the city had changed and now encompassed the Subject Area (refer to Figure 5).

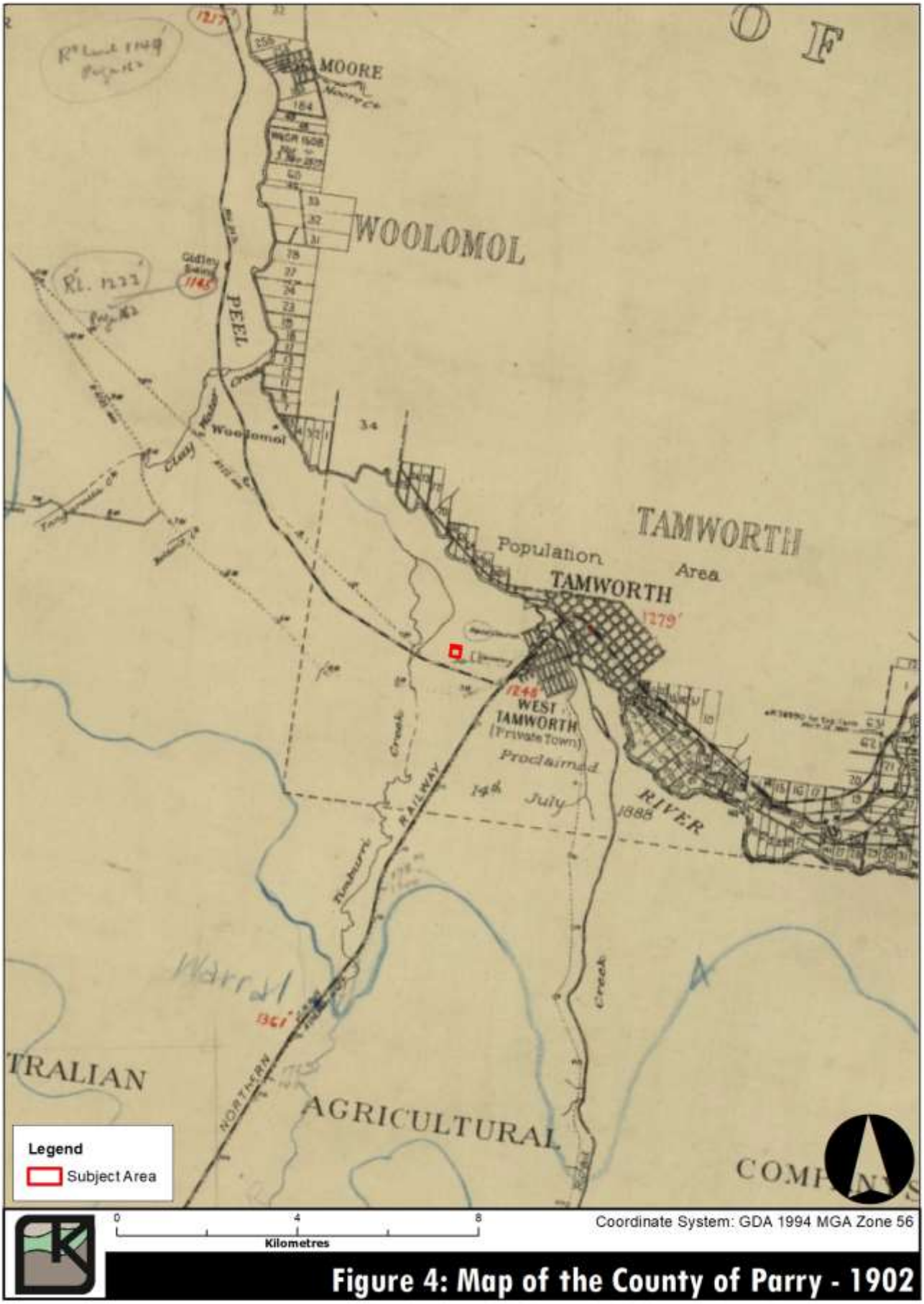

Figure 4: Map of the County of Parry - 1902

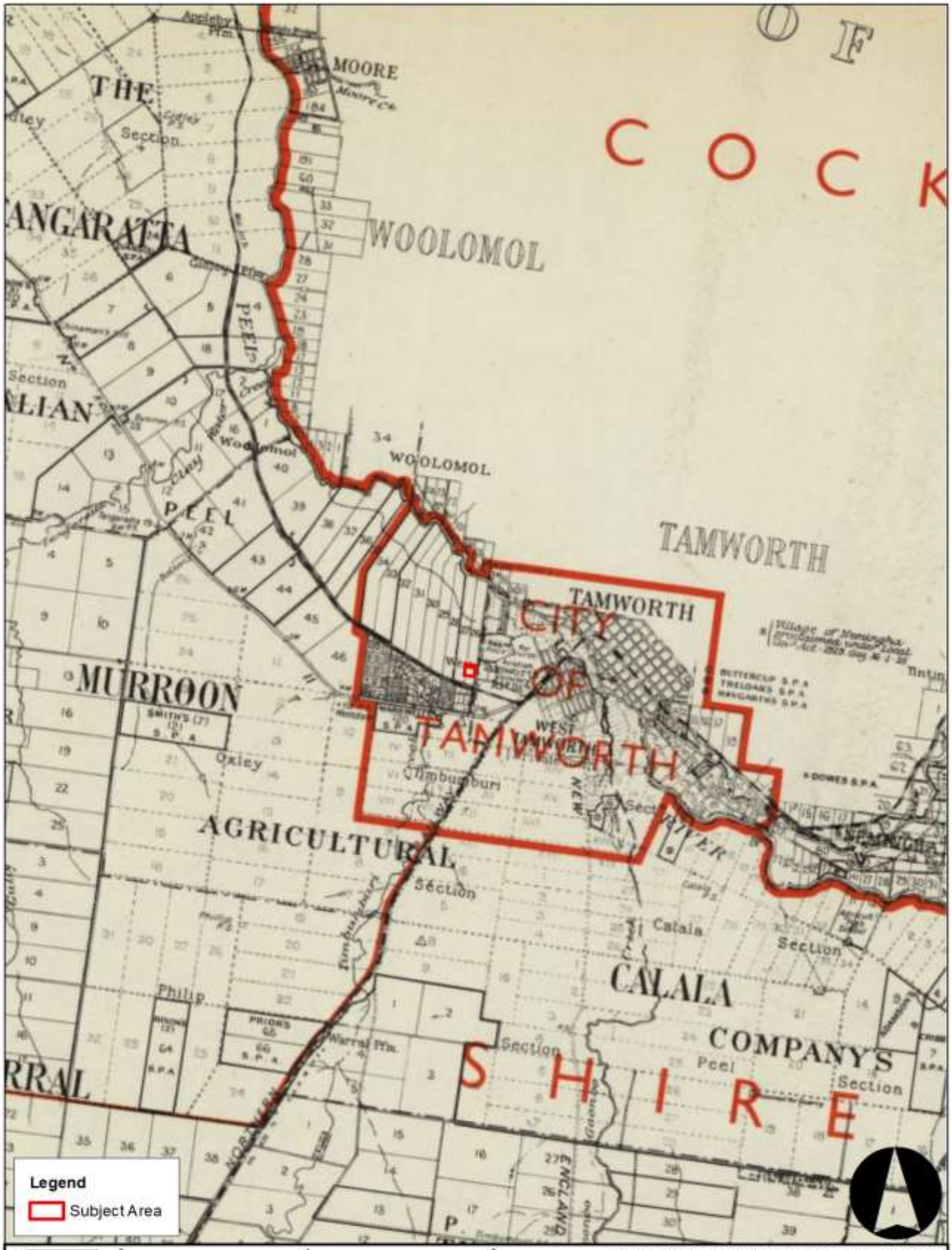

Figure 5: Map of the County of Parry - 1964

4 SIGNIFICANCE ASSESSMENT

4.1 Significance Criteria

An assessment of heritage significance encompasses a range of heritage criteria and values. The heritage values of a site or place are broadly defined as the 'aesthetic, historic, scientific or social values for past, present or future generations' (NSW Heritage Office, 2001). This means a place can have different levels of heritage value and significance to different groups of people.

The archaeological significance of a site is commonly assessed in terms of historical and scientific values, particularly by what a site can tell us about past lifestyles and people. There is an accepted procedure for determining the level of significance of an archaeological site.

A detailed set of criteria for assessing the State's cultural heritage was published by the (then) NSW Heritage Office. These criteria are divided into two categories: nature of significance, and comparative significance. Heritage assessment criteria in NSW fall broadly within the four significance values outlined in the Burra Charter. The Burra Charter has been adopted by State and Commonwealth heritage agencies as the recognised document for guiding best practice for heritage practitioners in Australia. The four significance values are:

- Historic significance. Concerned with the aesthetical, scientific and social qualities of an item; identifying significance between an item, cultural significance and change. Item is significant due to its association with or position in the evolving pattern of our cultural history
- Aesthetic significance. Concerned with the scenic and architectural values of an item and/or the creative achievement that it evidences. To fulfil this criterion an item has visual or sensory appeal, landmark qualities or shows creative or technical excellence.
- Technical/research significance. Concerned with the evaluation of an item in technical and research terms, which takes into consideration the archaeological, educational, industrial or research potential of a site. Items have significance in terms of their ability to make a contribution to a better understanding of cultural history, or their ability to present information to a wider community.
- Social significance. Concerned with the contemporary community's appreciation of the cultural record. Classification relies upon the social, spiritual or cultural relationship of an item and the community.

The NSW Heritage Office issued a more detailed set of assessment criteria to provide consistency with heritage agencies in other States and to avoid ambiguity and misinterpretation. These criteria are based on The Burra Charter. The following SHR criteria were gazetted following amendments to the Heritage Act that came into effect in April 1999:

- Criterion (a) - an item is important in the course, or pattern, of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of the local area).
- Criterion (b) - an item has strong or special association with the life or works of a person, or group of persons, of importance in NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of the local area).
- Criterion (c) - an item is important in demonstrating the aesthetic characteristics and/or a high degree of creative or technical achievement in NSW (or the local area).
- Criterion (d) - an item has strong or special association with a particular community or cultural group in NSW (or the local area) for social, cultural or spiritual reasons.

- Criterion (e) - an item has potential to yield information that will contribute to an understanding of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of the local area).
- Criterion (f) - an item possesses uncommon, rare or endangered aspects of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of the local area).
- Criterion (g) - an item is important in demonstrating the principal characteristics of a class of NSW's cultural or natural places; or cultural or natural environments; or a class of the local area's cultural or natural places; or cultural or natural environment.

4.2 Assessment of Significance

The following assessment of significance is made using the Heritage Office manual's criteria (NSW Heritage Office, 1996).

CRITERION A - An item is important in the course, pattern, of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area).

There is no known association between the Subject Area with importance to NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area).

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION B - An item has strong and special association associated with the life and work of a person or groups of persons of importance to NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area).

There is no known association between the Subject Area with the life and work of a person or groups of persons of importance to NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area). Historical Evidence suggests use of the land upon which the Subject Area is situated would have been ephemeral in the early European settlement of the region.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION C - An item is important in demonstrating aesthetic characteristics and or/ a high degree of creative or technical achievement in NSW (or a local area).

No items demonstrating aesthetic characteristics and or/a high degree of creative or technical achievement were identified within the Subject Area.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION D - An item has strong or special associations with a particular community or cultural group in NSW (or local area).

No items associated with any particular community or cultural group were identified within the Subject Area.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION E - An item has the potential to yield information that will contribute to an understanding of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area).

No items with the potential to yield information contributing to an understanding of NSW's cultural or natural history were identified within the Subject Area.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION F - An item possesses uncommon, rare or endangered aspects of NSW's cultural or natural history (or the cultural or natural history of a local area).

No items possessing uncommon, rare of endangered aspects of NSWs cultural or natural history were identified within the Subject Area.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

CRITERION G - An item is important in demonstrating the principal characteristics of a class of NSW's cultural or natural places or cultural or natural environments.

No items important in demonstrating the principal characteristics or a class of NSWs cultural or natural places or environments were identified within the Subject Area.

The Subject Area **does not** satisfy this criterion.

4.3 Statement of Significance

The Subject Area comprises a rural landscape that has been utilised for agricultural purposes, primarily grazing and crop farming, throughout its history. The history of the Subject Area does not indicate any built structures, given the suggestion that use of the land south of the Peel River was used by squatters in a temporary nature; as the Subject Area was outside the limits of settlement (Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants Pty Ltd & Rodney Jensen and Associates Pty Ltd, 1988).

This assessment has concluded that the Subject Area does not hold any significance at either a local or state level.

5 HERITAGE IMPACT STATEMENT

The discussion of impacts to heritage can be centred upon a series of questions which must be answered as part of a SoHI which frame the nature of impact to a heritage item. The Heritage Manual Guideline (NSW Heritage Office, 1996) Statements of Heritage Impact includes a series of questions to indicate the criterion which must be answered. These are:

- How is the proposed curtilage allowed around the heritage item appropriate?
- Could future development that results from this development compromise the significance of the heritage item? How has this been minimised?
    - Could future development that results from this development affect views to, and from, the heritage item?
- What has been done to minimise negative affects?

Based upon the discussion of Impacts to heritage items, impact to these items can be quantified under three main categories: direct impacts, indirect impacts and no impact. These kinds of impacts are dependent on the proposed impacts, nature of the heritage item and its associated curtilage.

Direct impacts

Direct impacts are where the completion of the proposed development will result in a physical loss or alteration to a heritage item which will impact the heritage value or significance of the place. Direct impacts can be divided into whole or partial impacts. Whole impacts essentially will result in the removal of a heritage item as a result of the development where as partial impacts normally constitute impacts to a curtilage or partial removal of heritage values. For the purposes of this assessment direct impacts to heritage items have been placed into the following categories:

- Physical impact - whole: where the development will have a whole impact on a heritage item resulting in the complete physical loss of significance attributed to the item.
- Physical impact - partial: where the project will have a partial impact on an item which could result in the loss or reduction in heritage significance. The degree of impact through partial impacts is dependent on the nature and setting of a heritage item. Typically, these impacts are minor impacts to a small proportion of a curtilage of an item or works occurring within the curtilage of a heritage item which may impact on its setting (i.e. gardens and plantings).

Indirect impacts

Indirect impacts to a heritage item relate to alterations to the environment or setting of a heritage item which will result in a loss of heritage value. This may include permanent or temporary visual, noise or vibration impacts caused during construction and after the completion of the development. Indirect impacts diminish the significance of an item through altering its relationship to its surroundings; this in turn impacts its ability to be appreciated for its historical, functional or aesthetic values. For the purposes of this assessment impacts to heritage items have been placed into the following categories:

- Visual impact;
- Noise impact; and,
- Vibration impact.

Cumulative impacts

Cumulative impacts relate to minimal or gradual impacts from a single or multiple development upon heritage values. A cumulative impact would constitute a minimal impact being caused by the proposed development which over time may result in the partial or total loss of heritage value to the Subject Area or associated heritage item. Cumulative impacts may need to be managed carefully over the prolonged period of time.

No impact

This is where the project does not constitute a measurable direct or indirect impact to the heritage item. The industrial rezoning and solar farm installation at the Subject Area will not result in any impacts, either direct or indirect, to any items of heritage significance or value.

5.1 Heritage Impact Statement

The proposed rezoning of 55 Dampier Street, Taminda will not result in any impacts, either direct or indirect, to any items of heritage significance or value.

6 OBLIGATIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The following management principles and recommendations are based on:

- The legal requirements of the *Heritage Act 1977*, whereby it is illegal to disturb or excavate any land knowing or having reasonable cause to suspect that the disturbance or excavation will or is likely to result in a relic being discovered, exposed, moved, damaged or destroyed unless the disturbance or excavation is carried out in accordance with an excavation permit;
- The findings presented within this Statement of Heritage Impact; and,
- Recognition of the extended period of which development activities will occur within the Subject Area.

6.1 Obligations

1. Any development likely to impact the heritage significance of a State Significant Heritage Item will require a permit under Section 60 of the *Heritage Act 1977* prior to works being undertaken.
2. An Excavation Permit Exception under Section 134(4) of the *Heritage Act 1977* is necessary to authorise any disturbance or excavation of land known to or having reasonable cause to suspect that the disturbance or excavation will or is likely to result in a relic being discovered, exposed, moved, damaged or destroyed.
3. In accordance with Clause 5.10 of the Tamworth LEP 2010, Development Applications for heritage items, heritage conservation areas and in the vicinity of either will require a heritage management document to be prepared which assesses the extent to which the carrying out of the proposed development would affect the heritage significance of the heritage item or heritage conservation area concerned.

6.2 Recommendations

KAS recommends the following:

1. No further assessment of the historic heritage within the Subject Area is required prior to the commencement of the proposed works (refer to Section 1.2). Should the design and/or extent of the proposed development be altered, further archaeological assessment may be required;
2. Prior to the commencement of works, all relevant staff and contractors should be made aware of their statutory obligations for heritage under the *Heritage Act 1977*, which may be implemented as a heritage induction;
3. If unrecorded Aboriginal object or objects are identified in the Subject Area during works, then all works in the immediate area must cease and the area should be cordoned off. OEH must be notified by ringing the Enviroline 131 555 so that the site can be adequately assessed and managed;
4. In the unlikely event that skeletal remains are identified, work must cease immediately in the vicinity of the remains and the area must be cordoned off. The proponent must contact the local NSW Police who will make an initial assessment as to whether the remains are part of a crime scene or possible Aboriginal remains. If the remains are thought to be Aboriginal, OEH must be contacted by ringing the Enviroline 131 555. An OEH officer will determine if the remains are Aboriginal or not; and a management plan must be developed in consultation with the relevant Aboriginal stakeholders before works recommence; and,

5. If, during the course of development works, suspected historic cultural heritage material is uncovered, work should cease in that area immediately. The Heritage Branch, Office of Environment & Heritage (Enviroline 131 555) should be notified and works only recommence when an approved management strategy has been developed.

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APPENDIX I. State Heritage Register Search Results

Location information for some Aboriginal Places (e.g. burial grounds and sacred sites) have been generalised because of their cultural sensitivity. Location information for restricted Aboriginal Places is not shown at all. If an activity or development is proposed that may potentially impact on or harm (i.e., damage, deface or destroy) an Aboriginal Place, then proponents must undertake a search for the exact boundaries of Aboriginal Places through **AHIMS Web Services**.

Downloading of State Heritage Register spatial datasets and associated metadata into a Geographical Information System (GIS) software package is available through **Data NSW**

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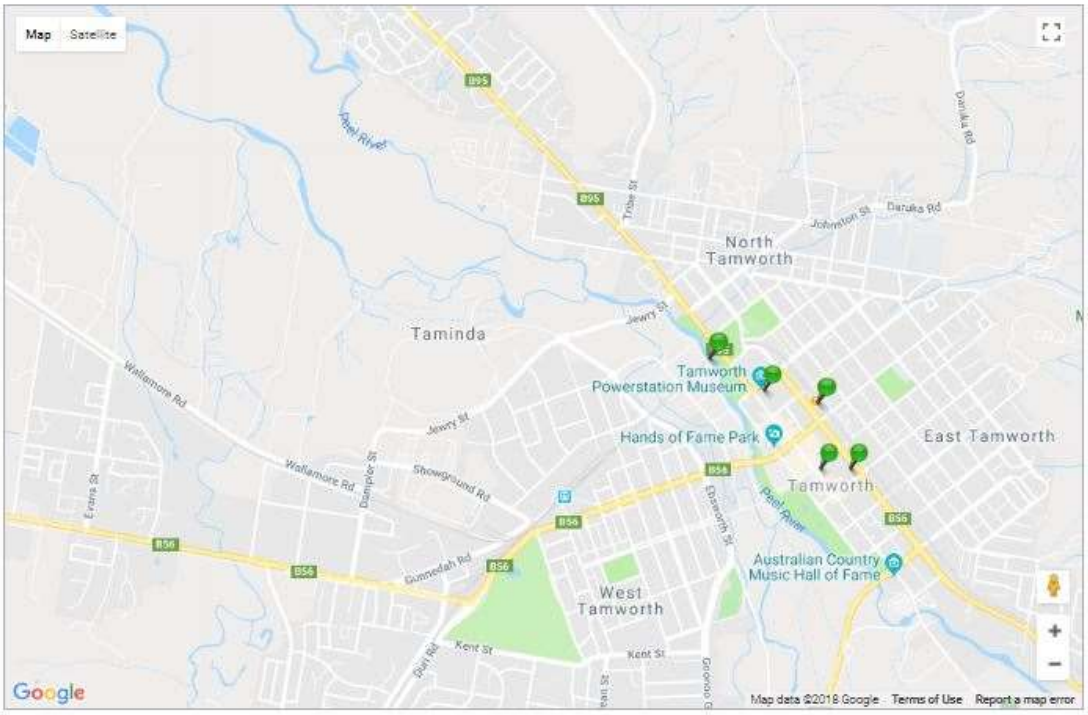

Appendix II. State Heritage Inventory Search – Tamworth

government agencies.

Section 1. Aboriginal Places listed under the National Parks and Wildlife Act.

Your search returned 1 record.

Aboriginal place name	Local government area	Local Aboriginal Land Council	Latitude	Longitude	Gazettal date and page numbers	Comments
Inglebah	Walcha	Tamworth	-31.1702086667	151.451583542	12/21/2007 p. 10680	

Section 2. Items listed under the NSW Heritage Act.

Your search returned 6 records.

Item name	Address	Suburb	LGA	SHR
Dominican Roman Catholic Convent	Marius Street	Tamworth (East)	Tamworth Regional	00122
King George V Avenue of Memorial English Oaks	King George V Memorial Avenue	Tamworth (East)	Tamworth Regional	01922
Tamworth Peel Barracks	Peel Street (cnr)	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	00550
Tamworth Post Office	Fitzroy Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	01421
Tamworth rail bridge over Peel River	Main Northern railway 454.125 km	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	01058
Tamworth Railway Station, yard group and movable relics	Main Northern railway	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	01260

Section 3. Items listed by Local Government and State Agencies.

Your search returned 249 records.

Item name	Address	Suburb	LGA	Information source
ANZ Bank Building	429 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Anzac Park Gates	Brisbane Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Anzac Park Gazebo	Brisbane Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Australian Winter Cereal Collection	Calala Lane	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Baptist Church	86 Carthage Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Calrossy School	140 Brisbane Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Central Hotel	330-334 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Chaffey Dam	Peel River	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Commercial Building	30-32 Darling Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Commercial Building	226 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Commonwealth Bank Building	404 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Community Centre	Darling Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	46 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	47 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	48 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	51 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	37 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	39 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	41 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	44 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	54 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Cottage	56 Griffin Avenue	East Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Courthouse Hotel	232 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV

Durham	Calala Lane	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
East Tamworth Station Pedestrian Bridge	Bourke Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Eastern Railway Viaduct	Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Electrical Showroom	Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Goonoo Goonoo Station - Group of Buildings	Goonoo Goonoo New England Highway	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Grandstand (at race track)	Britten Road	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Group of shops	164 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Group of Shops	235-237 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Group of Shops	239 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Herbarium	Calala Lane	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Hospital - Allambie	100 Marius Street	North Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Hotel - Joe Maguires Pub	146-148 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Hotel & Shops	395-401 Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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House	74-96 King George Avenue	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV

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House	150 Carthage Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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House	61 Darling Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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House	99 Denison Street	West Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
House	100-102 Bourke Street	North Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
House	123 Brisbane Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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House - The Pines	26 Hill Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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Tamworth Court House	Marius and Fitzroy Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
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Tamworth Gatekeeper's residence	20 Darling Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV

Tamworth Hotel	147 Marius Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Tamworth Primary School	Upper Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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Tamworth Railway Station	Marius Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Tamworth Railway Station	Marius Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Tamworth, Former Station Master's Residence	34 Bourke Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Tamworth, Peel River Underbridge	454.125km Northern Railway Line	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Tamworth, Peel Street Underbridge	454.187km Northern Line, Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV
Tobacco Kiln	119-139 King George Avenue	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Tobacco Kiln	Scott Road	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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Town Hall	26-30 Fitzroy Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
War Memorial	Gipps Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Wells	Scott Road	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Wells adjacent to Peel River	Scott Road	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
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Western Railway Viaduct	Peel Street	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	LGOV
Yellow Box Stand	Calala Lane	Tamworth	Tamworth Regional	SGOV

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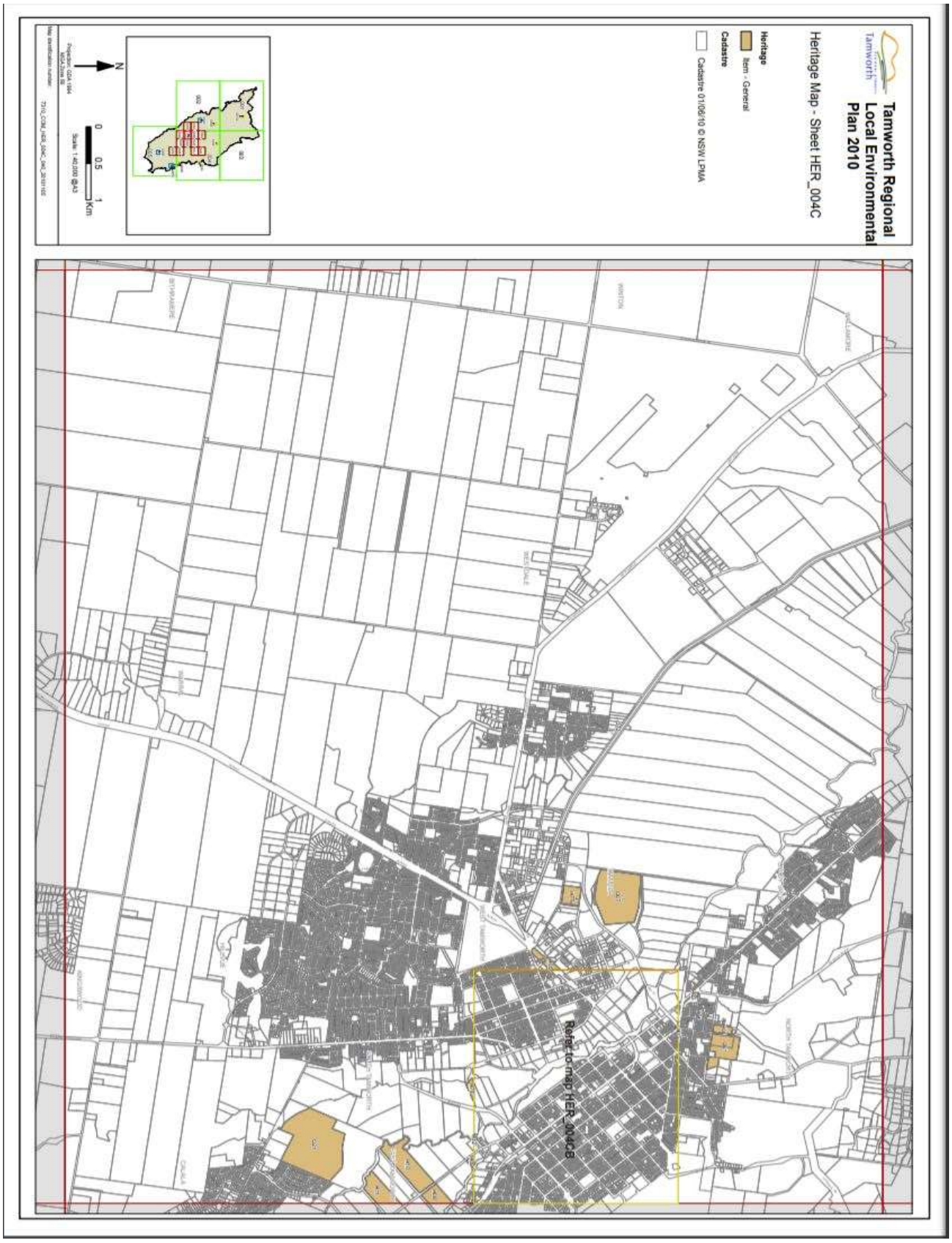
APPENDIX III. Register of the National Estate Search Results

Appendix IV. Tamworth Regional Council Local Environment Plan 2010



7.9 Flood impact and riparian assessment report

TAMINDA TAMWORTH PLANNING PROPOSAL

PROPOSED REZONING TO INDUSTRIAL LAND

FLOOD IMPACT AND RIPARIAN LAND ASSESSMENT

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1. Introduction

It is proposed to rezone part of the Racecourse West Development Site to employment land. The Planning Proposal for this rezoning is being prepared by Elton Consulting on behalf of Chan Abbey Holdings. This report has been prepared to support the Planning Proposal and deals with the potential impacts on the flooding behaviour and impacts on waterfront land as defined by the Water Management Act 2000.

This report was prepared by Mark Tooker from Tooker and Associates who has over 35 years experience in flood impact assessments and management of riparian land under the Water Management Act 2000.

2. Site Description

The proposed rezoning site is located in the western area of the Tamworth urban area (refer Figure 1) and consists of part of the Racecourse West Development site (30ha) on Lots 1 and 2 DP 1234850 and part of Lot 3 DP 1234850 (refer Figure 2). The lot immediately to the west is known as Somerset Farm (Lot 60 DP 1227482). Chan Abbey Holdings own both the Racecourse West Development site and Somerset Farm. While Somerset Farm will not be rezoned, it will be partially regraded as part of the flood mitigation works to ensure that the development on the rezoning lot does not adversely impact the flooding behaviour on adjacent properties.

The Racecourse West Development site has a common boundary on the eastern side with the Tamworth Racecourse and the existing Taminda industrial area on the southern side. The lot width is approximately 465m and its length over the proposed rezoning area is approximately 660m. The land is very flat and falls to the Peel River in the north approximately 2m over this length at a grade of approximately 0.3%.

The Somerset Farm site is approximately 250m wide and its southern boundary fronts onto Wallamore Road. The farmhouse and sheds are located on land approximately 300m from Wallamore Road on a higher parcel of land which appears to have been filled in the past to be at or just above the 100 yr ARI flood level. Otherwise the land would generally slope down towards the north at the same grade as for the Racecourse West Development site.

The lots containing the Somerset Farm and Racecourse West Development area extend further north across the Peel River and its anabranches. As such, the proposed development resulting from the rezoning may impact on the waterfront land as defined in the Water Management Act 2000. Waterfront land is defined as land within 40m of the top of bank of a river. Development within waterfront land requires a Controlled Activity Approval (CAA) from the Department of Primary Industry Water division.

Tamworth Council propose to construct, when funding is available, an extension of Jewry Street heading west across the southern section of the Racecourse West Development site and then heading south through the Somerset Farm site to connect at grade with Wallamore Road at the western boundary of the Somerset Farm site. This road is known as the bypass

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road. Council has created a lot for this road which could be incorporated into any future development on the Racecourse West Development and Somerset Farm sites.

There is a narrow lot between the Racecourse West Development site and the Tamworth Racecourse which acts as a drainage corridor to accommodate flows from the basin located between Jewry Street and the racecourse down to the Peel River anabranch system. This will need to be retained in any development on the Racecourse West Development site.

3. Flood Behaviour

The site is affected by local flood flows down the Timbumburi Creek and their interaction with the regional flooding in the Peel River (refer Figure 3). The flood flows in Timbumbari Creek from the south are dammed behind the railway embankment causing a wide flood area upstream of the railway line. At the eastern extent of this flood area is a drainage culvert under the rail line located at the western boundary of the Somerset Farm site and Wallamore Road. Floodwaters discharge from the culvert and over Wallamore Raod in a 100 yr ARI flood event and are deflected to the east around the high landform at the Somerset farmhouse and shed area. It then flows north along the Racecourse West Development site before joining with the Peel River flood flows at the northern end of the racecourse.

The 100 yr ARI flood levels across the site have a gradient of about 2m varying from approximately RL 374.2m AHD at Wallamore Road to RL 372.2m AHD at the northern end of the racecourse.

The peak flood velocities across the site are low in the 100 year ARI flood compared to the higher velocities in the Peel River anabranches and the railway culvert (larger arrows mean higher velocities).

There is an existing low flow channel extending from opposite the railway culvert in the south and heading around the higher ground of the homestead on Somerset Farm and heading north along the western boundary of the Racecourse West Development site towards the Peel River anabranch system.

4. Proposed Development

The proposed development is to form a 30 ha industrial area in the Racecourse West development site as shown on Figure 4. This area would be ringed by a levee on all four sides with a crest level 1m above the 100 year ARI flood level. The required levee crest levels and existing ground levels are depicted on Figure 5. The northern part of the levee is located as far north as to not cause significant adverse impacts on the Pell River flood behaviour because it would be difficult to mitigate any such impacts by works on the subject site alone. Potential impacts are limited to those on the flood behaviour of the Timbumbari Creek which can be mitigated with the proposed regrading of Somerset Farm ground levels.

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The levee height would vary between 0.8m and 2.4m above existing ground levels. The levee would have a floodgate located in the northern wall and within the development there would be sufficient detention storages/basins to accommodate the 100 year ARI rainfall falling on the site during a 100 year ARI regional flood. The site runoff would be temporarily stored on site until it could be released after the regional floodwaters receded. The employment development within the levee would have minimum floor levels of 300mm above the storage level within the site for the 100 year ARI rainfall on the 30ha development area.

The existing Timbumbari Creek flood flows presently on the site are diverted to the east around the high landform containing the farm homestead and sheds on Somerset Farm in a less efficient flow path which causes higher flood levels locally. The proposal therefore is to provide a more efficient flood flow path by removing what was probably an artificial high point at the Somerset Farm building pad and allow flood flows to run directly northward on the Somerset Farm site from the railway culvert to the Peel River along the full 250m width of the Somerset Farm site. This new flood flow path would be formed by removing the high point by regrading the Somerset Farm as shown on Figure 6. The regrading depths would be up to 1.2m at the homestead highpoint reducing to depths of generally 0.2m further to the north

A low flow channel would be provided generally along its present path along the eastern boundary of Somerset Farm and would suit the regrading and with varying widths to provide appropriate flow velocities. There is up to 250m width available on the site to sculpt this low flow channel.

An earth swale (2m wide) and bund approximately 350mm high would be formed along the western boundary of the Somerset Farm site to ensure that runoff from the land to the west would be drained to the Peel River to the north and any small increases in flood levels on Somerset Farm were not transferred onto the adjacent property to the west.

The proposed bypass road could be integrated into a development plan at anytime and would have a design level to match the levee crest at the levee locations on the Racecourse West site and grade down approximately 300mm to the existing level at its intersection with Wallamore Road.

5. Flood Impact Assessment

Lyall and Associates have formulated a flood model for Tamworth Council for the Peel River incorporating the flood flows along the Timbumburi Creek. It is appreciated that Council agreed to allow use of their flood model in the interest of designing a development concept on the subject site that would not adversely impact on the flood behaviour in adjacent properties. The use of their model also ensures a baseline level of consistency in terms of impact assessment.

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Lyall and Associates revised the flood model to incorporate the development features described in Section 4. Both the 20yr and 100 yr ARI floods were modelled and plots of flood level changes and post development flood velocities are presented on Figures 7 to 10.

The regrading of Somerset Farm to remove the high point, provides a more efficient flood flow path over a 250m width thereby offsetting any major increases in flood levels on adjacent properties. In fact, there are reductions in flood levels on properties to the west of Somerset Farm.

For the 20yr and 100 yr ARI floods, any increases in flood levels are restricted to Somerset Farm or the Racecourse West Development site (refer Figures 7 and 8).

The 100 yr ARI flood peak velocities along the Somerset Farm flow path generally range from 0.6 m/s to 1 m/s whereas in the 20 yr ARI flood, the peak velocities generally vary from 0.4 m/s to 0.8m/s (refer Figures 9 and 10). These velocities are appropriate for grassed pasture areas and are similar to existing flood velocities.

The low flow channel width and cross section will be considered in further detail to optimise flow and velocities in the regraded area of the Somerset Farm site and minimise any impacts on the existing sewer pipe across this area. The proposed low flow channel would join with the existing low flow channel at the northern end of the site.

A detention basin would likely be located at the northern end of the Racecourse West Development area to temporarily store local runoff from the future industrial development area to ensure peak flows are controlled to existing rates and that in regional floods, runoff can be temporarily stored while the flood gates are closed and allow release of the local runoff after the regional flood peak has receded.

6. Riparian Land Assessment

Development on waterfront land requires a Controlled Activity Approval (CAA) under the Water Management Act 2000. Waterfront land is defined as the land 40m from the top of bank of a river. The Department of Primary Industries Office of Water has issued a policy to assist in identification of waterfront land.

This policy uses the blue lines on the NSW 1:25000 topographic maps to show the extent of rivers and hence waterfront land is categorised as land located within 40m from the top of bank of these rivers. Typically, these blue lines extend beyond what might be visually and physically identifiable as rivers because there do not have any banks to define the river. Nonetheless, they are a readily identifiable starting point for assessment of the possible location of waterfront land.

The policy also adopts the Strahler System for classifying the status of rivers from minor (1st order) to major (4th or 5th order) streams.

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The 1:25,000 topographic plan for the subject site is presented on Figure 11. It indicates two 1st order streams near the northern location of the proposed development on the Racecourse West Development area. However, examination of aerial photographs and physical inspections of the site indicate that this area is a cultivated field and would not contain any streams. On this basis, the proposed development would not impact on waterfront land and does not require an approval under the Water Management Act 2000.

7. Conclusions

The proposed development on Somerset Farm and the Racecourse West Development site has been formulated to ensure there are no significant adverse impacts on the flooding behaviour on adjacent properties. This has been tested using Tamworth Council's flood model which has confirmed no significant adverse impacts. This supports the rezoning of the proposed 30 ha development area for employment landuses subject to the implementation of the measures outlined in Section 4.

The future development on the rezoned site will not require approval under the Water Management Act 2000 because the development will not be located within 40m of the top of a river bank.

