

## Minutes

# Hearing of Submissions Committee Tuesday, 6 March 2018

Held in the
Council Chambers

1 Merrijig Drive, Torquay
Commencing at 5.00pm

#### Council:

Cr David Bell (Mayor)
Cr Libby Coker
Cr Martin Duke
Cr Clive Goldsworthy
Cr Rose Hodge
Cr Carol McGregor
Cr Brian McKiterick
Cr Margot Smith
Cr Heather Wellington

## MINUTES FOR THE HEARING OF SUBMISSIONS MEETING OF SURF COAST SHIRE COUNCIL HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 1 MERRIJIG DRIVE, TORQUAY ON TUESDAY 6 MARCH 2018 COMMENCING AT 5.00PM

#### PRESENT:

Cr David Bell (Mayor)

Cr Libby Coker

Cr Martin Duke

Cr Rose Hodge

Cr Carol McGregor

Cr Margot Smith

#### In Attendance:

General Manager Environment & Development – Ransce Salan Manager Planning & Development – Bill Cathcart Coordinator Statutory Planning - Michelle Watt

14 members of the public 0 member of the press

#### **APOLOGIES:**

Cr Clive Goldsworthy

Cr Brian McKiterick

Cr Heather Wellington

#### **Committee Resolution**

#### **MOVED Cr Martin Duke, Seconded Cr Libby Coker**

That an apology be received from Cr Clive Goldsworthy, Cr Brian McKiterick and Cr Heather Wellington.

CARRIED 6:0

#### Absent:

CEO - Keith Baillie

General Manager Governance & Infrastructure - Anne Howard

General Manager Culture & Community - Chris Pike

#### **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES:**

#### **Committee Resolution**

#### **MOVED Cr Margot Smith, Seconded Cr Rose Hodge**

That the Hearing of Submissions Committee note the minutes of the Hearing of Submissions Committee meeting held on 6 February 2018 as a correct record of the meeting

**CARRIED 6:0** 

#### **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST:**

Nil

#### SUBMITTERS HEARD

- 1.1 Planning Permit Application 17/0332 5/24 Price Street, Torquay Construction of a New Dwelling
- 1. Jane Coller
- 2. Lyndel Roberts (Applicant)

#### 1.2 Planning Permit Application 17/0294 - 115 Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc - Two Lot Subdivision

- 1. Julia Spink & David Spink & Lyndelle Zuccolin & Jay Wilson
- 2. Adam O'Halloran (Applicant)

#### **BUSINESS:**

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#### 1. ENVIRONMENT & DEVELOPMENT

## 1.1 Planning Permit Application 17/0332 - 5/24 Price Street Torquay - Construction of a New Dwelling

Author's Title: Senior Statutory/Strategic Planner General Manager: Ransce Salan File No: 17/0332 **Department:** Planning & Development Division: **Environment & Development** Trim No: IC18/231 Appendix: List of Speakers - 6 March 2018 (D18/23369) 5/24 Price Street Torquay (D17/147109) Officer Direct or Indirect Conflict of Interest: Status: In accordance with Local Government Act 1989 -Information classified confidential in accordance with Section 80C: Local Government Act 1989 – Section 77(2)(c): |X| No Yes Nο Yes Reason: Nil Reason: Nil

#### **Purpose**

The purpose of this report is to hear submissions relating to Planning Application 17/0332 for the development of the land for a dwelling on a lot less than 300 square metres and the waiving of one car parking space.

#### **Summary**

An application has been received to develop a two storey dwelling on a 66 square metre lot and to waive the car parking requirements. The site is part of a group of units known as "Bulla". The redevelopment is proposed to take place on unit five, currently a single storey building within the development. Most objections have come from other unit owners.

The site is within the General Residential Zone, Significant Landscape Overlay Schedule 6, Development Contributions Plan Overlay 2 and Design and Development Plan Overlay 20.

A total number of seven submissions were received including six objections and one in support, summarised as follows:

- The proposal is not consistent with the neighbourhood character or the traditional characteristics of "Bulla" (as 24 Price Street is known) as it was one of the first original accommodation resorts built in Torquay, in terms of height, design, bulk, materials and colours.
- The proposal will overlook habitable rooms Units 2 and 6 and 26 Price Street as well as open spaces in front of Units 1, 2, 3 and 6 and 26 Price Street.
- The proposal will overshadow Unit 4 and 28 Price Street.
- The proposal does not comply with side and rear setback objectives.
- Concerns regarding common property including car parking and the first floor balcony protruding into common property.
- Inadequate existing infrastructure (sewerage and water pressure).
- Concerns regarding the construction phase including disruption to life, damage to common property and asbestos removal.
- No formal notification has been sent to the Owners Corporation and will result in increased costs for the Owners Corporation.
- The proposal is in line with what is happening in this area, removing older dwellings and replacing with higher density and it fits in with the surrounding units within "Bulla".

