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**ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT ACT, 1979 AS AMENDED  
NOTICE OF DETERMINATION – Approval**

*Issued under Section 4.18 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (“the Act”). Clause 100 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (“the Regulation”)*

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**Development Application Number:** 212/22

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**Land to which this applies:** 131-133 Alexander Street, Crows Nest  
Lot No.: 1 DP: 103072

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**Applicant:** Central Services of Sydney  
C/- Urbis

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**Proposal:** Demolition of existing structures and construction of a four storey commercial building with a two level basement and associated works.

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**Determination of Development Application:** Subject to the provisions of Section 4.16 of *the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*, approval has been granted subject to conditions in the notice of determination.

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**Date of Determination:** 24 February 2023

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The application has been approved for these reasons:

**Reason for approval:**

1. The proposed development is permissible with consent.
  2. The Clause 4.6 written request from the applicant is acceptable as it has demonstrated compliance to be unreasonable and that there are sufficient environmental planning grounds to contravene the standard, as the recommended alterations to the development have been made.
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3. The proposed development is consistent with the local planning framework, chiefly applicable provisions of the North Sydney LEP and DCP.
  4. The development, as amended, will have acceptable impacts on built and natural environments, including the relationship of the building with the adjacent low density residential conservation area.
  5. Matters raised by public submissions have been considered.

The amended request to vary the height standard submitted as required by the Panel's decision to defer the application's determination, supports the variation by examining the amended proposal with regard to the same matters addressed in the original variation request.

In summary, the height breach of the revised design is acceptable for the following reasons:

- The proposal remains consistent with the objectives of the development standard, meaning that compliance with the standard is unreasonable.
- There are sufficient environmental planning grounds to justify the variation.
- The proposal is in the public interest, being consistent with objectives of the standard the zone in which the site is located.
- Concurrence of the Secretary may be assumed there being no matters of regional or State planning significance, or other matters, raised in approving the proposed contravention.

As the modified request has satisfied the requirements of Clause 4.6 of the LEP, consent may be granted.

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**Consent to operate from:** 24 February 2023

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**Consent will lapse on:** 24 February 2028

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**Period of Consent**

Subject to Section 4.20 of the Act, this consent becomes effective and operates from the date listed above. The consent lapses five years after the date of consent in accordance with Section 4.53 of the Act and cannot be extended. To activate this consent, works must physically commence onsite by 24 February 2028.

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**How community views were taken into account:**

The application was notified in accordance with Council's Community Engagement Protocol and matters raised in submissions were considered in the assessment of the

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application.

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**Review of determination and right of appeal:**

Within 6 months after the date of notification of the decision, a review of this determination can be requested under Division 8.2 of the Act or an appeal to the Land and Environment Court made pursuant to the provisions of Section 8.7 of the Act. A review of determination should be lodged as soon as possible, and preferably no later two months after the date of notification of the decision to enable the review to be completed within the six-month period.

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**Endorsed for and on behalf of North Sydney Council**



**28 February 2023**

DATE

Signature on behalf of consent authority

JIM DAVIES

**EXECUTIVE PLANNER**

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(i) **Conditions**

Consent is granted subject to the following conditions imposed pursuant to Section 4.17 of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979 (“the *Act*”) and the provisions of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Regulation 2000 (“the *Regulation*”) such conditions being reasonable and relevant to the development as assessed pursuant to Section 4.17 of the Act.

(ii) **Definitions**

Unless specified otherwise, words have the same meaning as defined by the *Act*, the *Regulation* and the *Interpretation Act 1987* as in force at the date of consent.

***Applicant*** means the applicant for this consent.

***Approved Plans*** means the plans endorsed by Council referenced by this consent as amended by conditions of this consent.

***AS*** or ***AS/NZS*** means Australian Standard® or Australian/New Zealand Standard®, respectively, published by Standards Australia International Limited.

***NCC*** means the National Construction Code as published by the Australian Building Codes Board as in force at the date of issue of any *Construction Certificate*.

***Council*** means North Sydney Council.

***Court*** means the Land and Environment Court.

***Local Native Plants*** means species of native plant endemic to North Sydney LGA.

***Stormwater Drainage System*** means all works, facilities and documentation relating to:

- The collection of stormwater,
- The retention of stormwater,
- The reuse of stormwater,
- The detention of stormwater,
- The controlled release of stormwater; and
- Connections to easements and public stormwater systems.

***Owner*** means the owner of the *site* and successors in title to the *site*.

***Owner Builder*** has the same meaning as in the *Home Building Act 1989*.

***Principal Certifier*** for building or subdivision work means the certifier appointed as the principal certifier for the building work under section 6.6 (1) or for the subdivision work under section 6.12 (1).

**Principal Contractor** for building work means the person responsible for the overall coordination and control of the carrying out of the building work.

Note: If any residential building work is involved, the principal contractor must be the holder of a contractor licence under the *Home Building Act 1989*.

**Professional Engineer** has the same meaning as in the *NCC*.

**Public Place** has the same meaning as in the *Local Government Act 1993*.

**Road** has the same meaning as in the *Roads Act 1993*.

**SEE** means the final version of the Statement of Environmental Effects lodged by the *Applicant*.

**Site** means the land being developed subject to this consent.

**NSLEP 2013** means *North Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2013*

**NSDCP 2013** means *North Sydney Development Control Plan 2013*

**Work** for the purposes of this consent means:

- the use of land in connection with development,
- the subdivision of land,
- the erection of a building,
- the carrying out of any work,
- the use of any site crane, machine, article, material, or thing,
- the storage of any waste, materials, site crane, machine, article, material, or thing,
- the demolition of a building,
- the piling, piercing, cutting, boring, drilling, rock breaking, rock sawing or excavation of land,
- the delivery to or removal from the *site* of any machine, article, material, or thing, or
- the occupation of the *site* by any person unless authorised by an *occupation certificate*.

Note: **Interpretation of Conditions** – Where there is any need to obtain an interpretation of the intent of any condition this must be done in writing to Council and confirmed in writing by Council.

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**A. Conditions that Identify Approved Plans**

**Development in Accordance with Plans/Documentation**

A1. The development must be carried out in accordance with the following drawings and documentation and endorsed with Council’s approval stamp, except where amended by the following conditions of this consent.

Plan No.	Rev No.	Description	Prepared by	Dated
DA001	D	Site Plan	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA003	A	Existing Survey & Demolition	Nettleton Tribe	12/05/22
DA100	C	Basement 2 Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA101	C	Basement 1 Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA102	D	Lower Ground Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA103	C	Ground Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA104	D	Level 1 Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA105	D	Level 2 Floor Plan	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA106	D	Roof Plan	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA121	C	Alexander Street Elevation	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA122	C	Alexander Lane Elevation	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA123	D	South Elevation	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA124	D	North Elevation	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA125	C	Materials and Finishes Sheet 1	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA126	C	Materials and Finishes Sheet 2	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
DA131	C	Section A	Nettleton Tribe	15/12/22
DA132	D	Section B	Nettleton Tribe	14/02/23
000	A	Landscape Coversheet	Site Image	07/12/2022
101	A	Landscape Ground Floor Plan	Site Image	07/12/2022
102	A	Landscape Level 1 Plan	Site Image	07/12/2022
103	A	Landscape Level 2 Plan	Site Image	07/12/2022
104	B	Landscape Roof Top Plan	Site Image	09/12/2022
501	A	Landscape Details	Site Image	07/12/2022
D01	A	Stormwater Drainage General Notes	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D02	A	Basement 2 Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D03	A	Basement 1 Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D04	A	Lower Ground Floor Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D045	A	Ground Floor Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D06	A	Level 1 Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D07	A	Level 2 Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D08	A	Roof Drainage Plan	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022
D09	A	Stormwater Drainage Details	NB Consulting Engineers	05/05/2022

(Reason: To ensure that the form of the development undertaken is in accordance with the determination of Council, Public Information)

**Plans on Site**

A2. A copy of all stamped approved plans, specifications and documents (including the plans, specifications and documents submitted and approved with the Construction Certificate) must be kept on site at all times so as to be readily available for perusal by any officer of Council or the Principal Certifying Authority.

All documents kept on site in accordance with this condition must be provided to any officer of the Council or the certifying authority upon their request.

(Reason: To ensure that the form of the development undertaken is in accordance with the determination of Council, Public Information and to ensure ongoing compliance)

***B. Matters to be Completed before the lodgement of an Application for a Construction Certificate***

**Construction and Traffic Management Plan (Major DAs and sites with difficult access)**

B1. Prior to issue of any Construction Certificate, a Construction and Traffic Management Plan must be prepared. The following matters must be specifically addressed in this Plan:

- a) A plan view (min 1:100 scale) of the entire site and frontage roadways indicating:
  - i. Dedicated construction site entrances and exits, controlled by a certified traffic controller, to safely manage pedestrians and construction related vehicles in the frontage roadways;
  - ii. Signage type and location to manage pedestrians in the vicinity;
  - iii. The locations of any proposed Work Zones in the frontage roadways;
  - iv. Locations and type of any hoardings proposed;
  - v. Area of site sheds and the like;
  - vi. Location of any proposed crane standing areas;
  - vii. A dedicated unloading and loading point within the site for all construction vehicles, plant and deliveries;
  - viii. Material, plant and spoil bin storage areas within the site, where all materials are to be dropped off and collected; and
  - ix. The provision of an on-site parking area for employees, tradesperson and construction vehicles as far as possible.
  
- b) A Traffic Control Plan(s) for the site incorporating the following:
  - i. Traffic control measures proposed in the road reserve that are in accordance with the RMS publication "Traffic Control Worksite Manual" and designed by a person licensed to do so (minimum RMS 'red card' qualification).
  - ii. The main stages of the development requiring specific construction management measures are to be identified and specific traffic control measures identified for each.
  
- c) A detailed description and map of the proposed route for vehicles involved in spoil removal, material delivery and machine floatage must be provided detailing light traffic roads and those subject to a load or height limit must be avoided at all times.

A copy of this route is to be made available to all contractors and must be clearly depicted at a location within the site.

- d) A Waste Management Plan in accordance with the provisions of Part B Section 19 of the North Sydney DCP 2013 must be provided. The Waste Management Plan must include, but not be limited to, the estimated volume of waste and method of disposal for the construction and operation phases of the development, design of on-site waste storage and recycling area and administrative arrangements for waste and recycling management during the construction process
- (e) Evidence of RMS concurrence where construction access is provided directly or within 20 m of an Arterial and/or Classified Road;
- (f) A schedule of site inductions to be held on regular occasions and as determined necessary to ensure all new employees are aware of the construction management obligations. These must specify that construction-related vehicles to comply with the approved requirements; and
- (g) For those construction personnel that drive to the site, the Site Manager shall attempt to provide on-site parking so that their personnel's vehicles do not impact on the current parking demand in the area.

A suitably qualified and experienced traffic engineer or consultant must prepare the Construction and Traffic Management Plan.

As this plan has a direct impact on the local road network, it must be submitted to and reviewed by Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. A certificate of compliance with this condition from Council's Development Engineers as to the result of this review must be obtained and must be submitted as part of the supporting documentation lodged with the Certifying Authority for approval of the application for a Construction Certificate.