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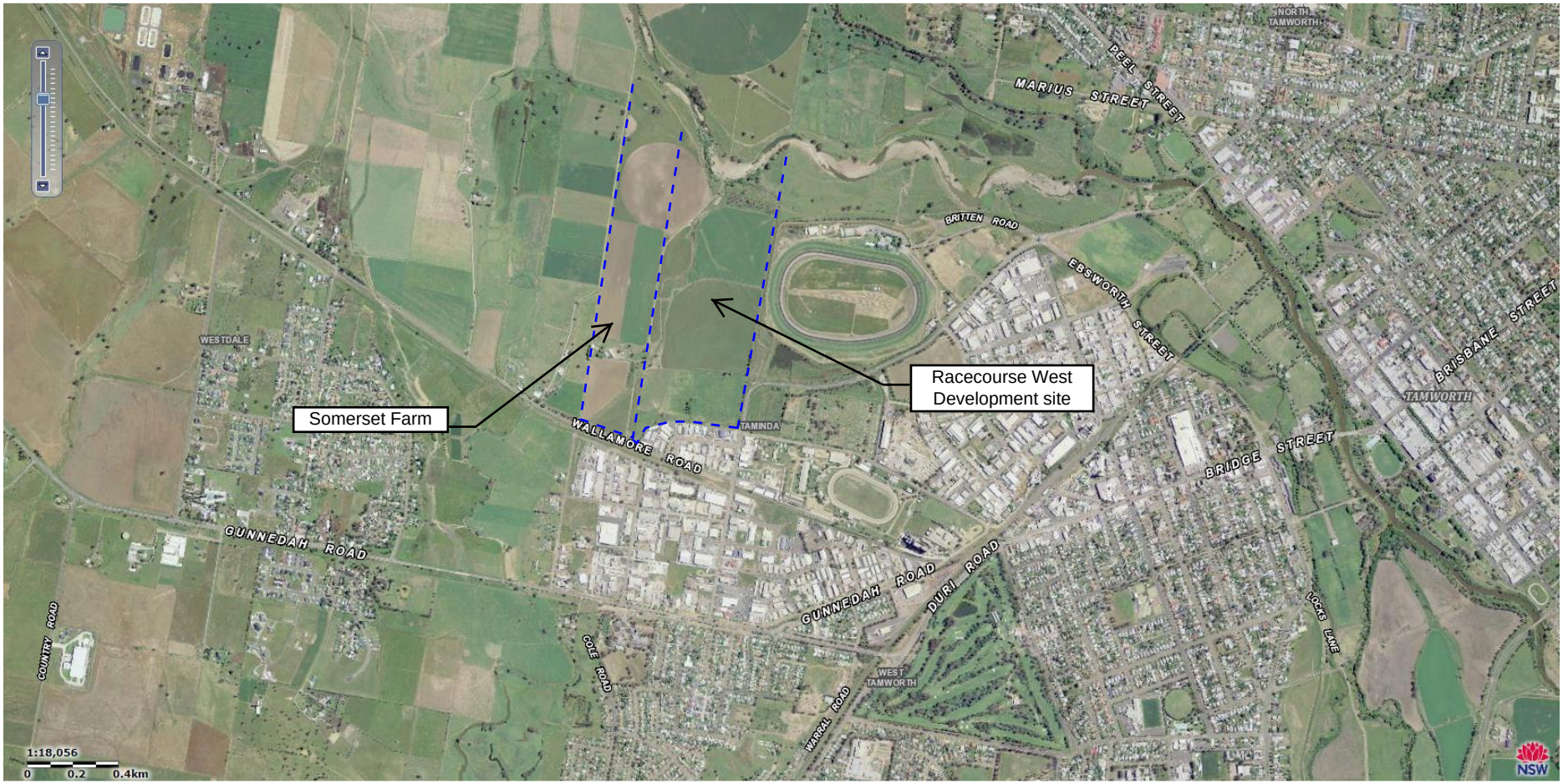

LOCALITY PLAN

FIGURE 2

SITE PLAN

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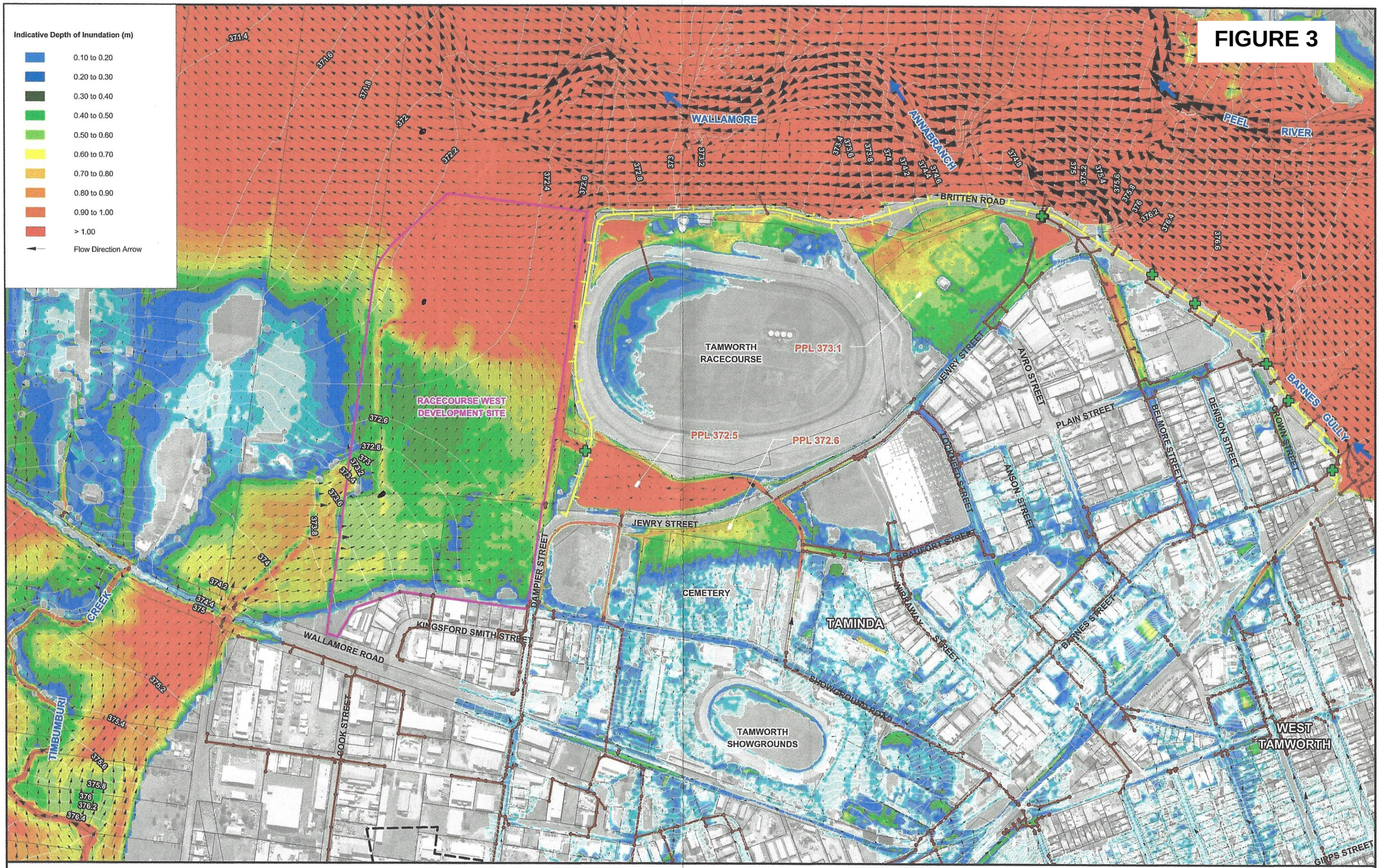

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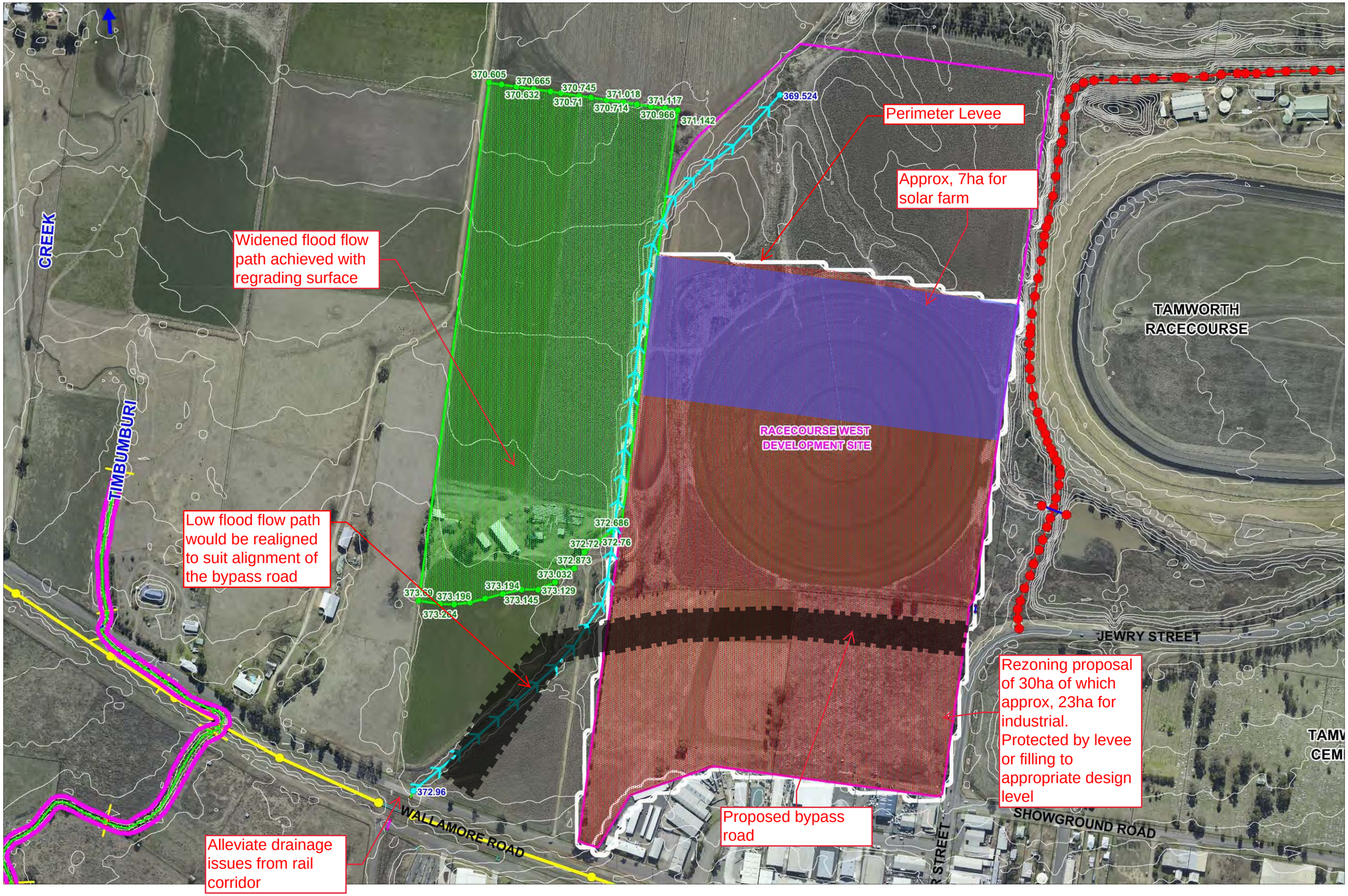
PRESENT DAY (FLOOD GATES FULLY CLOSED) CONDITIONS
100 YEAR ARI FLOOD ENVELOPE

FIGURE 4



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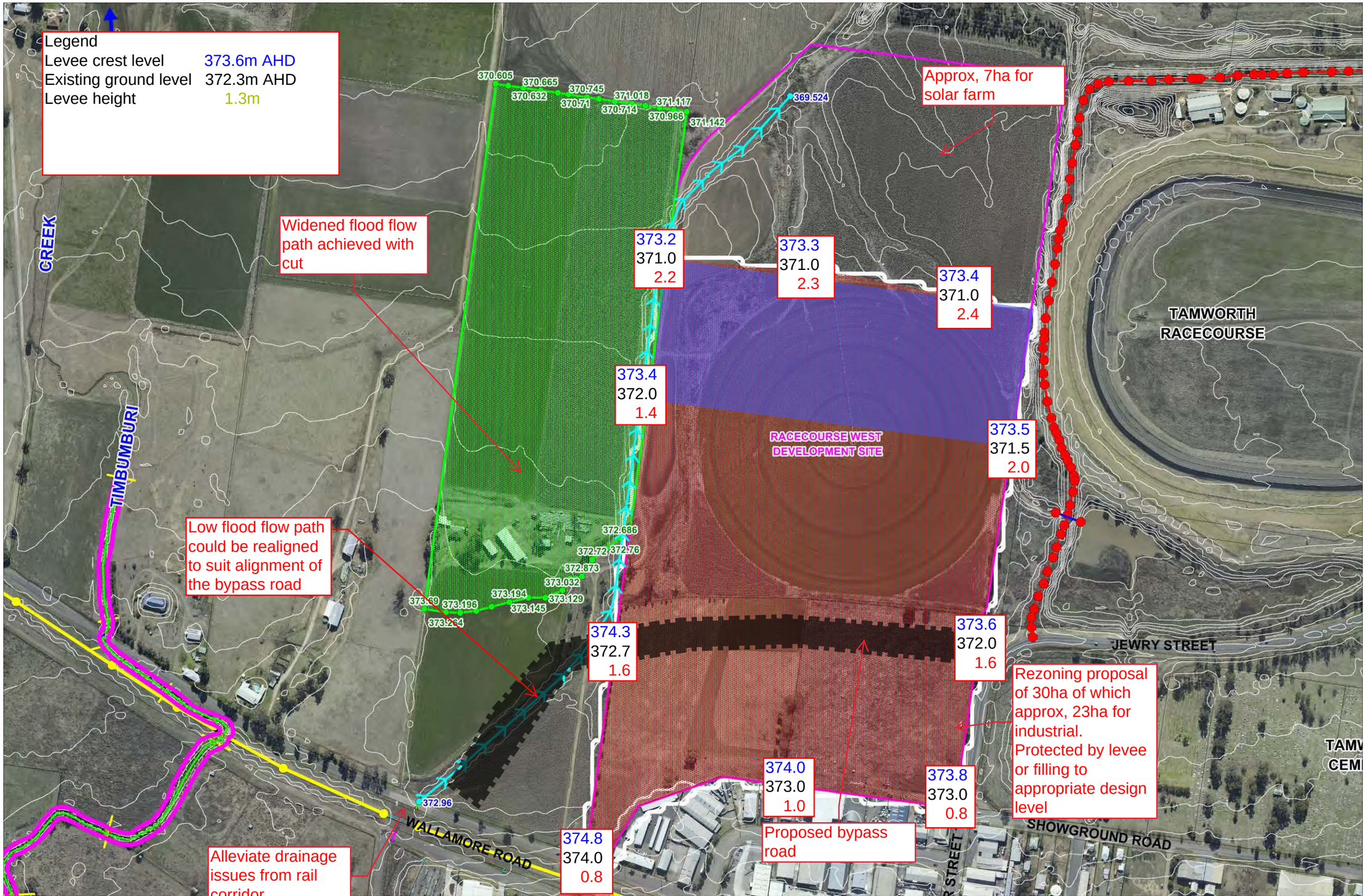

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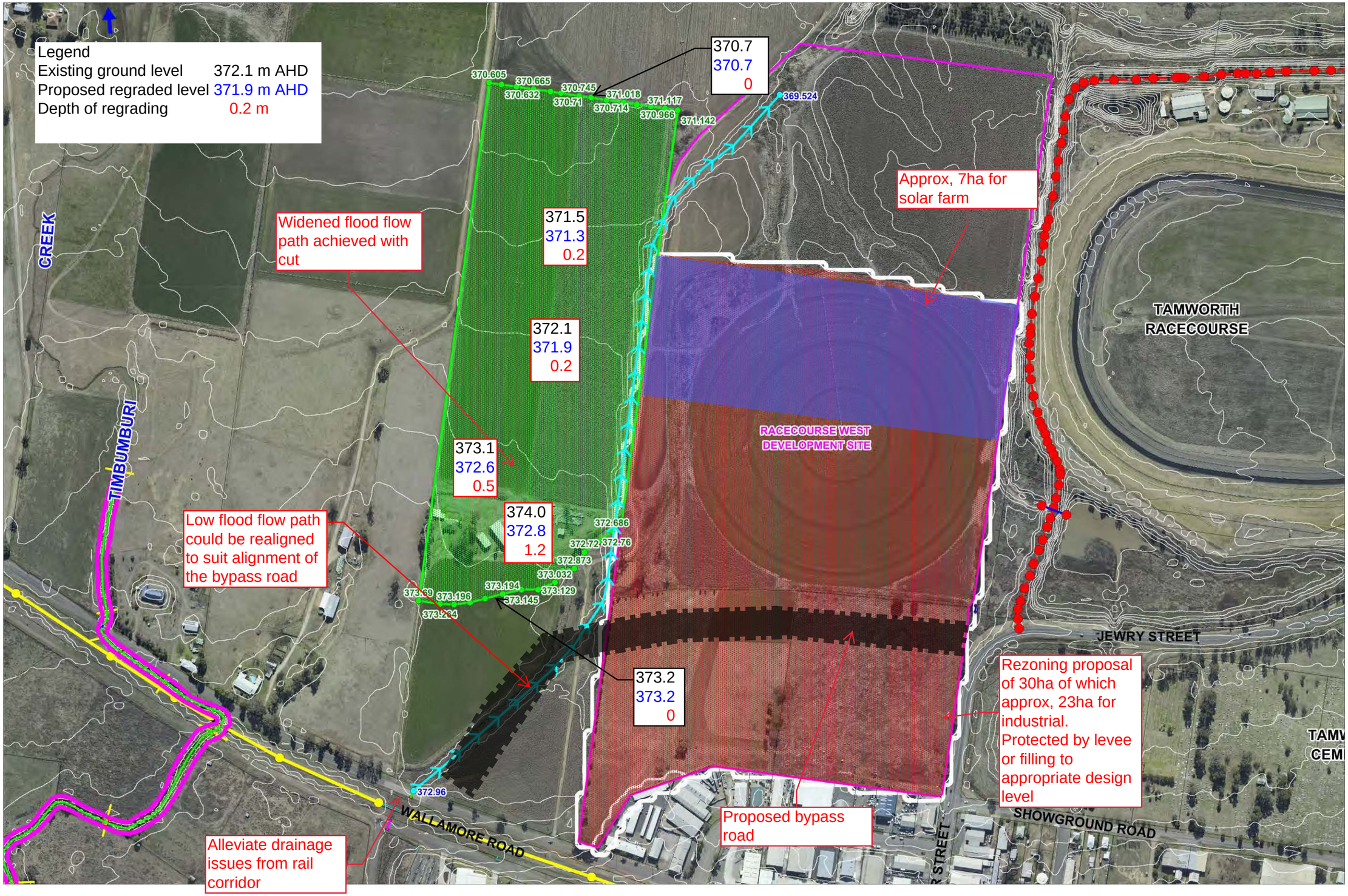

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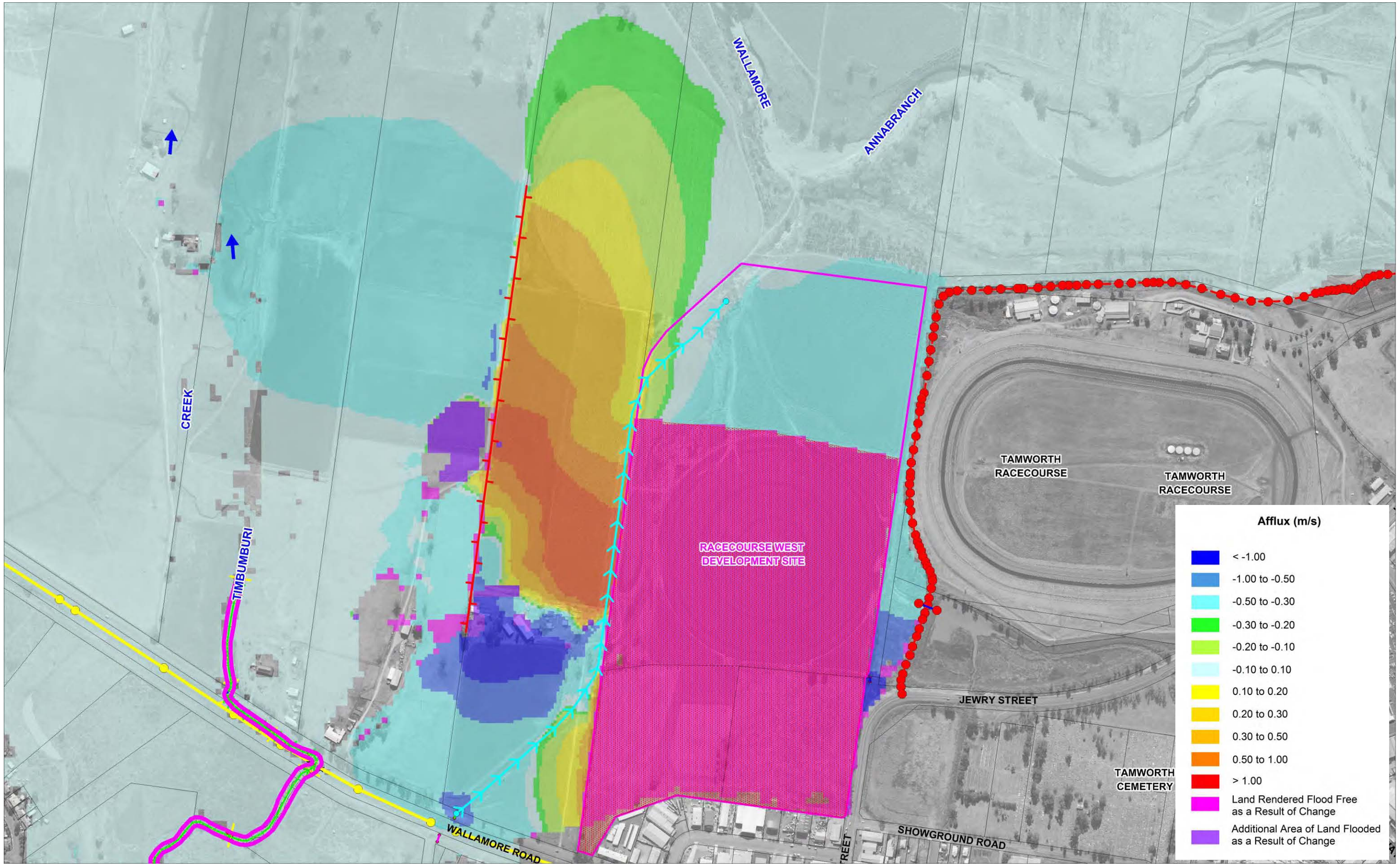

IMPACT ON 100 YR ARI FLOOD LEVELS

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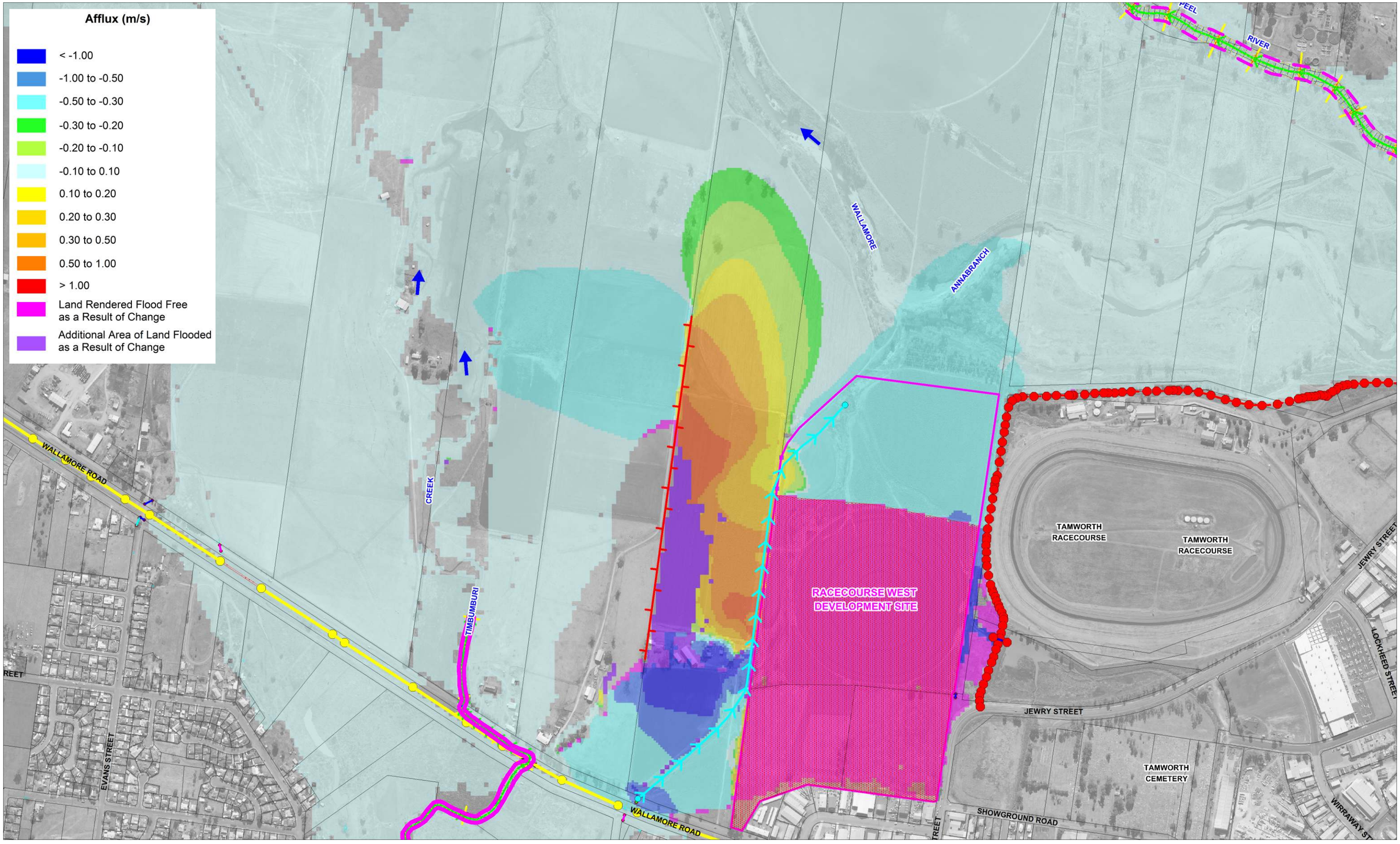

IMPACT ON 20 YR ARI FLOOD LEVELS

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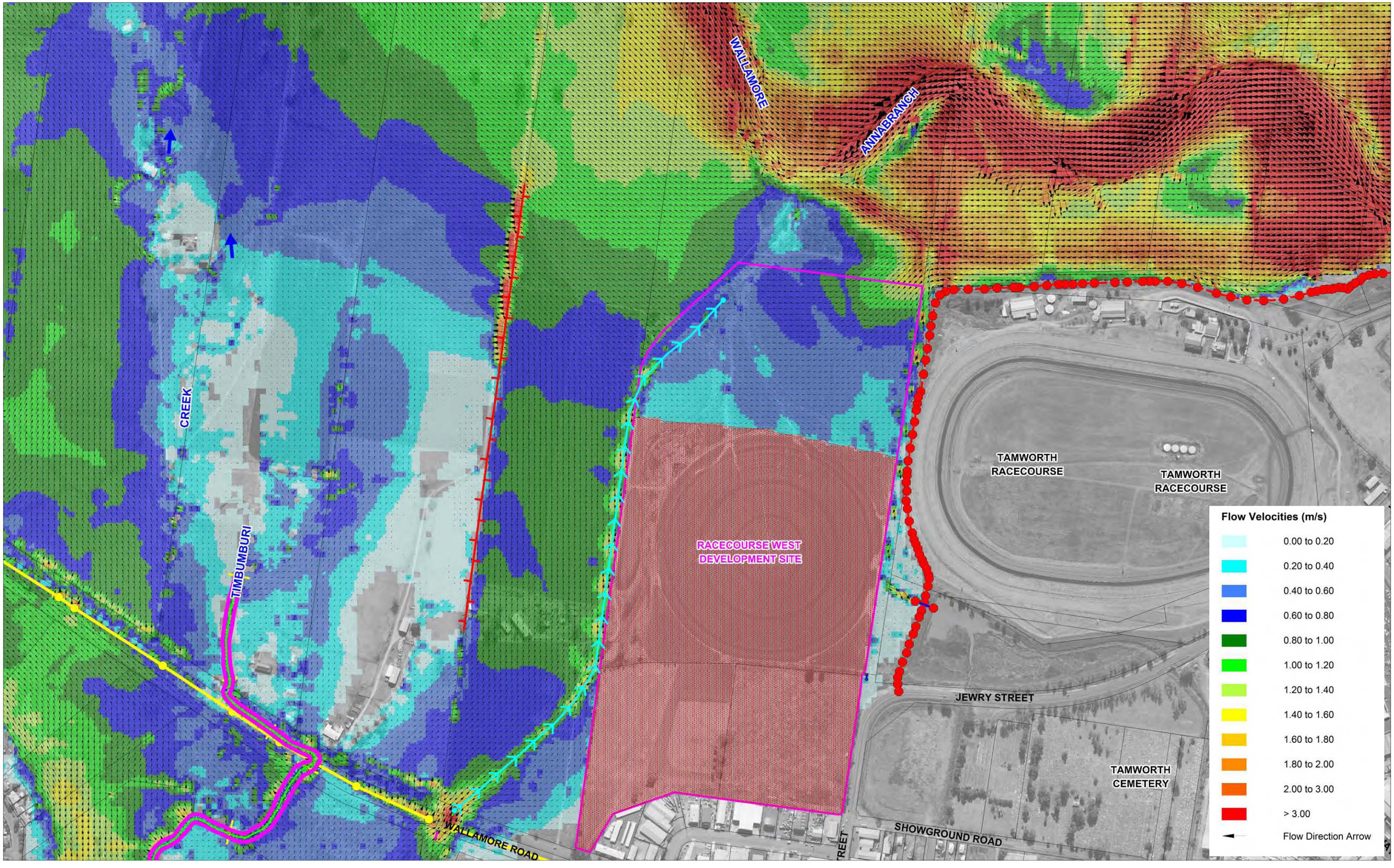
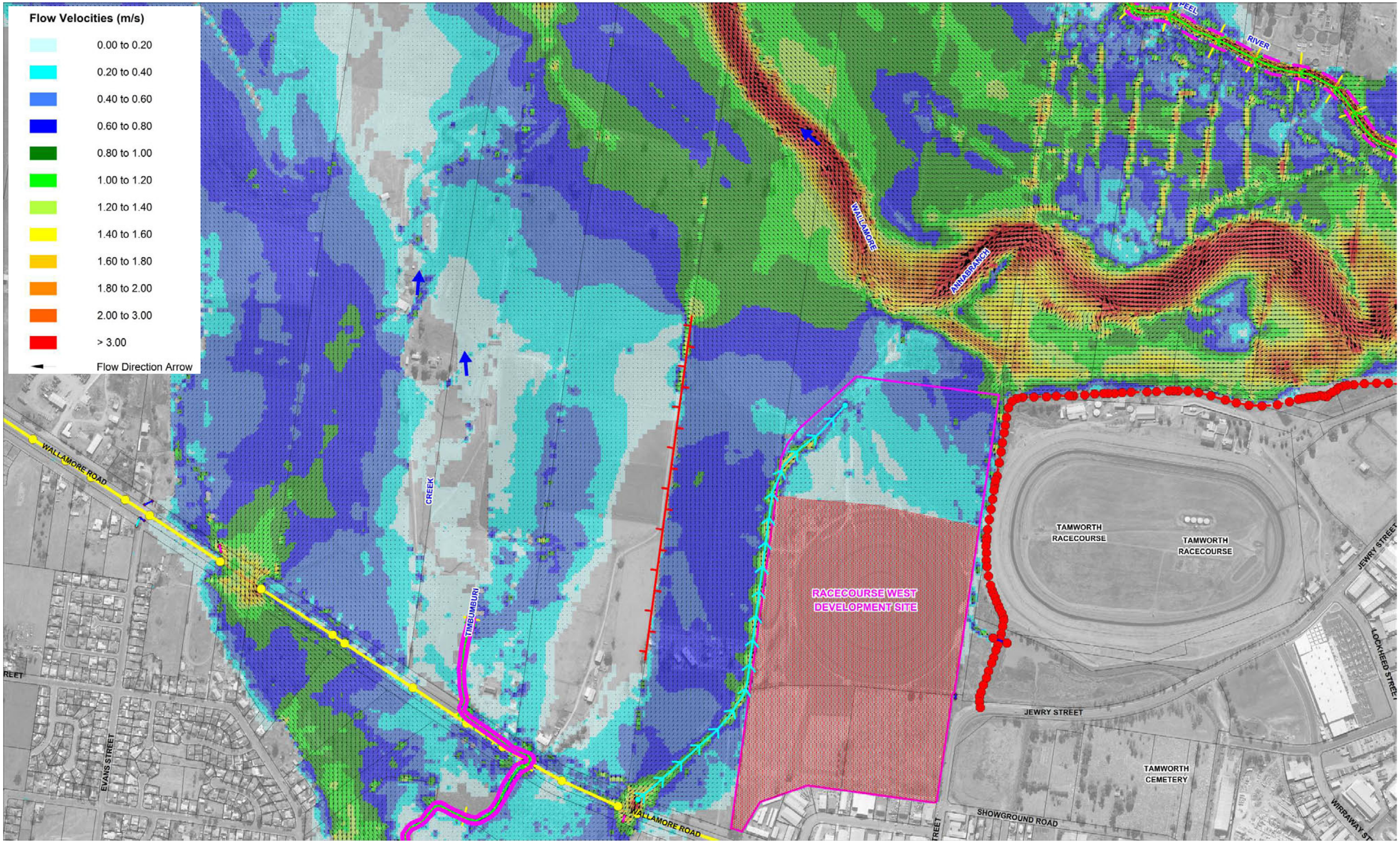


POST DEVELOPMENT 100 YR ARI PEAK FLOOD VELOCITIES

FIGURE 10



POST DEVELOPMENT 20 YR ARI PEAK FLOOD VELOCITIES

FIGURE 11

1:25,000 TOPOGRAPHIC PLAN

7.10 Preliminary Site investigation (Environmental)

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Background and Objectives

Chan Abbey Holdings ("the Client") at the request of Elton Consulting engaged EI Australia (EI) to conduct a Preliminary Site Investigation (PSI) for the property located at address 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW ('the site'). This PSI was completed as part of a Planning Proposal (PP) to Tamworth Regional Council for the development of Employment lands and construction of an associated bypass road which connects to Dampier Street in the east and Wallamore Road in the South.

The main objective of this preliminary investigation was to characterise the environmental conditions of the site on the basis of historical land uses, supplemented by anecdotal and documentary evidence of possible pollutant sources.

Key Findings

- Historical records indicated that the southern half of the site was most likely to be primarily of agricultural land use since 1970's until the early 2000's. Following this, the land use changed to agricultural/commercial which has remained as the land use to date. In comparison, the northern half of the site to date has primarily being used for agricultural purposes.

- The site inspection revealed that isolated dumping has occurred at the southern third of the site. Some of the waste material observed included weathered steel beams, rusted metal drums, metal roofing sheets, and soil stockpiles;

- Onsite storage of pesticides (bipyridilium), herbicides (Group I, L, and M) and fuel oil was observed during site the site inspection that was completed on the 29 November 2018;

- Council records dating back to 2004 held by Tamworth Regional Council indicated that the site has not been used for residential purposes and that the commercial/industrial use of the land has only being predominantly an isolated use to the south eastern side of the site;

- A search of SafeWork NSW Dangerous Goods Records revealed there are no records pertaining to the above premises;

- The site and surrounding properties (within 500m) were not reported as being of Aboriginal Heritage under the National Park and Wildlife Act;

- The site and surrounding properties were not reported as being subject to regulation in relation to environmental impacts, as documented in the NSW EPA databases; with the exception of one site within 500m of the site, which held a license for concrete batching. The license is no longer in force;

- The Site is underlain by alluvium which comprises of clay, silt, sand and gravel. As the Site was largely used for agricultural purposes, the subsurface conditions would remain largely unaltered except in areas of filling and possible waste disposal;

- The former and current activities of onsite agricultural practices and industrial/commercial activities, represented possible onsite pollutant sources and the potential for subsurface contamination (i.e. pesticides, herbicides and some fertilisers, possible oil spill and leaching of weathered building materials);

- The nearest sensitive receptors to the site were Wallamore Anabranch to the north of the site, and Timbumburi Creek and the agricultural/residential land uses to the west of the Site;

- A Conceptual Site Model (CSM) and Qualitative Risk Assessment have been produced for the Site in this PSI. The CSM identified potential contaminating sources that may occur at the Site and evaluated the likelihood for relevant exposure pathways as part of the proposed development. An assessment of potential contamination risks has identified the possibility for sensitive receptors to consist of future construction and maintenance workers, future Site users, neighbouring users, and Wallamore Anabranch as ecological receptors.

Conclusion

Taking into account the above considerations and subject to the statement of limitation (**Section 7**), EI can conclude that there is potential for localised contamination to be present on Site. However, this does not impede the rezoning of the site to a less sensitive land use (employment lands).
With consideration given to the nature of the proposed land use, current existing data gaps, and potential contamination risks to end users of the Site, prior to redevelopment of the site; further investigation should be completed to quantify the impact to the soil and groundwater. EI consider that the Site can be made suitable for its proposed uses, subject to the implementation of recommendations detailed below.

Recommendations

Based on the findings of the PSI, EI recommend the following:

- An intrusive site investigation with limited soil sampling should be completed. The investigation should be mainly focused on the southern third of the site which is the area that historically has experienced the most change of use. The investigation will be used to characterise site soils and groundwater; and provide baseline data for evaluation of any remedial and management requirements that may be necessary to allow the site to be made suitable for the proposed Employment lands development.

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 BACKGROUND AND PURPOSE

Chan Abbey Holdings (CAH) ("the Client") at the request of Elton Consulting engaged EI Australia (EI) to conduct a Preliminary Site Investigation (PSI) for the property located at 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW ('the Site'). Taminda is a suburb west of the main city of Tamworth.

The site is located within the Local Government Area of Tamworth Regional Council (see **Figure 1**). The land parcel is also identified as the southern section Lot 1 in DP 1234850, and Lot 2, 3 in DP 1234850, covering a total area of approximately 30 ha, as depicted in the site plan presented as **Figure 2**.

This environmental assessment was completed as part of the Planning Proposal to Tamworth Regional Council for the partial redevelopment of the site into Employment lands comprising of the rezoning and subdivision of 30 ha as shown in **Table 1-1** and illustrated in **Figure 3**.

Table 1-1 Development breakdown

Area Identification	Proposed Land Use	Approximate area
Whole site	Rezoning	30 hectares
A	Area to be retained	7.72 hectares
B	Employment lands development including the construction of bypass road	22.28 hectares

EI understand that this investigation was required to appraise the environmental condition of the site as part of a Planning Proposal for the proposed development outlined in **Section 1.2**.

The investigation also provides information on the potential environmental issues that will need to be addressed during the construction phase.

1.2 PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

Based on the information provided by Chan Abbey Holdings c/- Elton Holdings, the southern section of the site (Area B) has been designated for Employment lands development.

It is understood that the redevelopment in Area B will include the construction of a bypass road which connects Jewry Street from the east to Wallamore Road located to the south of the site.

Area A is subject to a separate assessment also undertaken by EI.

1.3 REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

The following regulatory framework and guidelines were considered during the preparation of this report:

- *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997*;
- DEC (2007) *Guidelines for the Assessment and Management of Groundwater Contamination*, Dept. of Environment and Conservation, New South Wales, DEC 2007/144;

- EPA (2017) *Guidelines for the NSW Site Auditor Scheme* (3rd Edition), NSW EPA;
- NEPC (2013) *National Environmental Protection (Assessment of Site Contamination) Measure 1999,* Amendment 2013, National Environmental Protection Council;
- Tamworth Regional Council Local Environmental Plan 2010;
- Tamworth Regional Council Local Environmental Plan 2010;
- *State Environmental Planning Policy No 55—Remediation of Land* made under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act (1979)*; and
- OEH (2011) *Guidelines for Consultants Reporting on Contaminated Sites*, NSW Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH).

1.4 PROJECT OBJECTIVES

The primary objectives of this PSI is to provide a qualitative assessment of the environmental conditions of the site by appraising the potential for site contamination on the basis of field observations, historical land uses, anecdotal and documentary evidence.

1.5 SCOPE OF WORKS

In accordance with EI fee proposal P16758.1 (dated 24 August 2018), the above objectives are to be achieved with the following scope of works:

1.5.1 Desktop Study

- A review of relevant mapping for the project area;
- Search of historical aerial photographs archived at NSW Land and Property Information in order to review previous site use and the historical sequence of land development in the neighbouring area;
- A land titles search, also conducted through NSW Land and Property Information for information relating to site ownership;
- Search of Tamworth Regional Council records for information relating to operational site history and/or relevant environmental incidents;
- Search of SafeWork (NSW) records for information relating to possible underground tank approvals and locations;
- A search through the NSW EPA / OEH Land Information records to confirm that there are no statutory notices current on the site under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* or *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*;
- A review of existing underground services in the vicinity of the site; and
- An inspection of the site and surrounding lands.

1.5.2 Data Analysis and Reporting

Following the desktop assessment and Site inspection, this PSI report was prepared generally in accordance with the OEH (2011) Guidelines for Consultants Reporting on Contaminated Sites. This report documents the contaminated land assessment, field observation and discusses the findings,

with respect to potential risks to human health, the environment and the aesthetic enjoyment of the land and provides recommendations regarding further assessment to enable both the mitigation and management of any current or future risks.

The list of potential contamination sources and any associated chemicals, will form the basis for the selection of future sampling locations, proposed sampling depths and laboratory analytical parameters, to be assigned for analysis of the Site.

2. SITE DESCRIPTION

2.1 PROPERTY IDENTIFICATION, LOCATION AND PHYSICAL SETTING

The site identification details and associated information are presented in **Table 2-1**, while the site locality is shown in **Figure 1**.

Table 2-1 Site Identification, Location and Zoning

Attribute	Description
Street Address	55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW
Location Description	Taminda is located west of the City of Tamworth. The site is bound by: North – undeveloped land followed, Wallamore Anabranch and Peel River; East – Drainage line, Tamworth Jockey Club, Jewry Street followed by Tamworth lawn cemetery, and commercial and industrial properties; South – Commercial properties, Kingsford Smith Street, Wallamore Road, railway tracks; and West – Drainage line, land use for agriculture followed by Timbumburi Creek and commercial properties to the south east.
GPS Coordinates for north east corner of the site	GDA94-MGA56 Easting: 299665.576; Northing: 6559324.452. (Source: https://maps.six.nsw.gov.au/)
Site Area of Investigation	Approx. 30ha
Lot & Deposited Plan (DP)	Southern section of Lot 1 in DP 1234850, and Lot 2, 3 in DP 1234850
State Survey Marks	Four State Survey (SS) marks were situated in close proximity (<150 m) to the site: • PM30522 (east of the site) on corner of Showground road and Dampier Street; • PM49762D (south of the site) on Wallamore Road; • PM31463 (south of the site) on corner of Goonan Street and Cook Street; and, • PM188271 (south) on Middleton Avenue. (Source: https://maps.six.nsw.gov.au/)
Local Government Authority	Tamworth Regional Council
Parish	Murroon
County	Parry
Current Zoning	RU4– Primary Production Small Lots (Sheet LZN_004C; Tamworth Regional Local Environment Plan, 2010)

2.3 LOCAL LAND USE

The site is situated within an area of mixed uses on surrounding land, with local sensitive receptors within close proximity (<500m) to the site, as described in **Table 2-2**.

Table 2-2 Local Land Use

Direction	Land Use Description	Sensitive Receptors (& approx. Distance from Site)
North	Vacant land	Wallamore Anabranch (approx. 500 m)
East	Commercial use	Tributaries and drainage lines draining to the Anabranch (<20m)
South	Commercial	-
West	Agriculture and residential	Crops and residential properties (<10 m) Timbumburi Creek (<460m)

2.4 REGIONAL SETTING

The regional setting is summarised in terms of local topography, geology, soil landscape and hydrogeological information in **Table 2-3**.

Table 2-3 Regional setting details

Attribute	Description
Topography	The site is relatively flat with a RL between 370 – 380 mAHD with an overall gentle slope to the Anabranch to the north. The northern topography comprises of gently undulating floodplains with local relief <9m and slopes <1% - <2%; and occasional low levees and swamps. It is noted that the topography has been modified by the agricultural practices that occur at the site.
Site Drainage	Surface water flow is likely to be north, towards Wallamore Anabranch, located approximately 5000 m to the north of the site; which then connects to Peel River, located approximately <1km to the north of the site. EI note that on the east and west of the site there appears to be drainage lines which drain to Wallamore Anabranch. The drainage line observed to the west of the site intersects the site in the north western area.
Regional Geology	Information on regional sub-surface conditions, referenced from the New South Wales Department of Mines Geological Map Tamworth 1:250,000 Geological Series Sheet 56-13 (DMR 1971) indicates the site is underlain by Alluvium: clay, silt, sand and gravel.
Soil Landscapes	The Soil Conservation Service of NSW Soil Landscapes of the Tamworth 1:100,000 Sheet (Banks, Robert G, 2001) indicates that the site overlies three different soil landscapes, Peel (pe), Goonoo Goonoo (gn) and Duri (du). The soil landscapes are divided throughout the site as follow: - Peel soil landscape makes up the vast majority of the site. It is concentrated in northern part of the site. The soils that comprise this soil landscape are individually extensive but random in distribution. Soil types include moderately to well drained black dermosols; very deep, imperfectly drained calcareous black earths; black earths; and moderately deep, moderately well drained red-brown earths. - Goonoo Goonoo soil landscape makes up the south central section of the site.

Attribute	Description
	Goonoo Goonoo soil types are diverse but individually locally extensive. These include, very deep to giant, imperfectly drained solodic soils, and black earths; very deep and poorly drained grey clays; shallow, moderately well drained calcareous alluvial soils; and deep to giant, imperfectly drained brown clays. - Duri soil landscape occupies a small section on the southern part of the site, near the site boundary. These soils are generally dominate by duplex soils such as moderately deep, moderately well-drained red and brown earths and non-calcic brown soils; with minor occurrences of shallow, very well drained lithosols around rock outcrops. Deep, imperfectly drained red clays and deep to very deep, imperfectly drained non-calcic brown soils and possibly solodic soils occur along drainage lines and on sodic bedrock. In general, the Duri soil landscape is extremely complex due to rapid changes in underlying lithology.
Nearest Surface Water Feature	Wallamore Anabranch, located approximately 500 m to the north of the site.
Anticipated Groundwater Flow Direction	North/ north west, towards Wallamore Anabranch (inferred from local topography).

2.5 GROUNDWATER BORE RECORDS AND LOCAL GROUNDWATER USE

An online search of registered groundwater bores was conducted by EI on 22 November 2018 through the Water NSW database (Ref. https://realtimedata.waternsw.com.au/water.stm). There are seven registered bores within a 500 m radius of the site and these have been summarised in **Table 2-4**. The groundwater bore map downloaded from Water NSW is attached in **Appendix A**.

Table 2-4 Summary of Registered Water Bores within 500 m of the site

Bore No.	Date Drilled	Drilled Depth (m)	SWL*/Salinity/Yield	Bore Purpose	License Status
GW966758	-	-	-/ - / -	Stock, domestic	Converted
GW024241	-	12.20	-/ - / -	Not known	-
GW037910	01/09/1973	12.20	-/ - / -	Irrigation	-
GW966772	19/06/2000	16.70	-/ - / -	Stock, domestic, recreation	Converted
GW53585	01/11/1982	9.80	-/ - / -	Irrigation	-
GW052646	-	3.20	-/ - / -	Not known	-
GW961332	-	-	-/ - / -	-	-

Notes: No data was available for bore no. GW961332.
- Data not recorded;
* SWL – Standing water level measured in m BGL,
Salinity – units unspecified,
Yield – measured in L/s.

2.6 SITE WALKOVER INSPECTION

A site walkover inspection was conducted on 29 November 2018. The 30 hectares rural property is generally slightly-undulating and sloping towards the north. For ease of reference the site has been inspected as three separate lots – Lot 1, 2 and 3 of DP 1234850 as indicated in **Figure 2**. The broader area (Lot 1), was used for agricultural purposes; Lot 2 was predominantly used for stock grazing and a number of feed areas and water troughs were located across the Lot; and Lot 3 was used for commercial/industrial purposes on the south and agricultural on the north. A summary of the observations made for each lot is presented in **Table 2-5** below and Site photographs taken during the inspection are present in **Appendix B**.