The issues raised in the submissions will be considered in detail in a report to be presented to the 27 March 2018 Council meeting.

### 1.1 Planning Permit Application 17/0332 - 5/24 Price Street Torquay - Construction of a New Dwelling

#### Recommendation

That the Hearing of Submissions Committee receive and note the submissions relating to Planning Permit application 17/0332 for 5/24 Price Street, Torquay, and forward to Council for consideration.

#### **Committee Resolution**

#### MOVED Cr Libby Coker, Seconded Cr Carol McGregor

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APPENDIX 1 LIST OF SPEAKERS - 6 MARCH 2018



# Hearing of Submissions Tuesday 6 March 2018 5pm Council Chambers 1 Merrijig Drive, Torquay

#### **ORDER OF SPEAKERS**

#### **Environment & Development**

 Planning Permit Application 17/0332 – 5/24 Price Street, Torquay – Construction of a New Dwelling

	Submitter Name
1.	Jane Goller
2.	Lyndel Roberts (Applicant)

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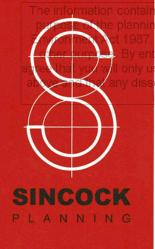


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Dear Madam.

Re: 17/0332

5/24 Price Street, Torquay

I refer to the above application and confirm that we have received and reviewed the six objections and a response is provided to each of the objections below:

#### Loss of sun to windows at 28 Price Street

Clause 54 provides the assessment tools in relation to overshadowing and amenity impacts for dwelling development. It is clear from the shadow diagrams that the majority of the secluded open space of 28 Price Street is unaffected by shadow.

We note that the overshadowing diagrams clearly articulate that there is a very small shadow forming on the adjoining property at 9am and the dotted line indicates where that shadow hits the ground. Whilst in a 2d form it appears to impact the windows, the windows would in fact not be affected by shadow from the development at 9am as the shadow would fall on the wall below any windows.

The primary amenity based assessment for a dwelling is in relation to side and rear setbacks, and the proposed dwelling exceeds those requirements in relation to setbacks from the neighbouring dwelling, such that no unreasonable loss of amenity occurs.

#### **Parking**

All dwellings within the property currently park adjacent to their dwellings although designated parking is not nominated on the plan of subdivision. It is acknowledged that there is no designated second car space provided due to the areas of common property and as such the application is being amended to seek permission to waive the second car space. This space can be accommodated on the street due to available parking without causing any loss of amenity to neighbours as there are no parking constraints and plenty of available parking in existence.

#### Construction impacts

All developments result in some construction impacts and as VCAT regularly articulate, these are temporary and are reasonable and should be expected in a residential context.

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above and that any discernation of character assumptions made by the objectors are far too simplistic, suggesting that neighbourhood character is defined by the dwellings on this lot only. Neighbourhood character is in fact much broader and should be considered having regard to the neighbourhood. In this instance the Surf Coast Shire have conducted a Neighbourhood Character Study and determined precincts which are a very useful guide when considering the impact of a development on neighbourhood character.

It is clear that the character of the broader area includes lots of single and double storey dwellings and a variety of building materials and finishes. The proposed two storey dwelling will have no impact on the broader character, being a small two storey dwelling on a compact footprint with significant space retained around the site.

It is clear that even if all of the units on this site were redeveloped with second storey forms, this would not be inconsistent with the character of the area. In fact the development would exceed any permeable surface or garden area coverage assessments that new developments are now subject to.

It is our view that there is no impact on neighbourhood character that would warrant refusal of this application.

#### Overshadowing open space

Overshadowing is considered in relation to impact on secluded open space, the objective being to not significantly overshadow existing secluded open space. The property at 24 Price Street has no designated secluded private open space, with all areas outside the building envelope nominated as common property and constituting open space. Whilst there is an increase in shadow to the rear of unit 4, primarily at midday, the increase is not substantial and there are significant areas of the common property that can be used to provide for outdoor use that are unaffected by shadow at that time.

#### Impact on services/infrastructure

It is understood that there are concerns with existing infrastructure within the site, and given the development in the 1950's this is likely to be an issue if pipes and services have not been updated.

None of the servicing authorities have identified infrastructure concerns in this part of Torquay that would limit redevelopment opportunities involving an additional bathroom and bedroom.

#### **Building height**

The dwelling is below the preferred maximum building height and at two storey scale, is an acceptable and normal residential scale. A single level transition between dwellings is accepted and VCAT have confirmed this in numerous reviews over the past 20 years.