The construction management measures contained in the approved Construction and Traffic Management Plan must be implemented prior to the commencement of, and during, works on-site.

All works must be undertaken in accordance with the approved Construction and Traffic Management Plan.

**A copy of the approved Construction and Traffic Management Plan must be kept on the site at all times and be made available to any officer of the Council on request.**

Notes:

- 1) North Sydney Council's adopted fee for certification of compliance with this condition must be paid upon lodgement, or in any event, prior to the issue of the relevant approval.
- 2) Any use of Council property will require appropriate approvals and demonstration of liability insurances prior to such work commencing.
- 3) Failure to provide complete and detailed information may result in delays. It is recommended that your Construction and Traffic Management Plan be lodged with Council as early as possible.

- 4) Dependent on the circumstances of the site, Council may request additional information to that detailed in the condition above.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate measures have been considered for site access, storage and the operation of the site during all phases of the demolition and construction process in a manner that respects adjoining owner's property rights and residential amenity in the locality, without unreasonable inconvenience to the community)

**C. *Prior to the Issue of a Construction Certificate (and ongoing, where indicated)***

**Dilapidation Report Damage to Public Infrastructure**

- C1. A dilapidation survey and report (including photographic record) must be prepared by a suitably qualified consultant which details the pre-developed condition of the existing public infrastructure in the vicinity of the development site. Particular attention must be paid to accurately recording any pre-developed damaged areas so that Council is fully informed when assessing any damage to public infrastructure caused as a result of the development. A copy of the dilapidation survey and report is to be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

The developer may be held liable for all damage to public infrastructure in the vicinity of the site, where such damage is not accurately recorded and demonstrated as pre-existing under the requirements of this condition.

The developer shall bear the cost of carrying out works to restore all public infrastructure damaged as a result of the carrying out of the development, and no occupation of the development shall occur until damage caused as a result of the carrying out of the development is rectified.

A copy of the dilapidation survey and report must be lodged with North Sydney Council by the Certifying Authority with submission of the Construction Certificate documentation.

(Reason: To record the condition of public infrastructure prior to the commencement of construction)

**Dilapidation Report Private Property (Excavation)**

- C2. A full dilapidation survey and report on the visible and structural condition of all neighbouring structures within the 'zone of influence' of the required excavations must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The zone of influence is to be defined as the horizontal distance from the edge of the excavation face to twice the excavation depth.

The dilapidation report and survey are to be prepared by a consulting structural/geotechnical engineer agreed to by both the applicant and the owner of any affected adjoining property.

All costs incurred in achieving compliance with this condition shall be borne by the person entitled to act on this Consent.

In the event that access for undertaking the dilapidation survey is denied by an adjoining owner, the applicant **MUST DEMONSTRATE**, in writing, to the satisfaction of Council that all reasonable steps have been taken to obtain access and advise the affected property owner of the reason for the survey and that these steps have failed. Written concurrence must be obtained from Council in such circumstances.

Note: This documentation is for record keeping purposes only and may be used by the developer or affected property owner to assist in any action required to resolve any dispute over damage to adjoining properties arising from the works. It is in the applicant's and adjoining owner's interest for it to be as full and detailed as possible.

(Reason: To record the condition of property/ies., prior to the commencement of construction)

### **Dilapidation Survey Private Property (Neighbouring Buildings)**

C3. A photographic survey and dilapidation report of adjoining properties Nos. (127 Alexander Street Crows Nest and 137-139 Alexander Street Crows Nest) detailing the physical condition of those properties, both internally and externally, including, but not limited to, such items as walls, ceilings, roof, structural members and other similar items, **SHALL BE** submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The survey and report are to be prepared by an appropriately qualified person agreed to by both the applicant and the owner of the adjoining property. A copy of the report is to be provided to Council, if Council is not the Certifying Authority, prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

All costs incurred in achieving compliance with this condition shall be borne by the person entitled to act on this Consent.

In the event that access for undertaking the photographic survey and dilapidation report is denied by an adjoining owner, the applicant **MUST DEMONSTRATE**, in writing, to the satisfaction of Council that all reasonable steps have been taken to obtain access and advise the affected property owner of the reason for the survey and that these steps have failed. Written concurrence must be obtained from Council in such circumstances.

Note: This documentation is for record keeping purposes only and may be used by an applicant or affected property owner to assist in any action required to resolve any dispute over damage to adjoining properties arising from the works. It is in the applicant's and adjoining owner's interest for it to be as full and detailed as possible.

(Reason: Proper management of records)

### **Shoring for Adjoining Property**

- C4. Where any shoring for excavation is to be located on or is supporting Council's property, or any adjoining private property, engineering drawings certified as being adequate for their intended purpose by an appropriately qualified and practising structural engineer, showing all details, including the extent of encroachment and the method of removal and de-stressing of shoring elements, must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. A copy of this documentation must be provided to the Council for record purposes.

Note: Approval of engineering drawings for shoring works to be located on adjoining property by the Certifying Authority does not authorise a trespass on private or public land. All relevant permissions/legal rights must be obtained to undertake any works on adjoining land.

(Reason: To ensure the protection of existing public infrastructure and adjoining properties)

### **Structural Adequacy of Adjoining Properties - Excavation Works**

- C5. A report prepared by an appropriately qualified and practising structural engineer detailing the structural adequacy of adjoining property Nos. (127 Alexander Street Crows Nest and 137-139 Alexander Street Crows Nest), which certifies their ability to withstand the proposed excavation and outlines any measures required to be implemented to ensure that no damage will occur to adjoining properties during the course of the works, must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The measures outlined in the certified report must be complied with at all times.

(Reason: To ensure the protection and structural integrity of adjoining properties in close proximity during excavation works)

### **Geotechnical Report**

- C6. Prior to issue of any Construction Certificate a Geotechnical/Civil Engineering report must be prepared which addresses at a minimum (but is not limited to) the following:
- a) the type and extent of substrata formations by the provision of a minimum of four (4) representative bore hole logs which are to provide a full description of all material from ground surface to 1.0 m below the finished basement floor level and include the location and description of any anomalies encountered in the profile. The surface and depth of the bore hole logs must be related to Australian Height Datum;
  - b) the appropriate means of excavation/shoring in light of point (a) above and proximity to adjacent property and structures. Potential vibration caused by method of excavation and potential settlements affecting nearby footings/foundations must be discussed and mechanisms to ameliorate any such impacts recommended;
  - c) the proposed method to temporarily and permanently support the excavation for the basement adjacent to adjoining property, structures and road reserve if nearby (full support must be provided within the subject site);

- d) the existing groundwater levels in relation to the basement structure, where influenced;
- e) the drawdown effects on adjacent properties (including road reserve), if any, the basement excavation will have on groundwater together with the appropriate construction methods to be utilised in controlling groundwater. Where it is considered there is the potential for the development to create a “dam” for natural groundwater flows, a groundwater drainage system must be designed to transfer groundwater through or under the proposed development without a change in the range of the natural groundwater level fluctuations. Where an impediment to the natural flow path is constructed, artificial drains such as perimeter drains and through drainage may be utilised; and
- f) recommendations to allow the satisfactory implementation of the works. An implementation program is to be prepared along with a suitable monitoring program including control levels for vibration, shoring support, ground level and groundwater level movements during construction. The implementation program is to nominate suitable hold points at the various stages of the works for verification of the design intent before sign-off and before proceeding with subsequent stages.

The geotechnical report must be prepared by an appropriately qualified consulting geotechnical/hydrogeological engineer with previous experience in such investigations and reporting.

It is the responsibility of the consulting geotechnical/hydrological specialist to undertake the appropriate investigations, reporting and specialist recommendations to ensure a reasonable level of protection to adjacent property and structures both during and after construction. The report must contain site-specific geotechnical recommendations and shall specify the necessary hold/inspection points by relevant professionals as appropriate.

The design principles for the geotechnical report are as follows:

- a) no ground settlement or movement is to be induced which is sufficient enough to cause an adverse impact to adjoining property and/or infrastructure;
- b) no changes to the ground water level are to occur as a result of the development that are sufficient enough to cause an adverse impact to the surrounding property and infrastructure;
- c) no changes to the ground water level are to occur during the construction of the development that are sufficient enough to cause an adverse impact to the surrounding property and infrastructure;
- d) vibration is to be minimised or eliminated to ensure no adverse impact on the surrounding property and infrastructure occurs, as a result of the construction of the development;
- e) appropriate support and retention systems are to be recommended and suitable designs prepared to allow the proposed development to comply with these Design Principles; and
- f) an adverse impact can be assumed to be crack damage as identified within the relevant Australian Standard for determining such damage.



The report, satisfying the requirements of this condition, must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

The professional recommendations, implementation program, monitoring program, mitigation measures and the like contained in the report must be implemented in full during the relevant stages of excavation and construction.

(Reason: To ensure the structural integrity of the subject site and adjoining sites during the excavation process)

### **Sediment Control**

C7. Where construction or excavation activity requires the disturbance of the soil surface or existing vegetation, erosion and sediment control techniques, as a minimum, are to be in accordance with the publication *Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction* (4th edition, Landcom, 2004) commonly referred to as the "Blue Book" or a suitable and effective alternative method.

A Sediment Control Plan must be prepared and submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate and prior to any works commencing. The Sediment Control Plan must be consistent with the Blue Book and disclose:

- a) All details of drainage to protect and drain the site during the construction processes;
- b) All sediment control devices, barriers and the like;
- c) Sedimentation tanks, ponds or the like;
- d) Covering materials and methods; and
- e) A schedule and programme of the sequence of the sediment and erosion control works or devices to be installed and maintained.
- f) Methods for the temporary and controlled disposal of stormwater during construction.

All works must be undertaken in accordance with the approved Sediment Control plan.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To protect the environment from the effects of sedimentation and erosion from development sites)

### **Waste Management Plan**

C8. A Waste Management Plan is to be submitted for approval by the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The plan must include, but not be limited to:

- a) The estimated volume of waste and method of disposal for the construction and operation phases of the development;

- b) The design of the on-site waste storage and recycling area; and
- c) Administrative arrangements for waste and recycling management during the construction process.

The approved Waste Management Plan must be complied with at all times in the carrying out of the development.

(Reason: To encourage the minimisation of waste and recycling of building waste)

### **Reflectivity Index of Glazing**

- C9. The reflectivity index (expressed as a per centum of the reflected light falling upon any surface) of external glazing for windows, walls or roof finishes of the proposed development is to be no greater than 20%. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

Note: The reflectivity index of glazing elements can be obtained from glazing manufacturers. Glass with mirrored or reflective foil finishes is unlikely to achieve compliance with this requirement.