Table 2-5 Site Observations

Lot Number (approx.. area inspected in hectares)	Activity	Potential Contaminant Sources	Photographs
1 (19 ha)	Agricultural	Possible use of pesticides, herbicides and fertilisers	Photographs 1 to 3
2 (5.6 ha)	Agricultural, cattle grazing, storage.	Possible use of pesticides, herbicides and fertilisers	Photographs 4, 5
	Cattle's grazing was observed to the north western and the south eastern side of the site. Soil disturbance due to cattle grazing activities was particularly noticeable in the south central section of the site.		Photographs 7 to 9
	North eastern section appears to be vacant and may potentially be also used for grazing.		Photograph 10

	South western area of the site appears to be used for storage. Nine silos were observed, along with hay roll stacks, metal drums and other waste materials. Approximate locations are illustrated in **Figure 4**.	Leaching from waste materials stored on the site. These include steel frames, metal drums, old farm machinery, and tyres. Machinery spills and leaks.	Photographs 4, 10, 11
3 (5.4 ha)	Mixed use – commercial/industrial and vacant/agricultural	Leaks from onsite storage of pesticides (bipyridilium), herbicides (Group I - glyphosate, L - paraquat and M - glyphosate), and transmission oil (torque fluid 464). Leaching from waste materials such as metal drums (drum labels that were still legible indicated the drums were used to store natural products), steel beams, soil stockpiles, stockpiles of wood material, concrete piping, pvc piping, and bricks. Shipping containers, site offices, skip bins and workshop area was observed onsite. Filling observed near the south side of western boundary. Refer to **Figure 4** for approx. locations of some of the storage tanks, waste materials, shipping containers and stockpiles.	Photographs 12 to 17 Photographs 18 to 24 Photographs 25, 26

Other general Site observations included:

- Grasses and other vegetation was generally healthy and maintained for agricultural purposes except at the areas that showed some commercial activities (Photographs 2 and 4) and or were dry due to the drought conditions in New South Wales;

- One (1) large storage feed/grain containers were observed on Lot 2 (Ref. to **Figure 4** and Photograph 8);
- Septic tanks and sewerage tanks/vent were observed throughout the site as specified in **Figure 4** (Photographs 27 and 28);
- No suspicious odours were observed in any part of the site;
- No evidence of cattle or sheep tick dip sites were observed;
- No market garden orchards were observed;
- No evidence indicative of underground petroleum storage systems (UPSS) or aboveground storage tanks (AST) was observed on any parts of the site; and
- No evidence of groundwater monitoring wells was noted across the Site.

3. SITE HISTORY AND SEARCHES

3.1 HISTORICAL LAND TITLES & AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH REVIEW

A historical land titles search was conducted through InfoTrack. Copies of relevant documents resulting from this search are presented in **Appendix C**. A summary of all the previous and current registered proprietors along with information obtained from the available historical aerial photographs, in relation to past potential land uses are presented in **Table 3-1**.

The historical aerial photographs reviewed as part of this PSI included:

- 1976: 1976, B/W, NSW 2385_01_130 – Department of Finance, Services & Innovation.
- 1989: 1989, NSW 3667_03_133 – Department of Finance, Services & Innovation.
- 1998: 1998, NSW 4442_03_116 – Department of Finance, Services & Innovation.
- 2002: 2002, NSW 4743_03_028– Department of Lands.
- 2012: 13 November 2012, Google Maps Imagery.
- 2018: 28 August 2018, Google Maps Imagery.

EI note that historical aerial photographs prior to 1976 were not available via the Department of Finance, Services & Innovation.

Table 3-1 Summary of Owners and Historical Aerial Photography

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
As regards Lot 1 D.P. 1234850			
As regards the part numbered (1) on the attached cadastre			
09.10.1936 (1936 to 1964)	Joseph Henry Starr	Nil	Most likely used for agricultural purposes
16.06.1964 (1964 to 1965)	Enid Agnes Kennedy (Married woman) Ainslie Jean Denton (Widow) (Section 94 Application not investigated)	Nil	Most likely used for agricultural purposes
13.08.1965 (1965 to 1969)	Rupert Alfred Wentworth Vickers (Farmer & Grazier)	Nil	Most likely used for agricultural purposes
09.05.1969 (1969 to 1980)	Barry Maynes McKinnon (Agent)	**1976:** land parcels are clearly marked. Land appears vacant and most likely is in the process of being set up for agricultural purposes.	Agricultural

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
15.09.1980 (1980 to 1989)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative) Gladys Chaffey (Married Woman)	**1989:** Predominantly unchanged from previous aerial. Agricultural activity has been established. A house like structure is observed to the south east corner of the site. The crops on the Southern half of the site are laid out in horizontal rows; and the Northern half of the site appears to be cleared and ready for new crops. Drainage channels are observed in the northern half of the site. These lead/connect to a creek located to the north of the site.	Agricultural
Leases, excluding building premises: -			
• 15.04.1952 to East-West Airlines Limited of part of the land in Volume 4795 Folio 165 – expired 15.06.1964			
As regards the part numbered (2) on the attached cadastre			
16.04.1929 (1929 to 1945)	Henry Jonathan Cluff (Farmer)	Nil	Most likely used for agricultural purposes
06.02.1945 (1945 to 1976)	Clarence Hardwick Wythes (Farmer) Elsie Rose Wythes (Married Woman)	Nil	Most likely used for agricultural purposes
03.06.1976 (1976 to 1981)	Robert Norman Nicolle (Grazier) Ivy Jean Nicolle (Married Woman)	**1976:** land parcels are clearly marked. Land appears vacant and most likely is in the process of being set up for agricultural purposes.	Agricultural
13.02.1981 (1981 to 1981)	Ivy Jean Nicolle (Widow)	Nil	Agricultural
25.05.1981 (1981 to 1983)	Marau Pty Limited	Nil	Agricultural

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
10.05.1983 (1983 to 1989)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative) Gladys Chaffey (Married Woman)	**1989:** Predominantly unchanged from previous aerial. Agricultural activity has been established. The crops on the Southern half of the site are laid out in horizontal rows. Drainage channels are observed to run in the northern half of the site and along western site boundary. These channels lead/connect to a creek located to the north of the site.	Agricultural
<u>Continued as regards the whole of Lot 1 D.P. 1234850</u>			
16.02.1989 (1989 to 1997)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative)	**1989:** Agricultural activity has been established. A house like structure is observed to the south east corner of the site. The crops on the Southern half of the site are laid out in horizontal rows; and the Northern half of the site appears to be cleared and ready for new crops. Drainage channels are observed to run in the northern half of the site and along western site boundary. These channels lead/connect to a creek located to the north of the site. **1998:** Predominantly unchanged from 1989 aerial. Agricultural activity appears to remain in place. Drainage channels are less pronounced than previous aerial, but still remain. The house like structure noted in the 1989 aerial has been demolished and is no longer observed. The southern half of the site appears to be cleared and ready for new crops.	Agricultural
12.06.1997 (1997 to 2002)	Arnold Neil Bailey	**2002:** Predominantly unchanged from 1998 aerial. Agricultural activity appears to remain in place.	Agricultural

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
04.12.2002 (2002 to 2013)	Novine Pty Ltd	**2012:** Agricultural activity appears to remain in place. Circular pattern in crops (centre pivot irrigation) is observed in the southern half of the site. Crops in the northern half of the site are laid out in vertical rows.	Agricultural
16.09.2013 (2013 to 2017)	Tamworth Regional Council	Nil	Agricultural
27.12.2017 (2017 to date)	# Harry David Stearman	**2018:** Site remains unchanged from 2002 aerial.	Agricultural

Leases continued: - NIL

Easements: -

- 4.01.1980 (R 157473) Easement to Drain Sewage 6 metres wide
- 13.12.1984 (V 391742) Easement for Electricity Transmission Line 20 metres wide
- 26.09.1995 (D.P. 265817) Easement to Drain Water 2 metres wide
- 25.01.2001 (7262811) Easement to Drain Sewage 5 metres wide
- 29.03.2017 (AM 108223) Easement to Drain Water 6 metres wide

As regards Lot 2 D.P. 1234850			
16.04.1929 (1929 to 1945)	Henry Jonathan Cluff (Farmer)	-	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)
06.02.1945 (1945 to 1976)	Clarence Hardwick Wythes (Farmer) Elsie Rose Wythes (Married Woman)	-	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)
03.06.1976 (1976 to 1981)	Robert Norman Nicolle (Grazier) Ivy Jean Nicolle (Married Woman)	**1976:** land parcel is clearly marked. Land appears vacant and a house like structure is noted on the south west of the site.	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)
13.02.1981 (1981 to 1981)	Ivy Jean Nicolle (Widow)	**-**	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)
25.05.1981 (1981 to 1989)	Marau Pty Limited	**1989:** land parcel is clearly marked. Land appears vacant.	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)
19.01.1989 (1989 to 1994)	John Douglas Collett	-	Vacant – agricultural use (probable)

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
28.01.1994 (1994 to 2017)	Peel Technology High School Parents and Citizens Association	**1998:** Predominantly unchanged from 1989 aerial. Soils are observed to be healthy and green in colour. Bare patch of soil is observed on the western side of the site. **2002, 2012:** Predominantly unchanged from 1998 aerial. Soils appear dry as they are noted to be brown in colour. In 2012 aerial, land parcel is been subdivided into three distinct areas – southern area, east and west area.	Agricultural / commercial
27.12.2017 (2017 to date)	# Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Limited	**2018:** The southern area is noted to have a dirt road in the south western part of the site. In the northern half of the site soils are observed to be very brown, with no grass. Some hay stacks (?), amongst other equipment (drums?) is observed towards the western side of the site, and silos are noted along the south eastern boundary. The eastern area comprises of brown soils, and some bush plants in the south eastern section.	Agricultural / commercial
Leases: - NIL **Easements: -** • 4.01.1980 (R 157473) Easement to Drain Sewage 6 metres wide • 27.02.1985 (D.P. 711449) Easement to Drain Water 5 metres wide			
As regards Lot 3 D.P. 1234850			
09.10.1936 (1936 to 1964)	Joseph Henry Starr	-	Vacant
16.06.1964 (1964 to 1965)	Enid Agnes Kennedy (Married woman) Ainslie Jean Denton (Widow) (Section 94 Application not investigated)	-	Vacant

Date of Acquisition and term held	**Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)**	**Site description based on historical aerial photographs**	**Inferred site uses**
13.08.1965 (1965 to 1969)	Rupert Alfred Wentworth Vickers (Farmer & Grazier)	-	Vacant
09.05.1969 (1969 to 1981)	Barry Maynes McKinnon (Agent)	**1976:** land parcel is clearly marked. Land appears vacant.	Vacant
08.10.1981 (1981 to 2004)	Tim Kirkpatrick Anna Edith Kirkpatrick	**1989:** land parcel remains vacant. A house like structure is observed in the north eastern corner of the site. South boundary area appears to be used as a storage area for containers, equipment etc **1998:** land parcel appears to have been subdivided into two separate areas. House like structure has been demolished. The northern area of the site appears to have vertical rows of crops. Southern part of the land continues to be used as a storage area for what appears to be shipping containers, equipment and/or materials. The number of items stored has increased since previous 1989 aerial. **2002:** land has been cleared, no crops are observed. Southern area continues to be use a storage space.	Agricultural / commercial

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations (where documented)	Site description based on historical aerial photographs	Inferred site uses
10.06.2004 (2004 to date)	# Kidman Group Pty Limited	**2012:** land parcel is vacant. Ground surface appears to be healthier, as the green colour indicated some form of vegetation has grown. A dirt road to the south of the site is observed. Dirt road extends from east to west. The amount of stored items along the southern boundary has decreased, with only a couple of items now observed. **2018:** land parcel is predominantly vacant. Ground surface appears dry, with little to no vegetation. Dirt track is no longer observed. Rubbish appears to be spread in the south western section of the site. Multiple shipping containers are observed in the south eastern section of the site. A structure with white convex roofing has been established.	Agricultural/ commercial

Note: # Denotes Current Registered Proprietor

In summary, review of land titles records and available historic aerial photography showed that the southern half of the site was most likely to be primarily of agricultural land use since 1970's until the early 2000's. Following this, the land use changed to agricultural/commercial which has remained as the land use to date.

In comparison, the northern half of the site to date has primarily being used for agricultural purposes.

Given that there was no available historic aerial photography prior to 1976, the land use prior to this date is uncertain. Nevertheless, when looking at the land titles in conjunction with council records (Tamworth Regional Council, 2006), Tamworth was renowned for agricultural/market activities since the 1860's. By the early to mid-20th century Tamworth developed into mixed of agricultural and industrial town.

3.2 REVIEW OF SURROUNDING LAND USES

The review of historical aerial photographs was also used to assess changes to surrounding land uses. A summary of the pertinent information identified in relation to surrounding land parcels from the reviewed photographs is presented in **Table 3-2**.

Table 3-2 Summary of historical aerial photo review for surrounding land uses

Aerial photograph	Surrounding land uses based on historical aerial photographs
1976 – Department of Finance, Service & Innovation	River channels are noted to the north of the site. A road way followed by racecourse is observed to the east of the site. Beyond the racecourse urban development is noted. Some urban development is also noted to the south and south west of the site. Agricultural/vacant land is observed to the south west and west of the site, along with railway and roadways to the south.
1989 – Department of Finance, Service & Innovation	Surrounding land use remains predominantly unchanged from 1976 aerial photograph. However, industrial properties have been established on the neighbouring southern of the site. Residential and commercial/industrial use of surrounding lands to the east, south and south west has increase, and a new road way to the west, east and south east of the site has been constructed. New dwellings in the neighbouring lots to the west of the site have been established.
1998 – Department of Finance, Service & Innovation	Surrounding land use remains predominantly unchanged from 1989 aerial photograph. However, an increase is residential development is noted to the south west and far south of the site.
2002 – Department of Finance, Service & Innovation	Surrounding land use remains predominantly unchanged from 1998 aerial photograph.
2012 Google Earth	Increase in residential development is noted to the south west of the site. Commercial/industrial properties in the neighbouring southern lot to the site have been constructed. An increase in commercial/industrial properties to the far south/east of the site is also observed. The neighbouring lot to the west of the site has adopted centre pivot irrigation in the northern section of the lot.
2018 Google Earth	Surrounding land use remains predominantly unchanged from 2012 aerial photograph. However, commercial/industrial development continues to increase to the east and south of the site. Similarly, the residential development to the south west of the site is denser.

3.3 COUNCIL INFORMATION

A search of site history records held by Tamworth Regional Council in relation to the site, were collected during this investigation. The records found dated back to 2004 and are presented in **Appendix D**. A summary of relevant documents reviewed (i.e. developments applications, letters of reference/complaints) is presented in **Table 4-3**.

Table 3-3 Summary of Historical records Archived at Tamworth Regional Council

Period / Year	Series (Council Ref)	Description
2004	7751/2004	Development application for an increase in the overall dimensions and the relocation of the garage-hayshed on Lot 3 in DP1234850 (previously known as Lot 23, DP260129). Approval was granted on 29 October 2004.

Period / Year	Series (Council Ref)	Description
2011	DA0397/2011	Development application for the change of use (storage depot for skip bins) of Lot 3 in DP1234850. Approval was granted, and it became effective on 12 April 2011.
2015	DA0525/2015	Development application for the partial use of Lot 3 in DP1234850 for the storage of shipping containers and demountable buildings. Approval was granted, and it became effective on 07 August 2015.
2016	-	Statement of Environmental Effects report completed by Boresch Project Services in December 2016 (BPS, 2016). The report was completed for 55 Dampier St, Lot 23 DP260129. The report was used to obtain retrospective consent for the earthworks as executed and also obtain development consent for the erection of a workshop, installation of a site office and ablution block for the purpose of light industrial. The report concluded that retrospective consent on the earthworks as executed, along with the proposed development be approved by Council. Whilst the development application for these works was not available, the observations made during site inspection indicate that a workshop was constructed on an area of shallow filling.

In summary, historical council records dating back to 2004 for the south eastern part of the site indicate that the site was predominantly use for various commercial/ industrial purposes including, storage space. No residential use of the site was observed.

These findings are consistent with the aerial photography review and historical land titles information discussed in **Section 3.1**.

3.4 SafeWork NSW Record Search

A search of SafeWork NSW Authority records relating to the property at 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW was initiated on 29 October 2018 by EI, on behalf of the site owner. Correspondence dated 09 November 2018, from SafeWork NSW was received and there are no records held by SafeWork NSW pertaining to the above premises (Ref. **Appendix E**).

3.5 Aboriginal Heritage – Record of Aboriginal places under the National Parks and Wildlife Act

An on-line search of the NSW Environment & Heritage public record of Aboriginal Places declared by the Minister for the Environment under the National Park and Wildlife Act was conducted on 23 November 2018. The information obtained from this search is provided by the Heritage Division of the NSW Government Office of Environment & Heritage.

The search confirmed that the site known as 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW and lands in its close proximity (within 500 m), are not Aboriginal Heritage.

3.6 Contaminated Land - Record of Notices under Section 58 of CLM Act (1997)

An on-line search of the contaminated land public record of EPA Notices was conducted on 23 November 2018.

The contaminated land public record is a searchable database of:

- Orders made under Part 3 of the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (CLM Act);
- Approved voluntary management proposals under the CLM Act that have not been fully carried out and where the approval of the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) has not been revoked;
- Site audit statements provided to the NSW EPA under section 53B of the CLM Act that relate to significantly contaminated land;
- Where practicable, copies of anything formerly required to be part of the public record; and
- Actions taken by NSW EPA under section 35 or 36 of the *Environmentally Hazardous Chemicals Act 1985* (EHC Act).

The search confirmed that the site known as 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW and lands in its close proximity (within 500 m), are not subject to any regulatory notices issued by the NSW EPA.

3.6.1 List of NSW contaminated sites notified to EPA

A search through the List of NSW Contaminated Sites notified to the EPA under Section 60 of the CLM Act 2008 was conducted on 23 November 2018. This list is maintained by NSW EPA and includes properties on which contamination has been identified. Not all notified land is deemed to be impacted significantly enough to warrant regulation by the NSW EPA.

The search confirmed that the site known as 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW and lands in its close proximity (within 500 m), are not subject to any regulatory notices issued by the NSW EPA.

EI note that four sites within a 1km radius were identified to be subject to regulatory notices issued by the NSW EPA. However, these sites are noted to be down hydraulic gradient or hydrologically cross gradient in relation to the site. A copy of the Public List of Notified Sites with the aforementioned sites highlighted in yellow has been provided in **Appendix C**.

3.6.2 POEO Public Register

A search of the Protection of the Environment Operations (POEO) Act public register was conducted on 23 November 2018. The public register contains records related to environmental protection licences, applications, notices, audits, pollution studies, and reduction programmes. The search identified that there is no records under the POEO public register for the site known as 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW. However, the following land in its close proximity (within 500 m), has been identified under the POEO public register:

- *Boral Resources (Country) Pty Limited* – for concrete batching in a >13000 – 25000m^3 produced scale. License is no longer in force. A copy of the license has been provided in **Appendix C**.

Given that the license appears to not have been in force since its last review date, 16 February 2012; the activities completed at this site are not a cause for environmental concern.

4. SITE CHARACTERISATION

4.1 OVERVIEW

The primary purpose of this assessment is to evaluate the environmental and human-health risks associated with potential contamination at the site. In the context of this assessment, these risks may be defined as the probability that the utility of the site may be diminished by the presence of soil, soil vapour or groundwater contamination, which may require that the site be remediated prior to any redevelopment, particularly where more sensitive land uses are proposed.

For the purposes of producing a qualitative assessment of risk, the degree of contamination risk at this site is indicated in this section with due regard for site contamination experienced in NSW rural areas.

Since this assessment is based on the findings of a preliminary site investigation, which did not involve intrusive sampling and laboratory analysis of soils, soil vapours or groundwater, potential risks have been assessed on the basis of:

- Information gleaned from the site history searches in relation to previous land uses and anecdotal findings relating to operational activities, the type of materials handled on the site and their packaging;
- Site surface conditions, as deduced from visual observations;
- Anecdotal evidence regarding management practices on the site, as revealed during interviews with current staff;
- The geological and hydrological setting of the site; and
- Professional judgement based on previous experience on similar sites.

Whilst this approach provides a framework for preliminary assessment of relative risk, its limitations must be clearly understood. Only sampling and analysis can provide a complete representative picture of the contamination status of a site.

Nevertheless, the information provided in this report may be sufficient to make a decision as to the risks associated with potential impacts to soils, soil vapour and groundwater at the site.

4.2 HISTORICAL SITE USE AND GENERIC RISKS

The available historical information indicates that potential contamination risks associated with past agricultural and commercial land uses, may exist for the site. The site walkover noted the presence of potentially hazardous building materials; including the weathering of metal piping, beams, sheds, drums; the onsite storage of pesticides, herbicides (Group M, Group I and Group L) and lubricating oils (heavy duty transmission oil).

Given the sites history of agricultural and commercial land use; it is important to consider that in the areas used for agricultural purposes, potential use of herbicides, pesticides and fertilisers (potential organic and inorganic contaminants) are common. Similarly for commercial sites where potential contaminating operations have continued for several decades a number of generic risks affecting nearly all commercial sites have to be considered.

The assessments of risks that may be associated with the site are outlined in **Table 4-1** and the areas where the most risk could potentially lie are presented in **Figure 4**.

Table 4-1 Assessment of contamination risks from potential sources

Potential Sources	Impacted Medium	Contaminants of Potential Concern	Likelihood for Contamination to Occur
Imported fill soils of unknown origin and quality distributed across the site	Soil and ultimately groundwater, if leachable soil contamination is present in the fill	HM, TRH, PAH, BTEX, OC/OP pesticides, PCB and potentially asbestos.	**Medium** Significant filling was not observed during site walkover. However, in the southern centre section of Area B, filling was observed and soil stockpiles were also observed in the south eastern quadrant of the site. Due to the inherent risks associated with imported filling materials of unknown origin and quality, fill will require characterisation by intrusive soil investigation and sampling.
Potential contamination resulting from historical horticultural activities	Soils, soil vapour and groundwater	Metals, TRH, PAH, OC/OP Pesticides, herbicides	**Medium** While storage of fuels/ oils, herbicides, fungicides, pesticides and fertilisers inherently used in horticultural practices, these activities were likely predominantly carried out in the south eastern section of the site. While significant spillage and leakage of products in the past cannot be discounted without further intrusive investigations. Residual impacts in soil and groundwater (if confirmed) would pose health risks to construction workers, operational users of the site and potential offsite receptors.
Weathering of exposed building fabrics, painted surfaces and metallic objects from site structures	Soils	Metals and potential ACM	**Medium to high** Given the various type of waste materials found onsite (i.e. metal frames, metal drums, wooden doors, roof sheeting, and bricks) weathering of these materials may have resulted in the contamination surficial soils. It is expected that if present, soil contamination would be localised to the perimeter of the southern third of the site.
Hazardous building products contained in existing site structures	Building fabrics	Metals, ACM, synthetic mineral fibres, and PCB	**Low** Site inspection did not identify any hazardous building products in the existing workshop structure.
Hazardous materials derived from uncontrolled demolition of former site structures	Soils	Metals, potential ACM	**Low to Medium** Site history does not indicate any building other than the existing workshop was established at the site. This contamination due to the possible demolition of former site structures, potentially in an uncontrolled manner, is not likely. Nevertheless, given the limitations of aerial photography and council files; it is possible that former surface soils may already be contaminated, where hazardous building materials were in contact with accessible site soils. This contamination source is only likely to be present in the south eastern area the site where the land has being predominantly used for commercial purposes.
Potential on-site use of pesticides (including herbicides)	Soils	Metals and OC/OP pesticides, herbicides	**Medium** Any impacts, should they be present, would be limited to shallow soils, considering the nature of the application of pesticide chemicals.

Potential Sources	Impacted Medium	Contaminants of Potential Concern	Likelihood for Contamination to Occur
The potential onsite migration of contamination (soil and groundwater) from unknown offsite sources.	Soil and Groundwater	Metals, TRH, PAH, BTEX, and VOCs	**Medium** No major sources of contamination were identified, however; given that the land up gradient from the site has being predominantly used for commercial/industrial purposes (i.e. car servicing and repairs), potential mobile sources of contamination cannot be discarded and thus require investigation.

Notes:
Metals – *Arsenic*, *cadmium*, *chromium*, *copper*, *lead*, *mercury*, *nickel* and *zinc* (typical metals tested in urban/industrial Sydney)
TRH – Total recoverable hydrocarbons (generally petroleum hydrocarbons)
BTEX – The monocyclic aromatic hydrocarbons *benzene*, *toluene*, *ethyl-benzene* and *xylenes*
PAH – Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (includes the carcinogenic compound *benzo(a)pyrene*)
OC/OP Pesticides – Organochlorine and organophosphate pesticides
VOCs – Volatile organic compounds
ACM – Asbestos-containing materials
PCBs – Polychlorinated biphenyls

4.3 RISK OF SIGNIFICANT CONTAMINATION

The risk of widespread significant contamination across the Site is considered unlikely given the size of the property and the past agricultural use. No UPSS was underground petroleum storage systems (UPSS) were noted during the investigation; however the waste material found at the site along with the extensive commercial use of the south eastern section of the site and the industrial/commercial nature of the land up gradient from the site may have resulted in point sources of contamination. While records of known spills or waste disposal practices were not identified in historical Site records, visual evidence suggests that some groundwater and soil impact may be present.

4.4 CONCEPTUAL SITE MODEL

4.4.1 Overview

In accordance with NEPM (2013) *Schedule B2 – Guideline on Site Characterisation* and to aid in the assessment of data collection for the Site, EI developed a preliminary conceptual Site model (CSM) assessing plausible pollutant linkages between potential contamination sources, migration pathways and receptors. The CSM provides a framework for identifying data gaps in the existing Site characterisation and future Site assessments. Potential contamination sources, exposure pathways and receptors that were considered relevant for this assessment are summarised along with a qualitative assessment of the potential risks posed by complete exposure pathways[1].

[1] A source, pathway, and receptor are all present and exposure to the contaminant is possible

4.4.2 Potential Contamination Sources

On the basis of the PSI findings potential contamination sources are as follows:

- Importation of fill of unknown origin and quality placed at the Site;
- Weathering of exposed building fabrics, painted surfaces and metallic objects from the waste material found at the site and from the site structures;
- Hazardous materials derived from uncontrolled demolition or degradation of former Site structures and existing waste materials;
- Potential contamination associated with heavy machinery across large areas of the Site;
- Potential on-Site use of pesticides across the Site;
- Potential contamination from onsite chemical storages; and
- Contamination resulting from waste disposal and illegal dumping across the south eastern section of the Site and unknown contamination sources (e.g. unknown burial pits or filled erosion gullies).

In agroecosystems, trace elements such as copper, manganese, iron, molybdenum and boron are essential to plant growth (micronutrients). However, in large concentrations these elements (with the exception of boron, they are also referred to as heavy metals) can be toxic to plants and surrounding biota. The extensive use of metal-enriched chemicals, fertilisers and other organic amendments may cause wide-spread subsurface contamination. In particular, it has been demonstrated that the long-term production of citrus and other fruit crops will lead to increased concentrations of heavy metals (i.e. zinc and copper) in subsurface soils (He *et al.* 2005).

4.4.3 Contaminants of Potential Concern

Based on the findings of the PSI, the contaminants of potential concern (COPC) at the site are considered to be:

- Soil – heavy metals (HMs), total recoverable hydrocarbons (TRHs), the monocyclic aromatic hydrocarbon compounds *benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and total xylenes* (BTEX), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), organochlorine and organophosphorus pesticides (OCPs / OPPs), herbicides, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), asbestos, Cation Exchange (CEC), pH, and soil salinity.
- Water - heavy metals (HMs), total recoverable hydrocarbons (TRHs), the monocyclic aromatic hydrocarbon compounds *benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene and total xylenes* (BTEX), polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), organochlorine and organophosphorus pesticides (OCPs / OPPs), total phenols, and volatile organic compounds (VOCs).

EI note that many pesticides are not covered under the NEPM, and thus; should assessment of pesticides and herbicides other than OCP/OPP they may need to include the herbicide classes identified during the site inspection.

4.4.4 Per or poly-fluoroalkyl substances (PFAS)

EPA (2017) requires that PFAS is considered in assessing contamination. EI use the following decision tree (**Table 4-2**) based on EnRisk (2016) for prioritising the potential for PFAS to be present on site and whether PFAS sampling of soil and water is required.

Table 4-2 PFAS Decision tree

Preliminary Screening	Likelihood of occurrence
Did fire training occur on-site?	**Low**
Did fire training occur, or is an airport or fire station up gradient of or adjacent to the site? [1]	**Low**
Have "fuel" fires ever occurred on-site? (e.g. ignition of fuel (solvent, petrol, diesel, kerosene) tanks?)	**Low**
Have PFAS been used in manufacturing or stored on-site ?[2]	**Low**

Notes:
[1] Runoff from fire training areas may impact surface water, sediment and groundwater.
[2] PFAS is used wide range of industrial processes and consumer products, including in the manufacture of non-stick cookware, specialised garments and textiles, Scotchguard™ and similar products (used to protect fabric, furniture, leather and carpets from oils and stains), metal plating and in some types of fire-fighting foam (https://www.nicnas.gov.au/chemical-information/factsheets/chemical-name/perfluorinated-chemicals-pfas)

4.4.5 Emerging chemicals

The NSW EPA uses Chemical Control Orders (CCOs) as a primary legislative tool under the EHC Act (1985) to selectively and specifically control particular chemicals of concern, and limit their potential impact on the environment. CCOs provide the EPA a rapid and flexible mechanism for responding to emerging chemical issues. As with PFAS compounds, EI has considered chemicals controlled by CCOs and other potential emerging chemicals in this assessment as outlined in **Table 4-3**.

Table 4-3 Emerging or controlled chemicals

Chemicals of Concern (CCO or emerging)	Decision
Were aluminium smelter wastes used or stored on site (CCO, 1986)?	**No**
Do dioxin contaminated wastes (CCO, 1986) have the potential to impact the site? [1]	**No**
Were organotin products (CCO,1989) used or stored on site ?[2]	**No**
Were polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) used or PCB wastes (CCO, 1997) stored on-site?[3]	**Yes** *Possibly contained within pesticides if used onsite The likelihood of onsite contamination is low.*
Were scheduled chemical or wastes (CCO, 2004) used or stored[4]	**Yes** *Given that historically the site has been used for agricultural purposes, the likelihood of scheduled wastes being used onsite in the form of pesticides is medium.*
Are other emerging chemicals suspected?[5]	**No**
If Yes to any questions, has site sampling suite been optimised to include specific sampling for other chemicals of concern in soil, air and water	**Yes** *Identified COPC in Section 4.1.3*

Notes:
[1] From burning of certain chemicals, smelting or chemical manufacturing or fire on or near the site.
[2] From anti-fouling paints used or removed at boat & ship yards and marinas.
[3] From older transformer oils & electrical capacitors
[4] Twenty-four mostly organochlorine pesticides and industrial by-products
[5] Other chemicals considered as emerging e.g. 1,4 dioxane (associated with some cVOCs),

4.4.6 Potential Sources, Receptors and Exposure Pathways

Potential contamination sources, exposure pathways and human and environmental receptors that were considered relevant for this assessment are summarised in **Table 4-4**.

Table 4-4 Preliminary Conceptual Site Model

Contaminated Media	Chemicals of Potential Concern	Transport Mechanism	Exposure Pathway	Potential Receptor
Impacted soils	HM, TRH, PAH, BTEXN, OCP, OPP, PCB, VOC, asbestos and PFAs	Disturbance of surficial and subsurface soils during construction, future maintenance, and use of the site post redevelopment	• Ingestion and dermal contact; • inhalation of asbestos fibres and dust particulates; • volatile organic compounds during site redevelopment	• Construction and maintenance workers • End users of the site post redevelopment • Agricultural lands surrounding the site
		Atmospheric dispersion from soil to outdoor air spaces, or mobilisation of soil particles/ fibres during site works causing soil disturbance	• Inhalation of asbestos and dust fibres from impacted soil; • Inhalation of particles of contaminated soil	
	F1 and F2 TRH, BTEXN and VOCs	Volatilisation & diffusion from soil to indoor air spaces, particularly in areas where chlorinated solvents have been leaked or spilled	• Inhalation of vapours intruding into ground level office/industrial building spaces from VOC impacted soil, soil vapour or groundwater	
	HM, TRH, PAH, BTEXN, OCP	Plant uptake of contamination present in root zone	• Plant uptake	• Current ecological receptor of Wallamore Anabranch and Timbumburi Creek
Groundwater	HMs, TRH, BTEXN, total phenols, PFAs and VOCs	Migration of dissolved phase impacts in groundwater	• Contaminants arriving at receiving surface water bodies could lead to ingestion and dermal contact	• Aquatic ecosystems (Wallamore Anabranch and Timbumburi Creek) • Recreational water users
Building fabrics containing hazardous materials	Lead, PCB and asbestos	Release of hazardous materials during uncontrolled demolition of building fabrics	• Ingestion; • Dermal contact; • Inhalation of airborne contaminants	• Construction workers during site redevelopment; • Maintenance worker post-development; • End users of the site

4.5 DATA GAPS

Based on the CSM derived for the site (**Section 4**) and the above qualitative assessment of risks, the following data gaps have been identified:

1. Uncertainty in regards to contaminant levels in imported fill materials, which are of unknown origin and quality;
2. Uncertainty with regard to long-term application of pesticides onsite;
3. Uncertainty in regards to impact from weathering of building structures (i.e. painted surfaces, metallic structures, cement-fibre sheeting, fences etc.) and past maintenance (including any improvements, pesticide use, asbestos use);
4. Uncertainty in regards to potential burial of any ACM or other waste resulting from building demolition, backfilling of erosion gullies or waste disposal;
5. Uncertainty in regards to spills and leaks arising from heavy machinery, waste drums and chemical storage containers; and
6. Uncertainty in regards to groundwater contamination from offsite sources.

In order to determine the suitability of the site for the proposed development, it will be necessary to carry out an intrusive investigation involving the limited sampling and laboratory analysis of soil and groundwater, to close out the above data gaps.

5. CONCLUSIONS

The property located at 55 Dampier Street and 21 & 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW was the subject of a Preliminary Site Investigation. The investigation was performed as part of a Planning Proposal to Tamworth Regional Council, for the development of Employment lands and construction of an associated bypass road which connects Jewry Street to Wallamore Road in the South. This Preliminary Site investigation (PSI) was undertaken by EI to evaluate the potential of any on-site contamination associated with current and former land uses.

The findings of this assessment were as follows:

- Historical records indicated that the southern half of the site was most likely to be primarily of agricultural land use since 1970's until the early 2000's. Following this, the land use changed to agricultural/commercial which has remained as the land use to date. In comparison, the northern half of the site to date has primarily being used for agricultural purposes.

- The site inspection revealed that isolated dumping has occurred at the southern third of the site. Some of the waste material observed included weathered steel beams, rusted metal drums, metal roofing sheets, and soil stockpiles;

- Onsite storage of pesticides (bipyridilium), herbicides (Group I, L, and M) and fuel oil was observed during site the site inspection that was completed on the 29 November 2018;

- Council records dating back to 2004 held by Tamworth Regional Council indicated that the site has not been used for residential purposes and that the commercial/industrial use of the land has only being predominantly an isolated use to the south eastern side of the site;

- A search of SafeWork NSW Dangerous Goods Records revealed there are no records pertaining to the above premises;

- The site and surrounding properties (within 500m) were not reported as being of Aboriginal Heritage under the National Park and Wildlife Act;

- The site and surrounding properties were not reported as being subject to regulation in relation to environmental impacts, as documented in the NSW EPA databases; with the exception of one site within 500m of the site, which held a license for concrete batching. The license is no longer in force;

- The Site is underlain by alluvium which comprises of clay, silt, sand and gravel. As the Site was largely used for agricultural purposes, the subsurface conditions would remain largely unaltered except in areas of filling and possible waste disposal;

- The former and current activities of onsite agricultural practices and industrial/commercial activities, represented possible onsite pollutant sources and the potential for subsurface contamination (i.e. pesticides, herbicides and some fertilisers, possible oil spill and leaching of weathered building materials);

- The nearest sensitive receptors to the site were Wallamore Anabranch to the north of the site, and Timbumburi Creek and the agricultural/residential land uses to the west of the Site;

- A Conceptual Site Model (CSM) and Qualitative Risk Assessment have been produced for the Site in this PSI. The CSM identified potential contaminating sources that may occur at the Site and evaluated the likelihood for relevant exposure pathways as part of the proposed development. An assessment of potential contamination risks has identified the possibility for

sensitive receptors to consist of future construction and maintenance workers, future Site users, neighbouring users, and Wallamore Anabranch as ecological receptors.

Taking into account the above considerations and subject to the statement of limitation (**Section 7**), EI can conclude that there is potential for localised contamination to be present on Site. However, this does not impede the rezoning of the site to a less sensitive land use (Employment Lands).
With consideration given to the nature of the proposed land use, current existing data gaps, and potential contamination risks to end users of the Site, prior to the redevelopment of the site further investigation should be completed to quantify the impact to the soil and groundwater. EI consider that the Site can be made suitable for its proposed uses, subject to the implementation of recommendations detailed in **Section 6**.

6. RECOMMENDATIONS

Based on the findings of the PSI, EI recommend the following:

- An intrusive site investigation with limited soil sampling should be completed. The investigation should be mainly focused on the southern third of the site which is the area that historically has experienced the most change of use. The investigation will be used to characterise site soils and groundwater; and provide baseline data for evaluation of any remedial and management requirements that may be necessary to allow the site to be made suitable for the proposed Employment lands development.

7. STATEMENT OF LIMITATIONS

This report has been prepared for the exclusive use of Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd c/- Elton Consulting, who is the only intended beneficiary of EI's work. The scope of the investigations carried out for the purpose of this report is limited to those agreed with Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Ltd on 05 October 2018.

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EI has used a degree of care and skill ordinarily exercised in similar investigations by reputable members of the environmental industry in Australia as at the date of this document. No other warranty, expressed or implied, is made or intended. Each section of this report must be read in conjunction with the whole of this report, including its appendices and attachments.

The conclusions presented in this report are based on a limited assessment of historical site use and current use of the site. Due to the preliminary nature of this assessment, findings are not based on actual samples collected or testing conducted. EI has relied upon information provided by the Client and other third parties to prepare this document, some of which could not be verified by EI due to the anecdotal or historical nature of the information.

EI's professional opinions are reasonable and based on its professional judgment, experience and training.

EI's professional opinions contained in this document are subject to modification if additional information is obtained through the data searches that have been initiated with government authorities, but for which the requested information is still pending.

Technical opinions may also be amended in the light of further investigation, observations, or validation testing and analysis during remedial activities. In some cases, further testing and analysis may be required, which may result in a further report with different conclusions.