#### Side & rear setbacks

Due to the nature of the subdivision, being that the building envelope is the only area on each title, the development naturally doesn't comply with side and rear setbacks. This is true of the existing dwellings whereby none would comply with the wall on boundary standards. This is not a fatal to the proposal, as the dwelling meets the side and rear setbacks to the property boundary of 24 Price Street and this is consistent with the objective of the standard.

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agree that you will only use the information for the purpose specified above and it present, the plans identify the overlooking arc only affecting a single window of unit 2 from the first floor balcony. This could be addressed by a permit condition and we are more than happy to discuss possible changes to eliminate all overlooking if considered necessary.

#### Conclusion

We submit that the objections cannot be upheld and as such we ask that Council undertake their assessment and issue a decision at your earliest convenience.

As discussed with Mich Watt (Co-ordinator of Statutory Planning) the application is being amended to seek permission to waive the required second car space given the land outside the building envelope is common property within the body corporate, and therefore a formalised second car space cannot be provided on the land.

The required application form is attached, and we confirm our verbal position that there is more than sufficient car parking available on street to accommodate the single car space we seek to waive.

If you have any queries or concerns in relation to any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

Toni Sincock



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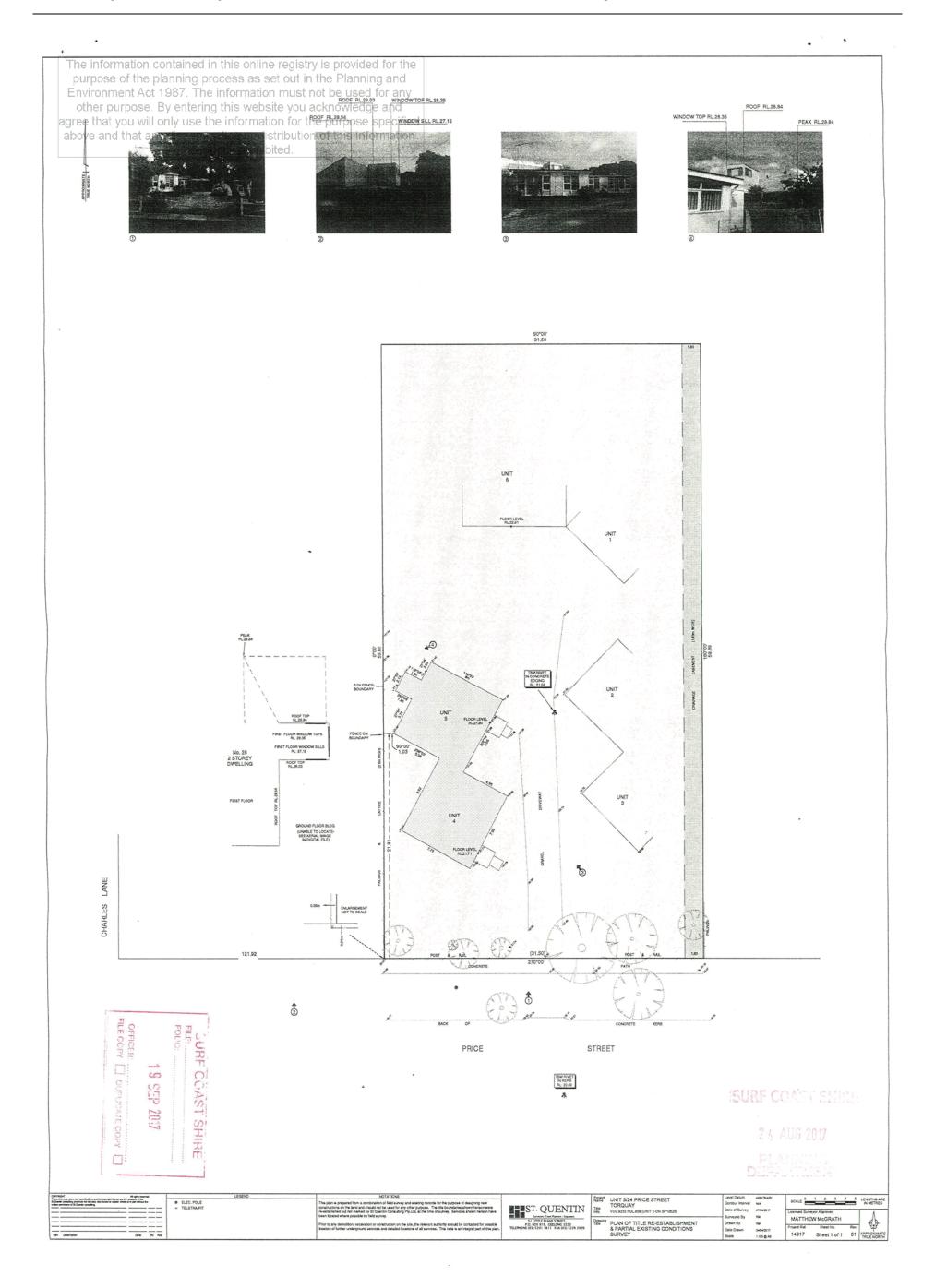
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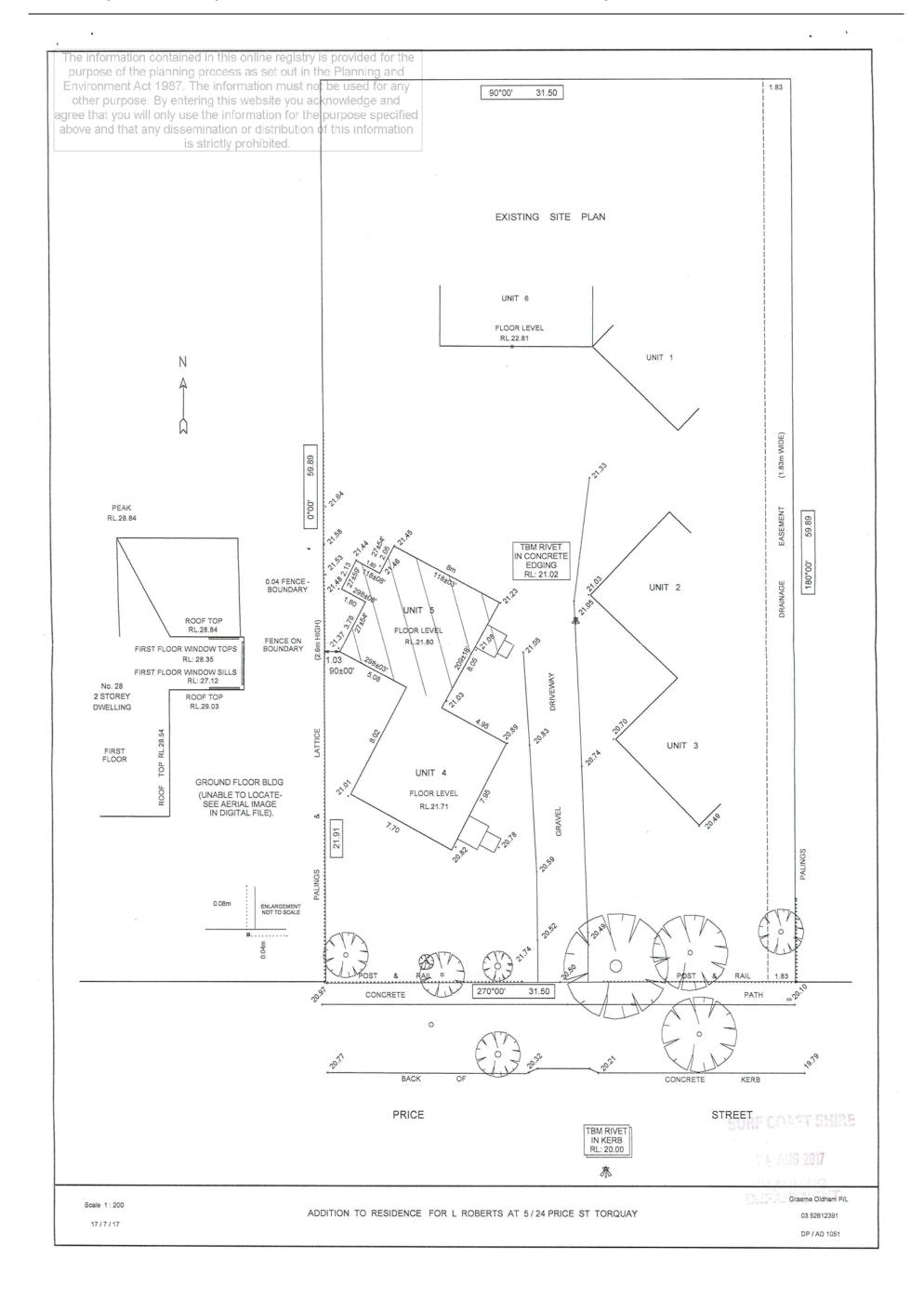
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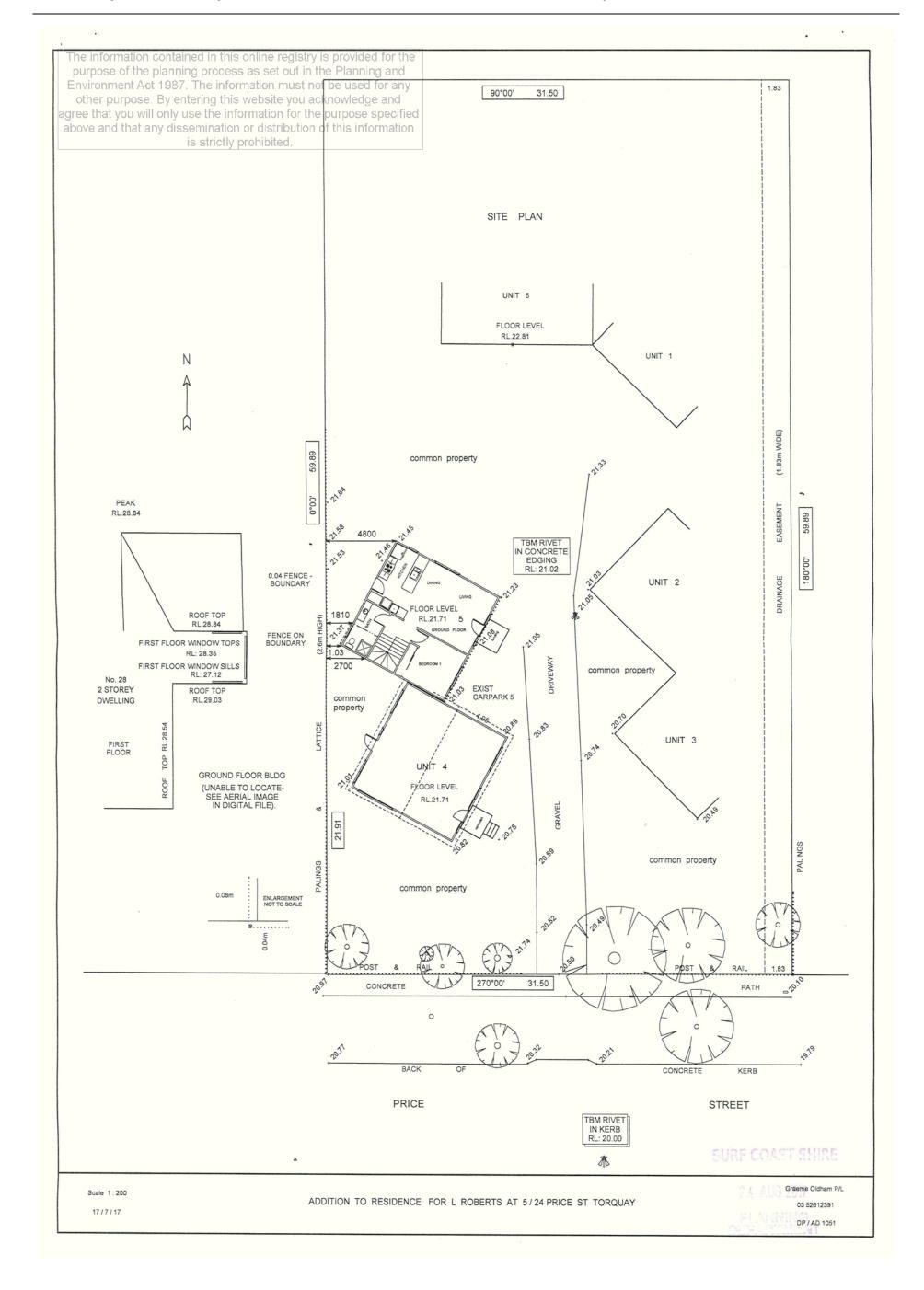
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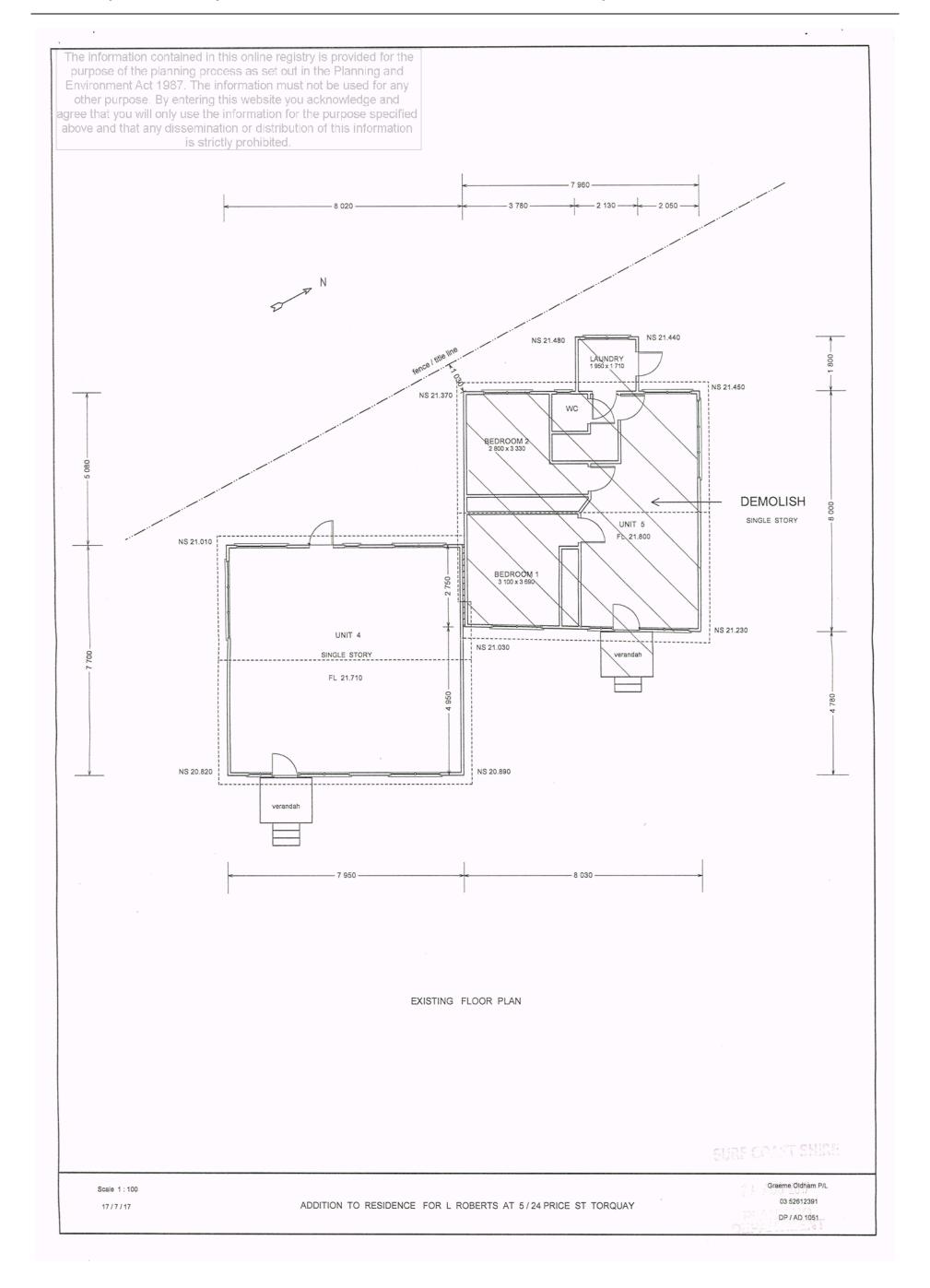