(Reason: To ensure that excessive glare or reflectivity nuisance from glazing does not occur as a result of the development)

### **Roofing Materials - Reflectivity**

- C10. Roofing materials must be factory pre-finished with low glare and reflectivity properties to be compatible with the colours of neighbouring buildings. The selected roofing material must not cause a glare nuisance or excessive reflectivity to adjoining or nearby properties. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure that excessive glare or reflectivity nuisance from roofing materials does not occur as a result of the development)

### **No External Service Ducts**

- C11. Service ducts must be provided within the building to keep external walls free of plumbing, drainage or any other utility installations. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure quality built form of the development)

### Work Zone

- C12. If a Work Zone is proposed, an application must be made to the North Sydney Local Traffic Committee to install the 'Work Zone'. A Work Zone permit is required to be issued by the Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

Work Zones are provided specifically for the set down and pick up of materials and not for the parking of private vehicles associated with the site. Works Zones will generally not be approved where there is sufficient space on-site for the setting down and picking up of goods being taken to or from a construction site. If the Work Zone is approved by the Committee, the Applicant must obtain a written copy of the related resolution from the North Sydney Local Traffic Committee and submit a copy of this to the Certifying Authority to enable issue of the Construction Certificate.

Where approval of the 'Work Zone' is given by the Committee, the requirements of the Committee, including installation of the necessary 'Work Zone' signage and payment of any fees, must occur prior to commencement of any works on the site. Further, at the expiration of the Work Zone approval, the developer is required to remove the Work Zone signs and reinstate any previous signs, all at the developer's cost. The requirements imposed by the Committee on the Work Zone permit (or permits) must be complied with at all times.

(Reason: Amenity and convenience during construction)

### Maintain Property Boundary Alignment Levels

- C13. Except where otherwise approved by Council, the property boundary alignment levels must match the levels which existed prior to the commencement of works. Plans and specifications which document existing and proposed levels adjacent to the site boundaries and which comply with the requirements of this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure interface between property and public land remains uniform)

### Parking Meter Relocation

- C14. All costs associated with relocating the metered parking including all sign changes, parking bay line markings must be paid in full to North Sydney Council prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the specifications submitted, accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy this condition.

(Reason: To ensure the proper management of public land and funds)

### **Bicycle Storage and Parking**

C15. The bicycle storage area must accommodate a minimum of 26 bicycles, 19 for building occupants and 7 for visitors. The bicycle storage lockers and bicycle rail shall be designed in accordance with the applicable Australian Standards. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To promote and provide facilities for alternative forms of transport)

### **Staff Shower and Change Facilities (Commercial and Mixed-use)**

C16. Shower and change facilities shall be provided and made accessible without charge to staff who work in the building. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To promote and provide facilities for alternative forms of transport)

### **Accessible Parking Spaces to be Provided**

C17. A total of (1) one accessible parking space shall be provided as part of the total car-parking requirements. Consideration must be given to the means of access from the car-parking spaces to adjacent buildings, to other areas within the building and to footpath and roads. All details shall be prepared in consideration of, and construction completed in accordance with applicable Australian Standards to achieve compliance with the Disability Discrimination Act. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure equity of access and appropriate facilities are available for people with disabilities in accordance with Federal legislation)

### **Basement Car Park to Comply with Relevant Standards**

C18. The basement layout must comply with all requirements of Australian Standard AS2890.1. Certification from a suitably qualified and practicing Civil Engineer that the basement design will comply with the requirements of the Australian Standard must be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure the basement layout complies with relevant standards)

**Required Infrastructure Works - Roads Act 1993**

C19. Prior to issue of any Construction Certificate engineering design plans and specifications must be prepared by a qualified civil design engineer. An application must be made to Council on the “To Satisfy DA Consent Condition” application form with payment of the adopted assessment/inspection fees. The plans and specifications must be to a detail suitable for construction issue purposes and must provide detail and specification for the following infrastructure works to be completed as part of the development:

Road Works

- a) reconstruction of the carriageway shoulder will be required, extending out 1200mm from the gutter lip in AC10 - 50mm thick, adjacent to all new kerb/gutter and layback works
- b) construction of a fully new kerb and gutter is required across the site frontage in Alexander Lane. A longitudinal section is required along the gutter line (existing and proposed levels), at a scale of 1:50 extending 5m past the property boundary line.
- c) cross sections at a scale of 1:50 along the centreline of each access point to the building must be provided and are to show the calculated clearance to the underside of any overhead structure. All the entry points are to comply with the Building Code of Australia (BCA), including disability requirements. The Council approved footpath levels must be accommodated at the building entry points.

Drainage Works

Connection of the site stormwater system must be made directly from the grated pit inside the boundary fronting Alexander Lane to a newly constructed junction pit (with gatic, Class D, cast in situ lid), to Council’s stormwater pipe located in Alexander Lane (as shown in the concept drainage plan by NB Consulting Engineers). To accommodate this requirement, the following drainage infrastructure works must be carried out on Council property at the Applicants expense:

- a) construction of a cast in-situ junction pit in Alexander Lane. The pit must be constructed in accordance with Councils “Infrastructure Specification for Roadworks, Drainage and Miscellaneous Works”.
- b) construction of a new in-ground drainage line to connect the on-site pit to the existing Council stormwater pipeline located in the pavement in Alexander Lane via the junction pit. The pipes within the road reserve are to be reinforced concrete class 2 with a minimum 375mm diameter and have bedding in accordance with Australian Standard AS 3725 – (Loads on buried concrete pipes). The developer shall be responsible for carrying out any service investigations to allow a gravity connection.

Certifying Authorities must not issue a Construction Certificate without the formal written approval of Council (as Roads Authority) under the Roads Act 1993.

The required plans and specifications are to be designed in accordance with North Sydney Council's current documents Infrastructure Specification for Road Works, Drainage and Miscellaneous Works and Performance Guide for Engineering Design and Construction. The drawings must detail existing utility services and trees affected by the works, erosion control requirements and traffic management requirements during the course of works. A detailed survey must be undertaken as required. Traffic management is to be certified on the drawings as being in accordance with the documents SAA HB81.1 – 1996 – Field Guide for Traffic Control at Works on Roads – Part 1 and RMS Traffic Control at Work Sites (1998). **Construction of the works must proceed only in accordance with any conditions attached to the Council Roads Act 1993 approval.**

***Note:** A minimum of 21 days will be required for Council to assess Roads Act submissions. Early submission is recommended to avoid any delays in obtaining a Construction Certificate. A fee to cover cost of assessment (set out in Council's adopted fees and charges) is payable and Council will withhold any consent and approved plans until full payment of the correct fees. Plans and specifications must be marked to the attention of Council's Development Engineers. In addition, a copy of this condition must be provided, together with a covering letter stating the full address of the property and the accompanying DA number.*

(Reason: To ensure infrastructure works are designed and constructed to appropriate standards and requirements of the Roads Act 1993)

### Splay Corners

C20. For the purposes of improving sight distance, the vehicular access must have sight lines for pedestrian safety in accordance with figure 3.2 of AS 2890.1 at the intersection of the vehicular access with the property boundary. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: Public amenity and safety and appropriate sight distance)

### Obtain Driveway Crossing Permit under S.138 Roads Act 1993

C21. A driveway crossing and roads infrastructure works permit to suit the approved off-street parking facilities must be granted by the Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. In order to obtain a permit under S.138 of the Roads Act 1993, an application must be made to Council on the 'Vehicular Access Application' form with payment of the adopted assessment/inspection fees. Council will require civil design construction drawings and certification from the applicant's Civil Engineer to verify design details and enable issue of the permit. The requirements of the permit must be complied with at all times.

The civil design drawings must include the following at a minimum: -

- a) the vehicular access way must comply with AS 2890.1 and Council's current Vehicular Access Application Guidelines and Specification (gutter bridges not permitted) to ensure that a B85 vehicle will not scrape/strike the surface of the carriageway, layback, vehicular crossing or parking floor,
- b) the redundant layback crossing must be reinstated as kerb gutter and footpath,
- c) the width of the vehicular layback must be (6) metres (including the wings),
- d) the vehicular crossover must be set square to the kerb,
- e) the crossing (between the layback and the property boundary) must be placed on a single straight grade of approximately 4.5%, falling to the back of the layback,
- f) the gutter levels must match the existing levels and shall not be altered,
- g) any twisting of driveway access must occur entirely within the subject property,
- h) all inspection openings, utility services must be adjusted to match the proposed driveway levels,
- i) sections along centreline and extremities are required at a scale of 1:50 to be taken from the centreline of the roadway through to the parking area itself and must include all changes of grade and levels both existing and proposed,
- j) a longitudinal section along the gutter line at a scale of 1:50 showing how it is intended to blend the vehicular crossing with the existing kerb and gutter,
- k) a longitudinal section along the footpath property boundary at a scale of 1:50 is required,
- l) the sections must show the calculated clearance to the underside of any overhead structure,
- m) all details of internal ramps between parking levels, and
- n) a swept path analysis is required demonstrating that an 85th percentile vehicle can manoeuvre in and out of the basement parking spaces in accordance with AS 2890.1 2004 "Off Street Parking".

The permit must be granted by Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

All driveway and infrastructure works on the road reserve must be undertaken in accordance with the terms of the permit issued by Council. Inspections by Council will be required as specified. The Certifying Authority issuing the Construction Certificate must ensure that the permit issued by Council is obtained and referenced on and accompanies the Construction Certificate issued.

(Reason: To facilitate appropriate vehicular access to private sites, without disruption to pedestrian and vehicular traffic

### Stormwater Disposal - Drainage Plan

- C22. Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate, site drainage plans must be prepared by a drainage engineer. The site drainage plans must –be designed in accordance with the following criteria:
- a) compliance with BCA drainage requirements and current Australian Standards and guidelines,
  - b) stormwater runoff and subsoil drainage generated by the approved development must be conveyed in a controlled manner by gravity to Alexander Lane.
  - c) new pipelines within council land shall be of minimum 375mm diameter reinforced concrete Class 2 and have bedding in accordance with Australian Standard AS 3725 (Loads on buried concrete pipes). The developer shall be responsible for carrying out any service investigations to allow gravity connection.

- d) prevent any stormwater egress into adjacent properties by creating physical barriers and surface drainage interception.
- e) the grated boundary pit and stormwater trench (as shown on the stormwater plans) must be relocated away from the 1.5 m setback (to avoid accidents with pedestrian traffic)

Drainage plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: Proper disposal of stormwater)

### **Pump-out System Design for Stormwater Disposal**

C23. The design of the pump-out system for stormwater disposal will be permitted for drainage of basement areas only, and must be designed in accordance with the following criteria:

- a) the pump system shall consist of two pumps, connected in parallel, with each pump being capable of emptying the holding tank at the rate equal to the rate of inflow for the one-hour duration storm. The holding tank shall be capable of holding one hour's runoff from a one-hour duration storm of the one-in-twenty-year storm;
- b) the pump system shall be regularly maintained and serviced, every six (6) months; and
- c) any drainage disposal to the street gutter from a pump system, must have a stilling sump provided at the property line, connected to the street gutter by a suitable gravity line.

Engineering details demonstrating compliance with these criteria and certified by an appropriately qualified and practising civil engineer shall be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure adequate provision is made for the discharge of sub-surface stormwater from the excavated parts of the site)

### **Bond for Damage and Completion of Infrastructure Works - Stormwater, Kerb and Gutter, Footpaths, Vehicular Crossing and Road Pavement**

C24. Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate, security deposit or bank guarantee must be provided to Council to the sum of \$82,750 to be held by Council for the payment of cost for any/all of the following:

- a) making good any damage caused to any property of the Council as a consequence of the doing of anything to which this consent relates,
- b) completing any public work (such as road work, kerbing and guttering, footway construction, stormwater drainage and [environmental controls](#)) required in connection with this consent
- c) remedying any defects in any such public work that arise within 6 months after the work is completed.