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ABBREVIATIONS

ACM	Asbestos Containing Material
AHD	Australian Height Datum
AST	Aboveground Storage Tank
BTEX	Benzene, Toluene, Ethylbenzene, Total Xylenes
CSM	Conceptual Site Model
DA	Development Application
DEC	Department of Environment and Conservation, NSW
DECC	Department of Environment and Climate Change, NSW
DECCW	Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water, NSW
DP	Deposited Plan
DSI	Detailed Site Investigation
EI	EI Australia
EPA	Environment Protection Authority
ha	Hectares
km	Kilometres
m	Metres
MAH	Monocyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons
mAHD	Metres relative to Australian Height Datum
mBGL	Metres below ground level
NEPC	National Environmental Protection Council
NEPM	National Environmental Protection Measure
NSW	New South Wales
OCP	Organochlorine Pesticides
OEH	Office of Environment and Heritage, NSW (formerly DEC, DECC, DECCW)
OPP	Organophosphorus Pesticides
PAHs	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons
PCB	Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PP	Planning Proposal
PSI	Preliminary Site Investigation
SCID	Storage Chemical Information Database
SEPP	State Environmental Planning Policy
SSM	State Survey Mark
TRHs	Total Recoverable Hydrocarbons
UPSS	Underground Petroleum Storage System
UST	Underground Storage Tank
VOCs	Volatile Organic Compounds

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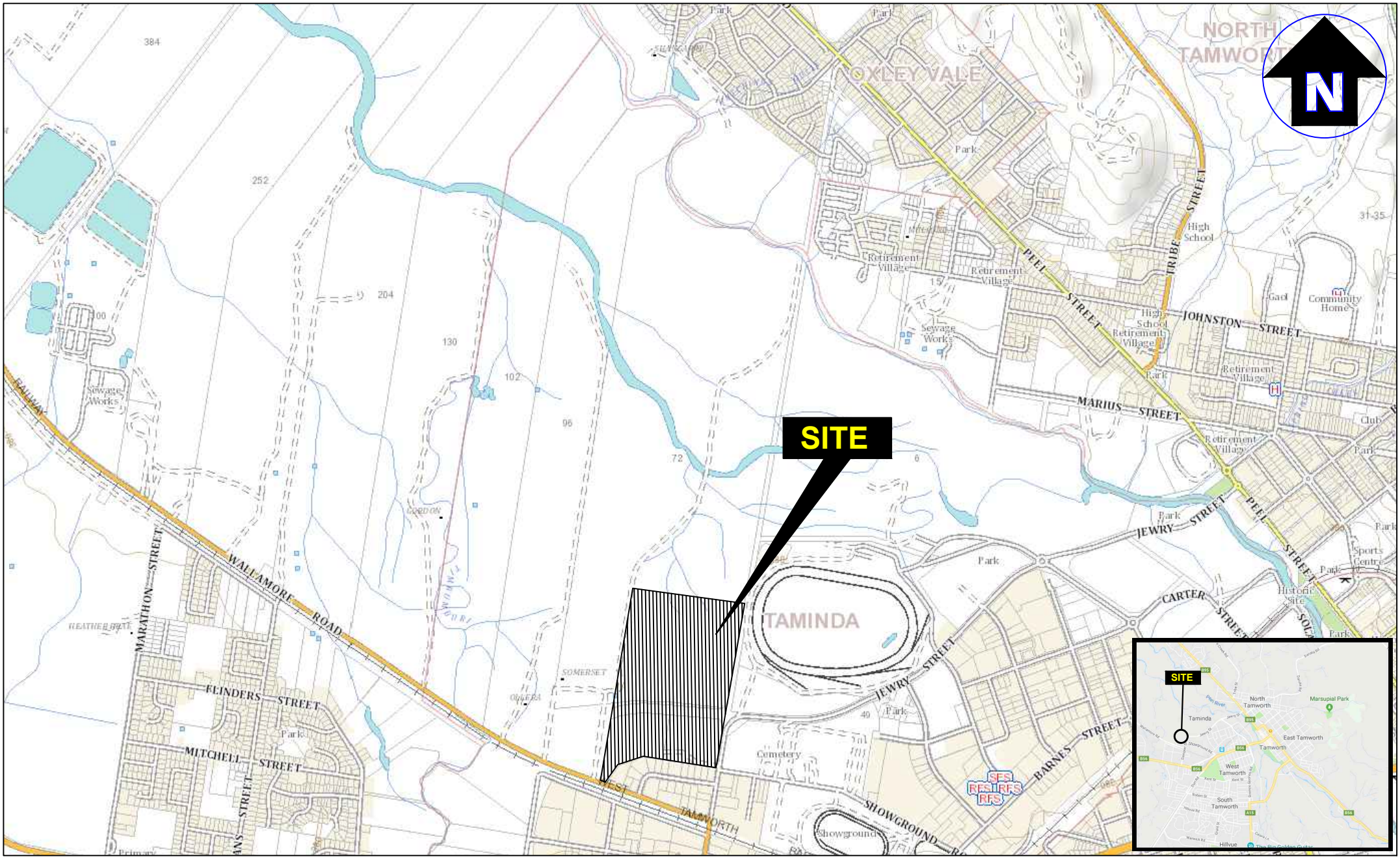

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Site Locality Plan

Figure: 1

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– — – Approximate site boundary

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Site Outline

Figure: 2

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- Approximate site boundary
- Approximate area to be retained (AREA A)
- Approximate outline of proposed industrial development area (AREA B)
- Approximate proposed bypass road outline

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Proposed Outline of Employment Lands Development

Figure: 2

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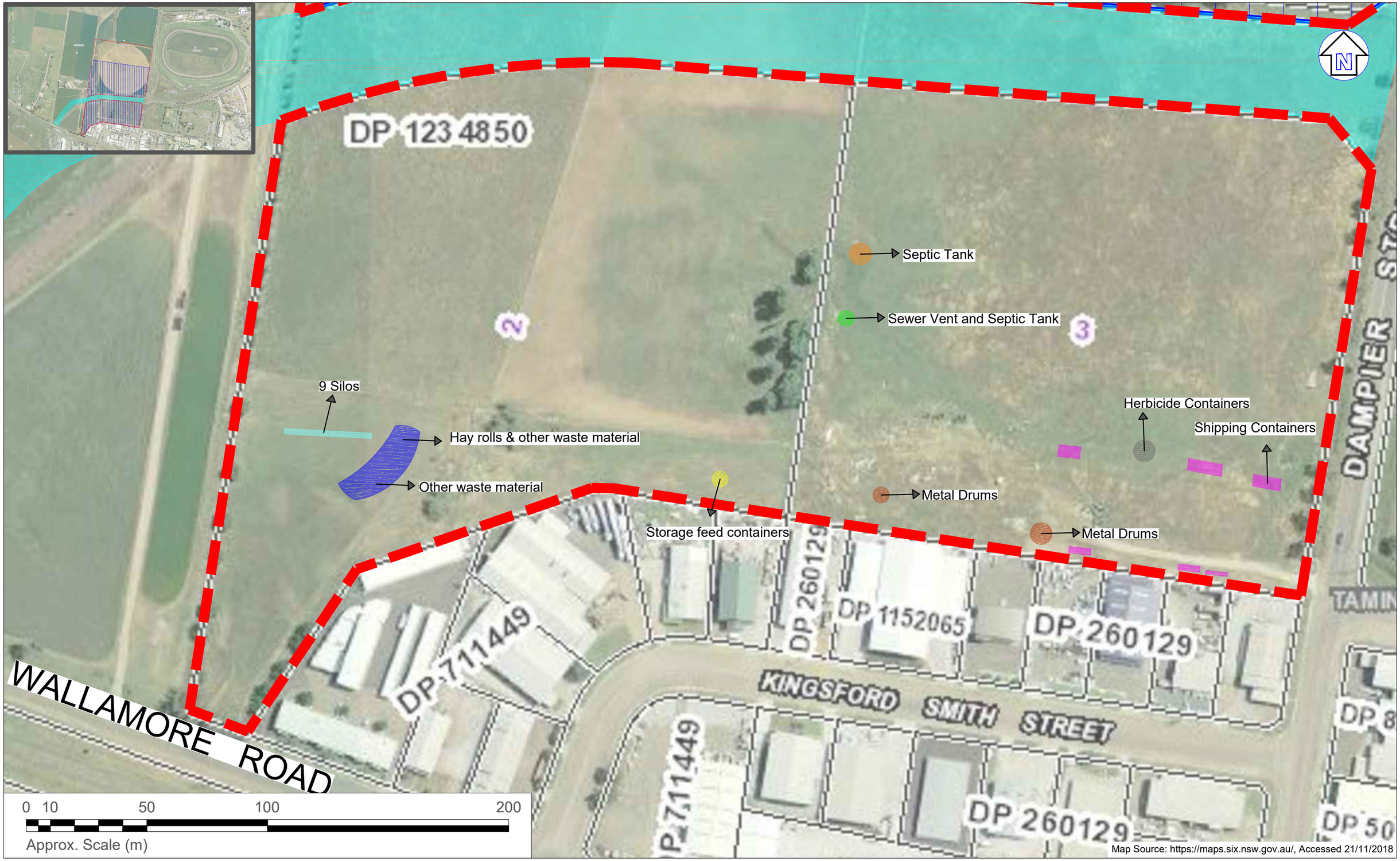

LEGEND

- Approximate site boundary
- Approximate proposed bypass road outline

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Site Observations Location Plan

Figure: 4

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APPENDIX A
Water NSW - Registered Groundwater Bore Search

State Overview
State Overview

Rivers and Streams
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Real Time Data - Rivers And Streams

Daily River Reports
Daily River Reports

Dams
favourites · search · download sites · find a site
Real Time Data - Major Dams

Groundwater (Telemetered data)
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Real Time Data - Bores

All Groundwater Site details
search · download sites · find a site
All Groundwater Map
North Coast Region
Hunter Region
Greater Sydney Region
South Coast Region
Northwest Region
Central West Region
Lachlan River Basin
Castlereagh River Basin
Macquarie River Basin
Southwest Region
Far West Region
Great Artesian Basin
Coal Basins

Meteorology
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Real Time Data - Weather Stations

Hunter Integrated Telemetry System
Hunter Integrated Telemetry System

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Northwest Region

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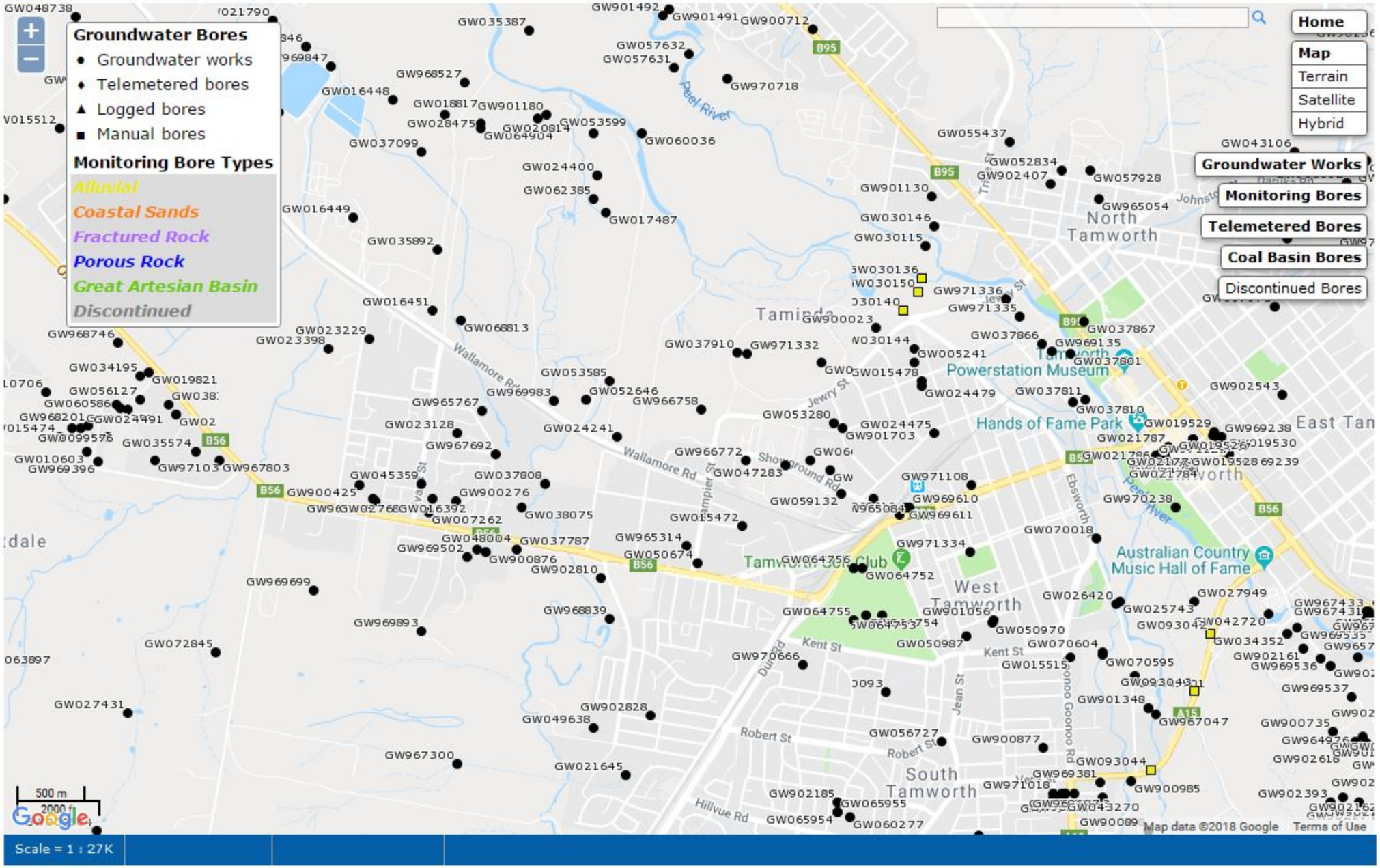
All data times are Eastern Standard Time

Map

current site: GW037910



WaterNSW
Work Summary

GW024241

Licence:
Licence Status:
Authorised Purpose(s):
Intended Purpose(s): NOT KNOWN

Work Type: Well
Work Status:
Construct.Method:
Owner Type: Private

Commenced Date:
Completion Date: 01/01/1946
Final Depth: 12.20 m
Drilled Depth:

Contractor Name: (None)
Driller:
Assistant Driller:

Property:
GWMA:
GW Zone:
Standing Water Level (m):
Salinity Description:
Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	MURROON	28
Licensed:			

Region: 90 - Barwon
River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER
Area/District:
CMA Map: 9035-1N
Grid Zone:
Scale:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
Elevation Source: (Unknown)
Northing: 6558442.000
Easting: 298923.000
Latitude: 31°05'26.3"S
Longitude: 150°53'31.1"E

GS Map: -
MGA Zone: 56
Coordinate Source:

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1	1	Casing	Concrete Cylnder	0.00	0.00	1372			

***** End of GW024241 *****

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WaterNSW
Work Summary

GW037910

Licence:
Licence Status:
Authorised Purpose(s):
Intended Purpose(s): IRRIGATION
Work Type: Bore
Work Status:
Construct.Method: Cable Tool
Owner Type: Private
Commenced Date:
Completion Date: 01/09/1973
Final Depth: 12.10 m
Drilled Depth: 12.20 m
Contractor Name: (None)
Driller:
Assistant Driller:
Property:
GWMA:
GW Zone:
Standing Water Level (m):
Salinity Description:
Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	CALALA	LOT 92 D P 259787
Licensed:			

Region: 90 - Barwon
River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER
Area/District:
CMA Map: 9035-1N
Grid Zone:
Scale:
Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
Elevation Source: (Unknown)
Northing: 6559012.000
Easting: 299701.000
Latitude: 31°05'08.3"S
Longitude: 150°54'00.8"E
GS Map: -
MGA Zone: 56
Coordinate Source: GPS - Global

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1	1	Casing	Steel	-0.60	8.00	203			Suspended in Clamps
1	1	Opening	Screen	8.00	12.50	203		1	

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Yield (L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
8.20	11.80	3.60	Unconsolidated	5.70		13.26			

Drillers Log

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	3.04	3.04	Soil Black Alluvial	Soil	
3.04	4.57	1.53	Clay Red	Clay	
4.57	8.22	3.65	Conglomerate	Conglomerate	
8.22	11.88	3.66	Sand Gravel Water Supply	Sand	

11.88	12.19	0.31	Clay	Clay	
4.57	8.22	3.65	Clay Sandy	Clay	

Remarks

04/02/1976: GALVANISED LOW CARBON STEEL
10/03/1981: TAMWORTH RACECOURSE
01/04/2015: Martin O'Rourke updated co-ordinates Old E 299892 N 6559076 new from GPS E299701 N 6559020

***** End of GW037910 *****

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WaterNSW
Work Summary

GW052646

Licence:
Licence Status:
Authorised Purpose(s):
Intended Purpose(s): NOT KNOWN

Work Type: Well
Work Status: Supply Obtained
Construct.Method:
Owner Type: Private

Commenced Date:
Completion Date:
Final Depth: 3.20 m
Drilled Depth:

Contractor Name: (None)
Driller:
Assistant Driller:

Property:
GWMA:
GW Zone:
Standing Water Level (m):
Salinity Description:
Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	MURROON	29
Licensed:			

Region: 90 - Barwon
River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER
Area/District:
CMA Map: 9035-1N
Grid Zone:
Scale:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
Elevation Source: (Unknown)
Northing: 6558689.000
Easting: 298715.000
Latitude: 31°05'18.2"S
Longitude: 150°53'23.4"E

GS Map: -
MGA Zone: 56
Coordinate Source:

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1	1	Casing	Brick	0.00	0.00	305			

***** End of GW052646 *****

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WaterNSW
Work Summary

GW053585

Licence:
Licence Status:
Authorised Purpose(s):
Intended Purpose(s): IRRIGATION

Work Type: Well
Work Status:
Construct.Method: Hand Dug
Owner Type: Private

Commenced Date:
Completion Date: 01/11/1982
Final Depth: 9.80 m
Drilled Depth: 9.80 m

Contractor Name: (None)
Driller:
Assistant Driller:

Property:
GWMA:
GW Zone:
Standing Water Level (m):
Salinity Description:
Yield (L/s):

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	MURROON	29
Licensed:			

Region: 90 - Barwon
River Basin: 419 - NAMOI RIVER
Area/District:
CMA Map: 9035-1N
Grid Zone:
Scale:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
Elevation Source: (Unknown)
Northing: 6558810.000
Easting: 298863.000
Latitude: 31°05'14.3"S
Longitude: 150°53'29.1"E

GS Map: -
MGA Zone: 56
Coordinate Source: GD.,ACC.MAP

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1	1	Casing	Concrete Cylnder	0.00	6.10	1200			
1	1	Casing	Timber	6.10	9.80				

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Yield (L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)
6.10	9.80	3.70	Unconsolidated	6.10		11.40			

Drillers Log

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	0.30	0.30	Topsoil	Topsoil	
0.30	6.10	5.80	Clay	Clay	
6.10	9.75	3.65	Gravel Water Supply	Gravel	

***** End of GW053585 *****

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NSW Office of Water
Work Summary

GW966758

Licence: 90BL252157 **Licence Status:** CONVERTED

Authorised Purpose(s): STOCK,DOMESTIC
Intended Purpose(s): STOCK, DOMESTIC

Work Type: Bore
Work Status:
Construct.Method: Hand Dug
Owner Type:

Commenced Date: **Final Depth:**
Completion Date: **Drilled Depth:**

Contractor Name:
Driller: Unknown Unknown
Assistant Driller:

Property: LOT 23 DP260129 LOT 23 DAMPIER STREET TAMWORTH 2340 **Standing Water Level:**
GWMA: - **Salinity:**
GW Zone: - **Yield:**

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	PARRY.17	LT23 DP260129
Licensed:	PARRY	MURROON	Whole Lot 23//260129

Region: 90 - Barwon **CMA Map:**
River Basin: - Unknown **Grid Zone:** **Scale:**
Area/District:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.) **Northing:** 6558635.0 **Latitude:** 31°05'20.4"S
Elevation Source: (Unknown) **Easting:** 299476.0 **Longitude:** 150°53'52.1"E

GS Map: - **MGA Zone:** 0 **Coordinate Source:** Unknown

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Yield (L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)

Geologists Log

Drillers Log

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments

Remarks

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NSW Office of Water
Work Summary

GW966772

Licence: 90BL249837
Licence Status: CONVERTED

Authorised Purpose(s): STOCK,DOMESTIC,RECREATION (GROUNDWATER)
Intended Purpose(s): RECREATION (GROUNDWATER)

Work Type: Bore
Work Status:
Construct.Method: Rotary
Owner Type:

Commenced Date:
Completion Date: 19/06/2000
Final Depth: 16.70 m
Drilled Depth: 16.70 m

Contractor Name: MJ & LC MANNION
Driller: Leonard George Mannion
Assistant Driller:

Property: TAMWORTH SHOWGROUND WESTDALE RD TAMWORTH 2340
GWMA: 005 - PEEL VALLEY
GW Zone: 001 - PEEL ALLUVIUM
Standing Water Level: 9.000
Salinity:
Yield:

Site Details

Site Chosen By:

	County	Parish	Cadastre
Form A:	PARRY	PARRY.5	LOT 4 DP 535457
Licensed:	PARRY	CALALA	Whole Lot 4//535457

Region: 90 - Barwon
River Basin: - Unknown
Area/District:
CMA Map:
Grid Zone:
Scale:

Elevation: 0.00 m (A.H.D.)
Elevation Source: Unknown
Northing: 6558308.0
Easting: 299776.0
Latitude: 31°05'31.2"S
Longitude: 150°54'03.1"E

GS Map: -
MGA Zone: 0
Coordinate Source: GPS - Global Positioning System

Construction

Negative depths indicate Above Ground Level; C-Cemented; SL-Slot Length; A-Aperture; GS-Grain Size; Q-Quantity; PL-Placement of Gravel Pack; PC-Pressure Cemented; S-Sump; CE-Centralisers

Hole	Pipe	Component	Type	From (m)	To (m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Inside Diameter (mm)	Interval	Details
1		Hole	Hole	0.00	16.70	203			Rotary
1	1	Casing	Steel	0.00	16.70	203			Welded

Water Bearing Zones

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	WBZ Type	S.W.L. (m)	D.D.L. (m)	Yield (L/s)	Hole Depth (m)	Duration (hr)	Salinity (mg/L)

Geologists Log
Drillers Log

From (m)	To (m)	Thickness (m)	Drillers Description	Geological Material	Comments
0.00	0.60	0.60	topsoil	Topsoil	
0.60	6.10	5.50	clay	Clay	
6.10	10.10	4.00	gravel and clay	Gravel	
10.10	10.13	0.03	water bearing gravel	Invalid Code	
10.13	12.23	2.10	clay	Clay	
12.23	15.83	3.60	gravel	Gravel	
15.83	16.70	0.87	shale	Shale	

Remarks

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APPENDIX B
Site Photographs

Photograph 1. View of Lot 1 from the north western side to the south eastern side of the site.

Photograph 2. View towards the south/south eastern side of Lot 1.

Photograph 3. View towards the southern/south east side of Lot 2.

Photograph 4. View from the south to the north of Lot 2.

Photograph 5. View of the southern entrance of Lot 2.

Photograph 6. Cattle grazing observed in the north western /western area of Lot 2.

Photograph 7. Soil disturbance noted to the south central part of Lot 2.

Photograph 8. View of feeding area in the south eastern section of Lot 2.

Photograph 9. View of north eastern section of Lot 2.

Photograph 10. View of hay rolls stacks and other waste material found in Lot 2.

Photograph 11. Label of one of the drums found in Lot 2.

Photograph 12. Chemical storage tanks found near the entrance of Lot 3.

Photograph 13. Group I herbicide stored onsite in Lot 3.

Photograph 14. Example of Group M herbicides stored onsite in Lot 3.

Photograph 15. Example of Group L herbicide stored onsite in Lot 3.

Photograph 16. Example of pesticide stored onsite in Lot 3.

Photograph 17. Example of transmission oil stored onsite in Lot 3.

Photograph 18. View of waste material found in Lot 3.

Photograph 19. Stockpile of waste material found in Lot 3.

Photograph 20. Rusted drums on bare soil patches found in Lot 3.

Photograph 21. View of waste material found on the southern side of Lot 3.

Photograph 22. View of soil stockpile and waste material found in Lot 3.

Photograph 23. Cement and brick block found in Lot 3.

Photograph 24. Soil stockpile and cement pipes found in Lot 3.

Photograph 25. View of workshop, shipping containers and drums found in Lot 3.

Photograph 26. View of shipping containers and skip bins found in Lot 3.

Photograph 27. Sewerage vent and tank found on the western boundary of Lot 3.

Photograph 28. Septic tank found in Lot 3.

APPENDIX C
Historical Property Titles Search & POEO License

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Summary of Owners Report

LRS NSW **Sydney**

Re: - 55 Dampier Street and 72 Wallamore Road, Taminda

Description: - Lots 1, 2 & 3 D.P. 1234850

As regards Lot 1 D.P. 1234850

As regards the part numbered (1) on the attached cadastre

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
09.10.1936 (1936 to 1964)	Joseph Henry Starr	Vol 4795 Fol 165
16.06.1964 (1964 to 1965)	Enid Agnes Kennedy (Married woman) Ainslie Jean Denton (Widow) (Section 94 Application not investigated)	Vol 4795 Fol 165
13.08.1965 (1965 to 1969)	Rupert Alfred Wentworth Vickers (Farmer & Grazier)	Vol 4795 Fol 165
09.05.1969 (1969 to 1980)	Barry Maynes McKinnon (Agent)	Vol 4795 Fol 165 Now Vol 14087 Fol 62
15.09.1980 (1980 to 1989)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative) Gladys Chaffey (Married Woman)	Vol 14087 Fol 62 Now 272/631977

Leases, excluding building premises: -

- 15.04.1952 to East-West Airlines Limited of part of the land in Volume 4795 Folio 165 – expired 15.06.1964

As regards the part numbered (2) on the attached cadastre

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
16.04.1929 (1929 to 1945)	Henry Jonathan Cluff (Farmer)	Crown Tenure Settlement Purchase 1909/49 Tamworth (Book 1555 No. 723 Mortgage) Now Vol 5370 Fol 222
06.02.1945 (1945 to 1976)	Clarence Hardwick Wythes (Farmer) Elsie Rose Wythes (Married Woman)	Vol 5370 Fol 222 Now Vol 11332 Fol 157
03.06.1976 (1976 to 1981)	Robert Norman Nicolle (Grazier) Ivy Jean Nicolle (Married Woman)	Vol 11332 Fol 157
13.02.1981 (1981 to 1981)	Ivy Jean Nicolle (Widow)	Vol 11332 Fol 157
25.05.1981 (1981 to 1983)	Marau Pty Limited	Vol 11332 Fol 157
10.05.1983 (1983 to 1989)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative) Gladys Chaffey (Married Woman)	Vol 11332 Fol 157 Now 272/631977

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Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
16.02.1989 (1989 to 1997)	John Baden Chaffey (Representative)	272/631977
12.06.1997 (1997 to 2002)	Arnold Neil Bailey	272/631977
04.12.2002 (2002 to 2013)	Novine Pty Ltd	272/631977
16.09.2013 (2013 to 2017)	Tamworth Regional Council	272/631977 Now 1/1234850
27.12.2017 (2017 to date)	# Harry David Stearman	1/1234850

# Denotes current registered proprietor

Leases continued: - NIL

Easements: -

- 4.01.1980 (R 157473) Easement to Drain Sewage 6 metres wide
- 13.12.1984 (V 391742) Easement for Electricity Transmission Line 20 metres wide
- 26.09.1995 (D.P. 265817) Easement to Drain Water 2 metres wide
- 25.01.2001 (7262811) Easement to Drain Sewage 5 metres wide
- 29.03.2017 (AM 108223) Easement to Drain Water 6 metres wide

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As regards Lot 2 D.P. 1234850

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
16.04.1929 (1929 to 1945)	Henry Jonathan Cluff (Farmer)	Crown Tenure Settlement Purchase 1909/49 Tamworth (Book 1555 No. 723 Mortgage) Now Vol 5370 Fol 222
06.02.1945 (1945 to 1976)	Clarence Hardwick Wythes (Farmer) Elsie Rose Wythes (Married Woman)	Vol 5370 Fol 222 Now Vol 11332 Fol 157
03.06.1976 (1976 to 1981)	Robert Norman Nicolle (Grazier) Ivy Jean Nicolle (Married Woman)	Vol 11332 Fol 157
13.02.1981 (1981 to 1981)	Ivy Jean Nicolle (Widow)	Vol 11332 Fol 157
25.05.1981 (1981 to 1989)	Marau Pty Limited	Vol 11332 Fol 157 Now 1/711449
19.01.1989 (1989 to 1994)	John Douglas Collett	1/711449
28.01.1994 (1994 to 2017)	Peel Technology High School Parents and Citizens Association	1/711449 Now 2/1234850

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Continued as regards Lot 2 D.P. 1234850

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
27.12.2017 (2017 to date)	# Chan Abbey Holdings Pty Limited	2/1234850

# Denotes current registered proprietor

Leases: - NIL

Easements: -

- 4.01.1980 (R 157473) Easement to Drain Sewage 6 metres wide
- 27.02.1985 (D.P. 711449) Easement to Drain Water 5 metres wide

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As regards Lot 3 D.P. 1234850

Date of Acquisition and term held	Registered Proprietor(s) & Occupations where available	Reference to Title at Acquisition and sale
09.10.1936 (1936 to 1964)	Joseph Henry Starr	Vol 4795 Fol 165
16.06.1964 (1964 to 1965)	Enid Agnes Kennedy (Married woman) Ainslie Jean Denton (Widow) (Section 94 Application not investigated)	Vol 4795 Fol 165
13.08.1965 (1965 to 1969)	Rupert Alfred Wentworth Vickers (Farmer & Grazier)	Vol 4795 Fol 165
09.05.1969 (1969 to 1981)	Barry Maynes McKinnon (Agent)	Vol 4795 Fol 165 Now Vol 14087 Fol 61
08.10.1981 (1981 to 2004)	Tim Kirkpatrick Anna Edith Kirkpatrick	Vol 14087 Fol 61 Now 23/260129
10.06.2004 (2004 to date)	# Kidman Group Pty Limited	23/260129 Now 3/1234850

# Denotes current registered proprietor

Leases: - NIL

Easements: -

- 11.02.1980 (R 261250) Easement to Drain Sewage 6 metres wide
- 09.08.1984 (D.P. 636336) Easement to Drain Water

Yours Sincerely
Mark Groll
21 November 2018

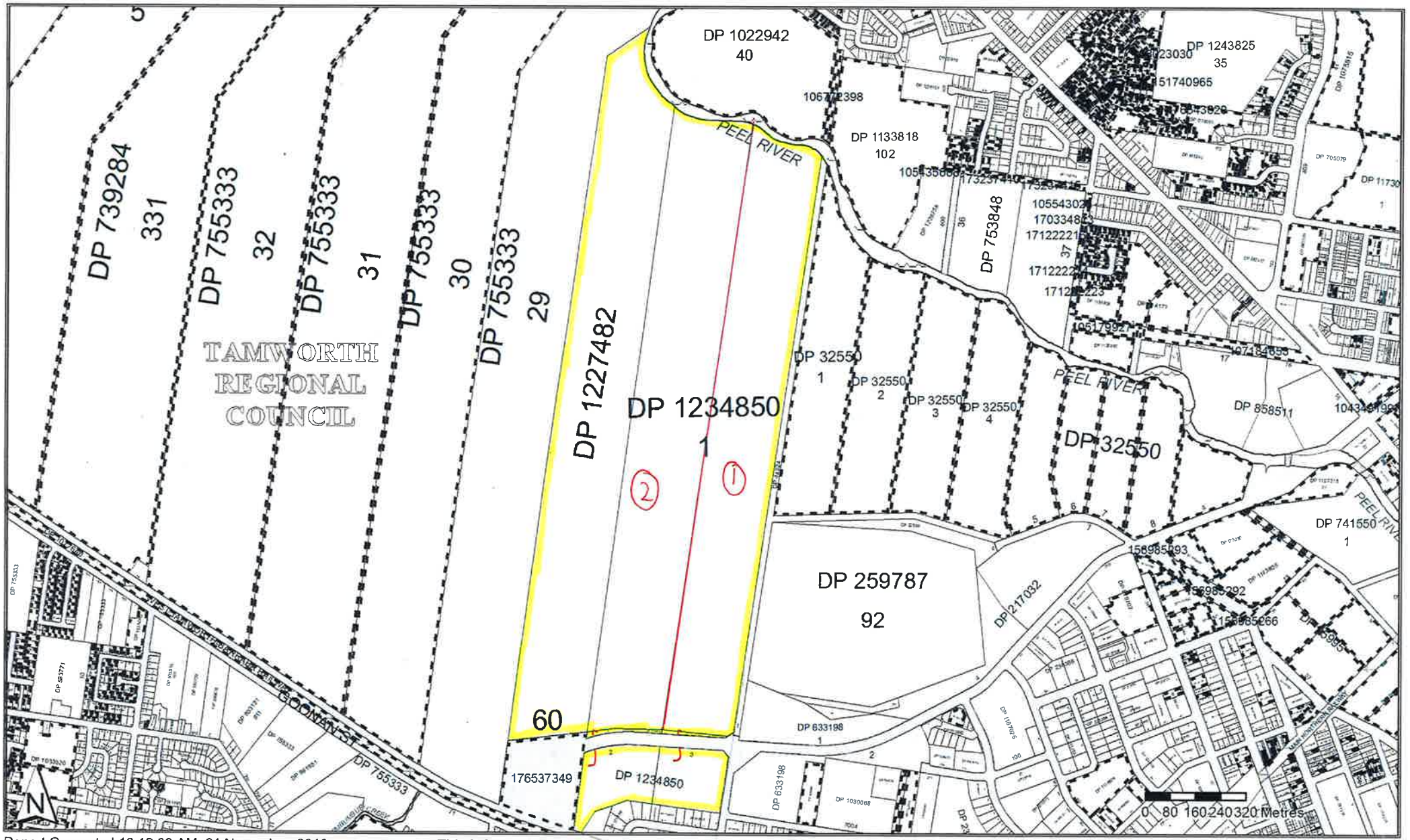
LAND REGISTRY SERVICES

Cadastral Records Enquiry Report : Lot 1 DP 1234850

Ref : CMapIT

Locality : TAMINDA
LGA : TAMWORTH REGIONAL

Parish : MURROON
County : PARRY



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A EASEMENT FOR ABOVE GROUND WORKS 20 WIDE VIDE 9945037
B EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 WIDE VIDE R249085 AND SHOWN ON DP601968
C EASEMENT FOR ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION LINE 20 WIDE VIDE 391742 SHOWN ON DP635782
D EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 5 WIDE VIDE 7262811 SHOWN ON DP1006026

SURVEYING AND SPATIAL INFORMATION REGULATION 2012

	MGA					
MARK	EAST	NORTH	ZONE	CLASS	ORDER	ORIGIN
PM31465	299 409.809	6 557 524.943	56	C	U	SCIMS
SS56939	299 497.995	6 557 991.168	56	A	1	SCIMS
PM30522	299 557.549	6 558 369.766	56	A	1	SCIMS
PM31463	299 132.025	6 558 232.426	56	C	U	SCIMS
PM49761	299 528.437	6 558 177.041	56	C	U	SCIMS
PM120932	298 825.282	6 558 424.132	56	U	U	RTK GPS
PM188270	298 861.810	6 558 617.560	56	U	U	RTK GPS
PM188271	299 113.176	6 558 648.624	56	U	U	RTK GPS

MGA CO-ORDINATES ADOPTED FROM SEARCH OBTAINED FROM LAND & PROPERTY INFORMATION AS AT 10-11-2016

COMBINED SCALE FACTOR : 1.000 032

60 63.35 Ha BY DEDN
59 6.483 Ha
WALLAMORE RAILWAY GOONAN STREET ROAD CORRIDOR
SMITH ST KINGSFORD
COOK ST DAMPIER ST
PEEL RIVER
SEE DIAG 1

DIAGRAM 2
RR 1:10,000

DIAGRAM 1
RR 1:3000

AZIMUTH "A" – "Z"

Surveyor : Peter John Baxter Date of Survey : 30-11-2016 Surveyor's Ref : 0857 QA Ref: 0857-161130	PLAN OF SUBDIVISION OF LOT 28 IN DEPOSITED PLAN 755333	LGA: Tamworth Regional Locality : Taminda Subdivision No: SUB2017/0025 Lengths are in metres. Reduction Ratio 1:10,000	Registered 30.1.2017	DP1227482

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Registered: 30.1.2017

Title System: TORRENS

Purpose: SUBDIVISION

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION OF LOT 28 DP755333

LGA: TAMWORTH REGIONAL

Locality: Taminda

Parish: Murroon

County: Parry

~~Crown Lands NSW/Western Lands Office Approval~~

~~I, ... (Authorised Officer) in approving this plan certify that all necessary approvals in regard to the allocation of the land shown herein have been given.~~

~~Signature: .....~~

~~Date: .....~~

~~File Number: .....~~

~~Office: .....~~

Subdivision Certificate

I, LUCY WALKER

Authorised Person/~~General Manager/*Accredited Certifier~~, certify that the provisions of s.109J of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* have been satisfied in relation to the proposed subdivision, new road or reserve set out herein.

Signature: Lwalker

Accreditation number: .....

Consent Authority: Tamworth Regional Council

Date of endorsement: 09/01/2017

Subdivision Certificate number: Sub2017/0025

File number: .....

*Strike through if inapplicable.

Survey Certificate

I, Peter John Baxter

of P.O. Box 1402 Tamworth NSW 2340

a surveyor registered under the *Surveying and Spatial Information Act 2002*, certify that:

*~~(a) The land shown in the plan was surveyed in accordance with the *Surveying and Spatial Information Regulation 2012*, is accurate and the survey was completed on~~

*(b) The part of the land shown in the plan (being lot 59) was surveyed in accordance with the *Surveying and Spatial Information Regulation 2012*, is accurate and the survey was completed on, 30 Nov 2016, the part not surveyed was compiled in accordance with that Regulation.

*~~(c) The land shown in this plan was compiled in accordance with the *Surveying and Spatial Information Regulation 2012*.~~

Signature: Dated: 30 Nov 2016

Surveyor ID: 443

Datum Line: "A" (PM31463) - "Z" (PM30522)

Type: *~~Urban~~/*Rural

The terrain is *Level-Undulating / *Steep-Mountainous.

*Strike through if inapplicable.

^Specify the land actually surveyed or specify any land shown in the plan that is not the subject of the survey.

Statements of intention to dedicate public roads create public reserves and drainage reserves, acquire/resume land.

IT IS INTENDED TO DEDICATE LOT 59 TO THE PUBLIC AS ROAD

Plans used in the preparation of survey/compilation.

2350-1761	DP601968	DP711449
DP44224	DP603348	DP739272
DP259787	DP631977	DP816023
DP260129	DP633198	DP1006026
DP265817	DP635782	DP1039053
DP539436	DP636336	DP1152065

If space is insufficient continue on PLAN FORM 6A

Signatures, Seals and Section 88B Statements should appear on PLAN FORM 6A

Surveyor's Reference: 0857

QA REF:0857-161130

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION OF LOT 28 DP755333

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- A schedule of lots and addresses - See 60(c) *SSI Regulation 2012*
- Statements of intention to create and release affecting interests in accordance with section 88B *Conveyancing Act 1919*
- Signatures and seals- see 195D *Conveyancing Act 1919*
- Any information which cannot fit in the appropriate panel of sheet 1 of the administration sheets.

Subdivision Certificate number: Sub2017/0025

Date of Endorsement: 09/01/2017

Statements of intention to dedicate public roads create public reserves and drainage reserves, acquire/resume land.

Pursuant to Sec 88B of the Conveyancing Act 1919-64 it is intended to create

1. Positive Covenant

Lot	Street Number	Street Name	St Type	Locality
59	NA	Wallamore	Road	Taminda
60	72	Wallamore	Road	Taminda

Seal of Tamworth Regional Council
The common seal of Tamworth Regional Council was hereunto affixed in the presence of authorised officers of the Council who certify this to be correct for the purposes of the real Property Act 1900

TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL
The COMMON SEAL of the
ESTABLISHED 2004

Tamworth Regional Council authorised officer
General ~~Manger~~ COUNSEL
Name: ~~Paul Anthony Bennett~~ PETER THOMPSON
Signature:

Tamworth Regional Council authorised officer
Mayor
Name: Colin John Murray
Signature:

If space is insufficient use additional annexure sheet

Surveyor's Reference: 0857 QA Ref: 0857-161130

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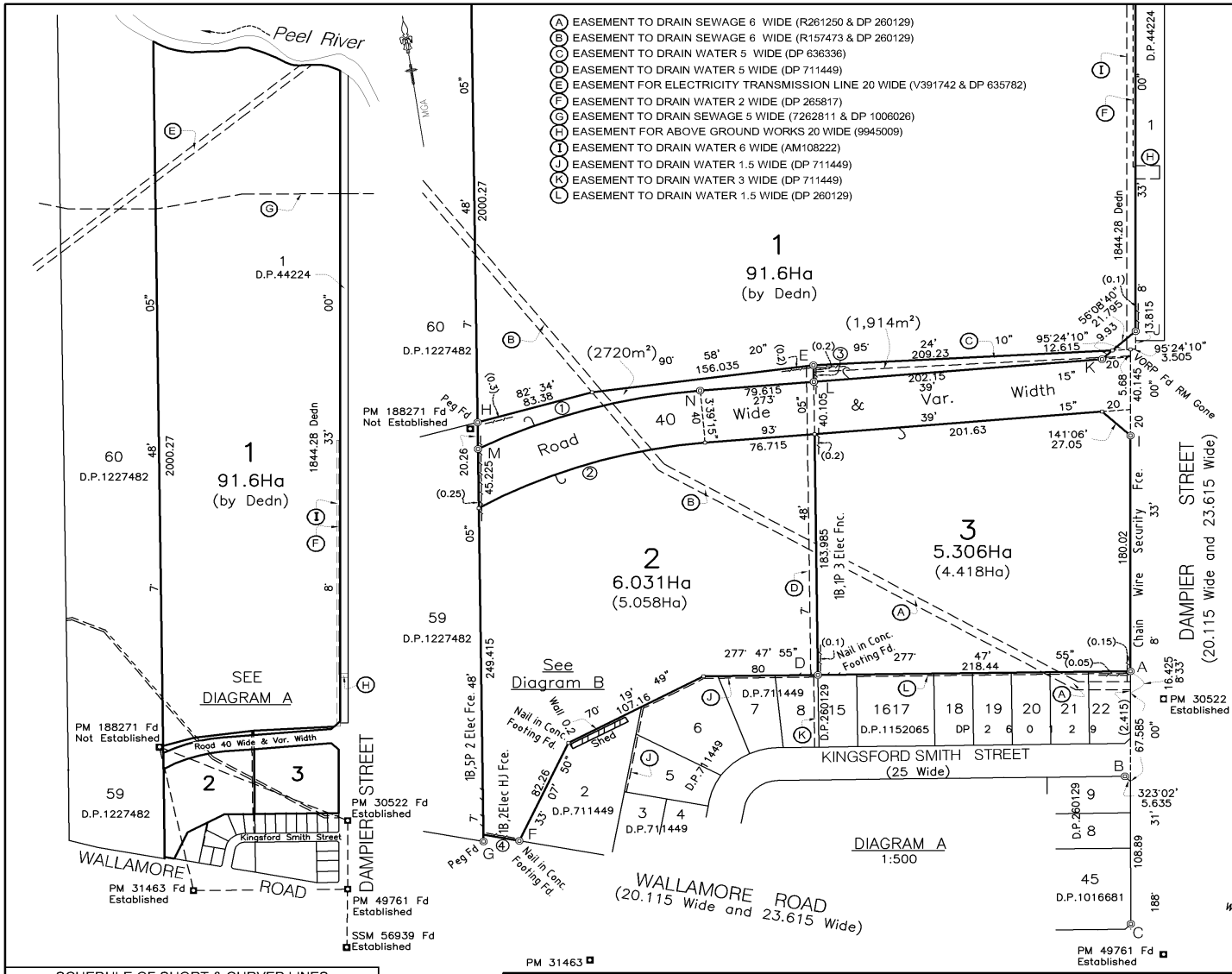

SURVEYING & SPATIAL INFORMATION REGULATION 2012
CLAUSE 35(1)b & 61(2)

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PM 30522	299,557.549	6,558,369.766	A	1	SCIMS
PM 31463	299,132.025	6,558,232.426	C	U	SCIMS
PM 49761	299,528.437	6,558,177.041	C	U	SCIMS
SSM 56939	299,497.995	6,557,991.168	A	1	SCIMS
PM 188271	299,113	6,558,649	U	U	TRAVERSE

Source: M.G.A. CO-ORDINATES ADOPTED FROM LAND & PROPERTY INFORMATION AS AT 25 OCTOBER 2017
COMBINED SCALE FACTOR 1.000031 ZONE 56
Datum: PM 49761 - PM 31463

CLAUSE 12 PM & SSM COMPARISONS & SURVEY CONTROL CONNECTIONS

From	To	Bearing	Distance	Remarks
PM 49761	PM 31463	277°57'13"	400.250	By Survey
		277°57'13"	400.250	By SCIMS (GND)
PM 49761	SSM 56939	189°17'50"	188.364	By Survey
		189°18'04"	188.343	By SCIMS (GND)
PM 49761	PM 30522	8°35'09"	194.902	By Survey
		8°35'23"	194.905	By SCIMS (GND)
PM 30522	PM 188271	302°06'17"	524.581	By Survey
PM 188271	PM 31463	177°24'39"	416.140	By Survey

SCHEDULE OF REFERENCE MARKS

Cor.	Bearing	Distance	From	Remarks
A	277°49'	0.5	R.M.G.I.Pipe Fd	DP. 260129
	321°25'20""	31.37	R.M. PM 30522	
B	187°49'	0.5	R.M.Conc. Block Fd	DP. 260129
C	278°31'	0.5	R.M.G.I.Pipe Fd	DP. 260129
D	97°49'	0.5	R.M.G.I.Pipe Fd	DP. 711449
E	94°28'	1.005	R.M.G.I.Pipe Fd	DP. 603487
F	33°09'	0.515	R.M.G.I.Pipe Fd	DP. 711449
G	261°56'	3.2	R.M.DH&W Fd	DP. 1227482
H	48°35'	2.405	R.M.PM 188270	DP. 1227482
I	277°01'	1.0	R.M.G.I.Pipe	
J	277°01'	1.0	R.M.G.I.Pipe	
K	353°39'	1.0	R.M.G.I.Pipe	
L	4°39'	1.01	R.M.G.I.Pipe	
M	8°57'	0.97	R.M.G.I.Pipe	
N	4°39'	1.01	R.M.G.I.Pipe	

SCHEDULE OF SHORT & CURVED LINES

No.	Bearing	Distance	Arc	Radius
1	82°33'28"	161.660	162.675	420
2	81°02'40"	165.910	167.257	380
3	7°48'05	12.465		
4	109°01'05"	25.592		

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Surveyor : Mitchel Bernard Hanlon
Date of Survey : 31 July 2017
Surveyor's Ref : 17020

PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PLAN
LOT 23 DP 260129, LOT 1 DP 711449 AND LOT 272 DP 631977

LGA: TAMWORTH REGIONAL
Locality : TAMINDA
Subdivision No: SUB 2018-0013
Lengths are in metres. Reduction Ratio 1:7000

Registered
13.12.2017

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Registered: 13.12.2017

Title System: TORRENS

Purpose: SUBDIVISION

*OFFICE USE ONLY

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PLAN
LOT 23 IN DP 260129, LOT 1 IN DP 711449
AND LOT 272 IN DP 631977

LGA: TAMWORTH REGIONAL
Locality: TAMINDA
Parish: MURROON
County: PARRY

Crown Lands NSW/Western Lands Office Approval

I,.....(Authorised Officer) in approving this plan certify that all necessary approvals in regard to the allocation of the land shown herein have been given.