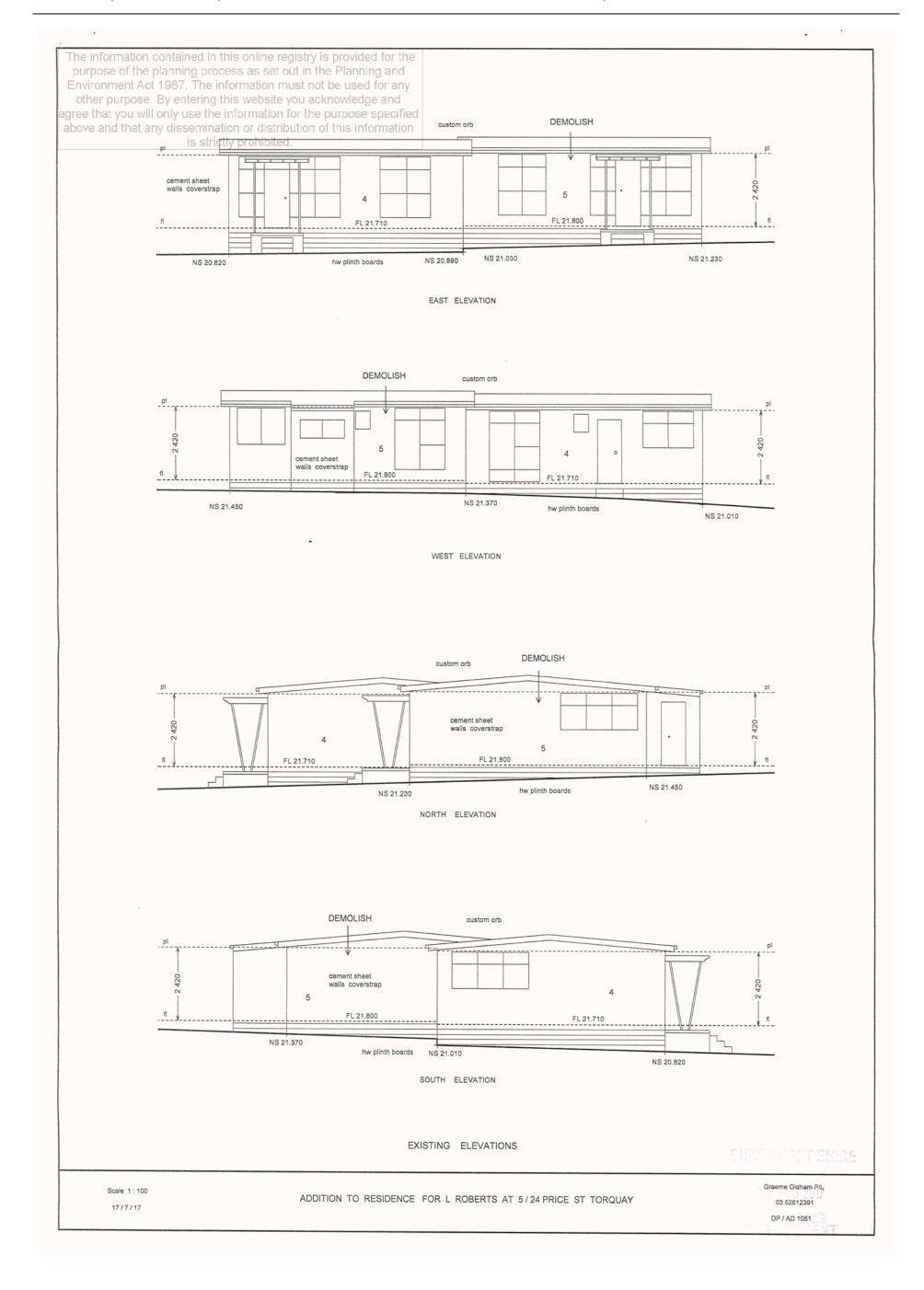
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