The security required by this condition and in the schedule contained later in these conditions must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

The security bond will be refundable following the expiration of 6 months from the issue of any final Occupation Certificate or completion of public work required to be completed (whichever is the latest) but only upon inspection and release by Council's Engineers.

Council shall have full authority to make use of the bond for such restoration works as deemed necessary by Council in circumstances including the following: -

- where the damage constitutes a hazard in which case Council may make use of the security immediately,
- the applicant has not repaired or commenced repairing damage within 48 hours of the issue by Council in writing of instructions to undertake such repairs or works,
- works in the public road associated with the development are to an unacceptable quality, and
- the Certifying Authority must ensure that security is provided to North Sydney Council prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate security for works on public land and an appropriate quality for new public infrastructure)

#### **Footpath, Entries and Fire Exit Details (Mixed-use/Commercial/Apartments)**

C25. Footpaths, entries and exits and fire exits for the development must be designed by an appropriately qualified and practising Civil Engineer and submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The design must include (but is not limited to) the following:

- a) cross section along the centre-line of each access point to the building including fire exits at a scale of 1:50 to be taken from the centre of the road and shall include all changes of grade both existing and proposed;
- b) the sections must show all relevant levels and grades (both existing and proposed) including those levels stipulated as boundary levels;
- c) the sections must show the calculated clearance to the underside of any overhead structure;
- d) a longitudinal section along the boundary line showing how it is intended to match the internal levels of the building with the boundary footpath levels. The footpath must be designed (at a single straight grade of 3% falling to top of kerb) so that it is smooth without showing signs of dipping or rising particularly at entrances; and
- e) a longitudinal section along the gutter and kerb line extending 5 metres past property lines showing transitions.

Details, plans and specifications complying with this condition are to be certified as complying with the Building Code of Australia (BCA) and Council's standard footpath specifications, and the certification, details, plans and specifications must be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. Written concurrence confirming there will be no change to existing boundary and footpath levels is to be provided to the Certifier and North Sydney Council, prior to issue of any Construction Certificate.

(Reason: To facilitate suitable pedestrian and disabled access to private sites, and to ensure that internal levels reflect footpath boundary levels)

### **Tree Bond for Public Trees**

C26. Prior to the issue of any construction certificate, security in the sum of \$36,000.00 must be provided to Council for the protection of trees in public places, including the making good of any damage caused to such trees.

The security required by this condition and in the schedule contained later in these conditions must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

The security will be refundable following the expiration of 6 months from the issue of any final Occupation Certificate but only upon inspection and release by Council's Landscape Development Officer.

If any tree is removed or damaged Council may deduct from this security the reasonable cost of replacement with a tree of the same species and to a similar stage of growth it would have attained at the completion of the work.

In the case of any tree, which cannot be replaced with a similar specimen, the security for that tree will be forfeited to Council and used to provide replacement street plantings.

(Reason: Protection of existing environment public infrastructure, community assets and significant trees)

### **Tree Protection Measures to be shown on Construction Drawings**

C27. The tree protection measures contained in condition C28, shall be shown clearly on the Construction Certificate drawings. Plans and specifications showing the said tree protection measures must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure the construction plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure that appropriate tree protection measures are shown on construction drawings)

**Protection of Trees**

C28. The following tree(s) are required to be protected and retained as part of the development consent in accordance with AS 4970-2009 - Protection of trees on development sites:

<b>Tree No /Species</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Dimensions (m)</b>
1 x Callistemon sp.	On Alexander Street opposite the site, 131-133 Alexander Street Crows Nest	7x8
1 x Platanus sp.	As above	13x10
Murraya paniculata hedge	As above	Not specified

Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

Any tree(s) shown as being retained on the approved plans (regardless of whether they are listed in the above schedule or not) must be protected and retained in accordance with this condition.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental and community assets)

**Pruning of Trees**

C29. No pruning is permitted unless a marked up image (prepared by a qualified AQ5 arborist) showing exactly where proposed pruning cuts are to be made is submitted to Council’s Landscape Development Officer for approval beforehand. Any approved pruning shall be carried out by an AQ3 arborist in accordance with AS4373:

(Reason: To ensure the protection and longevity of existing significant trees)

**Garbage and Recycling Facilities**

C30. Adequate provision must be made for the storage of waste and recyclable material generated by the premises. Plans and specifications which comply with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure the provision of appropriate waste facilities and to ensure efficient collection of waste by collection contractors)

**Asbestos & Hazardous Material Survey**

C31. A report must be prepared by a suitably qualified person in relation to the existing building fabric to be demolished and/or disturbed identifying the presence or otherwise of asbestos contamination and, if asbestos contamination is present, making recommendations as to the work required to safely address the contamination.

Any demolition works or other works identified in the report as having to be carried out must be carried out in accordance with the recommendations of the report and the following:

- a) the removal of asbestos must be undertaken by a WorkCover licensed contractor;
- b) all removal must be in strict accordance with the requirements of the WorkCover Authority in relation to the removal, handling and disposal of material containing asbestos and any Work Safe Australia requirements.
- c) during the removal of any asbestos a sign stating "DANGER ASBESTOS REMOVAL IN PROGRESS" must be erected in a visible position at the boundary of the site; and
- d) Waste disposal receipts must be provided to the Certifying Authority as proof of correct disposal of asbestos laden waste.

The report must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the report, and other plans, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure the long-term health of workers on site and occupants of the building is not put at risk unnecessarily)

#### **Noise from Plant and Equipment**

C32. The use of all plant and equipment installed on the premises must not:

- (a) Contribute an LAeq(15min) which will cause the total LAeq(15min) from all plant and equipment operating contemporaneously on the site or in the strata scheme or in the mixed strata schemes to exceed the RBL by more than 5dB when measured at the boundary of any affected receiver. The modifying factor adjustments in Section 4 of the EPA Industrial Noise Policy shall be applied.
- (b) Cause "offensive noise" as defined in the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*.

"affected receiver" includes residential premises (including any lot in the strata scheme or another strata scheme), premises for short-term accommodation, schools, hospitals, places of worship, commercial premises and parks and such other affected receiver as may be notified by the Council in writing.

"boundary" includes any window or elevated window of an affected receiver.

Terms in this condition have the same meaning as in the Noise Guide for Local Government and the Industrial Noise Policy published by the NSW Environment Protection Authority.

(Reason: To maintain an appropriate level of amenity for adjoining land uses)

#### **Vibration from Plant and Equipment**

C33. The use of all plant and equipment to be installed on the premises must comply with the vibration limits specified in "Assessing Vibration: a technical guideline" issued by the NSW Environment Protection Authority, at the boundary of any affected receiver.

A certificate from an appropriately qualified acoustical consultant eligible for membership of the Association of Australian Acoustic Consultants must be submitted to the Certifying Authority, certifying that all plant and equipment on the site, together with the proposed plant and equipment, operating contemporaneously will comply with the requirements of this condition.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

“affected receiver” includes residential premises (including any lot in the strata scheme or another strata scheme), premises for short-term accommodation, schools, hospitals, places of worship and commercial premises and such other affected receiver as may be notified by the Council in writing.

“boundary” includes any window or elevated window of an affected residence.

“contemporaneously” means *existing at or occurring in the same period of time* (Macquarie Dictionary 3rd rev. ed. 2004).

(Reason: To maintain an appropriate level of amenity for adjoining land uses)

#### **Noise and Vibration Compliance Certification Prior to Issue of Construction Certificate**

C34. A certificate from an appropriately qualified acoustical consultant eligible for membership of the Association of Australian Acoustic Consultants, certifying that suitable measures have been incorporated into the development and that the noise criteria contained in the conditions herein have been satisfied, must be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate.

The Principal Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To maintain an appropriate level of amenity for adjoining land uses)

#### **Mechanical Exhaust Ventilation**

C35. A statement from an appropriately qualified and practising Mechanical Engineer is required detailing how the exhaust ventilation system will be installed in accordance with AS1668. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with acceptable standards for the construction and operation of mechanical plant)

### Provision of Accessible Paths of Travel

C36. The building must be designed and constructed to provide access and facilities in accordance with the Building Code of Australia and Disability (Access to Premises - Buildings) Standards 2010. Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

#### Notes:

1. If, in complying with this condition, amendments to the development are required, the design changes must be submitted for the approval of Council prior to a Construction Certificate being issued. Approval of a modification application may be required.
2. It is not within Council's power to set aside National legislation which requires the upgrade of buildings to meet modern access standards. Such decisions remain the jurisdiction of the Building Professionals Board Access Advisory Committee who may grant an exemption in certain exceptional circumstances.
3. Information on making an application for an "unjustifiable hardship exemption" under the accessibility standards can be found in the website of the NSW Building Professional Boards at <http://www.bpb.nsw.gov.au/page/premises-standards>.

(Reason: To ensure the provision of equitable and dignified access for all people in accordance with disability discrimination legislation and relevant Australian Standards)

### Underground Electricity and Other Services

C37. (a) All electricity and telecommunication provision to the site is to be designed in conjunction with Energy Australia and any other relevant authority so that it can be easily connected underground when the street supply is relocated underground. Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To provide infrastructure that facilitates the future improvement of the streetscape by relocation of overhead lines below ground)

### 7.12 Contributions

C38. A monetary contribution pursuant to the provisions of Section 7.12 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 is to be paid to Council, in accordance with the North Sydney Council's Contribution Plan, to provide for local infrastructure improvements.

Based on the cost of development at the date of determination, the total contribution payable to Council is \$109,750.00.

### Indexation

The monetary contribution required under this consent will be indexed at the time of payment in accordance with quarterly movements in the Consumer Price Index (All Groups Index) for Sydney as published by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

### Timing of Payment

The contribution must be paid to Council prior to issue of any Construction Certificate for any work approved by this consent.

A copy of the North Sydney Contribution Plan can be viewed at North Sydney Council's Customer Service Centre, 200 Miller Street, North Sydney or downloaded via Council's website at [www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To provide for local infrastructure identified in the North Sydney Council Local Contributions Plan 2020)

### **Security Deposit/Guarantee Schedule**

C39. All fees and security deposits/guarantees in accordance with the schedule below must be provided to Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate:

<b>Security deposit/ guarantee</b>	<b>Amount (\$)</b>
Infrastructure Damage Bond	\$5,000
Drainage Construction Bond	\$9,975
Engineering Construction Bond	\$67,775
<b>TOTAL BONDS</b>	<b>\$82,750</b>

Note: The following fees applicable

<b>Fees</b>	
Section 7.12 Contributions	\$109,750.00
<b>TOTAL FEES</b>	<b>\$109,750.00</b>

The security required by the above schedule must be provided by way of a deposit with the Council; or other such guarantee that is satisfactory to Council (such as a bank guarantee). Any guarantee provided as security must name North Sydney Council as the nominated beneficiary and must not be subject to an expiry date.