Signature: .....

Date: .....

File Number: .....

Office: .....

Survey Certificate

I, MITCHEL BERNARD HANLON

of PO BOX 1568, TAMWORTH, 2340

a surveyor registered under the Surveying & Spatial Information Act 2002, certify

*(a) ~~The land shown in the plan was surveyed in accordance with the~~ Surveying and Spatial Information ~~Regulation~~, 2012, is accurate ~~and the survey was was completed on:~~.....

(b) The part of the land shown on the plan (*being/~~*excluding ^~~ ..... LOT 1 in DP 71449, 23 in DP 260129 and 272 in DP 631977 .....) was surveyed in accordance with the *Surveying and Spatial Information Regulation 2012*, is accurate and the survey was completed on , 31 July 2017 ..... the part not surveyed was compiled in accordance with that Regulation.

*(c) ~~The land shown in this plan was compiled in accordance with the Surveying and Spatial Information Regulation 2012.~~

Signature: ..... Dated: 31 July 2017

Surveyor ID: BOSSI No.1205

Datum Line: PM 49761 - PM31463

Type: *Urban/*Rural

The terrain is *Level-Undulating / ~~*Steep Mountainous.~~

* Strike through if applicable

^ Specify the land actually surveyed or specify any land shown in the plan that is not the subject of the survey.

Subdivision Certificate

I, LUCY WALKER

*Authorised Person/~~*General Manager/*Accredited Certifier~~, certify that the provisions of s.109J of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* have been satisfied in relation to the proposed subdivision, new road or reserve set out herein.

Signature: .....

Accreditation No: .....

Consent Authority: TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL

Date of Endorsement: 15/11/2017

Subdivision Certificate No: SUB2018-0013

File No: LF1015 / LF7866 / LF12151

* Strike through if applicable

STATEMENTS of intention to dedicate public roads, public reserves and drainage reserves

SUBJECT TO AN EXISTING EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 WIDE (R157473), AN EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 5 WIDE (DP636336), AN EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 5 WIDE (DP711449) AND AN EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 6 WIDE (AM108222) IT IS INTENDED TO DEDICATE THE ROAD 40 WIDE & VARIABLE WIDTH TO THE PUBLIC AS ROAD.

Plans used in preparation of Survey/Compilation

DP 1227482
DP 44224
DP 711449
DP 265817
DP 603487
DP 631977
DP 636336
DP 635782
DP 260129
DP 601968
DP 1006026
DP 32550
DP 265817
CP 2349-1764
CP 9539-1603
CP 1150-3100

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Signatures, Seals and Section 88B Statements should appear on PLAN FORM 6A

SURVEYOR'S REFERENCE: 17020

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PLAN
LOT 23 IN DP 260129, LOT 1 IN DP 711449
AND LOT 272 IN DP 631977

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Subdivision Certificate No.: Sub2018-0013

Date of Endorsement: 15/11/2017

SUBJECT TO AN EXISTING EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 3 WIDE AND AN EXISTING EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 WIDE*

IT IS INTENDED TO DEDICATE THE ROAD 40 WIDE & VARIABLE WIDTH TO THE PUBLIC AS ROAD.

SCHEDULE OF ADDRESSES

Lot 1	72 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW, 2340
Lot 2	21 Wallamore Road, Taminda, NSW, 2340
Lot 3	55 Dampier Street, Taminda, NSW, 2340

The Common Seal of Tamworth Regional Council was hereunto affixed on 15/11/2017
Pursuant to a resolution of Council in the presence of

Paul Anthony Bennett
General Manager

C J Murray

Colin John Murray
Mayor

TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL
The COMMON SEAL of the
ESTABLISHED 2004

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PLAN
LOT 23 IN DP 260129, LOT 1 IN DP 711449
AND LOT 272 IN DP 631977

Subdivision Certificate No.: Sub 2018-0018

Date of Endorsement: 15/11/2017

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Executed by
Kidman Group Pty Limited
ACN 107 347 740
in accordance with Section 127 of the
Corporations Act 2001

.....
Signature of Sole Director / Secretary:

HARRY DAVID STEARMAN
.....
Sole Director / Secretary:
(Block Letters)

HARRY DAVID STEARMAN.

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Surveyor's Reference: 17020

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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PLAN
LOT 23 IN DP 260129, LOT 1 IN DP 711449
AND LOT 272 IN DP 631977

Subdivision Certificate No.:.....

Date of Endorsement:.....

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Executed by
Peel Technology High School Parents & Citizens Association Inc.

.....
Signature of authorised person:

PRESIDENT
.....
Position Held

ASHLEY JOHN CASTLES
.....
Name of authorised person
(Block Letters)

.....
Witness:

VICE PRESIDENT
.....
Full name of witness

CATHERINE ELIZABETH WEEKS.
.....
Address of witness
88 GUNNEDAH RD
TAMWORTH NSW 2340

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ICATE OF TITLE

PROPERTY ACT, 1900

12042181

NEW SOUTH WALES

Prior Title (Crown Grant)
Vol.4795 Fol.165

Vol. 12042 Fol. 181

Edition issued 5-2-1973

N60156 CANCELLED R

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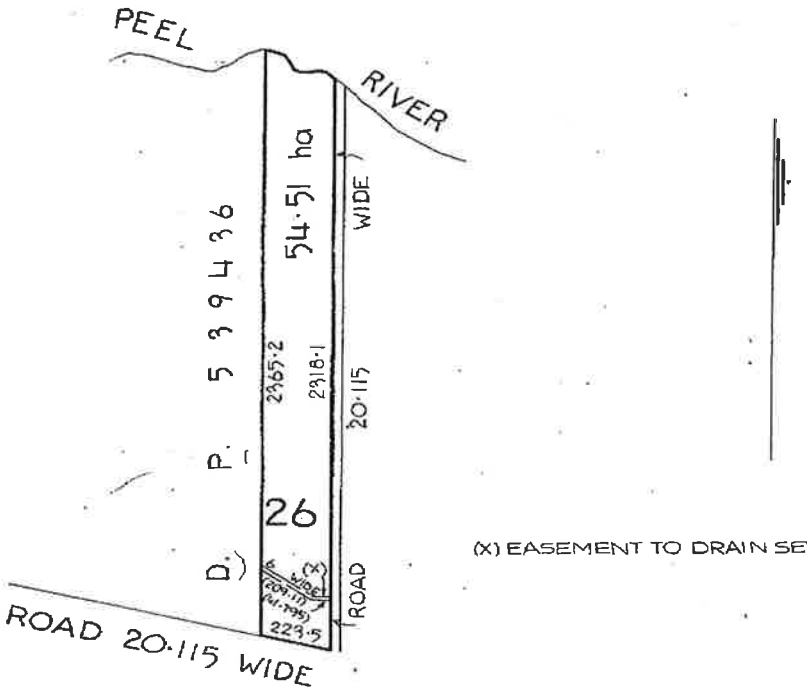
I certify that the person described in the First Schedule is the registered proprietor of the undermentioned estate in the land within described subject nevertheless to such exceptions encumbrances and interests as are shown in the Second Schedule.

Registrar General.

PLAN SHOWING LOCATION OF LAND

LENGTHS ARE IN METRES



(X) EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE - R261250

N60156

REDUCTION RATIO 1:20 000

ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Estate in Fee Simple in Portion 26 in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown Grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

BARRY MAYNES McKINNON of Tamworth, Agent.

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown Grant above referred to.
~~2. Attention is directed to Section 31 of the Closer Settlement Act, 1904, relating to Transfer. (S.P. No.1909/30 Tamworth).~~ Cancelled R322427
~~3. Mortgage No.L460770 to Bank of New South Wales. Entered 17-6-1969.~~ Discharged N33555.

Registrar General

PERSONS ARE CAUTIONED AGAINST ALTERING OR ADDING TO THIS CERTIFICATE OR ANY NOTIFICATION HEREON

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR	INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	INSTRUMENT DATE	ENTERED	Signature of Registrar General
This deed is cancelled as to whole ex road New Certificates of Title have issued on 20-3-1980 for lots in Deposited Plan No. 603487 as follows:- Lots 261 to 262 Vol. 14087 Fol. 61 to 62 respectively. The residue of land in this folio comprises road widening shown in D.P. 603487 REGISTRAR GENERAL REGISTRAR GENERAL NEW CERTIFICATE(S) OF TITLE ISSUING ON DP603487 NO DEALING TO BE REGISTERED WITHOUT REFERENCE TO SURVEY DRAFTING BRANCH.					

R261250
DP603487
R322427

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	INSTRUMENT DATE	PARTICULARS Attention is directed to section 8 of the Land Aggregation Tax Management Act, 1971.	ENTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION
Request	R322427			16-11-1979		
Transfer	R261250	—	Easement to drain storage affecting the land shown as [illegible] on the Plan hereon	11-2-1980		
	D.P. 603487		Interests of the Council of the City of TAMWORTH in the addition to existing road shown on D.P. 603487.	27.2.1980.		

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CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

14087062

NEW SOUTH WALES

165

REAL PROPERTY ACT, 1900

Crown Grant Vol. 4795 Fol. 165

Prior Title Vol. 12042 Fol. 181

Vol. 14087 Fol. 62

CANCELLED

EDITION ISSUED 21 3 1980

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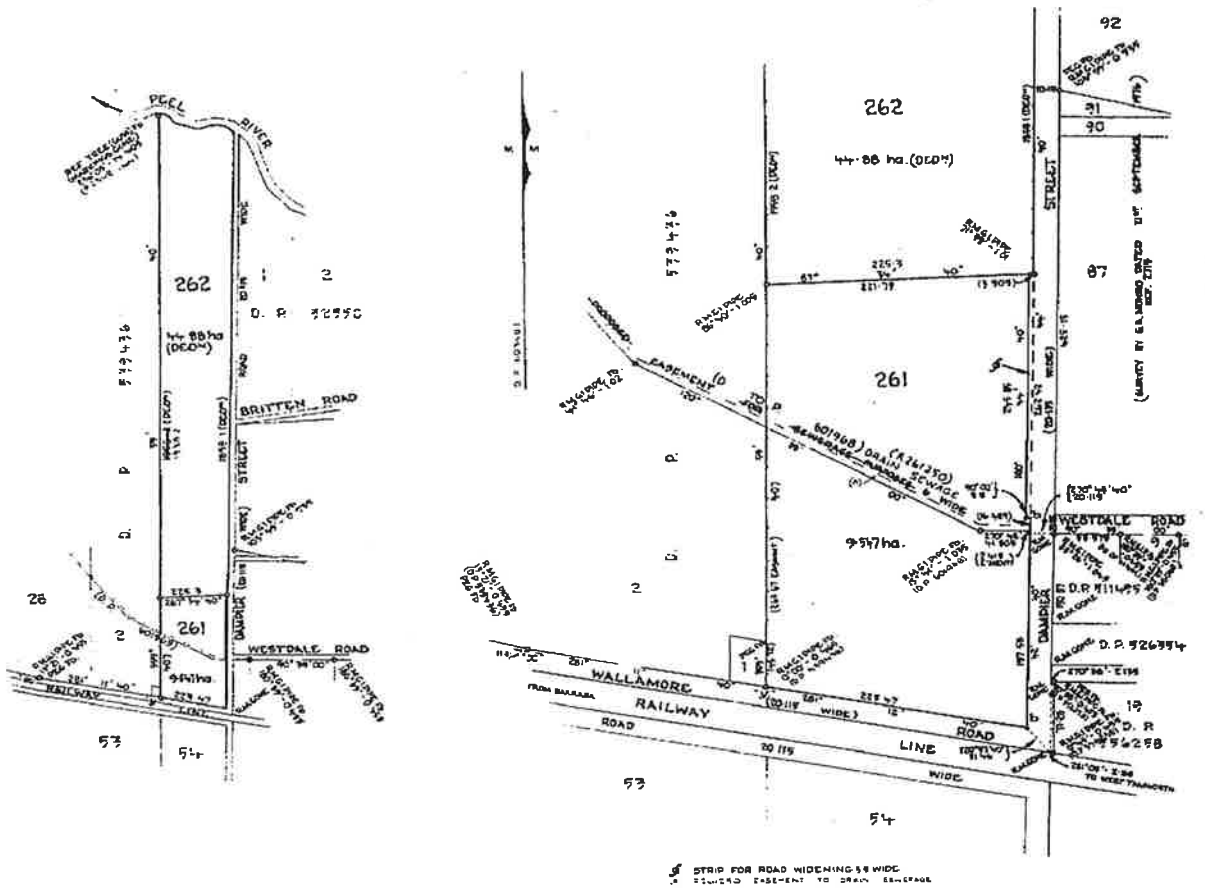
I certify that the person described in the First Schedule is the registered proprietor of the undermentioned estate in the land within described subject nevertheless to such exceptions encumbrances and interests as are shown in the Second Schedule.

Registrar General.

PLAN SHOWING LOCATION OF LAND

LENGTHS ARE IN METRES



ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Estate in Fee Simple in Lot 262 in Deposited Plan 603487 at Taminda in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown Grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

~~BARRY MAYNES McKINNON of Tamworth, Agent.~~

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown Grant above referred to.
2. R322429 Attention is directed to section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act, 1971.

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RG 2/62

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S42219 T. - 20 M. CT 25-3-83 DP 631977 Rpd 10-5-83

FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR	INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General
John Baden Chaffey of Tamworth, Representative and Gladys Chaffey, his wife as joint tenants	Transfer	S42219	15-9-1980	

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	PARTICULARS	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION	
Mortgage	S42220	to Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited	15-9-1980			

This deed is cancelled as to the whole
New certificates of title have issued on 19-5-1983
for lots in Deposited Plan No. 631977 as follows:
Lots 271 to 272 Vol. 15055 Fol. 116/117 respectively.

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PLAN SHOWING LOCATION OF LAND

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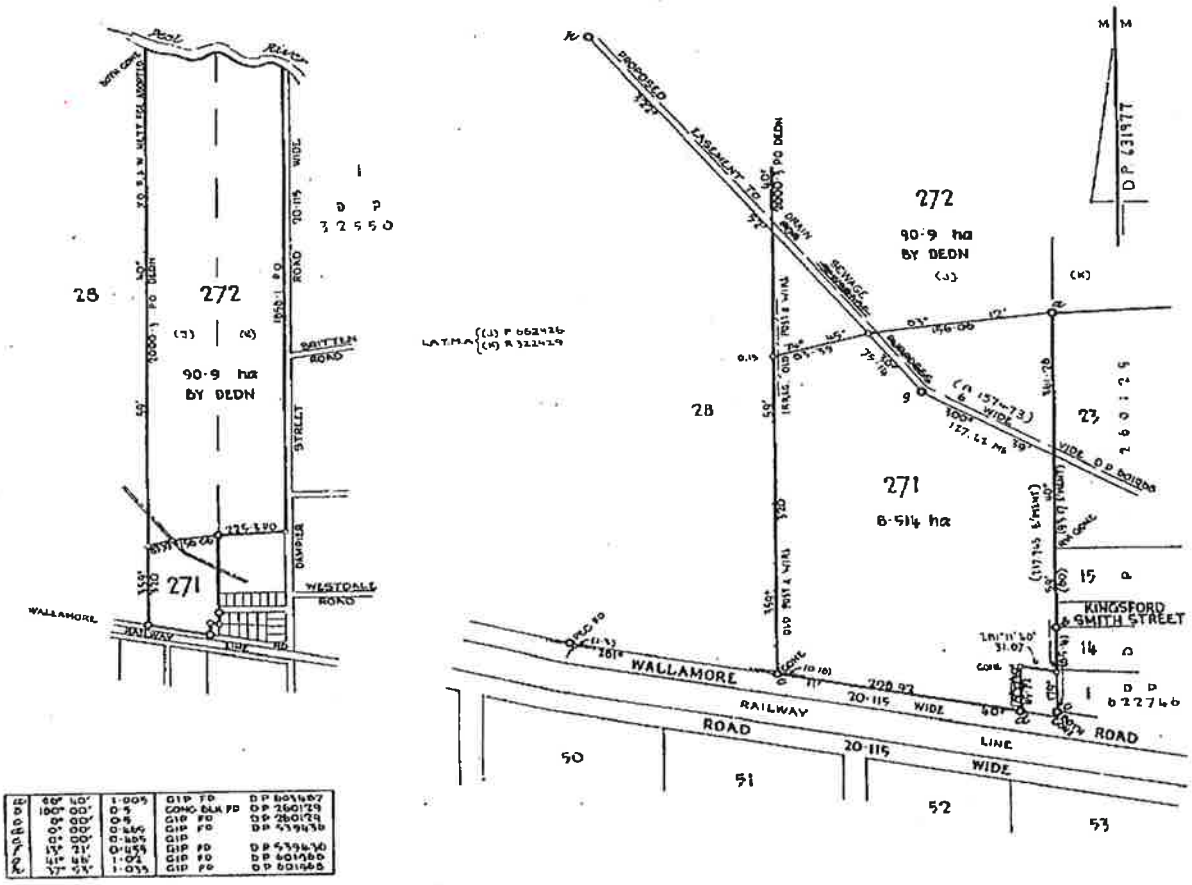

LAND REFERRED TO

Lot 272 in Deposited Plan 631977 at Taminda in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry.

FIRST SCHEDULE

JOHN BADEN CHAFFEY and GLADYS CHAFFEY as Joint Tenants.

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Land excludes minerals and is subject to reservations and conditions in favour of the Crown - see Crown Grants.
2. P662426 P Attention is directed to Section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act,1971 as regards the part so indicated in Deposited Plan 631977.
3. R157473 P Easement to drain sewage affecting the part of the land above described shown so burdened in Deposited Plan 631977.
4. R322429 P Attention is directed to Section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act,1971 as regards the part so indicated in Deposited Plan 631977.
5. S42220 P Mortgage to Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited affecting the part formerly comprised in Certificate of Title Volume 14087 Folio 62.

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR | Registrar General

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SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

PARTICULARS	Registrar General	CANCELLATION
T715101 Mortgage to Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited. Registered 8-9-1983.		
V391742 Transfer. Easement for electricity transmission line affecting the part of the land within described shown as proposed easement for electricity transmission line 20 wide in DP635782. Registered 13-12-1984.		

NOTATIONS AND UNREGISTERED DEALINGS

Discharge of C.T. 715101 MK. Clearway

T 715101 MK
M 635782 R
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V391742 Transfer

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NEW SOUTH WALES

CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

REAL PROPERTY ACT, 1900, as amended.

TORRENS TITLE
Register Book

Crown Grant Vol. 5370 Fol. 222

Prior Titles Vol.5492 Fols.56 and 57

Vol. 11332 Fol. 157

Edition issued 5-6-1970

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See new edition

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Registrar General.

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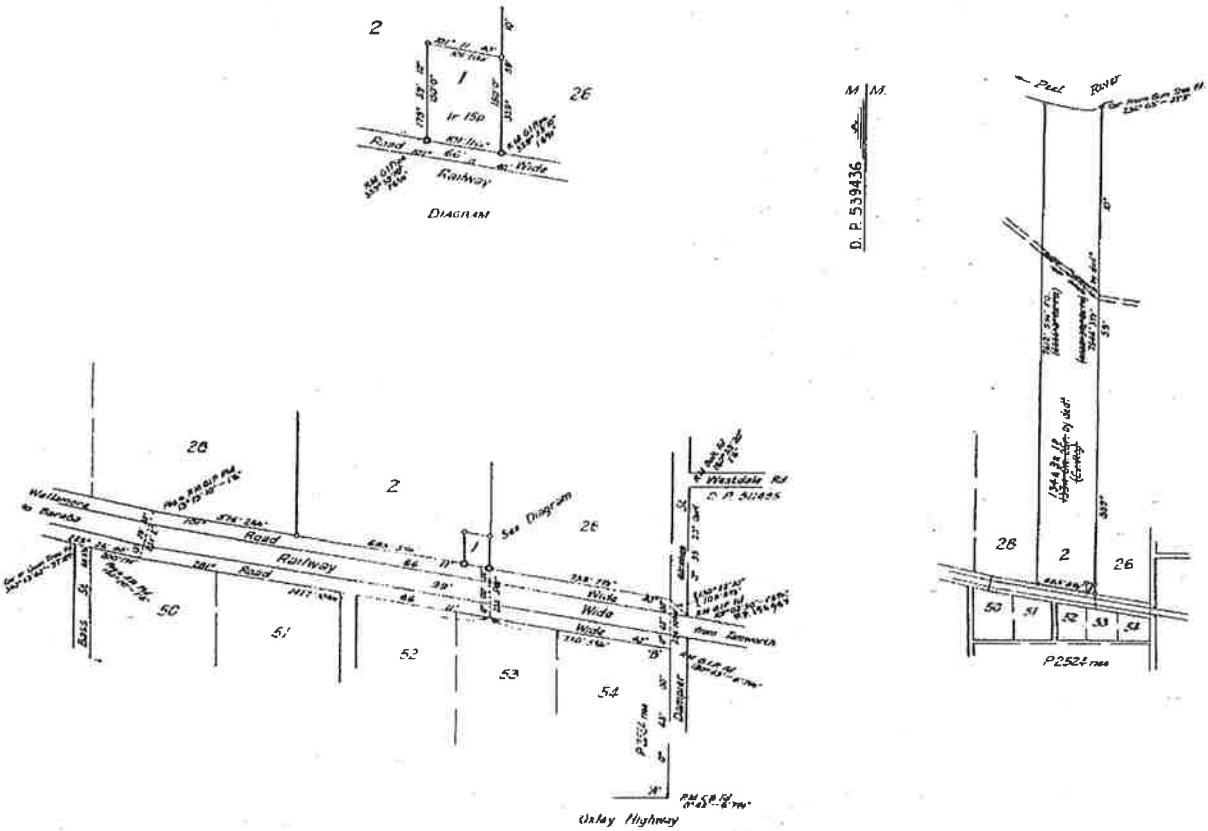

ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Estate in Fee Simple in Lot 2 in Deposited Plan 539436 at Westdale in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown Grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

~~CLARENCE HARDWICK WYTHES, of West Tamworth, Farmer and ELSIE ROSE WYTHES, his wife, as Tenants in Common in equal shares.~~

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown Grant above referred to.
2. ~~Attention is directed to Section(s) of the Closer Settlement Act, 1904.~~ Cancelled. P662426.
3. ~~Mortgage No.D361927 to Rural Bank of New South Wales. Entered 10-5-1945.~~ Discharged P745412

Registrar General.

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR	INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	INSTRUMENT DATE	ENTERED	Signature of Registrar-General
Robert Norman Nicolle, of Bingara, Grazier and Ivy Jean Nicolle, his wife, as joint tenants.	Transfer	P745413	------	3-6-1976	

CANCELLED

See new edition issued 7-3-1980
Vide R157473

REGISTRAR GENERAL

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	INSTRUMENT DATE	PARTICULARS	ENTERED	Signature of Registrar-General	CANCELLATION
Request	P662426	—	Attention is directed to Section 8, Land Aggregation for Management Act, 1971	1-4-1976		
Transfer	R157473	—	Easement to drain sewage affecting the land shown as "proposed easement for sewerage purposes 6 metres wide on D.P. 601968.	9-1-1980.		

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Pt Lot 12 DP 43
CT 5/24
R157473
DP 601968
Easement purposes

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NEW SOUTH WALES

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Registrar General.

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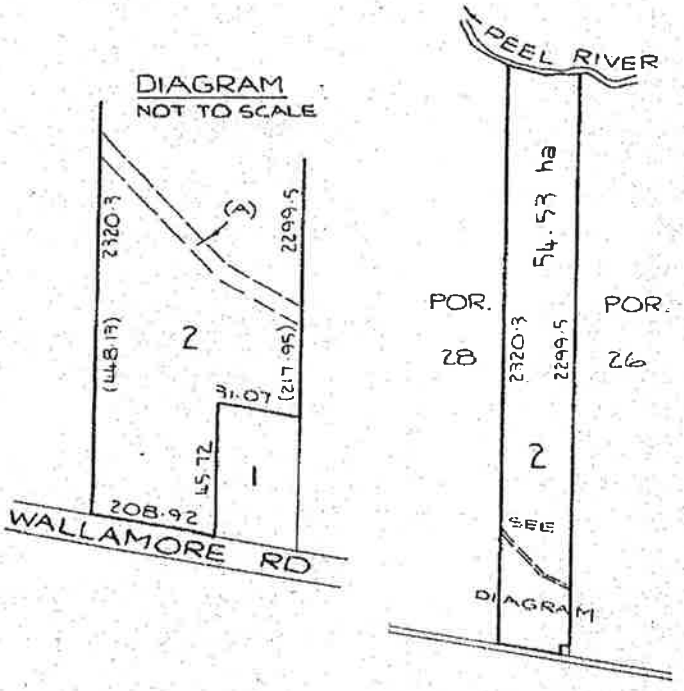

(A) EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 WIDE - R157473

R157473 M.X.

REDUCTION RATIO 1:20000

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Estate in Fee Simple in Lot 2 in Deposited Plan 539436 at Westdale in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

~~ROBERT NORMAN NICOLLE of Bingara, Grazier and IVY JEAN NICOLLE his wife, as Joint Tenants~~

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown grant above referred to.
2. P662426 Attention is directed to section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act, 1971.
3. R157473 Easement to drain sewage affecting the land shown so burdened in the plan hereon.

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR	INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General
~~Ivy Jean Nicolle of Bingara, Widow.~~	Notice of Death	S300863	~~13-2-1981~~	
~~Marau Pty. Limited by Transfer S465576. Registered 25-5-1981~~				
John Baden Chaffey and Gladys Chaffey as joint tenants as to part of Lot 272 in DP631977 [comprised] within and Marau Pty Limited as to the residue by Transfer T515224. Registered 10-5-1983.				

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T 410880
T515224 as to part of Lot 272 in D.P. 631977
Regd 10.5.83

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	PARTICULARS	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION	
S465577		Mortgage to Rural Bank of New South Wales. Registered 25-5-1981			Discharged	T410880

This deed is cancelled as to whole
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for lots in Deposited Plan 631977 as follows:
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Prior Title(s): VOL 15055 FOL 117

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22/9/1988		CONVERTED TO COMPUTER FOLIO	FOLIO CREATED CT NOT ISSUED
16/2/1989	Y180172	NOTICE OF DEATH	EDITION 1
26/9/1995	DP265817	DEPOSITED PLAN	EDITION 2
12/6/1997	3137905	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
12/6/1997	3137906	TRANSFER	EDITION 3
25/3/1999	5704999	MORTGAGE	EDITION 4
13/9/1999	DP1006026	DEPOSITED PLAN	
27/9/2000	7112170	CAVEAT	
25/1/2001	7262810	WITHDRAWAL OF CAVEAT	
25/1/2001	7262811	TRANSFER GRANTING EASEMENT	EDITION 5
8/5/2002	8576687	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
8/5/2002	8576689	MORTGAGE	EDITION 6
4/12/2002	9189029	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
4/12/2002	9189030	TRANSFER	EDITION 7
2/10/2003	9945009	TRANSFER GRANTING EASEMENT	EDITION 8
16/9/2013	AI21612	TRANSFER	EDITION 9
29/3/2017	AM108222	TRANSFER GRANTING EASEMENT	
29/3/2017	AM108223	POSITIVE COVENANT	EDITION 10
13/12/2017	DP1234850	DEPOSITED PLAN	FOLIO CANCELLED RESIDUE REMAINS

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(A) **LAND TRANSFERRED**

Show no more than 20 References to Title.
If appropriate, specify the share transferred.

FOLIO IDENTIFIER 272/631977
FOLIO IDENTIFIER 28/755333

(B) **LODGED BY**

L.T.O. Box	Name, Address or DX and Telephone
28A	HOLMAN [illegible] BROADWAY & CO. DX 295 SYDNEY Phone: 235-1011 L.T.O BOX 684T Fax: 232-6[illegible] L.T.O. Delivery 28A

REFERENCE (max. 15 characters): Holman Bailey

(C) **TRANSFEROR** JOHN BADEN CHAFFEY

(D) acknowledges receipt of the consideration of FIVE HUNDRED AND SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($560,000.00)
and as regards the land specified above transfers to the Transferee an estate in fee simple

(E) subject to the following **ENCUMBRANCES** 1. ..... 2. ..... 3. .....

(F) **TRANSFEREE**

T / TS (s713 LGA) / TW (Sheriff)	ARNOLD NEIL BAILEY

(G) **TENANCY:** 5

(H) We certify this dealing correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act, 1900. **DATED** 9th May 1997
Signed in my presence by the Transferor who is personally known to me.

Signature of Witness

B.J. THOMPSON
Name of Witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

SOLICITOR
Address of Witness
TAMWORTH.

Signature of Transferor

Signed in my presence by the Transferee who is personally known to me.

Signature of Witness

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P B Duffy
Solicitor for the ~~Signature of~~ Transferee

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(A) **TORRENS TITLE** If appropriate, specify the part transferred
Folio Identifier 272/631977 & 28/755333

(B) **LODGED BY**

Delivery Box	Name, Address or DX and Telephone	CODE
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(C) **TRANSFEROR** ARNOLD NEIL BAILEY

(D) **CONSIDERATION** The transferor acknowledges receipt of the consideration of $ 1,300,000.00 and as regards

(E) **ESTATE** the land specified above transfers to the transferee an estate in fee simple.

(F) **SHARE TRANSFERRED**

(G) Encumbrances (if applicable):

(H) **TRANSFEREE** NOVINE PTY LTD ACN 002 518 407

(I) **TENANCY:**

(J) **DATE** 28 / 11 / 2002

I certify that the person(s) signing opposite, with whom I am personally acquainted or as to whose identity I am otherwise satisfied, signed this instrument in my presence.

Signature of witness:

Name of witness: J. L. Bailey

Address of witness: 'Somerset'
Wallamore Rd
Tamworth
2340.

Certified correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act 1900 by the transferor.

Signature of transferor:

Certified correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act 1900 by the person whose signature appears below.

Signature:

Signatory's name: BRIAN JAMES THOMPSON
Signatory's capacity: Solicitor for the transferee

BRIAN JAMES THOMPSON
Solicitor
Tamworth

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(C) **TRANSFEROR** NOVINE PTY LIMITED ACN 002 518 407

Rejection Alteration NOTED

(D) **CONSIDERATION** The transferor acknowledges receipt of the consideration of $ 2,000,000.00 and as regards the land and WALS referred to in WAL-Transfer of even date

(E) **ESTATE** specified above transfers to the transferee an estate in fee simple.

(F) **SHARE TRANSFERRED**

(G) Encumbrances (if applicable):

(H) **TRANSFEREE** TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL ABN 52 631 074 450

(I) **TENANCY:**

DATE 10/09/2013

(J) Certified correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act 1900 and executed on behalf of the company named below by the authorised person(s) whose signature(s) appear(s) below pursuant to the authority specified.
Company: NOVINE PTY LIMITED ACN 002 518 407
Authority: Section 127(1) of the Corporations Act 2001

Signature of authorised person:
Name of authorised person: MICHAEL JOHN FAULKNER
Office held: DIRECTOR

Signature of authorised person:
Name of authorised person: SHEILA MARGARET FAULKNER
Office held: DIRECTOR

The seal of TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL ABN 52 631 074 450 was hereunto affixed in the presence of authorised officers of the Council who certify this dealing to be correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act 1900.

Signature of authorised officer:

Name of authorised officer:

Position of authorised officer:

Council's seal: For execution by the Transferee see Annexure 'A'

Signature of authorised officer:

Name of authorised officer:

Position of authorised officer:

(K) The transferee's solicitor certifies that the eNOS data relevant to this dealing has been submitted and stored under eNOS ID No. 486928 Full Name: Jacqueline Louise Sorenson Signature:

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Annexure A to TRANSFER

Parties: From NOVINE PTY LIMITED ACN 002 518 407 to TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL ABN 52 631 074 450

Dated: 10/09/2013

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Council's seal:

TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL
The COMMON SEAL of the
ESTABLISHED 2004

Signature of authorised officer: C.J. Murray

Name of authorised officer: COLIN JOHN MURRAY

Position of authorised officer: MAYOR

Signature of authorised officer:

Name of authorised officer: PAUL ANTHONY BENNETT

Position of authorised officer: GENERAL MANAGER

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LOT 1 IN DEPOSITED PLAN 1234850
AT TAMINDA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA TAMWORTH REGIONAL
PARISH OF MURROON COUNTY OF PARRY
TITLE DIAGRAM DP1234850

FIRST SCHEDULE

HARRY DAVID STEARMAN (T AN4331)

SECOND SCHEDULE (9 NOTIFICATIONS)

1 LAND EXCLUDES MINERALS AND IS SUBJECT TO RESERVATIONS AND CONDITIONS IN FAVOUR OF THE CROWN - SEE CROWN GRANT(S)
2 R157473 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
3 V391742 EASEMENT FOR ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION LINE 20 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
4 DP265817 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 2 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
5 7262811 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 5 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
6 9945009 EASEMENT FOR ABOVE GROUND WORKS 20 METRE(S) WIDE APPURTENANT TO THE LAND ABOVE DESCRIBED AFFECTING THE SITE SHOWN AS"PROPOSED EASEMENT FOR ABOVE GROUND WORKS OVER CENTRELINE OF POLES" IN THE PLAN WITH 9945009
7 AM108222 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 6 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
8 AM108223 POSITIVE COVENANT
* 9 AN56645 CAVEAT BY A & GS CLIFT PTY LTD

NOTATIONS

UNREGISTERED DEALINGS: NIL

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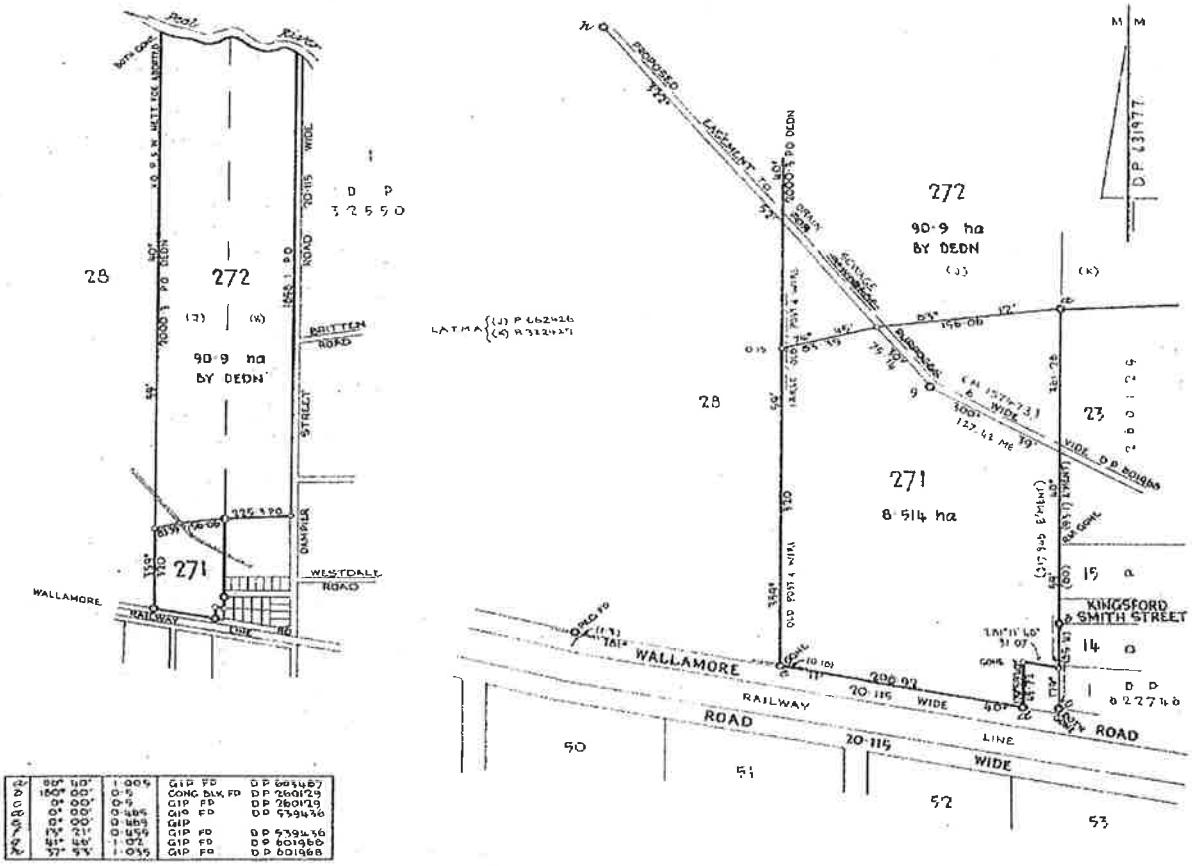

LAND REFERRED TO

Lot 271 in Deposited Plan 631977 at Taminda in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry.

FIRST SCHEDULE

MARAU PTY. LIMITED.

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Land excludes minerals and is subject to reservations and conditions in favour of the Crown - see Crown Grant.
2. P662426 Attention is directed to Section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act,1971.
3. R157473 Easement to drain sewage affecting the part of the land above described shown so burdened in Deposited Plan 631977.

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

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DP/SP 711449 Registered 25-1-1985
The folio is cancelled as to whole/~~part~~ upon creation of computer folios for lots 1 to 9 inclusive abovementioned plan.

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

PARTICULARS | Registrar General | CANCELLATION

T643092 Mortgage to State Bank of New South Wales. Registered 20-7-1983
DP636336 Easement to drain water appurtenant to the land within described.

The interest of the Council of the Local Government Area in the public road dedicated in DP 711449

~~Registered~~ 25/2/1985

~~Interest~~ created pursuant to Section 88B Conveyancing Act, 1919, by the registration of DP 711449

Registered 25/2/1985

NOTATIONS AND UNREGISTERED DEALINGS

T643092 mtg
CT 8-5-84
DP636336
Easement 9/8/84
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27/2/1985	DP711449	DEPOSITED PLAN	FOLIO CREATED EDITION 1
9/6/1987	W923501	TRANSFER OF MORTGAGE	EDITION 2
19/1/1989	Y109174	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
19/1/1989	Y109175	TRANSFER	EDITION 3
28/1/1994	I980756	TRANSFER	EDITION 4
2/4/2007	AD23587	DEPARTMENTAL DEALING	
13/12/2017	DP1234850	DEPOSITED PLAN	FOLIO CANCELLED RESIDUE REMAINS

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DESCRIPTION OF LAND Note (a)	Torrens Title Reference	If Part Only, Delete Whole and Give Details	Location
	Folio Identifier 1/711449	WHOLE	TAMWORTH

TRANSFEROR
Note (b)

MARAU PTY LIMITED

ESTATE
Note (c)

(the abovenamed TRANSFEROR) hereby acknowledges receipt of the consideration of $ 16,000.00
and transfers an estate in fee simple
in the land above described to the TRANSFEREE

TRANSFEREE
Note (d)

JOHN DOUGLAS COLLETT

of 40 Ridge Street, Tamworth

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TENANCY
Note (e)

as joint tenants/tenants in common

PRIOR ENCUMBRANCES
Note (f)

subject to the following PRIOR ENCUMBRANCES 1. .....

2. ..... 3. .....

DATE 23rd December 1988

We hereby certify this dealing to be correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act, 1900.

EXECUTION
Note (g)

Signed in my presence by the transferor who is personally known to me

THE COMMON SEAL of MARAU PTY. LIMITED
Signature of Witness

was hereunto affixed by authority
Name of Witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

of the Directors in the presence of:
Address and occupation of Witness

MARAU PTY. LIMITED Common Seal

Director

Director/Secretary

Signature of Transferor

Note (g)

Signed in my presence by the transferee who is personally known to me

Signature of Witness

Name of Witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

Address and occupation of Witness

Signature of Transferee

Kenneth John SORRENSON.

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(A) **LAND TRANSFERRED**

Show no more than 20 References to Title.
If appropriate, specify the share transferred.

FOLIO IDENTIFIER 1/711449

(B) **LODGED BY**

L.T.O. Box	Name, Address or DX and Telephone
28A	GALLOWAY & CO. Phone: 233-1011 Fax: 232-649 DX 340, L.T.O. Delivery 28A REFERENCE (max. 15 characters): eversol-collett

(C) **TRANSFEROR** JOHN DOUGLAS COLLETT

(D) acknowledges receipt of the consideration of $1.00

and as regards the land specified above transfers to the Transferee an estate in fee simple

(E) subject to the following **ENCUMBRANCES** 1. ..... 2. ..... 3. .....

(F) **TRANSFEREE** T TECHNOLOGY
PEEL ~~TECHNICAL~~ HIGH SCHOOL PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION INC

(G) **TENANCY:**

OFFICE OF STATE REVENUE N.S.W. TREASURY 1992/93 ALTERATION NOTED 325

(H) We certify this dealing correct for the purposes of the Real Property Act, 1900. **DATED** 30th November 1993

Signed in my presence by the Transferor who is personally known to me.