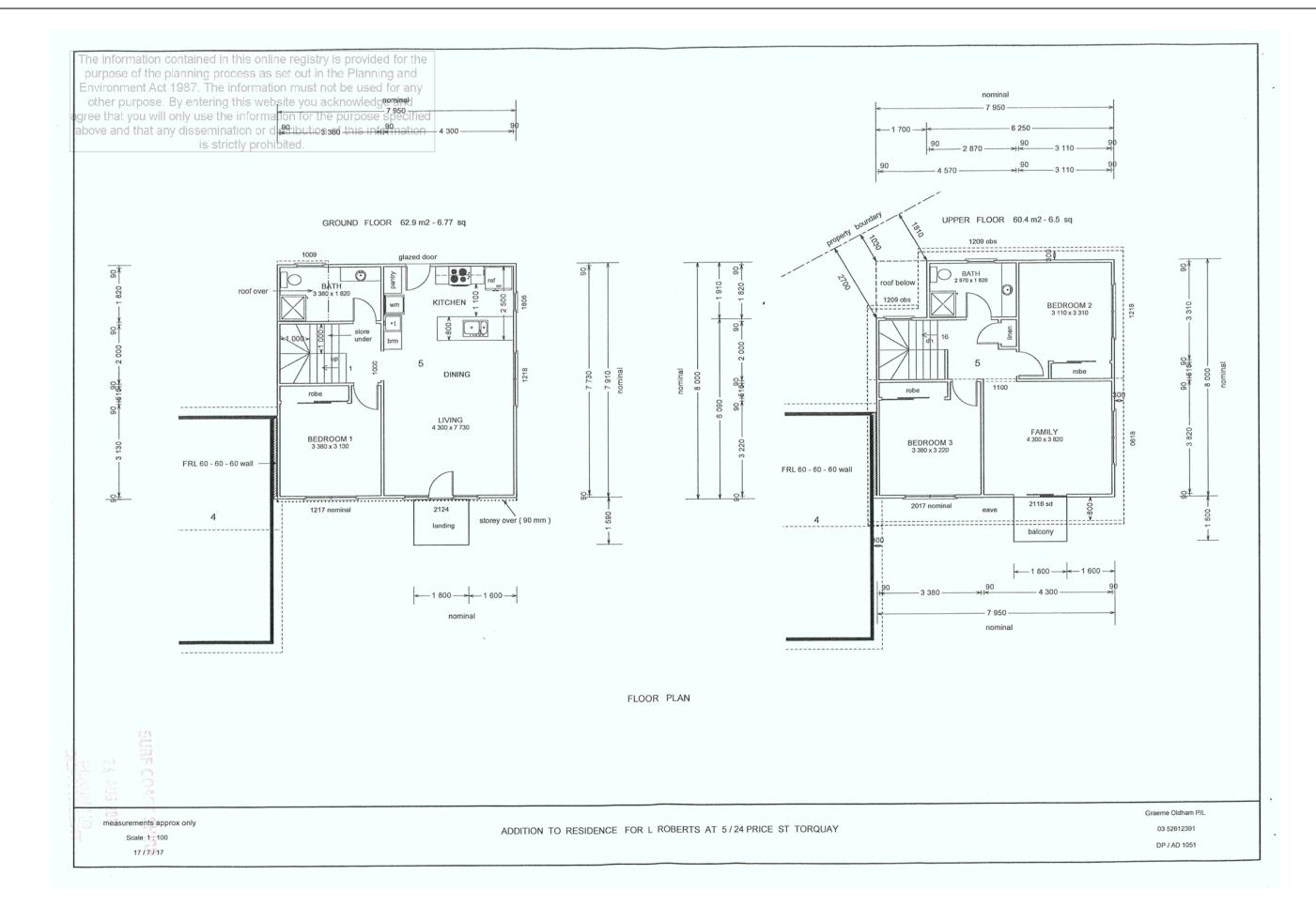