(Reason: Compliance with the development consent)

### **Under Awning Lighting**

C40. Under awning lighting must be provided to the Alexander Street frontage of the site. Such lighting is to be designed to P1 standard in accordance with AS/NZS 1158.3.1. The luminaries must be:

- a) weatherproof and vandal proof;
- b) designed in conjunction with Energy Australia so that the system can easily be connected to a public lighting system when available; and

- c) the location and type of the said luminaries shall be to the satisfaction of Council's Director of Engineering and Property Services.

Plans and specifications complying with this condition must be submitted to the Certifying Authority and the Council's Director of Engineering and Property Services for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. A construction certificate must not be issued without the approval of the Council's Director of Engineering and Property Services. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To enhance the amenity and safety of the footpath adjacent to the premises)

### **Outdoor Lighting**

- C41. All outdoor lighting must comply with, where relevant AS/NZ1158.3:1999 Pedestrian Area (Category P) Lighting and AS4282:1997 Control of the Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor lighting. Details demonstrating compliance with these requirements must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To maintain the amenity of adjoining land uses)

### **Remediation**

- C42. Prior to the release of the Construction Certificate the site must be remediated in accordance with:
- (a) an approved Remedial Action Plan; and
  - (b) North Sydney Development Control Plan 2013 - Section 14 - Contamination and Hazardous Building Materials; and
  - (c) state Environmental Planning Policy No. 55 - Remediation of Land; and,
  - (d) the guidelines in force under the Contaminated Land Management Act.

Within thirty (30) days after the completion of the remediation works, and prior to the issue of any construction certificate, a notice of completion, including validation and/or monitoring report is to be provided to Council. This notice must be consistent with State Environmental Planning Policy No. 55 - Remediation of Land.

Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate, the validation and/or monitoring report is to be independently audited and a Site Audit Statement issued. A copy of the Site Audit Statement is to be provided to the Certifying Authority and Council (if Council is not the Certifying Authority). The audit is to be carried out by an independent auditor accredited by the Environment Protection Authority. Any conditions recorded on the Site Audit Statement must be complied with at all times.

(Reason: To ensure the land is suitable for its intended purpose)



### **Telecommunication Infrastructure provision**

- C43. Prior to the issue of the Subdivision or Construction Certificate in connection with a development, the developer (whether or not a constitutional corporation) is to provide evidence satisfactory to the Certifying Authority that arrangements have been made for;
- (i) the installation of fibre-ready facilities to all individual lots and/or premises in a real estate development project so as to enable fibre to be readily connected to any premises that is being or may be constructed on those lots. Demonstrate that the carrier has confirmed in writing that they are satisfied that the fibre ready facilities are fit for purpose, and
  - (ii) the provision of fixed-line telecommunications infrastructure in the fibre-ready facilities to all individual lots and/or premises in a real estate development project demonstrated through an agreement with a carrier.

All such facilities shall be underground if within or visible from a current or future public place.

Note: Real estate development project has the meanings given in section 372Q of the Telecommunications Act.

(Reason: To ensure that modern telecommunications infrastructure is provided in respect of all premises to be constructed in developments)

### **Installation of Cooling Water Systems**

- C44. Any cooling water system must be designed to comply with the prescribed requirements of the Public Health Act 2010, Public Health Regulation 2012 and the relevant Australian Standards.

The Certifying Authority must ensure that the building plans and specifications submitted, referenced on and accompanying the Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To maintain public health; statutory requirement)

### **Amendments to Approved Development**

- C45. The following details are to be included with an application for a construction certificate for approval by the Certifier:
- a) The notations "WORKPLACE OFFICES" on the plans for the Ground Level, Level 1 and Level 2 are to be deleted and replaced with "OFFICE PREMISES".
  - b) Screen landscaping is to be clearly marked, including details of suitable species and height at maturity, on the western and northern sides of the roof top area shown with tables and chairs on the Roof Plan, and on a complementary Landscaping Plan. A roof, awning, or similar is to be shown on these plans, which will afford weather protection for the area shown with tables and chairs.
  - c) The roof plan, elevations and/or sections must be suitably notated to demonstrate that the height of any structure on the roof does not exceed 14.45m.

- d) Landscaping plans and architectural plans are to be amended to indicate the detailing and treatment of the eastern façade will be similar to that of the western façade, to consist of judicious deployment of planter boxes, planting and shade structures, to improve the presentation and articulation of the eastern facade.
- e) The awning over Alexander Street footpath shall be a minimum depth of 2.0m (measured over the footpath from the outer (western-most) extent of the building), except where indentations are provided to allow for the growth of street trees, and the indentations being certified by an Arborist as being adequate to provide space for health tree growth.
- f) End-of-trip facilities and bicycle parking for occupants (a minimum 13 spaces) being conveniently located in relation to one another, on the Lower Ground Floor and/or Basement Level 1.
- g) The office on the Lower Ground Floor Plan is to be notated "NOT FOR USE AS A SEPARATE TENANCY".

(Reason: To ensure a compliant development which will provide high amenity and a positive contribution to Crows Nest's built environment)

**D. Prior to the Commencement of any Works (and continuing where indicated)**

**Protection of Trees**

- D1. All trees that are specifically nominated to be retained by notation on plans or by condition as a requirement of this consent must be maintained and protected during demolition, excavation and construction on the site in accordance with AS4970-2009 (Protection of trees on development sites). A report containing recommendations, and methods of tree protection prepared by an appropriately qualified person must be provided to the Certifying Authority for approval by an appropriately qualified person prior to commencement of any works on the site. Any recommendations must be undertaken for the duration of works on the site.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the requirement to retain significant planting on the site)

**Notice of Proposed Work (Contaminated Land)**

- D2. Notice of proposed work must be given to the Council in accordance with Clause 16 of State Environmental Planning Policy No 55 - Remediation of Land.

The following additional information must be submitted with the notice to the Council:

- a) Copies of any preliminary investigation, detailed investigation and remediation action plan for the site; and
- b) Contact details for the remediation contractor and any other party responsible for ensuring compliance of remediation work with regulatory requirements.

Note: Thirty (30) days' notice is required for any remediation work. In the case of work required to be carried out immediately under the terms of a remediation order a minimum of two days' notice is required.

(Reason: Protection of the environment, SEPP 55 compliance)

### Public Liability Insurance - Works on Public Land

- D3. Any person or contractor undertaking works on public land must take out Public Risk Insurance with a minimum cover of \$20 million in relation to the occupation of public land and the undertaking of approved works within Council's road reserve or public land, as approved by this consent. The Policy is to note and provide protection/full indemnification for North Sydney Council, as an interested party. A copy of the Policy must be submitted to Council prior to commencement of any works. The Policy must be valid for the entire period that the works are being undertaken.

Note: Applications for hoarding permits, vehicular crossings etc will require evidence of insurance upon lodgement of the application.

(Reason: To ensure the community is protected from the cost of any claim for damages arising from works on public land)

### Sydney Water Approvals

- D4. Prior to the commencement of any works, the approved plans must be submitted to Sydney Water to determine whether the development application will affect Sydney Water's sewer and water mains, stormwater drains and/or easements, and if further requirements need to be met. The Certifying Authority must ensure that Sydney Water has appropriately stamped the plans before the commencement of building works.

Notes: **Sydney Water Building Plan Approvals** can be obtained from the Sydney Water Tap in™ online service. Building plans must be submitted to the Tap in™ to determine whether the development will affect any Sydney Water sewer or water main, stormwater drains and/or easement, and if further requirements need to be met. For further information visit <http://www.sydneywater.com.au/tapin/index.htm> or call 13 000 TAP IN (1300 082 746) for further information.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with Sydney Water requirements)

### Asbestos Material Survey

- D5. Prior to the commencement of any works, a report must be prepared by a suitably qualified person in relation to the existing building fabric to be demolished and/or disturbed identifying the presence or otherwise of asbestos contamination and, if asbestos contamination is present, making recommendations as to the work required to safely address the contamination.

Any demolition works or other works identified in the report as having to be carried out must be carried out in accordance with the recommendations of the report and the following:

- a) the removal of asbestos must be undertaken by a WorkCover licensed contractor;
- b) all removal must be in strict accordance with the requirements of the WorkCover Authority in relation to the removal, handling and disposal of material containing asbestos and any Work Safe Australia requirements.
- c) during the removal of any asbestos a sign stating "DANGER ASBESTOS REMOVAL IN PROGRESS" must be erected in a visible position at the boundary of the site; and

- d) Waste disposal receipts must be provided to the Certifying Authority as proof of correct disposal of asbestos laden waste.

The report must be submitted to the Certifying Authority for approval prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The Certifying Authority must ensure that the report, and other plans, referenced on and accompanying the issued Construction Certificate, fully satisfy the requirements of this condition.

(Reason: To ensure the long-term health of workers on site and occupants of the building is not put at risk unnecessarily)

### **Commencement of Works' Notice**

- D6. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent must not be commenced until the developer has given at least two days' notice to North Sydney Council of the person's intention to commence building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

### ***E. During Demolition and Building Work***

#### **Cigarette Butt Receptacle**

- E1. A cigarette butt receptacle is to be provided on the site for the duration of excavation/demolition/construction process, for convenient use of site workers.

(Reason: To ensure adequate provision is made for builders' waste)

#### **Parking Restrictions**

- E2. Existing public parking provisions in the vicinity of the site must be maintained at all times during works. The placement of any barriers, traffic cones, obstructions or other device in the road shoulder or kerbside lane is prohibited without the prior written consent of Council. Changes to existing public parking facilities/restrictions must be approved by the North Sydney Local Traffic Committee. The Developer will be held responsible for any breaches of this condition and will incur any fines associated with enforcement by Council regulatory officers.

(Reason: To ensure that existing kerbside parking provisions are not compromised during works)

### Road Reserve Safety

- E3. All public footways and roadways fronting and adjacent to the site must be maintained in a safe condition at all times during the course of the development works, with no obstructions caused to the said footways and roadways. Construction materials and plant must not be stored in the road reserve without approval of Council. A safe pedestrian circulation route and a pavement/route free of trip hazards must be maintained at all times on or adjacent to any public access ways fronting the construction site.

Where public infrastructure is damaged, repair works must be carried out in when and as directed by Council officers (at full Developer cost). Where pedestrian circulation is diverted on to the roadway or verge areas, clear directional signage and protective barricades must be installed in accordance with AS1742-3 (1996) "Traffic Control Devices for Work on Roads". **If pedestrian circulation is not satisfactorily maintained across the site frontage, and action is not taken promptly to rectify the defects, Council may undertake proceedings to stop work.**

(Reason: Public Safety)

### Temporary Disposal of Stormwater Runoff

- E4. During construction, stormwater runoff must be disposed in a controlled manner that is compatible with the erosion and sediment controls on the site. Immediately upon completion of any impervious areas on the site (including roofs, driveways, paving) and where the final drainage system is incomplete, the necessary temporary drainage systems must be installed to reasonably manage and control runoff as far as the approved point of stormwater discharge. Such ongoing measures must be to the satisfaction of the Certifying Authority.

(Reason: Stormwater control during construction)

### Geotechnical Stability during Works

- E5. A contractor with specialist excavation experience must undertake the excavations for the development and a suitably qualified and consulting geotechnical engineer must oversee the excavation procedure.