K A Mark
Signature of Witness

KELLIE-ANNE MARIN
Name of Witness (BLOCK LETTERS)

42A PEEL STREET, TAMWORTH.
Address of Witness

J. D. Collett
Signature of Transferor

Signed in my presence by the Transferee who is personally known to

THE COMMON SEAL of PEEL TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION INC) was hereunto ~~Signature of Witness~~ affixed in the presence of:)

~~Name of Witness (BLOCK LETTERS)~~

Pam McKinnon
PUBLIC OFFICER ~~Address of Witness~~

PEEL TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL PARENT & CITIZEN'S ASSN. INC. Common Seal

N J Dean
~~Signature of Transferee~~

SIGNATURE OF A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE

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LAND

LOT 2 IN DEPOSITED PLAN 1234850
AT TAMINDA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA TAMWORTH REGIONAL
PARISH OF MURROON COUNTY OF PARRY
TITLE DIAGRAM DP1234850

FIRST SCHEDULE

CHAN ABBEY HOLDINGS PTY LIMITED (T AM921387)

SECOND SCHEDULE (5 NOTIFICATIONS)

1 LAND EXCLUDES MINERALS AND IS SUBJECT TO RESERVATIONS AND CONDITIONS IN FAVOUR OF THE CROWN - SEE CROWN GRANT(S)

2 R157473 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

3 DP636336 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 5 METRE(S) WIDE APPURTENANT TO THE LAND ABOVE DESCRIBED

4 DP711449 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 5 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

* 5 AN56644 CAVEAT BY A & GS CLIFT PTY LTD

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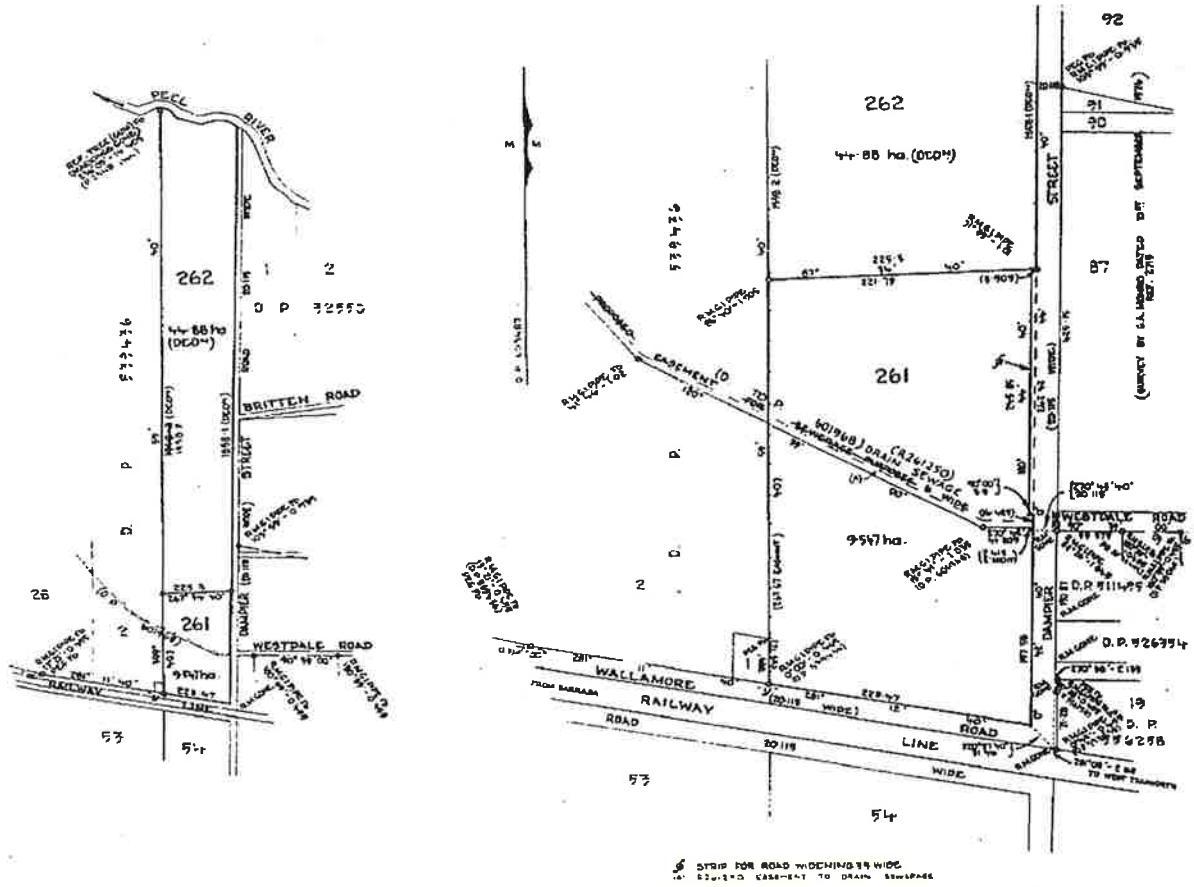

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Estate in Fee Simple in Lot 261 in Deposited Plan 603487 at Tamunda in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown Grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

BARRY MAYNES McKINNON of Tamworth, Agent.

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown Grant above referred to.
2. R322429 Attention is directed to section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act, 1971.
3. R261250 Easement to Drain Sewerage affecting the land shown so burdened in Deposited Plan 603487.

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NEW CERTIFICATE(S) OF TITLE ISSUING ON DP260129
NO DEALING TO BE REGISTERED WITHOUT REFERENCE TO SURVEY

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	PARTICULARS	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION	
	DP260129	The interest of the Council of the City of Tamworth in the new road and addition to existing road shown on D.P. 260129	12.6.1980			
	DP260129	Interests created pursuant to Section 88B Conveyancing Act 1919, by the registration of Deposited Plan 260129	12.6.1980			
		This deed is cancelled as to Whole Ex Road New certificates of title have issued on 25-7-1980 for lots in Deposited Plan No 260129 as follows: Lots 1 to 23 Vol 10171 Fols 199 to 216 respectively				
	PTS DP260129	Production of Certificate of Title Vol 14087 Fol 61 has been dispensed with : Vide DP260129.	25-7-1980			

The residue of land in this folio comprises road shown in D P260129

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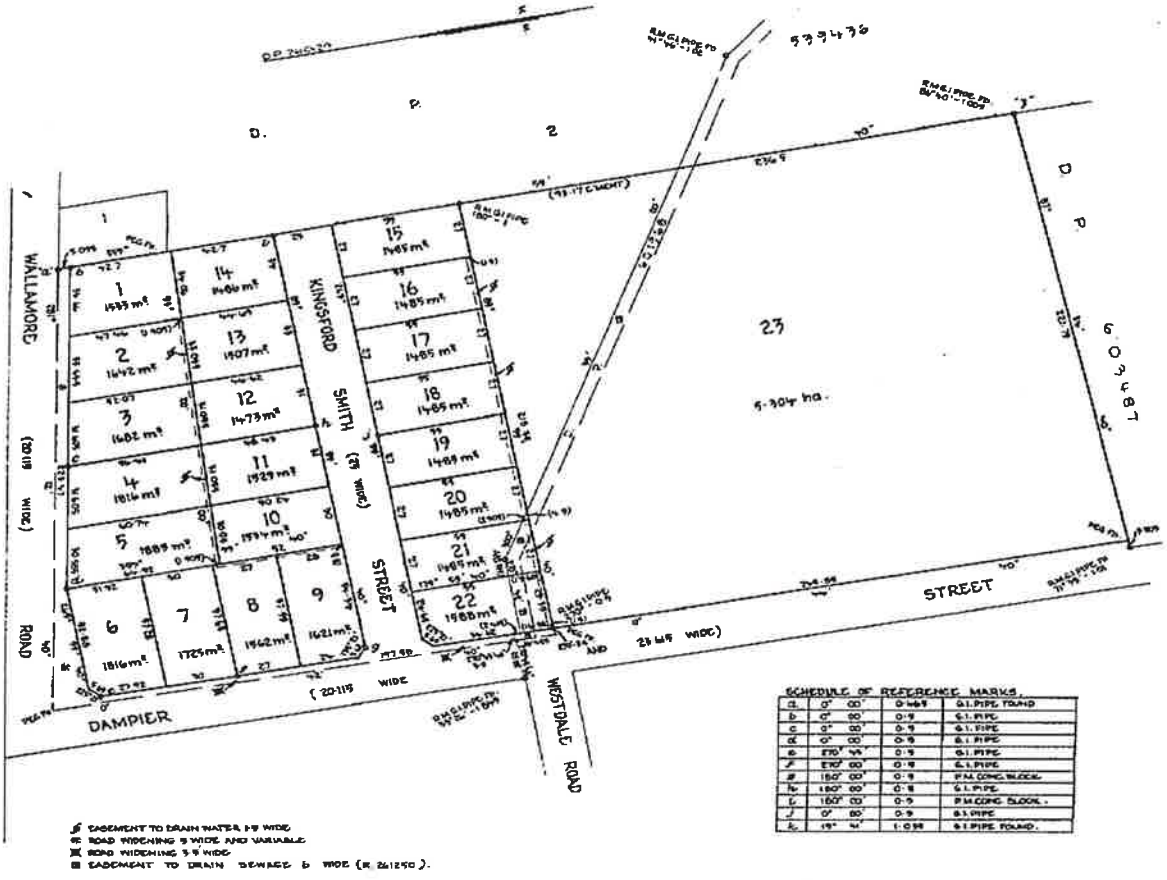

ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Estate in Fee Simple in Lot 23 in Deposited Plan 260129 at Taminda in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon and County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown Grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

~~BARRY MAYNES McKINNON of Tamworth, Agent.~~

SECOND SCHEDULE

GRM BA EA/SB

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown Grant above referred to.
2. R322429 Attention is directed to section 8 Land Aggregation Tax Management Act,1971.
3. R261250 Easement to drain sewerage affecting the part of the land above described shown so burdened in Deposited Plan 260129.

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FIRST SCHEDULE (continued)

REGISTERED PROPRIETOR	INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General
Tim Kirkpatrick and Anne Edith Kirkpatrick as joint tenants by Transfer S721678. Registered 8-10-1981.				

SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	PARTICULARS	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION	
EW	DP.636336	EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER AFFECTING THE PART OF THE LAND WITHIN				
		DESCRIBED SHOWN SO BURDENED IN DP.636336.	9-8-1984			
M V862097 Mortgage to Westpac Banking Corporation. Registered 13.8.1985.						

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10/6/2004	AA712747	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
10/6/2004	AA712748	TRANSFER	EDITION 1
8/12/2017	AM952616	DEPARTMENTAL DEALING	
13/12/2017	DP1234850	DEPOSITED PLAN	FOLIO CANCELLED RESIDUE REMAINS

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AT TAMINDA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA TAMWORTH REGIONAL
PARISH OF MURROON COUNTY OF PARRY
TITLE DIAGRAM DP1234850

FIRST SCHEDULE

KIDMAN GROUP PTY LIMITED

SECOND SCHEDULE (3 NOTIFICATIONS)

1 LAND EXCLUDES MINERALS AND IS SUBJECT TO RESERVATIONS AND CONDITIONS IN FAVOUR OF THE CROWN - SEE CROWN GRANT(S)
2 R261250 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM
3 DP636336 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER 5 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

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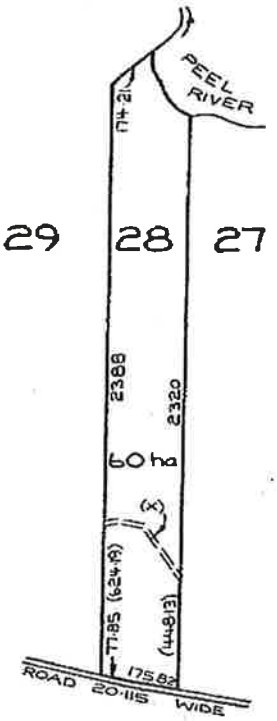

(X) - EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE - 6 WIDE R249085.

R249085

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ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Estate in Fee Simple in Portion 28 in the City of Tamworth Parish of Murroon County of Parry. EXCEPTING THEREOUT the minerals reserved by the Crown grant.

FIRST SCHEDULE

JOHN BADEN CHAFFEY of Tamworth, Farmer and GLADYS CHAFFEY his wife, as Tenants in Common in equal shares.

SECOND SCHEDULE

1. Reservations and conditions, if any, contained in the Crown grant above referred to.
2. Restrictions on dealings see section 31 Closer Settlement Act, 1904 (SP1909/119 Tamworth).
3. ~~K577254 Caveat by Rural Bank of New South Wales.~~ Withdrawn T410879
4. M484809 Mortgage to Australia and New Zealand Savings Bank Limited.
5. R249085 Easement to drain sewage affecting the land shown so burdened in the plan hereon.

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SECOND SCHEDULE (continued)

INSTRUMENT NATURE	INSTRUMENT NUMBER	PARTICULARS	REGISTERED	Signature of Registrar General	CANCELLATION	
CA V391742		Transfer. Easement for electricity transmission line affecting the part of the land within described shown as proposed easement for electricity transmission line 20 wide in DP635782. Registered 13-12-1984.				

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15/4/1991		AMENDMENT: TITLE DIAGRAM	
29/11/1996	2652743	TRANSMISSION APPLICATION	EDITION 1
12/6/1997	3137903	APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS	
12/6/1997	3137904	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
12/6/1997	3137906	TRANSFER	EDITION 2
25/3/1999	5704999	MORTGAGE	EDITION 3
13/9/1999	DP1006026	DEPOSITED PLAN	
27/9/2000	7112170	CAVEAT	
25/1/2001	7262810	WITHDRAWAL OF CAVEAT	
25/1/2001	7262811	TRANSFER GRANTING EASEMENT	EDITION 4
8/5/2002	8576687	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
8/5/2002	8576689	MORTGAGE	EDITION 5
4/12/2002	9189029	DISCHARGE OF MORTGAGE	
4/12/2002	9189030	TRANSFER	EDITION 6
2/10/2003	9945037	TRANSFER GRANTING EASEMENT	EDITION 7
16/9/2013	AI21612	TRANSFER	EDITION 8
30/1/2017	DP1227482	DEPOSITED PLAN	FOLIO CANCELLED

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AT TAMINDA
LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA TAMWORTH REGIONAL
PARISH OF MURROON COUNTY OF PARRY
TITLE DIAGRAM DP1227482

FIRST SCHEDULE

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SECOND SCHEDULE (7 NOTIFICATIONS)

1 LAND EXCLUDES MINERALS AND IS SUBJECT TO RESERVATIONS AND CONDITIONS IN FAVOUR OF THE CROWN - SEE CROWN GRANT(S)

2 R249085 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 6 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

3 V391742 EASEMENT FOR ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION LINE 20 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

4 7262811 EASEMENT TO DRAIN SEWAGE 5 METRE(S) WIDE AFFECTING THE PART(S) SHOWN SO BURDENED IN THE TITLE DIAGRAM

5 9945037 EASEMENT TO DRAIN WATER EASEMENT FOR ABOVE GROUND WORKS 20 METRE(S) WIDE APPURTENANT TO THE LAND ABOVE DESCRIBED AFFECTING THE SITE SHOWN AS "PROPOSED EASEMENT FOR ABOVE GROUND WORKS OVER CENTRELINE OF POLES" IN THE PLAN WITH 9945037

6 DP1227482 POSITIVE COVENANT

* 7 AN56645 CAVEAT BY A & GS CLIFT PTY LTD

NOTATIONS

UNREGISTERED DEALINGS: NIL

*** END OF SEARCH ***

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List of NSW Contaminated Sites Notified to EPA as of 9 November 2018

Background

A strategy to systematically assess, prioritise and respond to notifications under Section 60 of the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (CLM Act) has been developed by the EPA. This strategy acknowledges the EPA's obligations to make information available to the public under *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009*.

When a site is notified to the EPA, it may be accompanied by detailed site reports where the owner has been proactive in addressing the contamination and its source. However, often there is minimal information on the nature or extent of the contamination.

For some notifications, the information indicates the contamination is securely immobilised within the site, such as under a building or carpark, and is not currently causing any offsite consequences to the community or environment. Such sites would still need to be cleaned up, but this could be done in conjunction with any subsequent building or redevelopment of the land. These sites may not require intervention under the CLM Act, but could be dealt with through the planning and development consent process.

Where indications are that contamination is significant enough to warrant regulation having regard to the matters in section 12 of the CLM Act, the EPA may apply the regulatory provisions of the CLM Act to have the appropriate person (for example, the responsible polluter and/or landowner) investigate and remediate the site.

Where the EPA reasonably suspects that a pollution incident is occurring (or has occurred) at a premise, the EPA, as the appropriate regulatory authority, may choose to regulate the incident and any resulting contamination under the POEO Act by ordering the occupier or the owner to carry out certain actions.

As such, the sites notified to the EPA and presented in the following table are at various stages of the assessment and/or remediation process. Understanding the nature of the underlying contamination, its implications and implementing a remediation program where required, can take a considerable period of time. The tables provide an indication, in relation to each nominated site, as to the management status of that particular site. Further detailed information may be available from the EPA or the responsible landowner.

The following questions and answers may assist those interested in this issue:

Frequently asked questions

What is the difference between the "List of NSW Contaminated Sites Notified to the EPA" and the "Contaminated Land: Record of Notices"?

A site will be on the Contaminated Land: Record of Notices only if the EPA has issued a regulatory notice in relation to the site under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997*.

The sites appearing on this "List of NSW contaminated sites notified to the EPA" indicate that the notifiers consider that the sites are contaminated and warrant reporting to the EPA. However, the contamination may or may not be significant enough to warrant regulation by the EPA. The EPA needs to review and, if necessary, obtain more information before it can make a determination as to whether the site warrants regulation.

Why my site appears on the list?

Your site appears on the list because of one or more of the following reasons:

- The site owner and/or the person partly or fully responsible for causing the contamination notified to the EPA about the contamination under Section 60 of the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997*. In other words, the site owner or the "polluter" believes the site is contaminated.
- The EPA has been notified via other means and is satisfied that the site is or was contaminated.

Does the list contain all contaminated sites in NSW?

No. The list only contains contaminated sites that the EPA is aware of, with regard to its regulatory role under the CLM Act. An absence of a site from the list does not necessarily imply the site is not contaminated.

The EPA relies upon responsible parties to notify contaminated sites.

How are these notified contaminated sites managed by the EPA?

There are different ways that the EPA manages these notified contaminated sites. First, an initial assessment is carried out by the EPA. At the completion of the initial assessment, the EPA may take one or more than one of the following management approaches:

- The contamination warrants the EPA's direct regulatory intervention either under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* or the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* (POEO Act), or both. Information about current or past regulatory action on this site can be found on EPA website.
- The contamination with respect to the current use or approved use of the site, as defined under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997,* is not significant enough that it warrants EPA regulation.
- The contamination does not require EPA regulation and can be managed by a planning approval process.
- The contamination is related to an operational Underground Petroleum Storage System, such as a service station or fuel depot. The contamination may be managed under the POEO Act and the Protection of the Environment Operation (Underground Petroleum Storage Systems) Regulation 2014.
- The contamination is being managed under a specifically tailored program operated by another agency (for example t
- he Department of Industry and Investment's *Derelict Mines Program*).

I am the owner of a site that appears on the list. What should I do?

First of all, you should ensure the current use of the site is compatible with the site contamination. Secondly, if the site is the subject of EPA regulation, make sure you comply with the regulatory requirements, and you have considered your obligations to notify other parties who may be affected.

If you have any concerns, contact us and we may be able to offer you general advice, or direct you to accredited professionals who can assist with specific issues.

I am a prospective buyer of a site that appears on the list. What should I do?

You should seek advice from the vendor to put the contamination issue into perspective. You may need to seek independent expert advice.

The information provided in the list is meant to be indicative only, and a starting point for your own assessment. Site contamination as a legacy of past site uses is not uncommon, particularly in an urbanised environment. If the contamination on a site is properly remediated or managed, it may not materially impact upon the intended future use of the site. However, each site needs to be considered in context.

List of NSW Contaminated Sites Notified to the EPA

Disclaimer

The EPA has taken all reasonable care to ensure that the information in the list of contaminated sites notified to the EPA (the list) is complete and correct. The EPA does not, however, warrant or represent that the list is free from errors or omissions or that it is exhaustive.

The EPA may, without notice, change any or all of the information in the list at any time.

You should obtain independent advice before you make any decision based on the information in the list.

The list is made available on the understanding that the EPA, its servants and agents, to the extent permitted by law, accept no responsibility for any damage, cost, loss or expense incurred by you as a result of:

1. any information in the list; or
2. any error, omission or misrepresentation in the list; or
3. any malfunction or failure to function of the list;
4. without limiting (2) or (3) above, any delay, failure or error in recording, displaying or updating information.

Site Status	Explanation
Under assessment	The contamination is being assessed by the EPA to determine whether regulation is required. The EPA may require further information to complete the assessment. For example, the completion of management actions regulated under the planning process or *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*. Alternatively, the EPA may require information via a notice issued under s77 of the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* or issue a Preliminary Investigation Order.
Regulation under CLM Act not required	The EPA has completed an assessment of the contamination and decided that regulation under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* is not required.
Regulation being	The EPA has completed an assessment of the contamination and decided

finalised	that the contamination is significant enough to warrant regulation under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997*. A regulatory approach is being finalised.
Contamination currently regulated under CLM Act	The EPA has completed an assessment of the contamination and decided that the contamination is significant enough to warrant regulation under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (CLM Act). Management of the contamination is regulated by the EPA under the CLM Act. Regulatory notices are available on the EPA's Contaminated Land Public Record.
Contamination currently regulated under POEO Act	Contamination is currently regulated under the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* (POEO Act). The EPA as *the appropriate regulatory authority* reasonably suspects that a pollution incident is occurring/ has occurred and that it requires regulation under the POEO Act. The EPA may use environment protection notices, such as clean up notices, to require clean up action to be taken. Such regulatory notices are available on the POEO public register.
Contamination being managed via the planning process (EP&A Act)	The EPA has completed an assessment of the contamination and decided that the contamination is significant enough to warrant regulation. The contamination of this site is managed by the consent authority under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (EP&A Act) planning approval process, with EPA involvement as necessary to ensure significant contamination is adequately addressed. The consent authority is typically a local council or the Department of Planning and Environment.
Contamination formerly regulated under the CLM Act	The EPA has determined that the contamination is no longer significant enough to warrant regulation under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (CLM Act). The contamination was addressed under the CLM Act.
Contamination formerly regulated under the POEO Act	The EPA has determined that the contamination is no longer significant enough to warrant regulation. The contamination was addressed under the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* (POEO Act).
Contamination was addressed via the planning process	The EPA has determined that the contamination is no longer significant enough to warrant regulation. The contamination was addressed by the appropriate consent authority via the planning process under the

(EP&A Act)	*Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* (EP&A Act).
Ongoing maintenance required to manage residual contamination (CLM Act)	The EPA has determined that ongoing maintenance, under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* (CLM Act), is required to manage the residual contamination. Regulatory notices under the CLM Act are available on the EPA's Contaminated Land Public Record.

Suburb	Site Name	Address	Contamination Activity Type	Management Class	Latitude	Longitude
SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK	Aquatic Centre Carpark Landfill	Shane Gould AVENUE	Landfill	Ongoing maintenance required to manage residual contamination	-33.85093439	151.0656713
SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK	Blaxland Common Landfill	Jamieson STREET	Landfill	Ongoing maintenance required to manage residual contamination	-33.82638382	151.05972
SYLVANIA	Caltex Service Station - Sylvania Heights	414-416 Princes HIGHWAY	Service Station	Contamination currently regulated under CLM Act	-34.02361051	151.0895394
SYLVANIA	Caltex Service Station	61 Port Hacking ROAD	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-34.0140089	151.104212
TALBINGO	Old Town Landfill	Bridle STREET	Landfill	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-35.59018237	148.3041771
TALBINGO	T3 Spoil dump and adjoining river sediments	Off Snowy Mountains HIGHWAY	Landfill	Contamination formerly regulated under the CLM Act	-35.6177268	148.2926158
TALBINGO	Former grit blasting site	Old Damsite ROAD	Other Industry	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-35.60894551	148.3030165
TAMINDA	Mobil Depot	9 Hinkler ROAD	Other Petroleum	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.09584286	150.9040493
TAMWORTH	Caltex Tamworth Service Station	109 Gunnedah ROAD	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.09723226	150.8955299
TAMWORTH	Curlew Crescent	19-29 Curlew CRESCENT	Metal Industry	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.06963607	150.9069306
TAMWORTH	Coles Express Tamworth	251 - 253 Goonoo Goonoo ROAD	Service Station	Contamination currently regulated under CLM Act	-31.11058167	150.9236721
TAMWORTH	Former Service Station, Fitzpatrick Super Fund, Tamworth	210 Goonoo Goonoo ROAD	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.10613594	150.9234143
TAMWORTH	Gunnedah Road Site	49 GUNNEDAH ROAD	Other Industry	Contamination formerly regulated under the CLM Act	-31.09574904	150.9021583
TAMWORTH	Elovera Former Sheep Dip	730 Ascot Calala ROAD	Cattle Dip	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.1801846	150.962897
TAMWORTH	Housing NSW	29 -33 White STREET	Other Petroleum	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.0915651	150.9357811
TAMWORTH	BP Tamworth Service Station and Depot	27-29 Gunnedah ROAD	Service Station	Under assessment	-31.09642128	150.9058193
TAMWORTH	Former Mobil Service Station	373-375 Armidale ROAD	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.10122679	150.9441341
TAMWORTH	Kensell's Mitsubishi	11-14 Kable AVENUE	Other Petroleum	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.08921565	150.9273063
TAMWORTH	Caltex Star Tamworth	21 White STREET	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.09255137	150.9341709
TAMWORTH	Former Service Station Tamworth	(Cnr Scott Rd) 254-256 Goonoo Goonoo ROAD	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.1118945	150.9228523
TARCUTTA	Mobil Service Station	(Hume Highway) 32 Sydney STREET	Service Station	Contamination formerly regulated under the CLM Act	-35.2772942	147.73574
TAREE	Caltex Taree	12 Pitt STREET	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.90551738	152.4783334
TAREE	Former Caltex Depot	44 Stevenson STREET	Other Petroleum	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.90563595	152.4640848
TAREE	Former BP Service Station (Reliance Petroleum)	150 Manning River DRIVE	Service Station	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.93842026	152.4682056
TAREE	Former Shell Depot	53-55 Stevenson STREET	Other Petroleum	Regulation under CLM Act not required	-31.90514622	152.4649706

Section 55 Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997

Environment Protection Licence

Licence - 12655

Department of **Environment & Climate Change** NSW

Licence Details	
Number:	12655
Anniversary Date:	16-February
Review Due Date:	16-Feb-2012

Licensee

BORAL RESOURCES (COUNTRY) PTY LIMITED
PO BOX 42
WENTWORTHVILLE NSW 2145

Licence Type

Premises

Premises

Boral Concrete Plant Taminda Industrial Estate
15-17 Cook Street
TAMWORTH NSW 2340

Scheduled Activity

Cement Works - A/C/G

Fee Based Activity	**Scale**
Concrete Batching (30)	> 13000 - 25000 m3 produced

Region

North West - Armidale
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NSW 2350

Environment Protection Licence

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Department of **Environment & Climate Change** NSW

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Information about this licence

Dictionary

A definition of terms used in the licence can be found in the dictionary at the end of this licence.

Responsibilities of licensee

Separate to the requirements of this licence, general obligations of licensees are set out in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 ("the Act") and the Regulations made under the Act. These include obligations to:

- ensure persons associated with you comply with this licence, as set out in section 64 of the Act;
- control the pollution of waters and the pollution of air (see for example sections 120 - 132 of the Act); and
- report incidents causing or threatening material environmental harm to the environment, as set out in Part 5.7 of the Act.

Variation of licence conditions

The licence holder can apply to vary the conditions of this licence. An application form for this purpose is available from the EPA.

The EPA may also vary the conditions of the licence at any time by written notice without an application being made.

Where a licence has been granted in relation to development which was assessed under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 in accordance with the procedures applying to integrated development, the EPA may not impose conditions which are inconsistent with the development consent conditions until the licence is first reviewed under Part 3.6 of the Act.

Duration of licence

This licence will remain in force until the licence is surrendered by the licence holder or until it is suspended or revoked by the EPA or the Minister. A licence may only be surrendered with the written approval of the EPA.

Licence review

The Act requires that the EPA review your licence at least every 5 years after the issue of the licence, as set out in Part 3.6 and Schedule 5 of the Act. You will receive advance notice of the licence review.

Fees and annual return to be sent to the EPA

For each licence fee period you must pay:

- an administrative fee; and
- a load-based fee (if applicable).

The EPA publication "A Guide to Licensing" contains information about how to calculate your licence fees.

The licence requires that an Annual Return, comprising a Statement of Compliance and a summary of any monitoring required by the licence (including the recording of complaints), be submitted to the EPA. The Annual Return must be submitted within 60 days after the end of each reporting period. See condition R1 regarding the Annual Return reporting requirements.

Usually the licence fee period is the same as the reporting period.

Transfer of licence

The licence holder can apply to transfer the licence to another person. An application form for this purpose is available from the EPA.

Public register and access to monitoring data

Part 9.5 of the Act requires the EPA to keep a public register of details and decisions of the EPA in relation to, for example:

- licence applications;
- licence conditions and variations;
- statements of compliance;
- load based licensing information; and
- load reduction agreements.

Under s320 of the Act application can be made to the EPA for access to monitoring data which has been submitted to the EPA by licensees.

This licence is issued to:

BORAL RESOURCES (COUNTRY) PTY LIMITED
PO BOX 42
WENTWORTHVILLE NSW 2145

subject to the conditions which follow.

1 Administrative conditions

A1 What the licence authorises and regulates

A1.1 This licence authorises the carrying out of the scheduled development work listed below at the premises listed in A2.
Civil construction work will be conducted in the construction of the concrete batching plant. The scope will encompass excavation, drainage and services installation.

A1.2 This licence authorises the carrying out of the scheduled activities listed below at the premises

specified in A2. The activities are listed according to their scheduled activity classification, fee-based activity classification and the scale of the operation.

Unless otherwise further restricted by a condition of this licence, the scale at which the activity is carried out must not exceed the maximum scale specified in this condition.

Scheduled Activity
Cement Works - A/C/G

Fee Based Activity	Scale
Concrete Batching (30)	> 13000 - 25000 m3 produced

A1.3 The licensee must not carry on any scheduled activities until the scheduled development works are completed, except as elsewhere provided in this licence.

A2 Premises to which this licence applies

A2.1 The licence applies to the following premises:

Premises Details
Boral Concrete Plant Taminda Industrial Estate
15-17 Cook Street
TAMWORTH
NSW
2340
LOT 1 DP 394486 AND LOT 15 DP 1078071

A3 Other activities

A3.1 Not applicable.

A4 Information supplied to the EPA

A4.1 Works and activities must be carried out in accordance with the proposal contained in the licence application, except as expressly provided by a condition of this licence.

In this condition the reference to "the licence application" includes a reference to:
(a) the applications for any licences (including former pollution control approvals) which this licence replaces under the Protection of the Environment Operations (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 1998; and
(b) the licence information form provided by the licensee to the EPA to assist the EPA in connection with the issuing of this licence.

2 Discharges to air and water and applications to land

P1 Location of monitoring/discharge points and areas

P1.1 Not applicable.

P1.2 The following points referred to in the table are identified in this licence for the purposes of the monitoring and/or the setting of limits for discharges of pollutants to water from the point.

P1.3 The following utilisation areas referred to in the table below are identified in this licence for the purposes of the monitoring and/or the setting of limits for any application of solids or liquids to the utilisation area.

Water and land

EPA identification no.	Type of monitoring point	Type of discharge point	Description of location
1	Wet Weather Discharge, Discharge Quality Monitoring	Wet Weather Discharge, Discharge Quality Monitoring	Overflow pipe inlet within location labelled as "Clean Water Holding Pit" on drawing titled "Tamworth Concrete Plant, 13-17 Cook St, Taminda - General Arrangement (Drawing No. TAM-G02)" dated 8-1-07 and on file 251466A1

Note: A discharge and monitoring point for the premises will be included in the licence in accordance with the EPAs general terms of approval prior to commencement of operations at the premises.

3 Limit conditions

L1 Pollution of waters

L1.1 Except as may be expressly provided in any other condition of this licence, the licensee must comply with section 120 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997.

L2 Load limits

L2.1 Not applicable.

L2.2 Not applicable.

L3 Concentration limits

L3.1 For each monitoring/discharge point or utilisation area specified in the table\s below (by a point number), the concentration of a pollutant discharged at that point, or applied to that area, must not exceed the concentration limits specified for that pollutant in the table.

L3.2 Where a pH quality limit is specified in the table, the specified percentage of samples must be within the specified ranges.

L3.3 To avoid any doubt, this condition does not authorise the pollution of waters by any pollutant other than those specified in the table\s.

Water and Land

POINT 1

Pollutant	Units of Measure	50 percentile concentration limit	90 percentile concentration limit	3DGM concentration limit	100 percentile Concentration Limit
Oil and Grease	milligrams per litre				10
pH	pH				6.5 - 8.5
Total suspended solids	milligrams per litre				50

Note: Limit conditions for the discharge point for the premises will be included in the licence in accordance with the EPAs general terms of approval prior to commencement of operations at the premises.

L4 Volume and mass limits

L4.1 Not applicable.

L5 Waste

L5.1 The licensee must not cause, permit or allow any waste generated outside the premises to be received at the premises for storage, treatment, processing, reprocessing or disposal or any waste generated at the premises to be disposed of at the premises, except as expressly permitted by the licence.

L5.2 This condition only applies to the storage, treatment, processing, reprocessing or disposal of waste at the premises if those activities require an environment protection licence.

L6 Noise Limits

L6.1 Noise from the premises must not exceed:
(a) 50dB(A) $L_{Aeq(15\ minute)}$ during the day (7am to 6pm) Monday to Saturday and 8am to 6pm Sunday;; and
(b) 44dB(A) $L_{Aeq(15\ minute)}$ during the evening (6pm to 10pm) Monday to Sunday; and
(c) 42dB(A) $L_{Aeq(15\ minute)}$ during the early morning shoulder period of 6am to 7am Monday to Saturday; and
(d) at all other times 40dB(A) $L_{Aeq\ (15\ minute)}$, except as expressly provided by this licence.

Where L_{Aeq} means the equivalent continuous noise level – the level of noise equivalent to the energy-average of noise levels occurring over a measurement period.

L6.2 Noise from the premises is to be measured at the nearest affected residential receiver that is not situated in an area zoned as industrial to determine compliance with condition L6.1.

Note: Noise measurement

For the purpose of noise measures required for this condition, the L_{Aeq} noise level must be measured or computed at the point defined in condition L6.2 over a period of 15 minutes using "FAST" response on the sound level meter.

For the purpose of the noise criteria for this condition, 5dBA must be added to the measured level if the noise is substantially tonal or impulsive in character. The location or point of impact can be different for each development, for example, at the closest residential receiver or at the closest boundary of the development. Measurement locations can be:
a) 1 metre from the facade of the residence for night time assessment;
b) at the residential boundary;
c) 30 metres from the residence (rural situations) where boundary is more than 30 metres from residence.

L6.3 The noise emission limits identified in this licence apply under all meteorological conditions except:

(a) during rain and wind speeds (at 10m height) greater than 3m/s; and
(b) under "non-significant weather conditions".

Note: Field meteorological indicators for non-significant weather conditions are described in the NSW Industrial Noise Policy, Chapter 5 and Appendix E in relation to wind and temperature inversions.

4 Operating conditions

O1 Activities must be carried out in a competent manner

O1.1 Licensed activities must be carried out in a competent manner.

This includes:
(a) the processing, handling, movement and storage of materials and substances used to carry out the activity; and
(b) the treatment, storage, processing, reprocessing, transport and disposal of waste generated by the activity.

O2 Maintenance of plant and equipment

O2.1 All plant and equipment installed at the premises or used in connection with the licensed activity:
(a) must be maintained in a proper and efficient condition; and
(b) must be operated in a proper and efficient manner.

O3 Dust Control

O3.1 The plant must be maintained in a condition which minimises or prevents the emission of dust from the plant.

O3.2 The premises must be maintained in a condition which minimises or prevents the emission of dust from the premises.

5 Monitoring and recording conditions

M1 Monitoring records

M1.1 The results of any monitoring required to be conducted by this licence or a load calculation protocol must be recorded and retained as set out in this condition.

M1.2 All records required to be kept by this licence must be:
(a) in a legible form, or in a form that can readily be reduced to a legible form;
(b) kept for at least 4 years after the monitoring or event to which they relate took place; and
(c) produced in a legible form to any authorised officer of the EPA who asks to see them.

M1.3 The following records must be kept in respect of any samples required to be collected for the purposes of this licence:
(a) the date(s) on which the sample was taken;
(b) the time(s) at which the sample was collected;
(c) the point at which the sample was taken; and
(d) the name of the person who collected the sample.

M2 Requirement to monitor concentration of pollutants discharged

M2.1 For each monitoring/discharge point or utilisation area specified below (by a point number), the licensee must monitor (by sampling and obtaining results by analysis) the concentration of each pollutant specified in Column 1. The licensee must use the sampling method, units of measure, and sample at the frequency, specified opposite in the other columns:

Water and Land

POINT 1

Pollutant	Units of measure	Frequency	Sampling Method
Oil and Grease	milligrams per litre	Each overflow event	Representative sample
Total suspended solids	milligrams per litre	Each overflow event	Representative sample
pH	pH	Each overflow event	Representative sample

M3 Testing methods - concentration limits

M3.1 Not applicable.

M3.2 Subject to any express provision to the contrary in this licence, monitoring for the concentration of a pollutant discharged to waters or applied to a utilisation area must be done in accordance with the Approved Methods Publication unless another method has been approved by the EPA in writing before any tests are conducted.

M4 Recording of pollution complaints

M4.1 The licensee must keep a legible record of all complaints made to the licensee or any employee or agent of the licensee in relation to pollution arising from any activity to which this licence applies.

M4.2 The record must include details of the following:
(a) the date and time of the complaint;
(b) the method by which the complaint was made;
(c) any personal details of the complainant which were provided by the complainant or, if no such details were provided, a note to that effect;
(d) the nature of the complaint;

(e) the action taken by the licensee in relation to the complaint, including any follow-up contact with the complainant; and
(f) if no action was taken by the licensee, the reasons why no action was taken.

M4.3 The record of a complaint must be kept for at least 4 years after the complaint was made.

M4.4 The record must be produced to any authorised officer of the EPA who asks to see them.

M5 Telephone complaints line

M5.1 The licensee must operate during its operating hours a telephone complaints line for the purpose of receiving any complaints from members of the public in relation to activities conducted at the premises or by the vehicle or mobile plant, unless otherwise specified in the licence.

M5.2 The licensee must notify the public of the complaints line telephone number and the fact that it is a complaints line so that the impacted community knows how to make a complaint.

M5.3 Conditions M5.1 and M5.2 do not apply until 3 months after:
(a) the date of the issue of this licence or
(b) if this licence is a replacement licence within the meaning of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Savings and Transitional) Regulation 1998, the date on which a copy of the licence was served on the licensee under clause 10 of that regulation.

M6 Requirement to monitor volume or mass

M6.1 Not applicable.

Note: Discharge monitoring requirements will be included in the licence in accordance with the EPA's general terms of approval prior to commencement of operations at the premises.

6 Reporting conditions

R1 Annual return documents

What documents must an Annual Return contain?

R1.1 The licensee must complete and supply to the EPA an Annual Return in the approved form comprising:
(a) a Statement of Compliance; and
(b) a Monitoring and Complaints Summary.
A copy of the form in which the Annual Return must be supplied to the EPA accompanies this licence. Before the end of each reporting period, the EPA will provide to the licensee a copy of the form that must be completed and returned to the EPA.

Period covered by Annual Return

R1.2 An Annual Return must be prepared in respect of each reporting period, except as provided below.

Note: The term "reporting period" is defined in the dictionary at the end of this licence. Do not complete the Annual Return until after the end of the reporting period.

R1.3 Where this licence is transferred from the licensee to a new licensee:
(a) the transferring licensee must prepare an Annual Return for the period commencing on the first day of the reporting period and ending on the date the application for the transfer of the licence to the new licensee is granted; and
(b) the new licensee must prepare an Annual Return for the period commencing on the date the application for the transfer of the licence is granted and ending on the last day of the reporting period.

Note: An application to transfer a licence must be made in the approved form for this purpose.

R1.4 Where this licence is surrendered by the licensee or revoked by the EPA or Minister, the licensee must prepare an Annual Return in respect of the period commencing on the first day of the reporting period and ending on:
(a) in relation to the surrender of a licence - the date when notice in writing of approval of the surrender is given; or
(b) in relation to the revocation of the licence - the date from which notice revoking the licence operates.

Deadline for Annual Return

R1.5 The Annual Return for the reporting period must be supplied to the EPA by registered post not later than 60 days after the end of each reporting period or in the case of a transferring licence not later than 60 days after the date the transfer was granted (the 'due date').

Notification where actual load can not be calculated

R1.6 Not applicable.

Licensee must retain copy of Annual Return

R1.7 The licensee must retain a copy of the Annual Return supplied to the EPA for a period of at least 4 years after the Annual Return was due to be supplied to the EPA.

Certifying of Statement of Compliance and signing of Monitoring and Complaints Summary

R1.8 Within the Annual Return, the Statement of Compliance must be certified and the Monitoring and Complaints Summary must be signed by:
(a) the licence holder; or
(b) by a person approved in writing by the EPA to sign on behalf of the licence holder.

R1.9 A person who has been given written approval to certify a certificate of compliance under a licence issued under the Pollution Control Act 1970 is taken to be approved for the purpose of this condition until the date of first review of this licence.

R2 Notification of environmental harm

Note: The licensee or its employees must notify the EPA of incidents causing or threatening material harm to the environment as soon as practicable after the person becomes aware of the incident in accordance with the requirements of Part 5.7 of the Act.

R2.1 Notifications must be made by telephoning the EPA's Pollution Line service on 131 555.

R2.2 The licensee must provide written details of the notification to the EPA within 7 days of the date on which the incident occurred.

R3 Written report

R3.1 Where an authorised officer of the EPA suspects on reasonable grounds that:
(a) where this licence applies to premises, an event has occurred at the premises; or
(b) where this licence applies to vehicles or mobile plant, an event has occurred in connection with the carrying out of the activities authorised by this licence,
and the event has caused, is causing or is likely to cause material harm to the environment (whether the harm occurs on or off premises to which the licence applies), the authorised officer may request a written report of the event.

R3.2 The licensee must make all reasonable inquiries in relation to the event and supply the report to the EPA within such time as may be specified in the request.

R3.3 The request may require a report which includes any or all of the following information:
(a) the cause, time and duration of the event;
(b) the type, volume and concentration of every pollutant discharged as a result of the event;
(c) the name, address and business hours telephone number of employees or agents of the licensee, or a specified class of them, who witnessed the event;
(d) the name, address and business hours telephone number of every other person (of whom the licensee is aware) who witnessed the event, unless the licensee has been unable to obtain that information after making reasonable effort;
(e) action taken by the licensee in relation to the event, including any follow-up contact with any complainants;
(f) details of any measure taken or proposed to be taken to prevent or mitigate against a recurrence of such an event; and
(g) any other relevant matters.

R3.4 The EPA may make a written request for further details in relation to any of the above matters if it is not satisfied with the report provided by the licensee. The licensee must provide such further details to the EPA within the time specified in the request.

General conditions

G1 Copy of licence kept at the premises

G1.1 A copy of this licence must be kept at the premises to which the licence applies.

G1.2 The licence must be produced to any authorised officer of the EPA who asks to see it.

G1.3 The licence must be available for inspection by any employee or agent of the licensee working at the premises.

