# **Explanatory Note**

# Minister for Planning and Public Spaces (ABN 20 770 707 468)

#### and

# **Charles Khoury**

# **Draft Planning Agreement**

#### Introduction

The purpose of this explanatory note is to provide a plain English summary to support the notification of the draft planning agreement (the **Planning Agreement**) prepared under Subdivision 2 of Division 7.1 of Part 7 of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act* 1979 (the **Act**).

This explanatory note has been prepared jointly by the parties as required by clause 25E of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation* 2000 (the **Regulation**).

## **Parties to the Planning Agreement**

The parties to the Planning Agreement are the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces (ABN 20 770 707 468) (the **Minister**) and Charles Khoury (the **Developer**).

#### **Description of the Subject Land**

The Planning Agreement applies to Lot 461 in Deposited Plan 36692 known as 5 Tilley Street, Dundas Valley NSW 2117 (**Subject Land**).

#### **Description of the Proposed Development**

The Developer has sought and received consent to demolish the existing structures on the Subject Land and to construct a two storey dual occupancy with Torrens Title subdivision (to create one (1) additional residential lot) (**Development**), in accordance with the Development Consent No. DA/513/2020 granted by City of Parramatta Council.

The Developer has made an offer to the Minister to enter into the Planning Agreement in connection with the Development.

#### Summary of Objectives, Nature and Effect of the Planning Agreement

The Planning Agreement provides that the Developer will make a monetary contribution of \$12,868.64 (subject to indexation in accordance with the Planning Agreement) (**Development Contribution**) for the purposes of the provision of designated State public infrastructure within the meaning of clause 8.1 of *Parramatta Local Environmental Plan 2011* (**LEP**).

The Development Contribution will be payable on the commencement of the Planning Agreement in accordance with clause 4 of the Planning Agreement.

The objective of the Planning Agreement is to facilitate the delivery of the Developer's contributions towards the provision of designated State public infrastructure, facilities and services referred to in clause 8.1 of the LEP.

No relevant capital works program by the Minister is associated with the Planning Agreement.

#### **Assessment of Merits of Planning Agreement**

#### The Public Purpose of the Planning Agreement

In accordance with section 7.4(2) of the Act, the Planning Agreement has the following public purpose:

- the provision of (or the recoupment of the cost of providing) public amenities or public services; and
- the provision of (or the recoupment of the cost of providing) transport or other infrastructure relating to land.

The Minister and the Developer have assessed the Planning Agreement and both hold the view that the provisions of the Planning Agreement provide a reasonable means of achieving the public purpose set out above. This is because it will ensure that the Developer makes an appropriate contribution towards the provision of designated State public infrastructure referred to in clause 8.1 of the LEP.

### **How the Planning Agreement Promotes the Public Interest**

The Planning Agreement promotes the public interest by ensuring that an appropriate contribution is made towards the provision of infrastructure, facilities and services to satisfy needs that arise from development of the Subject Land.

The Developer's offer to contribute towards the provision of designated State public infrastructure will have a positive impact on the public who will ultimately use the infrastructure, facilities and services.

#### **How the Planning Agreement Promotes the Objects of the Act**

The Planning Agreement promotes the objects of the Act by encouraging:

• the promotion of the orderly and economic use and development of land.

The Planning Agreement promotes the objects of the Act set out above by facilitating development of the Subject Land in accordance with the Planning Agreement.

## Requirements relating to Construction, Occupation and Subdivision Certificates

The Planning Agreement does not specify requirements that must be complied with prior to the issue of a construction certificate, a subdivision certificate or an occupation certificate.