Geotechnical aspects of the development work, namely appropriate excavation method and vibration control, support and retention of excavated faces, and hydrogeological considerations must be undertaken in accordance with the recommendations of the geotechnical report prepared by JK Geotechnics, dated 22 April 2022 and all subsequent geotechnical inspections carried out during the excavation and construction phase.

Approval must be obtained from all affected property owners, including North Sydney Council where rock anchors (both temporary and permanent) are proposed below adjacent private or public property.

(Reason: Ensure appropriate professional are engaged at appropriate stages during construction)

### **Council Inspection of Public Infrastructure Works**

E6. During the works on public infrastructure reverting to Council's care and control, Council's development engineer may undertake inspections of the works at the following hold points: -

- Formwork for layback, kerb/gutter, footpath, etc.
- Formwork and reinforcement for in-situ stormwater pits,
- Pipe connections prior to back filling.

All works must proceed in accordance with Roads Act 1993 approvals or other permits relating to roads issued by Council. A minimum of 48 hours' notice must be given to Council to book an inspection. Work must not proceed until the works or activity covered by the inspection is approved.

(Reason: To ensure quality of construction joints and connections in the drainage system)

### **Dust Emission and Air Quality**

E7. The following must be complied with at all times:

- (a) Materials must not be burnt on the site.
- (b) Vehicles entering and leaving the site with soil or fill material must be covered.
- (c) Dust suppression measures must be carried out to minimise wind-borne emissions in accordance with the NSW Department of Housing's 1998 guidelines - Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction.
- (d) Odour suppression measures must also be carried out where appropriate so as to prevent nuisance occurring at adjoining properties.

(Reason: To ensure residential amenity is maintained in the immediate vicinity)

### **Noise and Vibration**

E8. The works must be undertaken in accordance with the "Interim Construction Noise Guideline," published by the NSW Environment Protection Authority, to ensure excessive levels of noise and vibration do not occur so as to minimise adverse effects experienced on any adjoining land.

(Reason: To ensure residential amenity is maintained in the immediate vicinity)

### **Applicant's Cost of Work on Council Property**

E9. The Applicant must bear the cost of all works associated with the development that occurs on Council's property, including the restoration of damaged areas.

(Reason: To ensure the proper management of public land and funds)

### No Removal of Trees on Public Property

- E10. No trees on public property (footpaths, roads, reserves, etc.) unless specifically approved by this consent shall be removed or damaged during construction including for the erection of any fences, hoardings or other temporary works.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental infrastructure and community assets)

### Protection of Trees

- E11. All Trees required to be retained by Condition C28 as part of this consent must be protected from any damage during construction works in accordance with AS4970-2009/.

In the event that any tree required to be retained is damaged during works on the site, notice of the damage must be given to Council forthwith.

Notes:

- a. If the nominated tree is damaged to a significant degree or removed from the site without prior written approval being obtained from Council, the issuing of fines or legal proceedings may be commenced for failure to comply with the conditions of this consent.
- b. An application to modify this consent pursuant to Section 4.55 of *the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* will be required to address the non-compliance with any of the conditions of consent relating to the retention of nominated trees, and Council may require tree replenishment.

(Reason: Protection of existing environmental infrastructure and community assets)

### Special Permits

- E12. Unless otherwise specifically approved in writing by Council, all works, processes, storage of materials, loading and unloading associated with the development must occur entirely on the property.

The developer, owner or builder may apply for specific permits available from Council's Customer Service Centre for the undermentioned activities on Council's property. In the event that a permit is granted by Council for the carrying out of works, processes, storage of materials, loading and unloading associated with the development on Council's property, the development must be carried out in accordance with the requirements of the permit. A minimum of forty-eight (48) hours' notice is required for any permit:

1) **On-street mobile plant**

E.g., cranes, concrete pumps, cherry-pickers, etc. - restrictions apply to the hours of operation, the area of operation, etc. Separate permits are required for each occasion and each piece of equipment. It is the developer's, owner's and builder's responsibilities to take whatever steps are necessary to ensure that the use of any equipment does not violate adjoining property owner's rights.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

2) **Hoardings**

Permits are required to erect Class A and Class B hoardings. If an 'A' Class hoarding is to alienate a section of Council's property, that section will require a permit for the occupation of Council's property.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

3) **Storage of building materials and building waste containers (skips) on Council's property**

Permits to utilise Council property for the storage of building materials and building waste containers (skips) are required for each location. Failure to obtain the relevant permits will result in the building materials or building waste containers (skips) being impounded by Council with no additional notice being given. Storage of building materials and waste containers on open space reserves and parks is prohibited.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

4) **Kerbside restrictions, construction zones**

Attention is drawn to the existing kerbside restrictions adjacent to the development. Should alteration of existing kerbside restrictions be required, or the provision of a construction zone, the appropriate application must be made and the fee paid to Council. Alternatives to such restrictions may require referral to Council's Traffic Committee and may take considerable time to be resolved. An earlier application is suggested to avoid delays in construction programs.

(Reason: Proper management of public land)

**Construction Hours (Commercial Core and Mixed-use Zones)**

E13. Construction activities and works approved under this consent must be carried out only within the hours stipulated in the following table:

Location	Standard Construction Hours	
	Day	Hours
<b>B3 Commercial Core Zone</b> <b>B4 Mixed-use Zone</b>	Monday - Friday	7.00 am - 7.00 pm
	Saturday	8.00 am - 1.00 pm
	Sunday, Public holiday	No work permitted

Construction activities for development approved under this consent must be carried out in accordance with the standard construction hours above and any Construction Noise Management Plan required under this consent.

In the event of breach to the approved hours of construction Council take may take enforcement action under Part 9 of the EP&A Act 1979 and in accordance with Council's adopted Compliance and Enforcement Policy.

(Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of residents and the community)



### Out-of-hours' Work Permits

E14. Where it is necessary for works to occur outside those hours allowed by these conditions, an application may be made to Council's Customer Services Centre for a permit to carry out works outside of the approved hours. If a permit is issued the works approved must be carried out in accordance with any requirements specified in the permit. Permits will only be approved if **public safety is at risk**. Applications which seek a variation to construction hours solely to benefit the developer will require the lodgement and favourable determination of a modification application pursuant to the provisions of Section 96 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

#### Notes:

- 1) Failure to obtain a permit for work outside of the approved hours will result in on the spot fines being issued, or Council pursuing any action required (including legal proceedings) to have the out of hours work cease, without prior warning.
- 2) Applications for out of hour's works should be lodged with Council no later than seven (7) calendar days prior to the date of the intended works.
- 3) Examples of activities for which permits may be granted include:
  - the erection of awnings,
  - footpath, road and other infrastructure works which cannot be carried out for public convenience reasons within normal hours,
  - the erection and removal of hoardings and site cranes, and
  - craneage of materials which cannot be done for public convenience reasons within normal working hours.
- 4) Examples of activities for which permits WILL NOT be granted include;
  - extended concrete pours
  - works which are solely to convenience the developer or client, and
  - catch up works required to maintain or catch up with a construction schedule.
- 5) Further information on permits can be obtained from the Council website at [www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To ensure that works do not interfere with reasonable amenity expectations of residents and the community)

### Installation and Maintenance of Sediment Control

E15. Erosion and sediment controls must be installed and maintained at all times in accordance with the Sediment and erosion control plan submitted and approved with the Construction Certificate.

Erosion and sediment measures must be maintained in accordance with the publication Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction (4th edition, Landcom, 2004), commonly referred to as the "Blue Book" and can only be removed when development activities have been completed and the site fully stabilised.

(Reason: To protect the environment from the effects of sedimentation and erosion from development sites)

### **Sediment and Erosion Control Signage**

E16. A durable sign must be erected during building works in a prominent location on site, warning of penalties should appropriate erosion and sedimentation control devices not be maintained. A sign of the type referred to in this condition is available from Council.

(Reason: To protect the environment from the effects of sedimentation and erosion from development sites)

### **Remedial Action Plan (Contaminated Land)**

E17. The remediation work must be carried out in accordance with the Remedial Action Plan approved under this consent and all relevant guidelines issued under the Contaminated Land Management Act.

(Reason: To ensure the proper management of contaminated land)

### **Site Amenities and Facilities**

E18. Where work involved in the erection and demolition of a building is being carried out, amenities which satisfy applicable occupational health and safety and construction safety regulations, including any WorkCover Authority requirements, must be provided and maintained at all times. The type of workplace determines the type of amenities required.

Further information and details can be obtained from the Internet at [www.workcover.nsw.gov.au](http://www.workcover.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To ensure the health and safety of the community and workers on the site)

### **Health and Safety**

E19. All work undertaken must satisfy applicable occupational health and safety and construction safety regulations, including any WorkCover Authority requirements to prepare a health and safety plan. Site fencing must be installed sufficient to exclude the public from the site. Safety signs must be erected that warn the public to keep out of the site and provide a contact telephone number for enquiries.

Further information and details regarding occupational health and safety requirements for construction sites can be obtained from the internet at [www.workcover.nsw.gov.au](http://www.workcover.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To ensure the health and safety of the community and workers on the site)

### **Prohibition on Use of Pavements**

E20. Building materials must not be placed on Council's footpaths, roadways, parks or grass verges, (unless a permit is obtained from Council beforehand). A suitable sign to this effect must be erected adjacent to the street alignment.

(Reason: To ensure public safety and amenity on public land)

### Plant and Equipment Kept Within Site

E21. All plant and equipment used in the undertaking of the development/ works, including concrete pumps, wagons, lifts, mobile cranes, hoardings etc, must be situated within the boundaries of the site (unless a permit is obtained from Council beforehand) and so placed that all concrete slurry, water, debris and the like must be discharged onto the building site, and is to be contained within the site boundaries.

Details of Council requirements for permits on public land for standing plant, hoardings, storage of materials and construction zones and the like are available on Council's website at [www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To ensure public safety and amenity on public land)

### Imported Fill Material

E22. The only waste derived fill material that may be received at the development site is:

a) Virgin excavated natural material (within the meaning of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997); and

b) Any other waste-derived material the subject of a resource recovery exemption under cl. 51A of the Protection of the Environment Operations (Waste) Regulation 2005 that is permitted to be used as fill material.

Any waste-derived material the subject of a resource recovery exemption received at the development site, must be accompanied by documentation as the material's compliance with the exemption conditions and must be provided to the Certifying Authority on request.

(Reason: To ensure that imported fill is of an acceptable standard for environmental protection purposes)

### Waste Disposal

E23. All records demonstrating the lawful disposal of waste must be retained and kept readily accessible for inspection by regulatory authorities such as North Sydney Council and the Environmental Protection Authority.

(Reason: To ensure the lawful disposal of construction and demolition waste)

### Asbestos Removal

E24. All demolition works involving the removal and disposal of asbestos cement must only be undertaken by contractors who hold a current WorkCover Asbestos or "Demolition Licence" and a current WorkCover "Class 2 (Restricted) Asbestos Licence and removal must be carried out in accordance with National Occupational Health and Safety Commission.

(Reason: To ensure works are carried out in accordance with relevant WorkCover requirements)

**F. Prescribed Conditions imposed under EP&A Act and Regulations and other relevant Legislation**

**National Construction Code**

F1. All building work must be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the National Construction Code.