Pollution studies and reduction programs

Special conditions

Dictionary

General Dictionary

In this licence, unless the contrary is indicated, the terms below have the following meanings:

3DGM [in relation to a concentration limit]	Means the three day geometric mean, which is calculated by multiplying the results of the analysis of three samples collected on consecutive days and then taking the cubed root of that amount. Where one or more of the samples is zero or below the detection limit for the analysis, then 1 or the detection limit respectively should be used in place of those samples
Act	Means the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
activity	Means a scheduled or non-scheduled activity within the meaning of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
actual load	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations (General) Regulation 1998
AM	Together with a number, means an ambient air monitoring method of that number prescribed by the *Approved Methods for the Sampling and Analysis of Air Pollutants in New South Wales*.
AMG	Australian Map Grid
anniversary date	The anniversary date is the anniversary each year of the date of issue of the licence. In the case of a licence continued in force by the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997, the date of issue of the licence is the first anniversary of the date of issue or last renewal of the licence following the commencement of the Act.
annual return	Is defined in R1.1
Approved Methods Publication	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations (General) Regulation 1998
assessable	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations (General) Regulation 1998

pollutants	
BOD	Means biochemical oxygen demand
CEM	Together with a number, means a continuous emission monitoring method of that number prescribed by the *Approved Methods for the Sampling and Analysis of Air Pollutants in New South Wales*.
COD	Means chemical oxygen demand
composite sample	Unless otherwise specifically approved in writing by the EPA, a sample consisting of 24 individual samples collected at hourly intervals and each having an equivalent volume.
cond.	Means conductivity
environment	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
environment protection legislation	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Administration Act 1991
EPA	Means Environment Protection Authority of New South Wales.
fee-based activity classification	Means the numbered short descriptions in Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations (General) Regulation 1998.
flow weighted composite sample	Means a sample whose composites are sized in proportion to the flow at each composites time of collection.
grab sample	Means a single sample taken at a point at a single time
hazardous waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
industrial waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
inert waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
licensee	Means the licence holder described at the front of this licence
load calculation protocol	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations (General) Regulation 1998
local authority	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
material harm	Has the same meaning as in section 147 Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
MBAS	Means methylene blue active substances
Minister	Means the Minister administering the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
mobile plant	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
motor vehicle	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
O&G	Means oil and grease
percentile [in relation to a concentration limit of a sample]	Means that percentage [eg.50%] of the number of samples taken that must meet the concentration limit specified in the licence for that pollutant over a specified period of time. In this licence, the specified period of time is the Reporting Period unless otherwise stated in this licence.

plant	Includes all plant within the meaning of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 as well as motor vehicles.
pollution of waters [or water pollution]	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
premises	Means the premises described in condition A2.1
public authority	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
regional office	Means the relevant EPA office referred to in the Contacting the EPA document accompanying this licence
reporting period	For the purposes of this licence, the reporting period means the period of 12 months after the issue of the licence, and each subsequent period of 12 months. In the case of a licence continued in force by the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997, the date of issue of the licence is the first anniversary of the date of issue or last renewal of the licence following the commencement of the Act.
reprocessing of waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
scheduled activity	Means an activity listed in Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
solid waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
TM	Together with a number, means a test method of that number prescribed by the *Approved Methods for the Sampling and Analysis of Air Pollutants in New South Wales*.
treatment of waste	Has the same meaning as in Part 3 of Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
TSP	Means total suspended particles
TSS	Means total suspended solids
Type 1 substance	Means the elements antimony, arsenic, cadmium, lead or mercury or any compound containing one or more of those elements
Type 2 substance	Means the elements beryllium, chromium, cobalt, manganese, nickel, selenium, tin or vanadium or any compound containing one or more of those elements
utilisation area	Means any area shown as a utilisation area on a map submitted with the application for this licence
waste	Has the same meaning as in the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997
waste code	Means the waste codes listed in Appendix 5 of the EPA document A Guide to Licensing Part B.
waste type	Means Group A, Group B, Group C, inert, solid, industrial or hazardous waste

Mr Robert O'Hern

Environment Protection Authority

Environment Protection Licence

Licence - 12655

(By Delegation)

Date of this edition - 30-Oct-2007

End Notes

1	Licence varied by notice 1079571, issued on 30-Oct-2007, which came into effect on 30-Oct-2007.

APPENDIX D
Council Records

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Tamworth

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51567/2011

Tamworth Skip-Eze
PO Box 42
KOOTINGAL NSW 2352

Dear Sir/Madam

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
NOTICE TO APPLICANT OF DETERMINATION OF A DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

Pursuant to Section 81(1)(a) of the Act, notice is hereby given of the determination by Council of the following development application.

Development Application No.	DA0397/2011
Subject Land:	Lot 23, DP 260129, Dampier Street, TAMINDA
Description:	Change of Use (Storage depot for skip bins)

In the determination of this application Council considered all matters listed under Section 79C of the Act. The development application has been determined by the **granting of consent subject to the conditions** listed below.

General

1) All proposed building, site works or property improvement indicated on the submitted plans or otherwise required under the terms of this consent shall be completed prior to occupation of the premises to ensure compliance with the provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979.

2) To confirm and clarify the terms of Council's approval, and as provided for by Section 95 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, the Storage Depot may be operated for the period 12 April 2011 to 12 April 2013.

Continued Operations

3) Skip Bins are to be emptied prior to return to the site. In the rare event that the return time is outside Landfill operating hours, the Bin shall be covered to prevent spillage or disturbance and shall be emptied at the earliest opportunity.

4) In the event of inundation of the site by floodwaters, skip bins shall be removed from the site, where time is available to do so.

The conditions have been imposed in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act and Council's adopted policies.

This approval became effective on 12 April 2011 (Section 83 of the Act) and will lapse unless the proposed development is commenced within five (5) years of the approval date (Section 95 of the Act).

Under the provisions of Section 97AA of the Act you may (within six (6) months from the date of this development consent) appeal to the Land and Environment Court against conditions imposed should you feel they are unreasonable.

All conditions imposed by Council shall be observed as non-compliance is an offence under the Act.

Yours faithfully

Catherine Pyne
Team Leader Development Assessment

Contact: (02) 6767 5488

Reference: CP/DA0397/2011

12 April 2011

Determination issued in accordance with "Delegation of Functions" issued on: 1.12.2008

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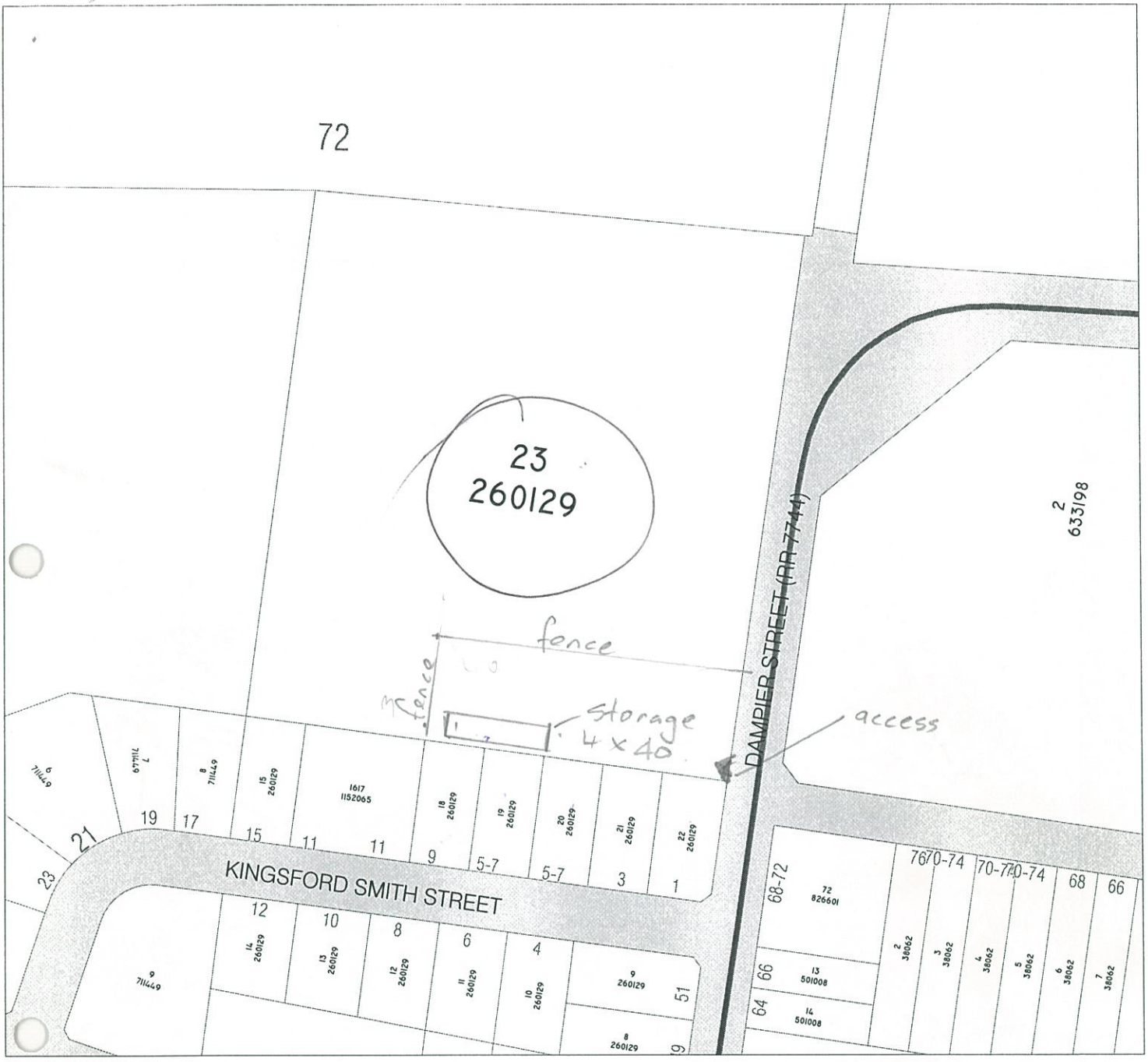

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29 October 2004

7754/2004

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Kidman Trust P/L
41 North Street
EAST TAMWORTH NSW 2340

Dear Sir/Madam

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO. MOD0024/2005 FOR GARAGE- HAYSHED ON LOT 23 DP 260129.

I refer to the subject development application and advise that Council has completed its assessment of the application to modify the development in the following manner:-

An increase in the overall dimensions and the site location of the shed

Pursuant to Section 96 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, Council has approved the amended consent. In this regard, conditions of the development consent remain unchanged from the original determination (copy attached).

Please note that this approval remains effective from the original date of consent, .

Section 96 confers on an applicant who is dissatisfied with this determination a right of appeal to the Land and Environment Court. This appeal provision is pursuant to Pt. 15 Rule 3 of the Land and Environment Court Rules and is exercisable within sixty (60) days of the receipt of this notice.

Yours faithfully

Stuart Stevens
For and on behalf of
David Lewis
Development and Approvals Manager

For further information please contact:-

Stuart Stevens
Telephone:- (02) 6755 4539
Email:- s.stevens@tamworth.nsw.gov.au

Please address all correspondence to:-

The Acting General Manager
Tamworth Regional Council
PO Box 555, Tamworth NSW 2340
OR DX 6125

Please Quote:- MOD0024/2005

Correspondence issued in accordance with "Delegation of Functions" issued on: 11.08.04

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CERTIFICATE OF TITLE

REAL PROPERTY ACT, 1900

TORRENS TITLE
Register

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Crown Grant Vol. 4795 Fol.165

Prior Title Vol.14087 Fol. 61

I certify that the person described in the First Schedule is the registered proprietor of the undermentioned estate in the land within descr
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Registrar General.

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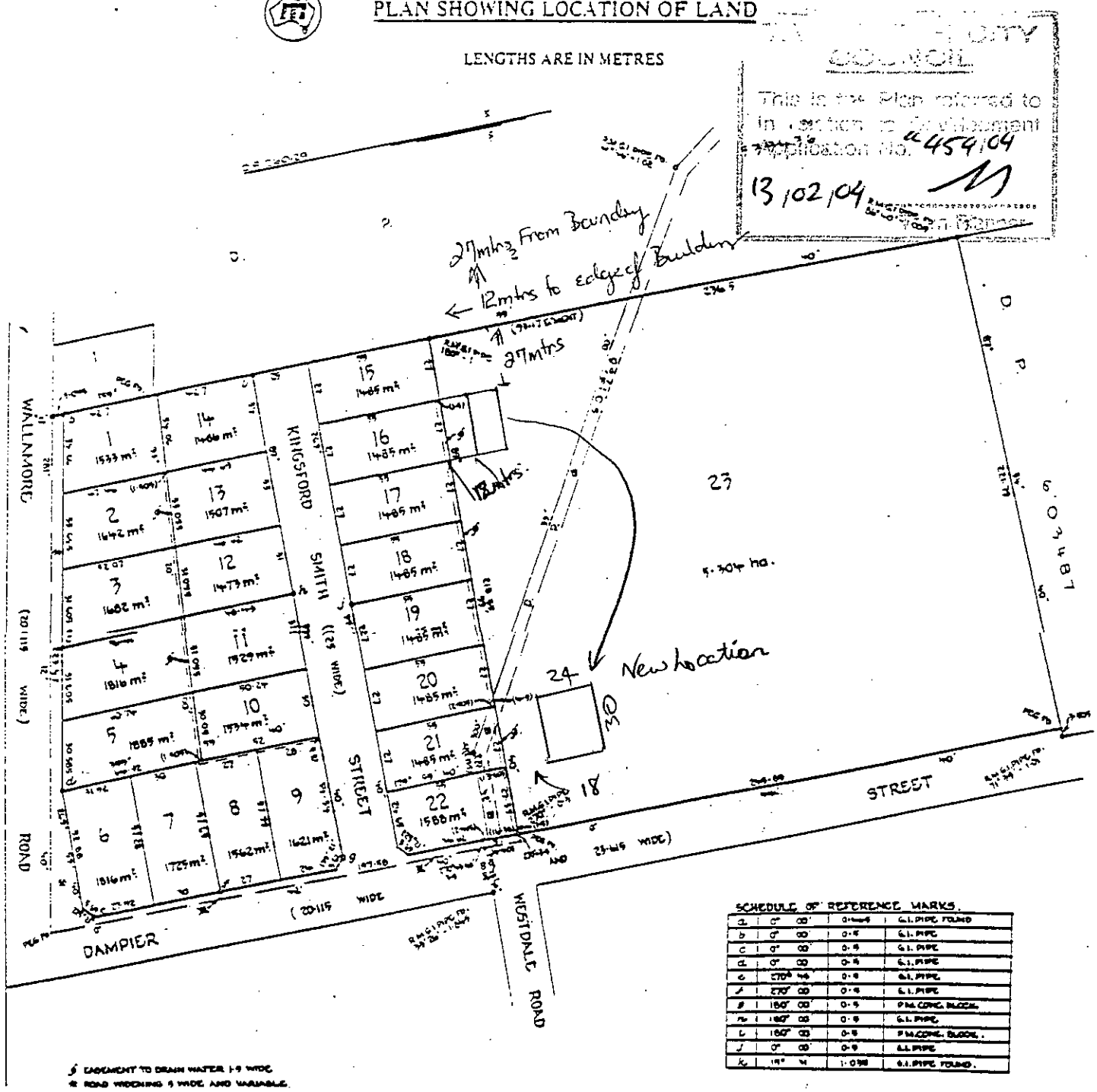

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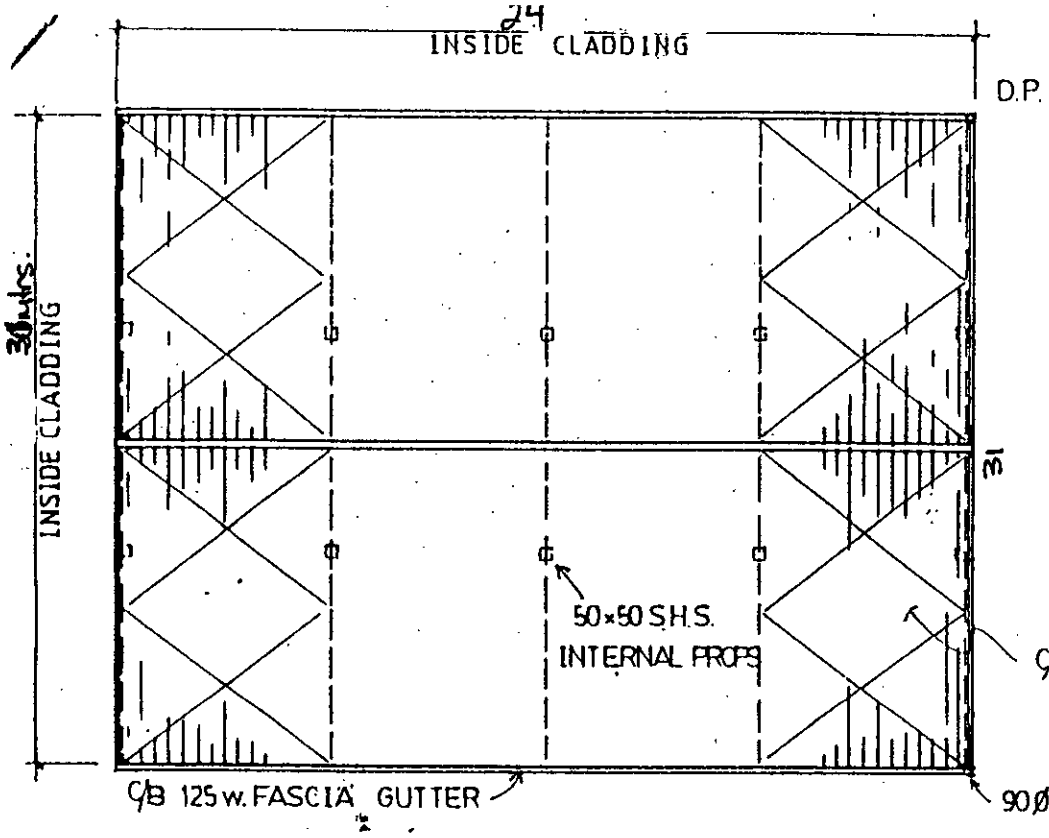

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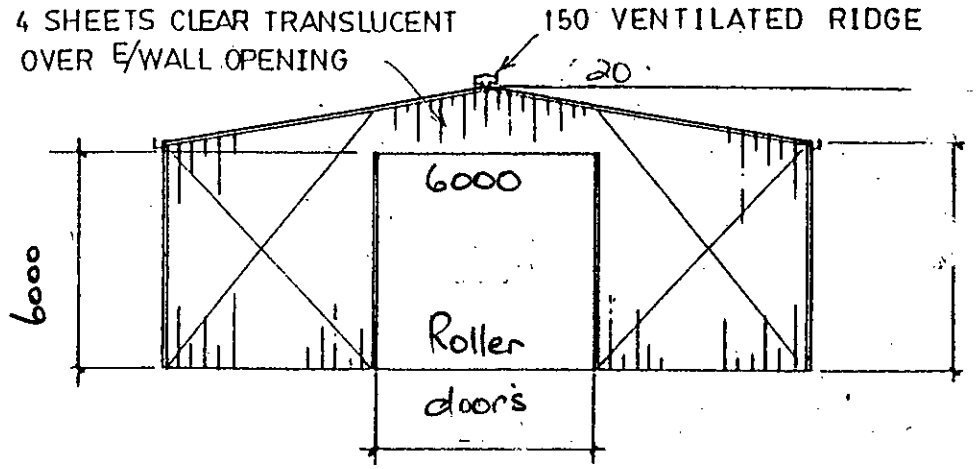

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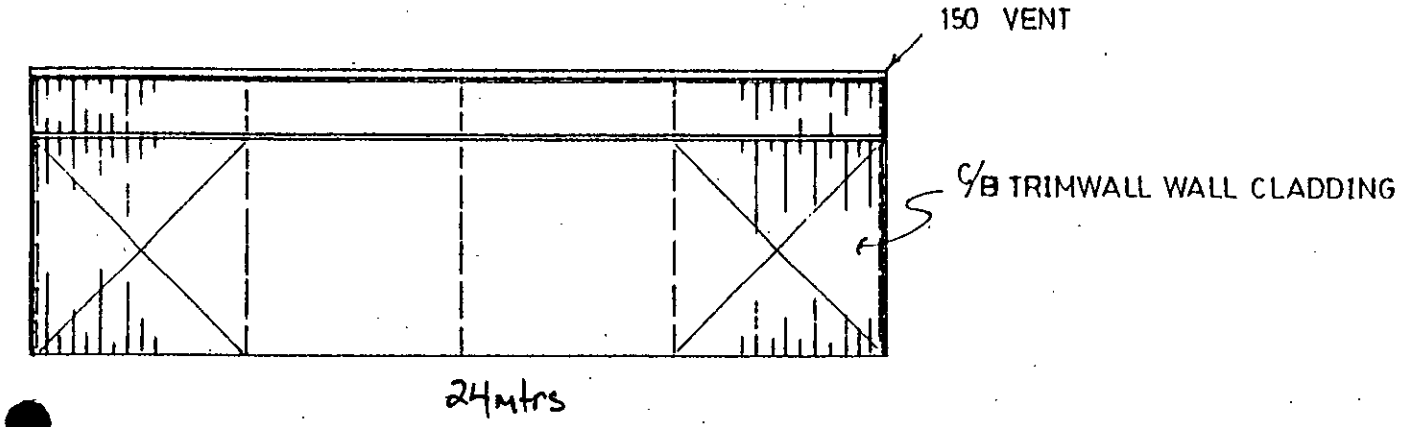

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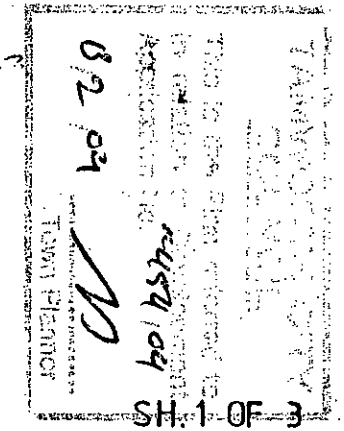
A/C KIPMAN TRUST



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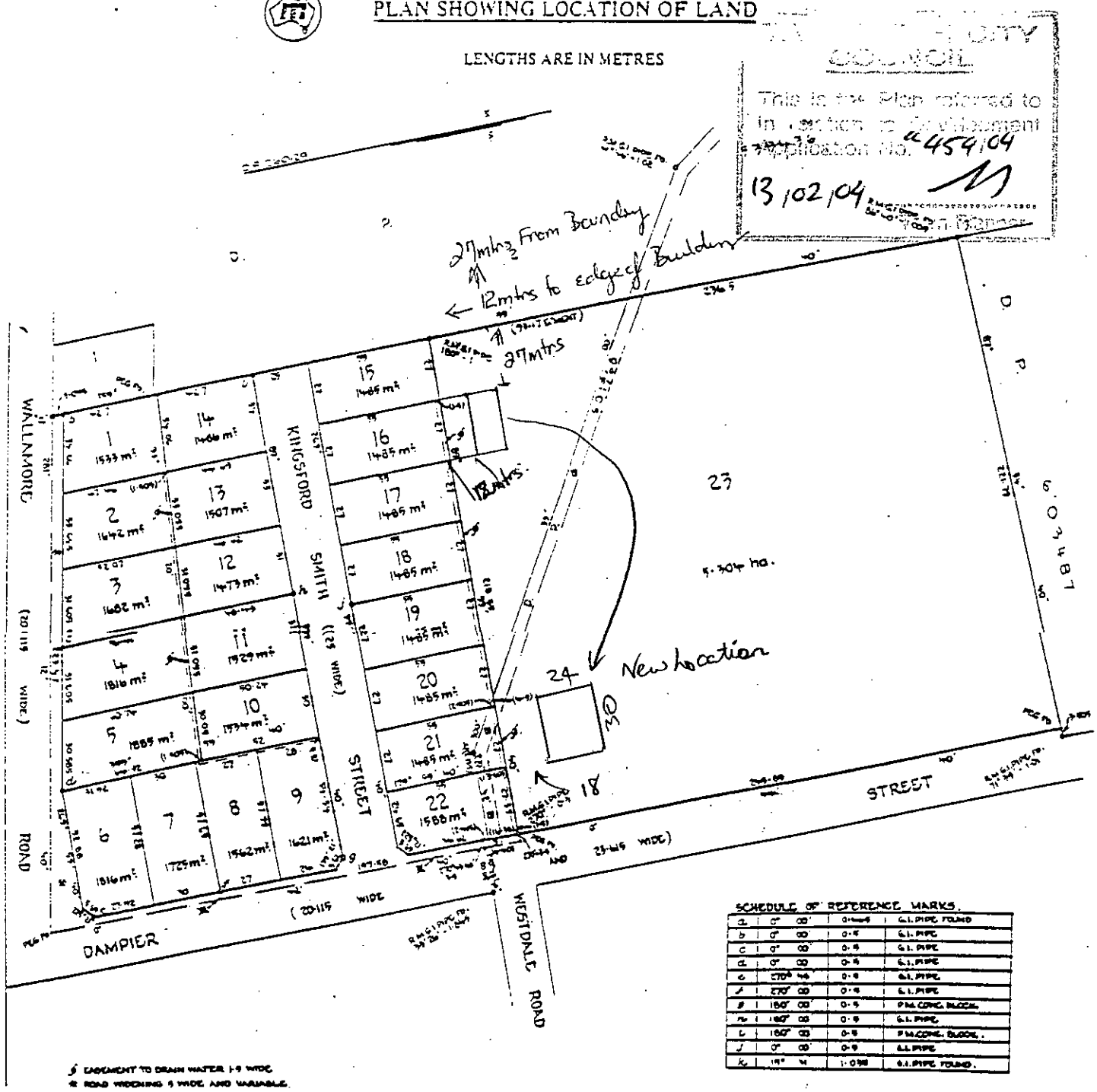

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ESTATE AND LAND REFERRED TO

Construction Certificate

FORM 11

issued under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
Section 109c(1)(c) & 109H

ABN 93 752 522 800

Construction Certificate No. CC0454/2004
Development Consent No. DA 0530/2004
Officer Responsible: Stuart Stevens

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Applicant's Details

Name: Kidman Trust P/L
41 North Street
EAST TAMWORTH NSW 2340

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DOC 8/9/2004
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GIS

Reference: n/a

Property Identification

Legal Description Lot 23 DP 260129

Property Address Dampier Street TAMINDA NSW 2340

Classification & Description of Development

Description: Garage- hayshed

Class: 10a,

Determination

This application has been determined by granting approval on: 13 February 2004
This construction certificate will expire at the same time as the development consent relied on.

Attachments

- Schedule of essential fire safety measures (if applicable)
- Conditions required to be attached by the Regulations

Approved Plans and Specifications Relied on

- Plans and specifications by Barnson P/L

Certificate

The Tamworth City Council certifies that the work:, if completed in accordance with these plans and specifications, will comply with the requirements of s81A(5) of the *Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979.*

..... 13/2/04.

Stuart Stevens **Date**
Graduate Development & Building Officer

Note: Prior to commencement of any work, you must appoint a Principal Certifying Authority (PCA). The PCA may be either an Accredited Certifier or Council. The PCA will issue Compliance Certificates in respect of inspections, processes and products required by the Development Consent and if required, an Occupation Certificate (or interim Occupation Certificate). You must advise Council of the appointment of a PCA by submitting a FORM 7 application a minimum of 2 days before work commences.

"Authority to sign" 26/8/03

Tamworth City Council

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TAMWORTH NSW 2340

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In reply please quote:
DA0530/2004

If telephoning ask for:
Development Services

Please address all correspondence to the General Manager

09 February 2004

Kidman Trust P/L
41 North Street
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Dear Sir/Madam

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
NOTICE TO APPLICANT OF DETERMINATION OF A DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

Pursuant to Section 81(1)(a) of the Act, notice is hereby given of the determination by Council of the following development application.

Development Application No. DA0530/2004

Subject Land: Lot 23 DP 260129, Dampier Street TAMINDA NSW 2340

Building Classification: 10a

Description: Hayshed

In the determination of this application Council considered all matters listed under Section 79C of the Act. The development application has been determined by the **granting of consent subject to the conditions** listed below.

Prior to Work Commencing

1) Appropriate measures are to be implemented in relation to erosion and sediment control prior to work commencing. Such measures are to be maintained during the construction of the development.

2) A sign is to be erected in a prominent position on any work site on which work involved in the erection or demolition of a building is being carried out stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited and showing the name of the person in charge of the work site and a telephone number at which that person may be contacted outside working hours. The sign is to be removed when the work has been completed. This condition does not apply to building work carried on inside an existing building, or building work carried out on premises that are to be occupied continuously (both during and outside working hours) while the work is carried out.

3) Toilet facilities are to be provided, prior to the commencement of work, at or in the vicinity of the work site on which work involved in the erection or demolition of a building is being carried out. Facilities are to be provided at the rate of one toilet for every 20 persons or part of 20 persons employed at the site. Each toilet provided must be a standard flushing toilet, and must be connected to a public sewer. If connection to a public sewer is not practicable, then the toilet is to be connected to an accredited sewage management facility approved by the council. If connection to a public sewer or an accredited sewage management facility is not practicable, then connection to some other sewage management facility approved by the council is required.

General

4) All building work must be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Building Code of Australia.

5) All proposed building, site works or property improvement indicated on the submitted plans or otherwise required under the terms of this consent shall be completed prior to occupation of the premises to ensure compliance with the provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979.

6) Work on the project shall be limited to the following hours to prevent unreasonable disturbance to the amenity of the area:- ***Monday to Friday - 7.00am to 5.00pm; Saturday - 8.00am to 1.00pm if audible on other residential premises, otherwise 7.00am to 5.00pm; No work to be carried out on Sunday or Public Holidays if it is audible on other residential premises.*** The builder shall be responsible to instruct and control his sub-contractors regarding the hours of work. Council will exercise its powers under the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997, in the event that the building operations cause noise to emanate from the property on Sundays or Public Holidays or otherwise than between the hours detailed above.

Inspections

7) ***Inspection*** - When building works have reached the following stages an inspection is to be arranged by contacting Council's Customer Service Centre by phoning 67554 555 (or by Facsimile 6755 4499) by 4:00pm the day before the inspection is required.
Please advise Council if the work will not be ready at the appointed time. Failure to do so may incur an additional inspection fee of $50.

(i) Formwork for concrete slabs with reinforcement in position, prior to concrete being poured;
(ii) Final inspection of the development (prior to occupation, where applicable);

During Construction

8) The footpath and/or road reserve are not to be used for construction purposes or placing of building materials (without Council's prior consent) to ensure safe and unobstructed access for

pedestrians. Where necessary, application may be made by contacting Council's Development & Approvals Division.

9) Roofwaters are to be disposed of by piping to the street gutter to control the flow of roofwaters so as to prevent damage to the building's footings and to restrict the likelihood of stormwater nuisance to adjoining landholders.

The conditions have been imposed in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act and Council's adopted policies.

This approval became effective on 09 February 2004 (Section 83 of the Act) and will lapse unless the proposed development is commenced within five (5) years of the approval date (Section 95 of the Act).

Under the provisions of Section 97 of the Act you may (within twelve [12] months of receipt of this notice) appeal to the Land and Environment Court against conditions imposed should you feel they are unreasonable.

All conditions imposed by Council shall be observed as non-compliance is an offence under the Act.

Please address any enquiries concerning this consent to Stuart Stevens of Council's Development & Approvals Division on (02) 6755 4537.

Yours faithfully

Stuart Stevens
Graduate Development & Building Officer

Determination issued in accordance with "Delegation of Functions" issued on: _____

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Boresch Project Services
PO Box 1561
TAMWORTH NSW 2340

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Dear Madam

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
NOTICE TO APPLICANT OF DETERMINATION OF A DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

Pursuant to Section 81(1)(a) of the Act, notice is hereby given of the determination by Council of the following development application.

Development Application No.	DA0525/2015
Subject Land:	Lot 23 DP 260129, 55 Dampier Street, TAMINDA
Description:	Use of Part of the Land for the Storage of Shipping Containers and Demountable Buildings
Applicant's Reference:	2015-042

In the determination of this application Council considered all matters listed under Section 79C of the Act. The development application has been determined by the **granting of consent subject to the conditions** listed below.

General

1) The development must be carried out in accordance with the Development Application and accompanying plans, drawings and other documents as amended by conditions of this consent. Any amendment to the development or to these conditions will require the consent of the Council.

2) To confirm and clarify Council's terms of approval, this consent provides **only** for the storage of shipping containers and demountable buildings on the land. It does not allow for activities such as the:

   a) Retail sale of shipping containers, demountable buildings or other structures;
   b) Inspection of shipping containers or demountable buildings stored onsite by customers;
   c) Display of shipping containers or demountable buildings for sale;
   d) Manufacture of structures or products made from shipping containers or demountable buildings;
   e) Alterations to shipping containers or demountable buildings; and
   f) Washing of shipping containers or demountable buildings stored onsite.

3) The storage of shipping containers and a demountable building is restricted to the area of land defined as Lease Area 1 (2226m^2) and Lease Area 2 (900m^2) as illustrated on the stamped approved plans.

4) The access handle outlined with red pen on the stamped approved plans is not permitted to be used for the storage of shipping containers and/or demountable buildings.

5) No temporary or permanent structures are permitted to be constructed onsite including a site office, amenities, workshop or other associated building. In this regard, all enquiries shall be taken, and all sales made off- site.

6) To protect the integrity of the sewer main traversing the site, no shipping containers or demountable buildings shall be stored within:

   a) The 6 metre wide sewer easement; and

   b) A distance of less than 6 metres from the existing sewer manhole.

7) This consent provides for the installation of a one (1) business identification sign displayed on the fence. A business identification sign is defined by the Tamworth Regional Local Environmental Plan 2010 as follows:

   *"**building identification sign** means a sign that identifies or names a building and that may include the name of a building, the street name and number of a building, and a logo or other symbol but does not include general advertising of products, goods or services."*

8) Any external lighting must be designed to comply with Australian Standard AS4282 Control of Offensive Effects of Outdoor Lighting

Ongoing Requirements

9) Vehicles shall be loaded or unloaded standing wholly within the allotment to ensure that the proposed development does not give rise to street loading or unloading operations with consequent accident potential and reduction in road efficiency. Under no circumstances are vehicles to be loaded or unloaded at the kerb side, or across the public footpath.

10) All vehicular movement to and from the site shall be in a forward direction to ensure that the proposed development does not give rise to vehicle reversing movements on or off the Public Road with consequent traffic accident potential and reduction in road efficiency.

11) Dust control measures shall be in place to prevent dust from vehicles using the unsealed access affecting the amenity of the immediate area. The landowner is responsible for monitoring the dust and implementing controls as needed.

The conditions have been imposed in accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act and Council's adopted policies.

This approval became effective on Friday, 7 August 2015 (Section 83 of the Act) and will lapse unless the proposed development is commenced within five (5) years of the approval date (Section 95 of the Act).

Under the provisions of Section 97 of the Act you may (within six (6) months from the date of this development consent) appeal to the Land and Environment Court against conditions imposed should you feel they are unreasonable.

All conditions imposed by Council shall be observed as non-compliance is an offence under the Act.

Council is committed to a process of continual improvement. You are invited to arrange a post lodgement meeting with the Manager Development Approvals should you wish to discuss your experience with this development application. Alternately, you may send written correspondence to Council by post or email. Contact details are provided on the front page of this approval.

Yours faithfully

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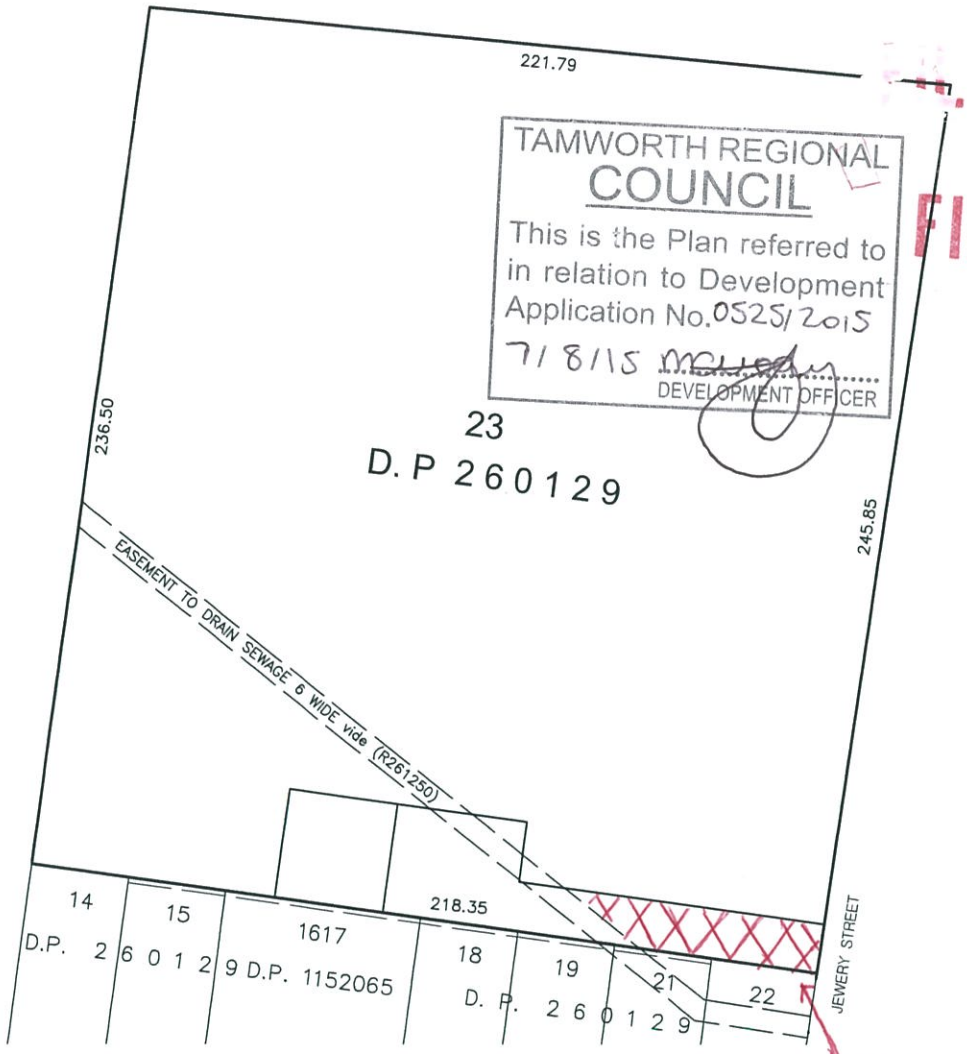

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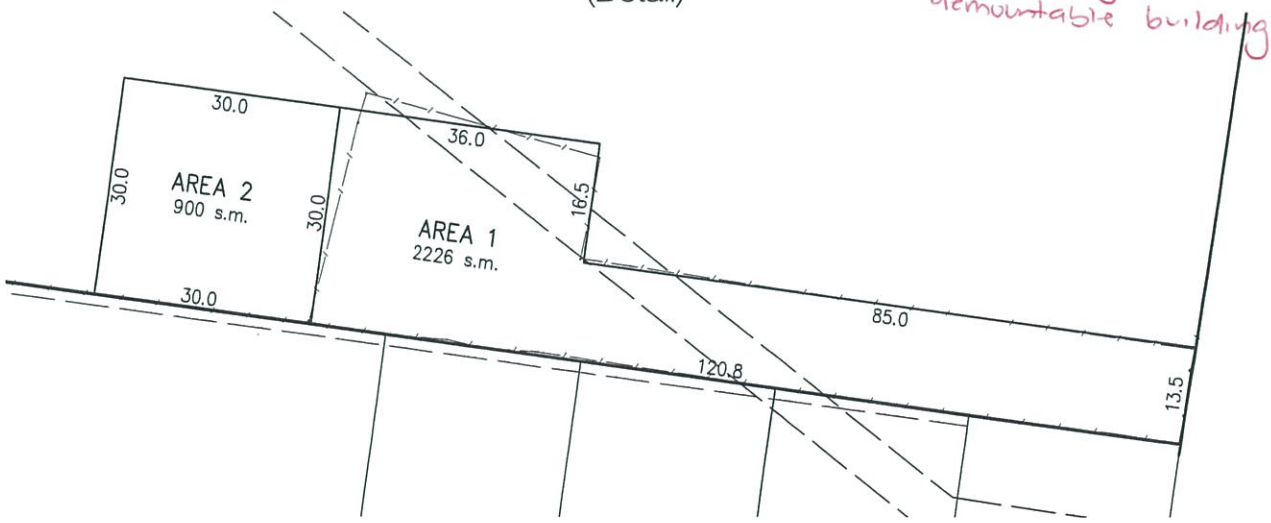

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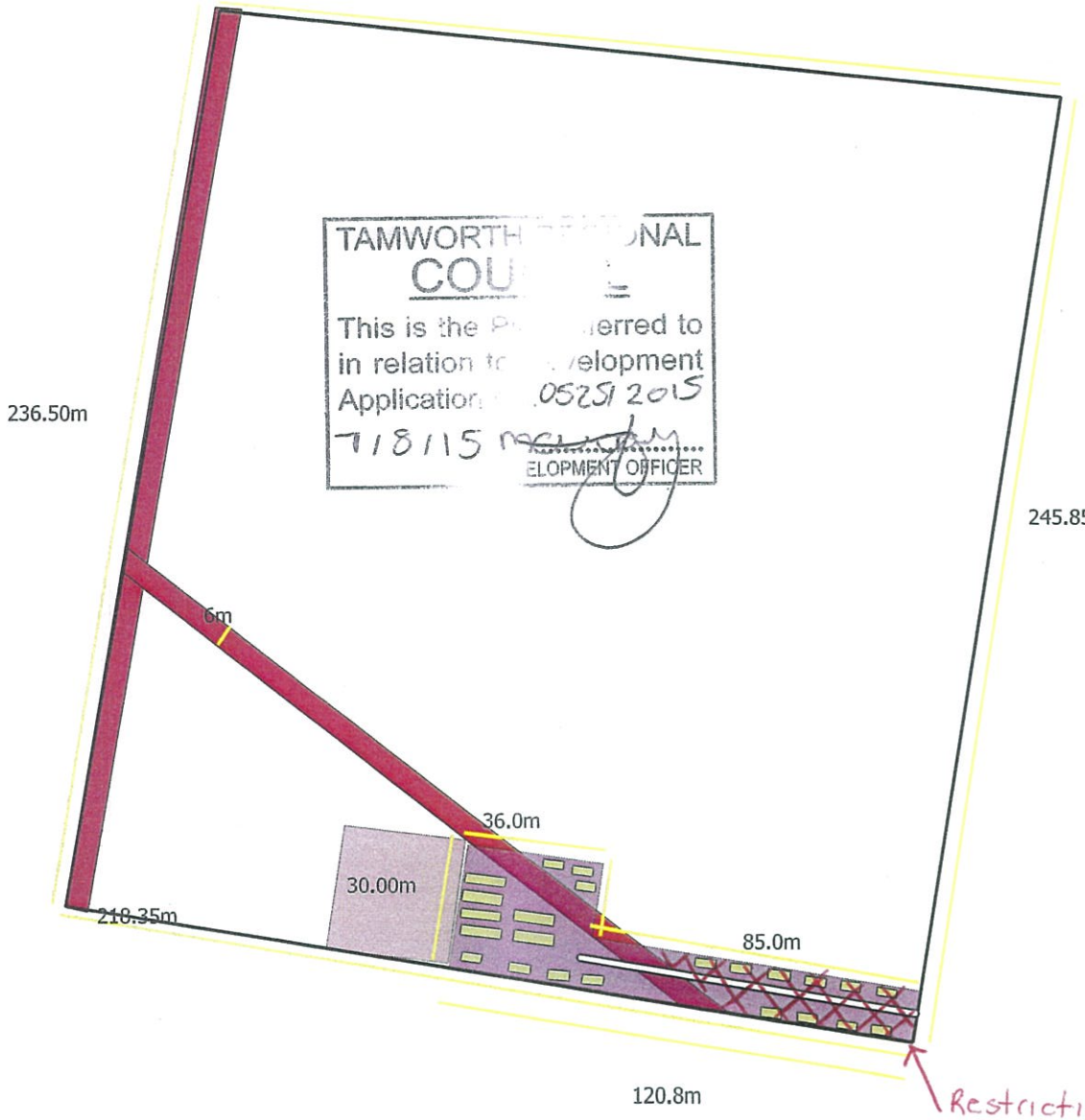

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EI Australia
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Dear Mr Rizkalla

RE SITE: 55 Dampier and 72 Wallamore Rd, Taminda NSW 2340

I refer to your site search request received by SafeWork NSW on 1 November 2018 requesting information on Storage of Hazardous Chemicals for the above site.

A search of the records held by SafeWork NSW has not located any records pertaining to the above-mentioned premises.