(Reason: Prescribed - Statutory)

**Appointment of a Principal Certifying Authority (PCA)**

F2. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with the development consent must not be commenced until the developer has appointed a Principal Certifying Authority for the building work in accordance with the provisions of the EP&A Act and its Regulations.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

**Construction Certificate**

F3. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with the development consent must not be commenced until a Construction Certificate for the relevant part of the building work has been issued in accordance with the provisions of the EP&A Act and its Regulations.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

**Occupation Certificate**

F4. A person must not commence occupation or use of the whole or any part of a new building (*new building* includes an altered portion of, or an extension to, an existing building) unless an Occupation Certificate has been issued in relation to the building or part. Only the Principal Certifying Authority appointed for the building work can issue an Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: Statutory)

**Critical Stage Inspections**

F5. Building work must be inspected by the Principal Certifying Authority on the critical stage occasions prescribed by the EP&A Act and its Regulations, and as directed by the appointed Principal Certifying Authority.

(Reason: Statutory)

### **Commencement of Works**

F6. Building work, demolition or excavation in accordance with this development consent must not be commenced until the developer has given at least two (2) days' notice to North Sydney Council of the person's intention to commence the erection of the building.

(Reason: Statutory: To ensure appropriate safeguarding measures are in place prior to the commencement of any building work, demolition or excavation)

### **Excavation/Demolition**

- F7. 1) All excavations and backfilling associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be executed safely and in accordance with appropriate professional standards.
- 2) All excavations associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be properly guarded and protected to prevent them from being dangerous to life or property.
- 3) Demolition work must be undertaken in accordance with the provisions of AS2601-Demolition of Structures.

(Reason: To ensure that work is undertaken in a professional and responsible manner and protect adjoining property and persons from potential damage)

### **Protection of Public Places**

- F8. 1) A hoarding and site fencing must be erected between the work site and adjoining public place.
- 2) If necessary, an awning is to be erected, sufficient to prevent any substance from, or in connection with, the work falling into the public place.
- 3) The work site must be kept lit between sunset and sunrise if it is likely to be hazardous to persons in the public place.
- 4) Any such hoarding, fence or awning is to be removed when the work has been completed.
- 5) No access across public reserves or parks is permitted.

Note: Prior to the erection of any temporary fence or hoarding over property owned or managed by Council, written approval must be obtained. Any application needs to be accompanied by plans indicating the type of hoarding and its layout. Fees are assessed and will form part of any approval given. These fees must be paid prior to the approval being given. Approval for hoardings will generally only be given in association with approved building works, maintenance or to ensure protection of the public. An application form for a Hoarding Permit can be downloaded from Council's website.

(Reason: To ensure public safety and the proper management of public land)

### Site Sign

- F9. 1) A sign must be erected in a prominent position on the site
- a) stating that unauthorised entry to the work site is prohibited;
  - b) showing the name of the principal contractor (or person in charge of the work site), and a telephone number at which that person may be contacted at any time for business purposes and outside working hours; and
  - c) showing the name, address and telephone number of the Principal Certifying Authority for the work.
- 2) Any such sign must be maintained while to building work or demolition work is being carried out but must be removed when the work has been completed.

(Reason: Prescribed - Statutory)

### G. *Prior to the Issue of an Occupation Certificate*

#### Infrastructure Repair and Completion of Works

- G1. Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate any and all works relating to the development:
- a. in the road reserve must be fully completed; and
  - b. to repair and make good any damaged public infrastructure caused as a result of any works relating to the development (including damage caused by, but not limited to, delivery vehicles, waste collection, contractors, sub-contractors, concrete vehicles) must be fully repaired;

to the satisfaction of Council Engineers at no cost to Council.

(Reason: Maintain quality of public assets)

### Line Marking

- G2. A certificate prepared by an appropriately qualified and practising Traffic Engineer certifying the construction, paving, line marking and signposting of all off-street car-parking spaces, together with access driveways, in accordance with the approved development plans, appropriate Australian Standards and industry best practice as appropriate must be submitted to, and approved by, the Certifying Authority prior to issue of any Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure ongoing compliance with this development consent and Australian Standards relating to manoeuvring and access of vehicles)

### **Access to Premises**

- G3. Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate, a certificate must be prepared an appropriately qualified and practising Civil Engineer certifying that access and facilities for persons with a disability in accordance with the Building Code of Australia and AS Disability (Access to Premises - buildings) Standards 2010 (Premises Standards) has been provided. This certificate must be submitted to, and approved by, the Certifying Authority prior to issue of the Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: Equitable access and facilities for people with a disability)

### **Certification - Civil Works**

- G4. a) An appropriately qualified and practising Civil Engineer must certify to the Certifying Authority that the stormwater drainage system is constructed in accordance with this consent and the provisions of the applicable Australian Standard. A copy of the certificate must be submitted to Council (if it is not the Certifying Authority) upon completion of the development works and prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.
- b) An appropriately qualified and practicing Civil Engineer must certify to the Certifying Authority that the vehicular crossing and associated works and road works were constructed in accordance with this consent and any approval for works in the road reserve issued by the Council. A copy of the certificate must be submitted to Council (if it is not the Certifying Authority), upon completion of the development works and prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: Compliance with the Consent)

### **Works as Executed Drawings and Video**

- G5. A works-as-executed survey drawing (W.A.E.) of the completed stormwater drainage system must be obtained. The W.A.E. survey drawing must show the alignment, depth and grade of the stormwater drainage pipelines, pits and ancillary plumbing. The W.A.E survey drawing must be reviewed by a qualified and practising civil engineer and certification provided to the Certifying Authority that the as-built system achieves the design intent of the plans approved with the Construction Certificate. Certification must be provided with the W.A.E survey drawing to the Certifying Authority prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

CCTV inspection of conduits, that revert to the care and control of Council, shall be conducted in accordance with the Conduit Inspection Reporting Code of Australia WSA 05-2013.

The camera, transportation unit, distance measuring devices, illumination systems and ancillary equipment shall be used suitable for the conduit size, material and conditions under which the inspection is undertaken. The camera shall be steerable and be able to negotiate bends within the drainage pipe.

The use of a pushrod camera may only be acceptable for pipe diameters less than 150mm or where a steerable camera cannot navigate.

A colour camera shall be used which has remotely operated automatic and/or manual adjustment of the focus and iris to allow optimum picture quality to be achieved.

The camera lens shall be capable of viewing the extremities of the conduit and panning and or tilting to view the lateral connections and defects or features at and position around the conduit regardless of the direction of travel of the camera in the main conduit.

The adjustment of focus and iris shall provide a focal range from 15 mm to infinity. The distance along the conduit in focus from the initial point of observation shall be a minimum of four times the vertical height of the conduit.

Where required, specialised instruments, apparatus and/or software shall be used to facilitate measurement of parameters to determine acceptance. Hardware and software used in measuring the parameters shall be correctly calibrated for each application using the manufacturer's methods.

For circular or regular shaped conduits, the camera shall be positioned centrally,  $\pm 10\%$  of the vertical and horizontal diameter, within the conduit.

A copy of the WAE survey drawing, certification and CCTV inspection footage must be submitted to the Council if it is not the Certifying Authority.

(Reason: Compliance with the Consent)

### Validation for Remediation

G6. A validation and site monitoring report prepared in accordance with relevant guidelines issued under the *Contaminated Land Management Act 1997* must be submitted to the Council within one month of completion of the remediation work, and prior to the issuing of any Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure environmental amenity is maintained)

### Certification for Mechanical Exhaust Ventilation

G7. Prior to issue of an Occupation Certificate and following the completion, installation, and testing of all the mechanical ventilation systems, a Mechanical Ventilation Certificate of Completion and Performance in accordance with Clause A2.2(a)(iii) of the Building Code of Australia, must be submitted to, and approved by, the Certifying Authority.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with acceptable standards for the construction and operation of mechanical plant)

### Damage to Adjoining Properties

G8. All precautions must be taken to prevent any damage likely to be sustained to adjoining properties. Adjoining owner property rights and the need for owner's permission must be observed at all times, including the entering onto land for the purpose of undertaking works.

(Reason: To ensure adjoining owner's property rights are protected)



### **Utility Services**

G9. All utility services shall be adjusted to the correct levels and/or location/s required by this consent, prior to issue of an occupation certificate. This shall be at no cost to Council.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the terms of this consent)

### **Covenant and Restriction (Stormwater Control Systems)**

G10. An Instrument pursuant to Sections 88B and 88E of the *Conveyancing Act* 1919 and one copy must be submitted to Council in registrable form, providing for:

- a. a restriction as to user and positive covenant as to user as appropriate in favour of North Sydney Council burdening 131-133 Alexander Street Crows Nest, requiring the ongoing retention, maintenance and operation of the stormwater facility (pump-out, charged lines),
- b. North Sydney Council being nominated in the Instrument as the only party authorised to release, vary or modify the Instrument,
- c. the wording on the Instrument making reference to the Council file/s which hold;  
(a) the Construction plans, and  
(b) the "Work-as-Executed" (as built) plans.

Upon Council being satisfied as to the terms of the Instrument, North Sydney Council's official seal will be affixed to these documents, prior to submission to the NSW Land Registry Services for registration.

The Instrument creating the restriction and/or covenant under ss 88B and 88E required by this condition of consent must be registered on the Title of the development site prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate or commencement of use of the site, whichever is the earlier.

Evidence of the registration of the instrument referred to in this condition is to be provided to Council prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

All costs associated with the preparation, approval and registration of the Instrument required by this condition of consent must be borne by the person acting on this consent including the reasonable costs of Council in obtaining advice, negotiating the terms or otherwise facilitating the execution and registration of the required Instrument.

(Reason: Compliance and adequate maintenance of drainage system)

### **Basement Pump-out Maintenance**

G11. Prior to issue of an Occupation Certificate a Maintenance Regime must be prepared for the basement stormwater pump-out system and submitted to the Principal Certifying Authority for approval with the Occupation Certificate documentation. The regime must specify that the system is to be regularly inspected and checked by qualified practitioners.

The basement stormwater pump-out system must be maintained in accordance with the approved Maintenance Regime at all times.

(Reason: To ensure future provision for maintenance of the drainage system)

### **Notification of New Address Developments**

G12. Prior to any Occupation Certificate being issued, the person acting upon this consent must comply with the following:

- (a) Notify Australia Post of the address(es) as issued by Council and the location in plan form of any secondary, internal addresses, in relation to built public roads. Check Australia Post Website ([www.auspost.com.au](http://www.auspost.com.au)) to find your nearest Australia Post Delivery Facility.

(Reason: To ensure that Council records are accurate, and that house numbering complies with the requirements of Council's House Numbering Policy. Proper house numbering also assists emergency services in readily locating properties)

### **Asbestos Clearance Certificate**

G13. For building works where asbestos based products have been removed or altered, an asbestos clearance certificate signed by an appropriately qualified person (being an Occupational Hygienist or Environmental Consultant) must be submitted to and approved by the Certifying Authority (and a copy forwarded to Council if it is not the Certifying Authority) for the building work prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate, the asbestos clearance certificate must certify the following:

- a) the building/land is free of asbestos; or
- b) the building/land has asbestos that is presently deemed safe.

The certificate must also be accompanied by tipping receipts, which detail that all asbestos waste has been disposed of at an approved asbestos waste disposal depot. If asbestos is retained on site the certificate must identify the type, location, use, condition and amount of such material.

Note: Further details of licensed asbestos waste disposal facilities can be obtained from [www.epa.nsw.gov.au](http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au).

(Reason: To ensure that building works involving asbestos-based products are safe for occupation and will pose no health risks to occupants)

### **Certification of Tree Condition**

G14. Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, a report prepared by an appropriately qualified person (being an arborist or the like) must be submitted to the Certifying Authority, describing the health of the tree(s) specifically nominated by condition C7.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the terms of this consent)

### **Vehicle Egress Signs**

G15. Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, appropriate sign(s) must be provided and maintained within the site at the point(s) of vehicular egress to ensure all vehicles stop before proceeding onto the public way.

(Reason: To ensure pedestrian safety)

### **Signal System**

G16. Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, a signal system must be installed at the street alignment and within the building to indicate traffic movement on the single lane ramp, and so designed that the signal indication at the point of ingress shall remain green except when an exiting vehicle is detected upon the ramp or driveway.

(Reason: To properly manage vehicle entry to, and exit from, the subject site)

### **Disposal Information**

G17. Upon completion of works and prior to occupation, a report including the following information must be provided to Council's Open Space and Environmental Services Department:

- a) the total tonnage of all waste and excavated material disposed of from the site (including any tipping docket); and
- b) the disposal points and methods used.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate disposal methods are undertaken for auditing and inspection purposes)

### **Sydney Water**

G18. A Section 73 Compliance Certificate under the Sydney Water Act 1994 must be obtained.

The final Section 73 Certificate must be submitted to the Certifying Authority prior to release of any linen plan for subdivision or prior to occupation of the development, whichever is the earlier.

Notes: Application must be made through an authorised Water Servicing Co-ordinator, for details see the Sydney Water web site [www.sydneywater.com.au/customer/urban/index](http://www.sydneywater.com.au/customer/urban/index), or telephone 13 20 92.

Following application, a 'Notice of Requirements' will be forwarded detailing water and sewer extensions to be built and charges to be paid. Please make early contact with the Coordinator since building of water/sewer extensions can be time consuming and may impact on other services and building, driveway or landscape design.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the statutory requirements of Sydney Water)

### Landscaping

G19. The landscaping shown in the approved landscape plans referred to in condition A1 must be completed prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate.

(Reason: To ensure compliance)

### Damage to Adjoining Properties

G20. On completion of the development the subject of this consent and prior to the issue of the Occupation Certificate, a report is to be prepared by an appropriately qualified consultant and is to be provided to the Certifying Authority (and a copy to Council if it is not the Certifying Authority) certifying:

- a) whether any damage to adjoining properties has occurred as a result of the development;
- b) the nature and extent of any damage caused to the adjoining property as a result of the development;
- c) the nature and extent of works required to rectify any damage caused to the adjoining property as a result of the proposed development;
- d) the nature and extent of works carried out to rectify any damage caused to the adjoining property as a result of the development; and
- e) the nature and extent of any agreements entered into for rectification of any damage caused to the adjoining property as a result of the development.

The report and certification must reference the dilapidation survey and reports required to be provided to the Certifying Authority in accordance with this consent.

Where works required to rectify any damage caused to adjoining property as a result of the development identified in the report and certification have not been carried out, a satisfactory agreement for rectification of the damage is to be made with the affected person/s as soon as possible prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

All costs incurred in achieving compliance with this condition shall be borne by the developer.

(Reason: To ensure adjoining owner's property rights are protected in so far as possible)

### Verification Statement (External Finishes and Materials)

G21. Prior to the issue of any Occupation Certificate, a verification statement from a qualified designer or architect (preferably the original designer), must be submitted to Council and the Certifying Authority certifying that the external finishes and materials are in accordance with the approved schedule of finishes and materials identified in this consent.

*"qualified designer"* means a person registered as an architect in accordance with the Architects Act 2003 cf 50(1A) EP&A Regs 2000.

(Reason: To ensure the design quality and finishes for residential flat development)

### Installation of Cooling Water Systems

- G22. A Risk Management Plan (RMP) must be completed before any cooling water system becomes operational. The RMP needs to be documented on the approved form ([www.health.nsw.gov.au/environment/legionellacontrol/Pages/legionella-protocols](http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/environment/legionellacontrol/Pages/legionella-protocols)) and submitted to Council no later than seven (7) days after the RMP has been completed.

Contact must be made with Council to obtain unique identification numbers (UID) for all cooling towers. The UIDs are to be displayed on a sign affixed to each cooling tower on the site within 30 days after receipt of the UIDs. The signs must have:

- A minimum size of 148 mm by 210 mm (A5 size);
- Be clearly visible to a person examining or inspecting the cooling water system; and
- Be made of a durable material.

Council must receive notification of the installation of a cooling water system, in the approved form, within one (1) month of installation. The approved Notification of Installation Form can be downloaded from the above link.

(Reason: To ensure public health is maintained; statutory requirement)

### *I. Ongoing/Operational Conditions*

#### **First Use of Premise - Further Consent Required**

11. A separate development application for the fit out and use of any part of the building for any purpose must be submitted to and approved by Council prior to that fit out or use commencing, except for areas noted on the approved plans for the purposes of “office premises”, as defined by the Dictionary of the North Sydney Local Environmental Plan 2013. Should any area notated for use for the purposes of “office premises” be proposed for use for another purpose, a separate development application for the other purpose will be required.

(Reason: To ensure development consent is obtained prior to uses commencing)

#### **Trade Waste**

12. Trade wastewater must be disposed of in accordance with the permit requirements of Sydney Water Corporation Ltd, Wastewater Source Control Branch.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with Sydney Water’s requirements and protect the environment)

### Connection to Sewers of Sydney Water Corporation

13. In the event a Trade Waste licence is required, wastewater arising from the use must be directed to the sewers of the Sydney Water Corporation (**SWC**) under a Trade Waste License Agreement. Details of the Corporation's requirements should be obtained prior to the commencement of any work.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with Sydney Water's requirements and protect the environment)

### Noise and Vibration Impact

14. The ongoing use of the premises approved under this consent must comply with all conditions pertaining to noise and vibration specified in this consent.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with the specified levels of noise and vibration and to maintain the amenity of surrounding land uses)

### Parking Station

15. The off-street carparking area must not be used as a public car parking station whether operated for gain or not.

(Reason: Consistency with of the terms of this consent)

### Visitors' Parking Sign

16. A sign, legible from the street, must be permanently displayed to indicate that visitor parking is available on the site and the visitor car parking spaces must be clearly marked as such.

(Reason: To ensure that visitors are aware that parking is available on site and to identify those spaces to visitors)

### Use of Car Parking Spaces

17. Car parking spaces provided must only be used in conjunction with the approved uses contained within the development. Visitor parking facilities must be designated as common property on any strata plan. Visitor parking facilities must not at any time be allocated, sold, licensed or leased for the exclusive use of any owner or occupier or third party and must be retained as Common Property by the owner's corporation for use by building visitors.

(Reason: To ensure that visitor parking is not allocated to building occupants and remains available on an ongoing basis)

### Minimum Headroom for Car Parking

18. Minimum headroom of 2.2 m must be provided over all car-parking areas.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with relevant standards and provide appropriate headroom)

### **No Illumination**

19. No consent is given or implied for any form of illumination or floodlighting to the building or any sign. A separate development application must be lodged and approved prior to any external floodlighting or illumination of the building, approved sign or site landscaping.

(Reason: To ensure appropriate forms of signage that are consistent with Council's controls and those that are desired for the locality, and do not interfere with amenity of nearby properties)

### **Daily Cleaning**

110. The proprietor/operator is to ensure that at all times when the premises are open and at the end of each day after the premises have closed, all rubbish including loose papers, cigarette butts, bottles etc which may be left on the subject premises, site or immediately adjacent area is picked up and placed in the proprietor's/operator's rubbish bins.

(Reason: To ensure waste generated by the approved use or activity is properly managed by the person acting upon this consent, to prevent unsightly build-up of waste material)

### **Commercial Waste and Recycling Storage**

111. Commercial waste and recycling material/storage bins must be stored in a separate area to the residential waste and recycling material/storage bins.

(Reason: To ensure that commercial waste and residential waste is not mixed and is properly managed)

### **Waste Collection**

112. Waste and recyclable material, generated by this premises, must not be collected between the hours of 10.00 pm and 6.00 am on any day.

(Reason: To ensure the amenity of surrounding properties)

### **Trade Waste Collection (Crows Nest Trade Waste Policy)**

113. All trade waste and recycling generated from the premises must be managed and disposed of in accordance with the Crows Nest Trade Waste Policy available on Council's website at [www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://www.northsydney.nsw.gov.au).

Arrangements for the collection and storage of trade waste bins must comply with the following:

- (a) Bins must be placed out for collection no earlier than 5.00 pm and no later than 10.00 pm on the day before collection.
- (b) All trade waste must be collected between the hours of 6.00 am and 10.00 am.

- (c) Waste and recycling bins are not to be stored permanently in streets and laneways unless specifically prescribed by Council in writing.

(Reason: To ensure compliance with Council's waste controls for the Crows Nest commercial area)

### **Delivery Hours**

114. No deliveries, loading or unloading associated with the premises are to take place between the hours of 10.00 pm and 6.00 am on any day.

(Reason: To ensure the acoustic amenity of surrounding properties)

### **Roof Top Lighting**

115. Lighting on rooftop or podium level areas must not be illuminated between 11:00 pm and 7:00 am. The design and placement of the lighting must:

- (a) be directed away from any residential dwelling;
- (b) not create a nuisance or negatively affect the amenity of the surrounding neighbourhood; and
- (c) comply with AS4282-1997 control of obtrusive effects of outdoor lighting.

(Reason: To ensure residential premises are not affected by inappropriate or excessive illumination)

### **Maintenance of Structures on Public Land**

116. The owner of the premises at 131-133 Alexander Street Crows Nest is to maintain the awning approved by this consent and located over Council's footpath, directly adjacent to the property. This awning must be maintained at all times to a structurally sound condition in order to provide an acceptable level of public safety.

(Reason: To ensure pedestrian and public safety and ensure that structures located on public land for private benefit are maintained to an acceptable standard)

### **Maintenance of Approved Landscaping**

117. The owner of the premises at 131-133 Alexander Street Crows Nest is to maintain the landscaping approved by this consent generally in accordance with drawing numbered 000, 101, 102, 103, 104 and 501, dated 07/12/2022, and where modified by other conditions of this consent.

Any replacement plants required shall be advanced in growth and be selected to maintain the anticipated mature height, canopy density and nature of those plant species as originally approved.



Should it be desired to substitute plants which are not of the same mature height, canopy density and nature (particularly flowering for non-flowering, native for exotic, deciduous for non-deciduous or the reverse of any these) a modification to this consent will be required.

(Reason: To ensure maintenance of the amenity, solar access and views of adjoining properties)