For further information or if you have any questions, please call us on 13 10 50 or email licensing@safework.nsw.gov.au

Yours sincerely

Customer Service Officer
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7.11 Traffic Impact Assessment

Traffic Impact Assessment Report

Solar Farm & Rezoning Application,
55 Dampier Street, Taminda

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Dear Justin,

Traffic Impact Assessment Report
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With reference to the above, please find the following Traffic Impact Assessment report regarding the Solar Farm and rezoning application at 55 Dampier Street, Taminda.

If you have any further enquiries regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Yours faithfully
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This Traffic Impact Assessment (TIA) is for both a proposed solar farm and future industrial rezoning application at Lots 1, 2 & 3 in DP 1234850, known as 55 Dampier Street, Taminda, NSW 2350.

The development of the site shall consist of two stages:

- Stage 1 - Meralli Solar proposes to develop a Solar Farm facility located on the subject property;
- Stage 2 – Future development of approximately 30Ha of Industrial and Business Development land elsewhere on the subject property, subject to rezoning.

The property is located within the Tamworth Regional Local Government Area and is currently used for both a portable building/shipping container depot and agricultural purposes.

Access to the site is currently provided from Dampier Street adjacent to the southern site boundary and the intersection of Showground Road and Dampier Street. The development will utilise existing infrastructure afforded to the land.

This report has considered:

- Review of existing key transport network conditions;
- Calculation of the traffic generated by the proposed developments;
- Determination of key intersections impacted by the proposed developments;
- Review car parking;
- Analysis of the development's impact on the surrounding road and intersection network impacts on capacity, condition, safety and efficiency; and
- Recommendations to mitigate or manage traffic impact.

Upon analysis, we advise the following works to be implemented:

Solar Farm

1. The existing gravel driveway and access road will require to be upgraded;
2. All traffic access the site from the south and exit via the east (left in – left out).

Rezoning

A new roundabout at the intersection of the subject site with Jewry Street. The roundabout shall incorporate the following design features:

1. Two lanes in each direction on the approaches from Dampier Street;
2. One lane in each direct on the approaches from the new rezoning access road.

The new rezoning access road should feature as a minimum:

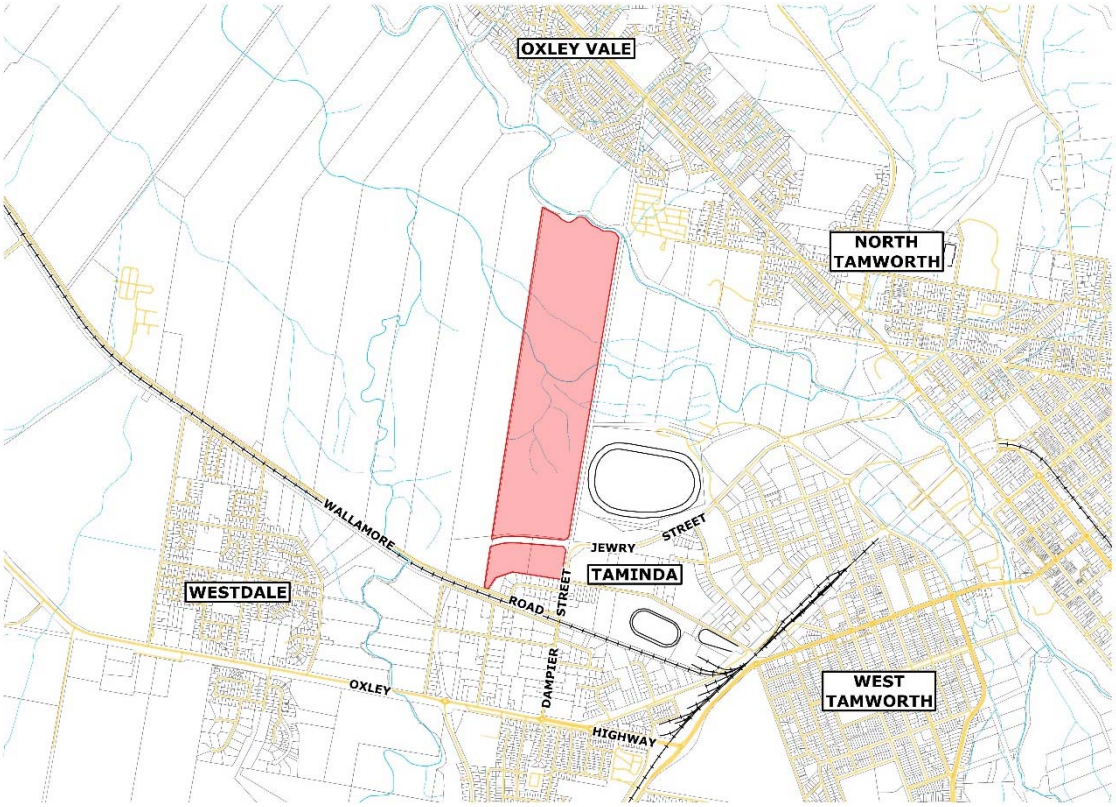
3. 28m road reserve width;
4. 2 x 3.5m wide travel lanes;
5. 2 x 5.5m wide parking lanes;
6. Kerb and gutter.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Background

Barnson Pty Ltd have been commissioned by Elton Consulting to prepare a Traffic Impact Assessment (TIA) for a Solar Farm and future industrial rezoing, located on Lots 1, 2 & 3 in DP 1234850, known as 55 Dampier Street, Taminda, NSW 2350. The site is currently used for both a portable building/shipping container depot and agricultural purposes.

The site is zoned RU4 Primary Production small lots pursuant to the provisions under the *Tamworth Local Environmental Plan 2010* (the LEP). A locality sketch is shown below in Figure 1.



Source: (NSW Spatial Information Exchange, 2018)

Figure 1 – Site Location

1.2 Purpose and Scope

This report has been commissioned by the applicant as part of a Development Application (DA) and re-zoning for the subject site.

The purpose of this report is to provide specialised assessment of the proposed development's impacts on traffic, transport and local road infrastructure. The study area of this Traffic Impact Assessment includes the public road infrastructure traversed by vehicles accessing the site.

This report will assess the impacts of the proposed development in accordance with RMS Guide to Traffic Generating Developments 2002 and Tamworth Regional Councils Development Control Plan 2010.

Specifically, this assessment includes:

- Review of existing key transport network conditions;
- Calculation of the traffic generated by the proposed developments;
- Determination of key intersections impacted by the proposed developments;
- Review car parking;
- Analysis of the development's impact on the surrounding road and intersection network impacts on capacity, condition, safety and efficiency; and
- Recommendations to mitigate or manage traffic impact.

1.3 Existing Development

The site is currently for:

- A portable building/shipping container business;
- Agricultural (cropping) purposes.

An aerial image is shown below in Figure 2.

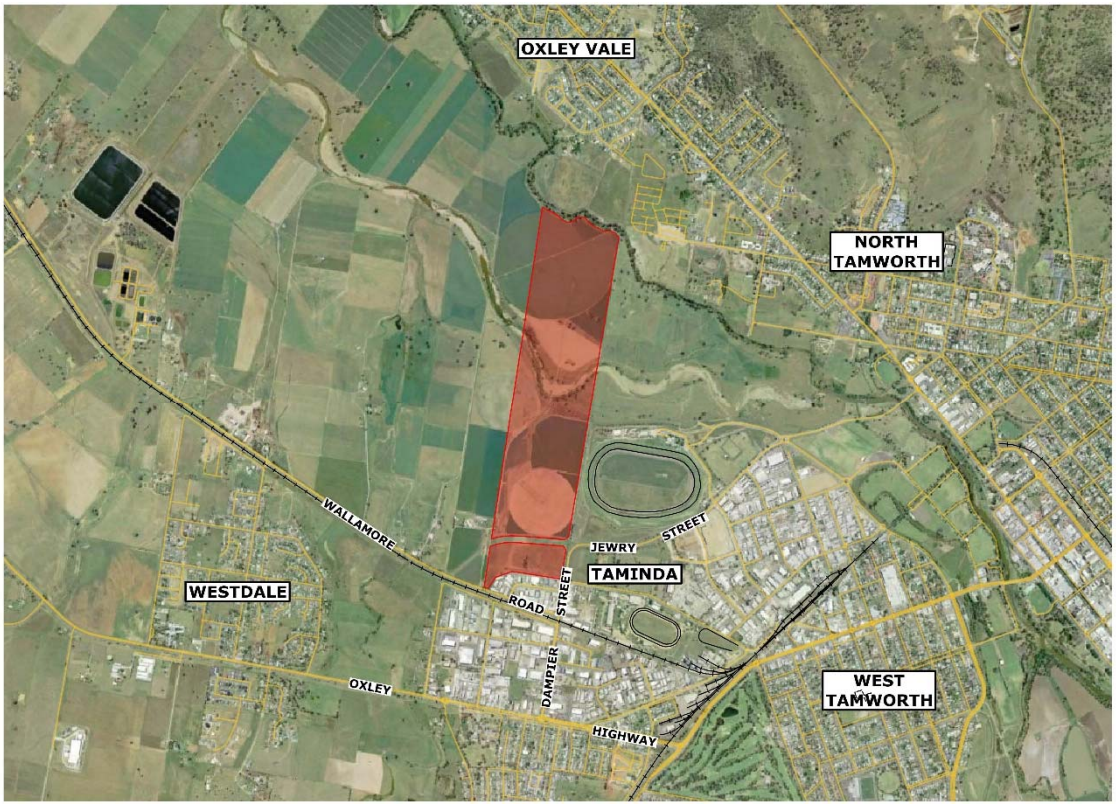


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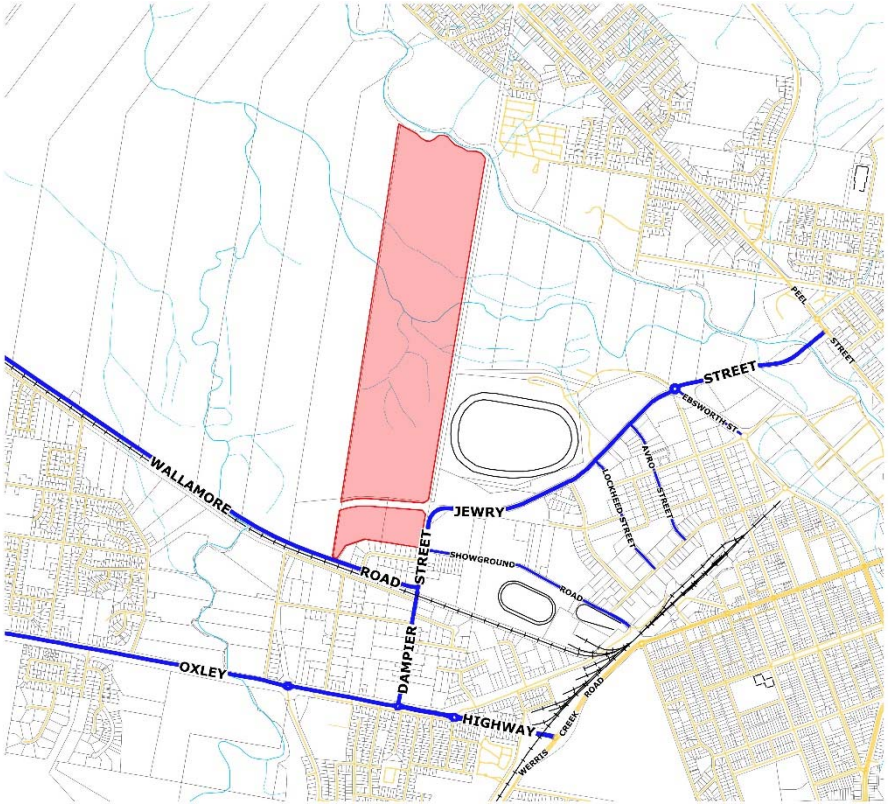
Figure 2 – Site Aerial Photograph

The sole access to the site is via Dampier Street.

1.3.1 Existing Traffic Hierarchy

The road hierarchy in the vicinity of the site is shown in figure 3 with the following roads of being considered the main access roads for the developments:

- Gunnedah Road (Oxley Hwy): an RTA State Road (MR 11) that generally runs in an east-west direction and acts as the primary arterial link between Tamworth and Gunnedah in the west;
- Jewry Street: a local collector road that runs in an east-west direction between North Tamworth and Taminda (Dampier Street). It is an RMS classified road from Gunnedah Road (Oxley Highway - HW11) to Peel Street (MR63) at Tamworth;
- Dampier Street: a local road that runs in a north-south direction and currently forms an extension of Jewry Street to the Oxley Highway;
- Wallamore Road: a local road that generally runs to the northwest from Dampier Street (Taminda). It primarily serves the industrial area of Glen Artney, saleyards, abattoirs and the Tangaratta Feedmill further to the north.



Source: (NSW Spatial Information Exchange, 2018)

Figure 3 – Site Road Hierarchy

1.4 PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposed development is to be staged, as described below:

1.4.1 Stage 1 – Solar Farm

A solar provider in association with the landowner proposes to develop a Solar Farm facility located on the subject property. The solar farm will occupy approximately 7Ha of the site and will consist of panels only. Access to the farm will be via the existing entrance and a new temporary access road on the southern side of the subject site, until such time as the industrial land is developed (subject to rezoning below).

Proposed site plans are shown in Appendix A.

1.4.2 Stage 2 – Rezoning

Future development of approximately 30Ha of Industrial and Business Development land elsewhere on the subject property, subject to rezoning. Access to the site will be via a new intersection at the existing entrance on Dampier Street.

Proposed site plans are shown in Appendix A.

2 EXISTING TRANSPORT ENVIRONMENT

2.1 Existing Traffic Volumes on Public Roads

2.1.1 Jewry/Dampier Street traffic

Traffic counts for Jewry& Dampier Street were obtained from Tamworth Regional Council for March 2016.

The Tamworth Regional Council Traffic Counts were taken on Jewry Street adjacent to Westdale Road. These counts indicated at average daily traffic to be 10,095 vpd with a with a heavy vehicle percentage of approximately 13.5% (class 3 – 12 inclusive). This data is presented in Appendix B.

For the purposes of the analysis, we shall adopt a 3% cumulative growth, as shown in **Table 1** below.

Table 1 – Summary of existing traffic volumes on Jewry & Dampier Street

Location	Vehicles per day[1]	Vehicles per hour[1]
Jewry/Dampier Street	10,710	1,071

1) All vehicle rates shown are for movements in both directions.

2) Vehicle per hour rate (vph) nominally 10% of vehicle per day (vpd) rate, as per RMS guidelines.

From the Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) website, Jewry Street is a classified Road from Gunnedah Road (Oxley Highway - HW11) at Tamworth via Dampier Street and Jewry Street to Peel Street (MR63) at Tamworth. This is shown in **Figure 3.** Speed limits vary from 50km/hr – 60km/hr.

2.2 Current Site Access and Pavement

2.2.1 Dampier Street from the south

For vehicles accessing the site from the south, they would predominately turn left or right from the Gunnedah Road (Oxley Hwy), and pass through a key intersection with Wallamore Road. This is shown in **Figure 3**.

2.2.1.1 Gunnedah Road (Oxley Highway) and Dampier Street Intersection

The Gunnedah Road (Oxley Highway) and Dampier Street intersection is a three-way RAB (round-a-bout) with 4 lane dual carriageway on each approach. It has concrete kerb and gutter on all side of the approaches. There are designated left and right turn lanes for vehicles exiting the Gunnedah Road into Dampier Street. The RAB is of mountable concrete construction to accommodate the sweep paths of larger vehicles and the surrounding pavement is concrete in excellent condition.

Figure 4 – Intersection of the Gunnedah Road (Oxley Hwy) and Dampier Street, west view

Figure 5 – Intersection of the Gunnedah Road (Oxley Hwy) and Dampier Street, west view

Figure 6 – Intersection of the Gunnedah Road (Oxley Hwy) and Dampier Street, north view

2.2.1.2 Wallamore Road and Dampier Street Intersection

The Wallamore Road and Dampier Street is a standard T-intersection with traffic along Dampier Street forming the major stream. Traffic approaching Dampier Street from Wallamore Road must give-way.

There are centre median strips along Dampier Street for vehicles turning into Wallamore Road. The road has centerline markings and is of sufficient width allowing slip lanes on the inside of turning traffic. It is of asphaltic concrete construction in excellent condition with kerb and gutter both sides.

Figure 7 – Intersection of the Wallamore Road and Dampier Street, south view

Figure 8 – Intersection of the Wallamore Road and Dampier Street, south view

Figure 9 – Intersection of the Wallamore Road and Dampier Street, west view

2.2.2 Jewry Street from the north

For vehicles accessing the site from the north, is via Jewry Street and would pass through the key intersections with Ebsworth, Arvo, Lockheed and Wirraway Streets. This is shown in **Figure 3**.

2.2.2.1 Ebsworth and Jewry Street Intersection

The Ebsworth and Jewry Street is a four-way RAB (round-a-bout) with splitter islands and four lane dual carriageway on key approaches. It has concrete kerb and gutter on all side of the approaches. The RAB is of mountable concrete construction to accommodate the sweep paths of larger vehicles and the surrounding pavement is asphaltic concrete in excellent condition.

Figure 10 – Intersection of Ebsworth and Jewry Street, south view

Figure 11 – Jewry Street, north view past intersection with Ebsworth Street

2.2.2.2 Arvo and Jewry Street Intersection

The Arvo and Jewry Street is a standard T-intersection with traffic along Jewry Street forming the major stream. Traffic approaching Jewry Street from Arvo Street must give-way.

Jewry Street has centerline markings and is of dual carriageway width with kerB and gutter on the eastern side only. It is of asphaltic concrete construction and is in reasonable condition.

Figure 12– Intersection of Arvo and Jewry Street, south view

Figure 13– Intersection of Arvo and Jewry Street, north view

2.2.2.3 Lockheed and Jewry Street Intersection

The Lockheed and Jewry Street is a standard T-intersection with traffic along Jewry Street forming the major stream. Traffic approaching Jewry Street from Lockheed Street must give-way.

Jewry Street has centerline markings and is of sufficient width allowing slip lanes on the inside of turning traffic. It has kerb and gutter on the eastern side only and is of asphaltic concrete construction in reasonable condition.

Figure 14– Intersection of Lockheed and Jewry Street, south view

Figure 15– Intersection of Lockheed and Jewry Street, north view

2.2.3 Dampier Street from the east

For vehicles accessing the site from the south, they would do so from Showground Road. Showground Road forms a staggered 'T' intersection with the subject site and Dampier Street. This is shown in **Figure 3**.

2.2.3.1 Showground Road and Dampier Street Intersection

The Showground Road and Dampier Street is a standard T-intersection with traffic along Dampier Street forming the major stream. Traffic approaching Dampier Street from Showground Road must give-way.

Jewry Street has centerline markings and narrows at the subject site entrance. There is kerb and gutter on both sides of the road immediately south of the entrance but not the north. The wearing surface is of asphaltic concrete construction in reasonable condition.

The current entrance to 55 Dampier Street is not directly opposite Showground Rd, as shown in **Figure 3**. The current entrance has no formal driveway and is in poor condition, as shown in **Figure 20.**

Figure 16 – Intersection of Dampier Street and Showground Road towards subject site

Figure 17 – Intersection of Dampier Street and Showground Road, south view

Note: Existing site access shown on right.

Figure 18 – Intersection of Dampier Street and Showground Road, north view

Note: Existing site access shown on left.

Figure 19 – Intersection of Dampier Street and Showground Road with existing site entrance

Figure 20 – 55 Dampier Street, existing site entrance

2.2.4 Proposed Site Access Location

The proposed site access for both the solar farm and industrial subdivision is via Jewry Street. It is adjacent to an existing bend in the road and registered road reserve. This is shown in Appendix A.

Jewry Street in this location has a formed 2-lane sealed road with double-line centerline marking. There is an existing gravel access track at the servicing the subject site.

Figure 21 – Intersection of Jewry Street and proposed site entrance (east view)

Figure 22 – Intersection of Jewry Street and proposed site entrance (south view)

2.3 Public Transport

2.3.1 Jewry Street

A bus service operated by Tamworth Bus-lines operates a daily service on Jewry Street, with the 437-route passing the subject site twice daily, as shown in Figure 23 below:

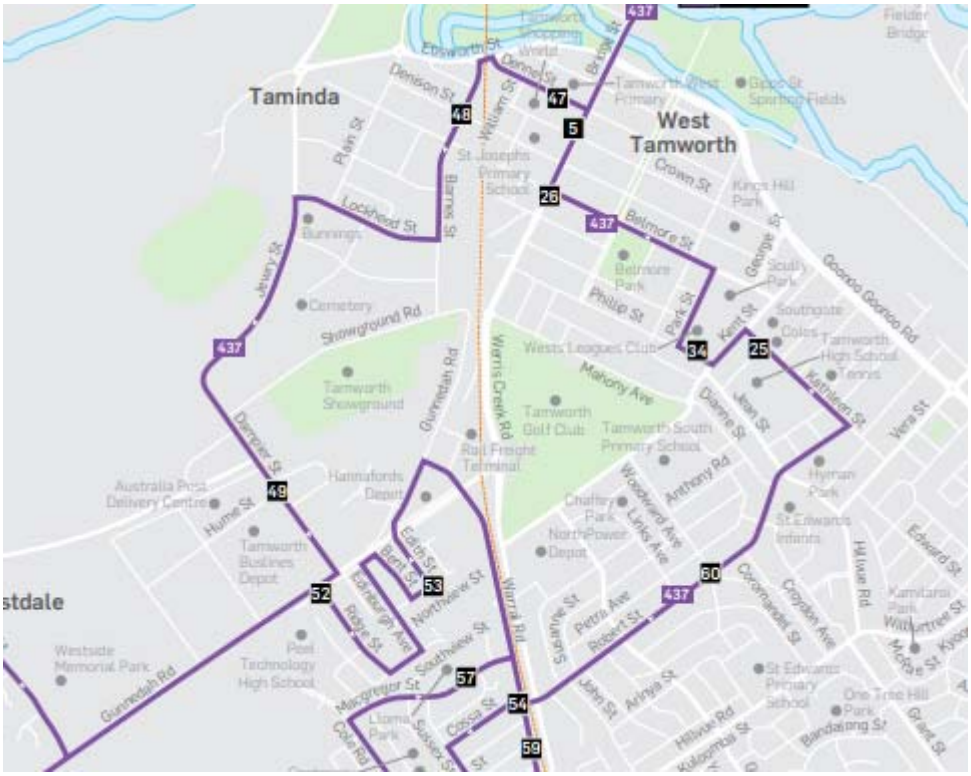


Figure 23 – Bus lines route map

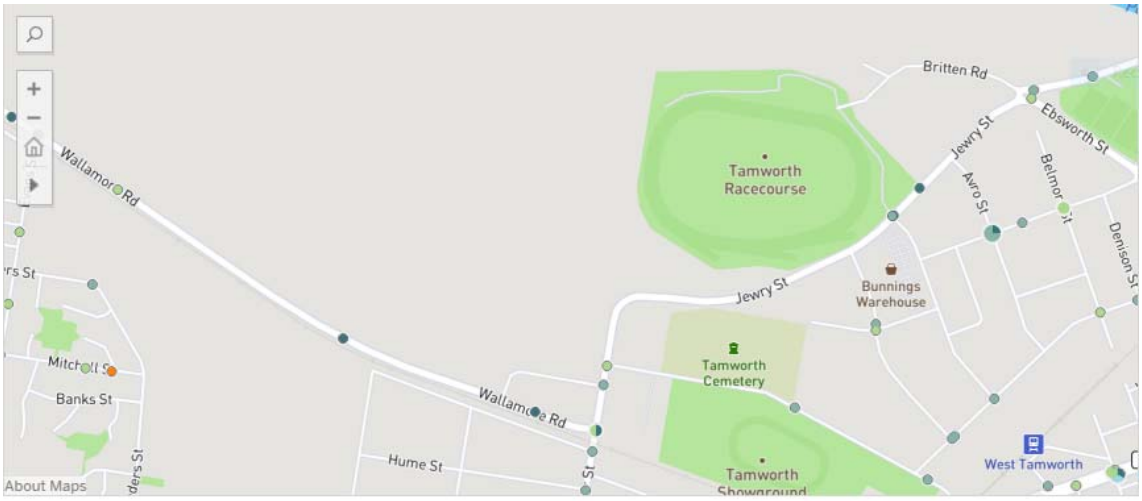
Additional school buses also utilise Jewry Street. There is currently no formal bus stop adjacent to the site entrance.

2.4 Traffic Safety

2.4.1 Jewry Street

Traffic accident history of the area has been provided from the RMS website. In the last five years, there have been two (2) accidents along the subject route within 100m of the subject site.

The accident history plan is shown in Figure 24 below.



Degree of crash

Fatal | Serious Injury | Moderate Injury | Minor/Other Injury | Non-casualty (towaway)

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2013	822317	Moderate Injury	10	Cross traffic	X-intersection	Daylight	150.90438	-31.113832	-	2
	822661	Serious Injury	14	2 right turning	X-intersection	Daylight	150.922979	-31.075231	-	1
	823737	Non-casualty (t..	10	Cross traffic	X-intersection	Daylight	150.904595	-31.111286	-	-
	823756	Moderate Injury	30	Rear end	T-junction	Daylight	150.92782	-31.110609	-	1
	823907	Moderate Injury	49	Other manoeuvring	2-way undivided	Daylight	150.915461	-31.045326	-	1
	823969	Non-casualty (t..	83	Off rt/rt bnd=>obj	2-way undivided	Daylight	151.093807	-30.588859	-	-
	824095	Moderate Injury	70	Off road to left	2-way undivided	Daylight	150.806963	-31.256507	-	1
	824130	Minor/Other Inj..	71	Off rd left => obj	2-way undivided	Daylight	150.923611	-31.083915	-	1

Figure 24 – Accident history plan

There was one accident adjacent to site, at the intersection of Jewry Street and Showground road. It has been described as:

- T-junction rear-end, non-casualty in 2013.

A second accident occurred at the intersection of Jewry Street and Kingsford Smith Street, approximately 70m south of the subject site access. It has been described as:

- T-junction right rear, moderate injury in 2015.

2.5 Existing Operating Hours

The existing operating hours for the portable building/shipping container depot are 9.00pm-5.00pm Monday to Friday, and 9.00pm – 12.00pm on Saturdays.

2.6 Existing parking

At present, there are no formal car or truck spaces provided on the site however vehicles do current park informally on the site, as shown in Figure 20.

3 FUTURE TRAFFIC ENVIRONMENT

As stated in section 1.4, the proposed development is staged.

- Stage 1 - A Solar Farm facility located on the subject property;
- Stage 2 – Future development of approximately 30Ha of Industrial land elsewhere on the subject property, subject to rezoning.

These stages are analysed further below:

3.1 Proposed traffic volumes - Solar Farm

3.1.1 Construction

The following is a summary of the proposed traffic generation of the site during the construction phase of the solar farm:

- Workday install traffic – personal light vehicles up to 10 vpd (both directions);
- Workday delivery traffic – semi-trailer for panels up to 4 vpd (both directions).

Therefore, the expected traffic generation is:

Table 2 – Summary of traffic generation rates during construction phase

Rates	VPD	VPH[1]
Installation Employees	10	2
Delivery (heavy vehicle) traffic	4	1
TOTAL:	*14*	*3*

1) Assumes 1/5 x VPD rate.

3.1.2 Development

The following is a summary of the proposed traffic generation of the site:

- Workday employee traffic – personal vehicles up to 4 vpd;
- Weekend and after-hours employee traffic - personal vehicles up to 2 vpd.

Therefore, the expected traffic generation is:

Table 3 – Summary of traffic generation rates during operation phase

Rates	VPD	VPH[1]
Regular Employees	4	4
TOTAL:	*4*	*4*

2) Assumes same rate.

3.1.3 Summary of proposed peak traffic volumes

A summary of the proposed traffic volumes during the construction phase is shown in Table 4. The construction phase traffic has been adopted as it will have the most impact on the existing network.

Table 4 – Summary of general traffic volumes on Jewry Street, solar farm construction

Location	Existing/Proposed VPD[1]	Existing/Proposed VPH
Dampier Street	10,710 / 10,724	1,071 / 1,074

1) Combined movements, both directions.

The increase on traffic volumes on Jewry Street during the construction phase of the solar farm would be approximately 0.13%, which is negligible.

3.2 Proposed traffic volumes - Rezoning

3.2.1 Development

As per section 1.4.2 and Appendix A, the rezoning application would be for approximately 30Ha of land currently zoned RU4 Primary Production small lots. The proposed zoning is for a mix of General Industrial IN1 and Business Development B5.

The exact lot configuration is not known as yet. From the proposed site plan shown in Appendix A, it will feature a 40m wide road reserve for a future road. This will leave a residual area of approximately 22Ha for Industrial and Business Development. Of this, 18Ha will be General Industrial IN1 and the remaining 5Ha will be Business Development B5.

For the purposes of analysis, the following employee numbers have been adopted:

- General Industrial IN1 – 35 Employees/Ha;
- Business Development B5 - 70 Employees/Ha.

Therefore, the expected traffic generation is:

Table 5 – Summary of traffic generation rates from Rezoning

Rates	Ha	VPD	VPH[3]
General Industrial IN1 – 35/Ha	18	630	189
Business Development B5 – 70/Ha	5	350	105
TOTAL:		*980*	*294*

3) Assume 30% of VPD.

3.2.2 Summary of proposed peak traffic volumes

A summary of the proposed traffic volumes during when the site is rezoned and fully developed is shown in Table 6.

Table 6 – Summary of general traffic volumes on Jewry Street after rezoning

Location	Existing/Proposed VPD[1]	Existing/Proposed VPH
Dampier Street	10,710 / 11,690	1,071/1,365

1) Combined movements, both directions.

The increase on traffic volumes on when the site is rezoned and fully developed on Jewry Street is approximately 9.15%.

3.3 Jewry Street Intersection Analysis

3.3.1 Solar Farm

From **Table 4**, the increase in traffic on Jewry Street from the solar farm would be approximately 0.13%, which is negligible. No intersection upgrade is required however the existing gravel driveway and access road will require to be upgraded. It is also recommended that all traffic access the site from the south and exit via the east (left in – left out).

3.3.2 Rezoning

From **Table 6**, the increase in traffic on Jewry Street from the rezoning is approximately 9.15%, which is significant and will require an intersection upgrade.

Due to the major stream (Jewry Street) traffic being in excess of 10,000vpd, and signalised intersection would cause significant disruption. A roundabout treatment is recommended.

The *RTA Guide to Traffic Generating Developments* provides typical mid-block capacities for urban roads with interrupted flow to be 1000 pcu/hr for one lane where PCU stands for passenger car units. For the basis of this assessment, all trucks are considered to represent 3 pcu.

The Level of Service (LoS) for each of the mid-block sections within the study area is summarised in **Table 7** below. This is based upon Level of Service guidelines from the *RTA Guide to Traffic Generating Developments* for Urban Peak Hour Flows per direction as summarised in **Table 7** below:

Table 7: Urban Road Peak Hour Flows per Direction[1].

Level of Service	One Lane (veh/hr)	Two Lanes (veh/hr)
A	200	900
B	380	1400
C	600	1800
D	900	2200
E	1400	2800

1. *Source: RTA Guide to Traffic Generating Developments (Oct 2002)*

The *RTA Guide for Urban Peak Hour Flows* specifies that a Level of Service C is desirable for weekday peak periods.

From the above, it can be concluded that for the proposed roundabout design should feature:

- Two lanes in each direction on the approaches from Jewry Street;
- One lane in each direct on the approaches from the new rezoning access road.

The new rezoning access road should be constructed in accordance with Tamworth Regional Councils Engineering Design Guidelines for Subdivisions & Developments Version 5 November 2016. The new road would be classified as a collector road. As such, the new road should feature as a minimum:

- 28m road reserve width;
- 2 x 3.5m wide travel lanes;
- 2 x 5.5m wide parking lanes;
- Kerb and gutter.

3.4 Car parking

The property is located in the Tamworth Regional Local Government Area. With reference to council's Development Control Plan 2010 (DCP), Appendix A, "Parking Requirements Schedule", carparking should be applied at the applicable rate upon receipt of each individual Development Application (DA).

3.5 Proposed Operating Hours

3.5.1 Solar Farm

The solar farm does not have standard hours of operation. There would be occasional maintenance vehicles only servicing the site.

3.5.2 Rezoning

The future types of industry and/or businesses are not known. It is expected the operating hours would be between 7.00pm-6.00pm Monday to Friday, and 7.00pm – 12.00pm on Saturdays, subject to future Development Applications.

3.6 Cumulative Impacts

There are no other known major developments currently being assessed by Tamworth Regional Council in proximity to the subject site.

4 CONCLUSION

This Traffic Impact Assessment (TIA) is for both a proposed solar farm and future industrial rezoning application at Lots 1, 2 & 3 in DP 1234850, known as 55 Dampier Street, Taminda, NSW 2350.

The development of the site shall consist of two stages:

- Stage 1 - A Solar Farm facility located on the subject property;
- Stage 2 – Future development of approximately 30Ha of Industrial and Business Development land elsewhere on the subject property, subject to rezoning.

The property is located in the Tamworth Regional Local Government Area and is currently used for a portable building/shipping container business and agricultural (cropping) purposes.

This report has considered:

- Review of existing key transport network conditions;
- Calculation of the traffic generated by the proposed development;
- Determination of key intersections impacted by the proposed development;
- Review car parking;
- Analysis of the development's impact on the surrounding road and intersection network impacts on capacity, condition, safety and efficiency; and
- Recommendations to mitigate or manage traffic impact.

Upon analysis, we advise the following works to be implemented:

Solar Farm

1. The existing gravel driveway and access road will require to be upgraded;
2. All traffic access the site from the south and exit via the east (left in – left out).

Rezoning

A new roundabout at the intersection of the subject site and Jewry Street. The roundabout shall incorporate the following design features:

2. Two lanes in each direction on the approaches from Jewry Street;
3. One lane in each direct on the approaches from the new rezoning access road.

The new rezoning access road should feature as a minimum:

4. 28m road reserve width;
5. 2 x 3.5m wide travel lanes;
6. 2 x 5.5m wide parking lanes;
7. Kerb and gutter.

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours faithfully
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Appendix A – Proposed Site plans

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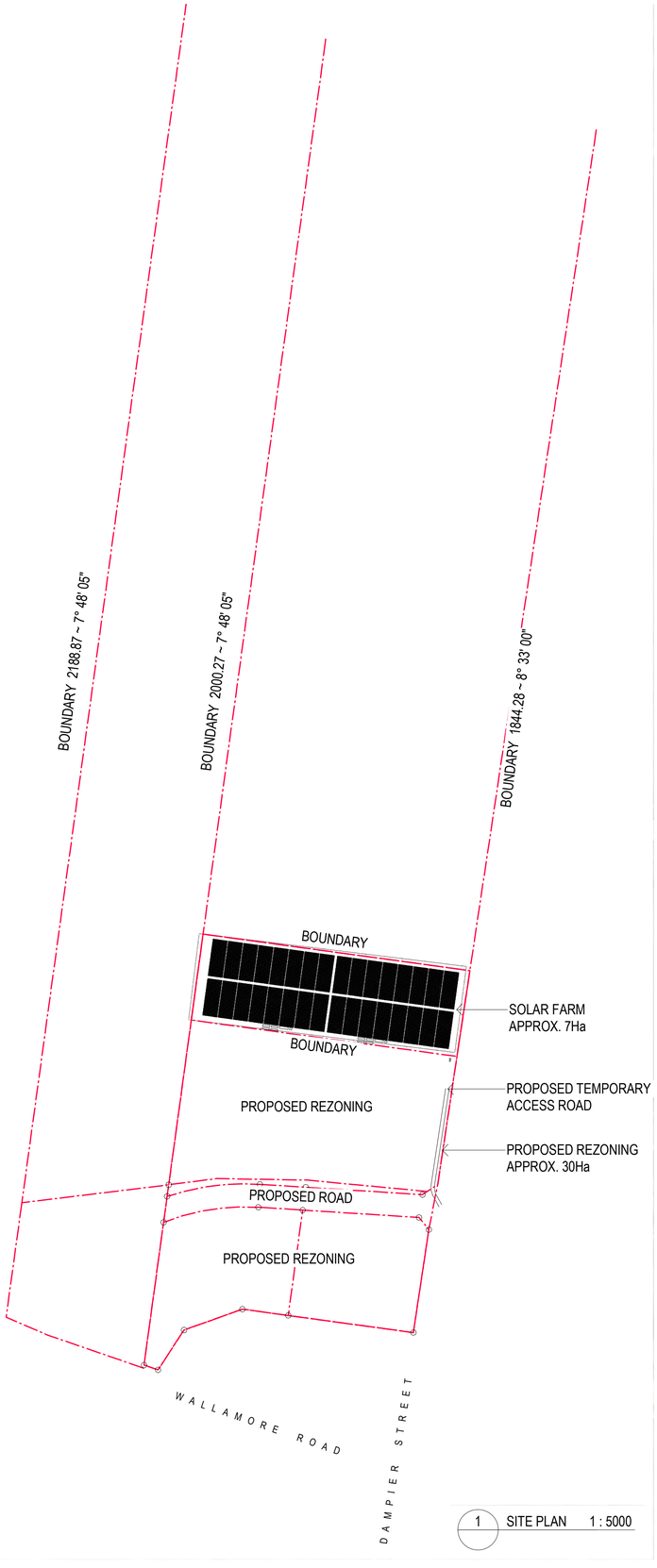
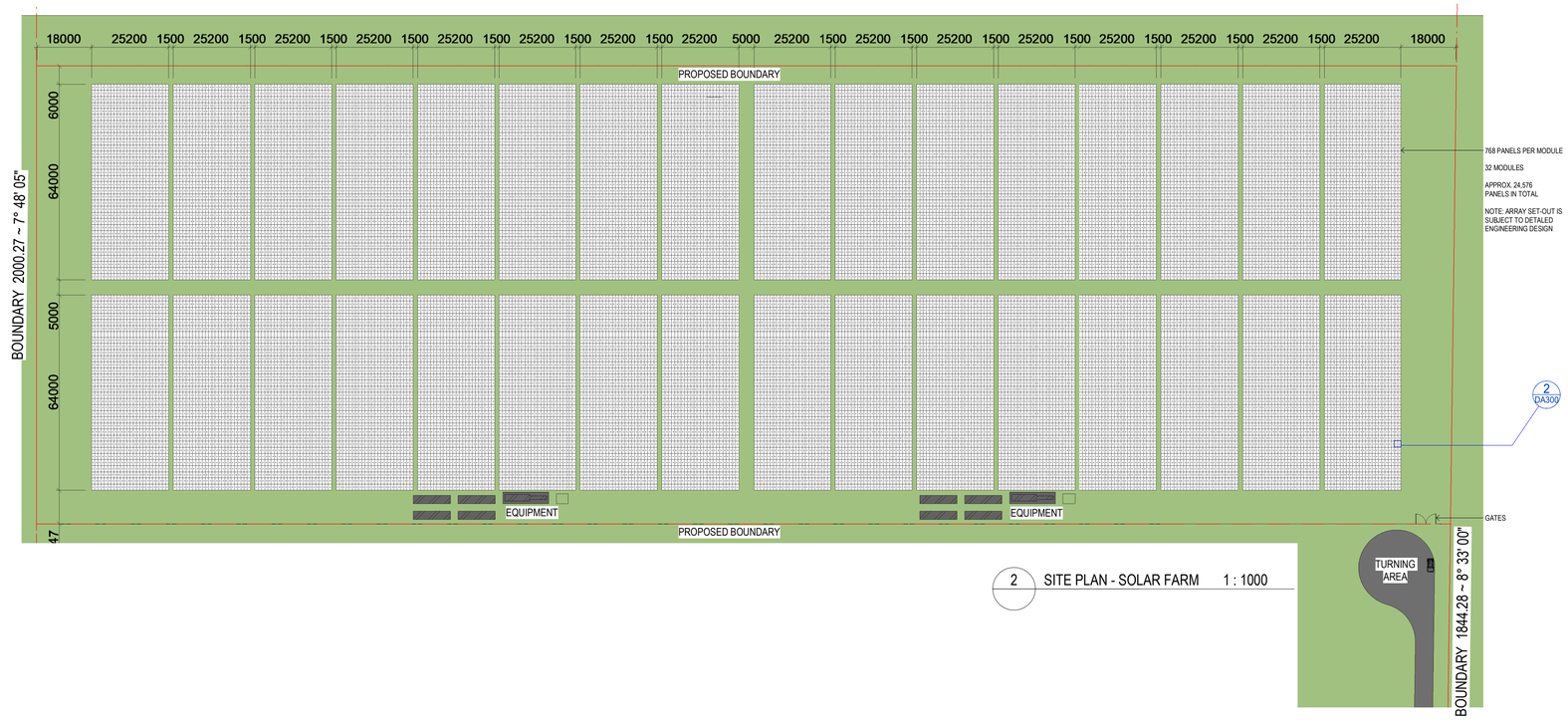


1 SITE PLAN 1 : 5000



2 SITE PLAN - SOLAR FARM 1 : 1000

0m 20m 40m 60m 80m 100m

VISUAL SCALE 1:1000 @ A1

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TAMINDA SOLAR FARM

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Appendix B – Jewry Street Traffic Counts

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Traffic Summary Report

Site: 175 (Jewry Street, Westdale Road to 300m north <60> ANNAR)

Date: 0:00 Friday, 11 March 2016 to 0:00 Thursday, 24 March 2016 (13 days)

Posted speed limit (PSL) = 60 km/h

Average Daily Traffic (ADT)

	ADT	AWDT (weekdays)	AWET (weekend)
Passenger Vehicles Classes 1 to 2 - Light	8728 (86.46%)	10230 (85.56%)	5348 (90.54%)
Rigid Vehicles Classes 3 to 5 - Medium	1064 (10.54%)	1352 (11.31%)	418 (7.061%)
Articulated Vehicles Classes 6 to 12	302 (2.992%)	374 (3.128%)	142 (2.387%)
Total (All classes)	10095	11956	5907
Days	13	9	4

Traffic Speed *km/h*

	All Days	Weekdays	Weekend
Average Speed	62.4	62.1	63.8
85% Speed - Combined	68.0	67.5	70.0
85% Speed - North	67.1	66.7	69.3
85% Speed - South	68.7	68.2	70.0
Min Speed	14.7	14.7	14.8
Max Speed	129.9	129.9	118.6
% Exceeding PSL	65.91 %	64.29 %	73.26 %
15km/h Pace	54.7	54.5	55.9
No. in Pace (% in Pace)	109227 (83.23%)	90578 (84.18%)	18910 (80.04%)

Total Traffic Volume

	All Days	Weekdays	Weekend
Both Directions (Total Vehicles)	131230	107604	23626
North Direction Only	63672	52191	11481
South Direction Only	67558	55413	12145
Passenger Vehicles Classes 1 to 2 - Light	113460	92070	21390
Rigid Vehicles Classes 3 to 5 - Medium	13838	12168	1670
Articulated Vehicles Classes 6 to 12	3932	3366	566

Equivalent Standard Axles (ESAs)

	All Days	Weekdays	Weekend
ESAs	3774.7	3231.4	543.4

Calculation of ESAs based on State, vehicle classification and Road Functional Class

Ref: AustRoads Pavement Design Guide 1992, Table E4, Road Functional Class 3, NSW

Class scheme = AustRoads94 Aggregate (0 1 1 2 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 13)

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