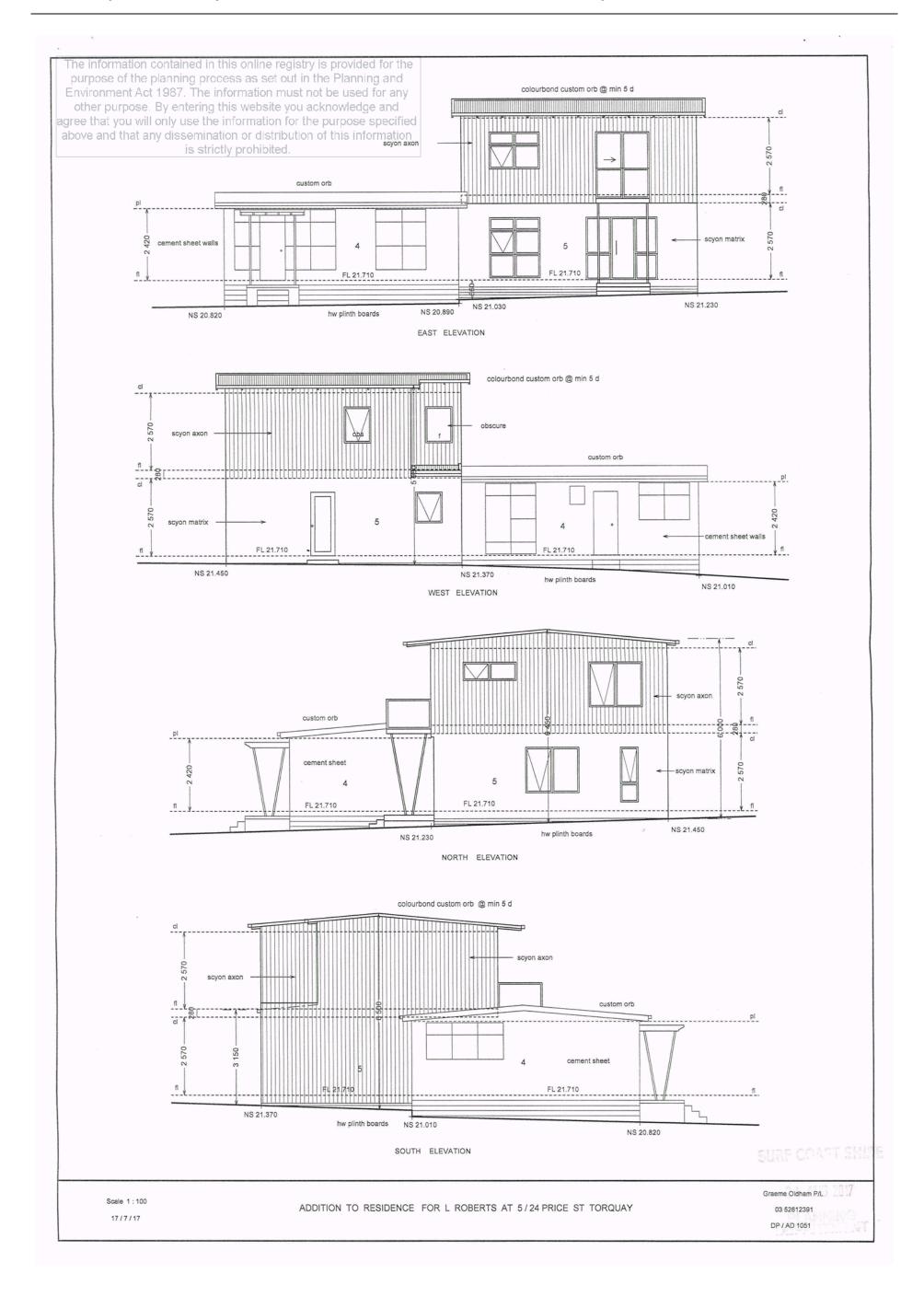


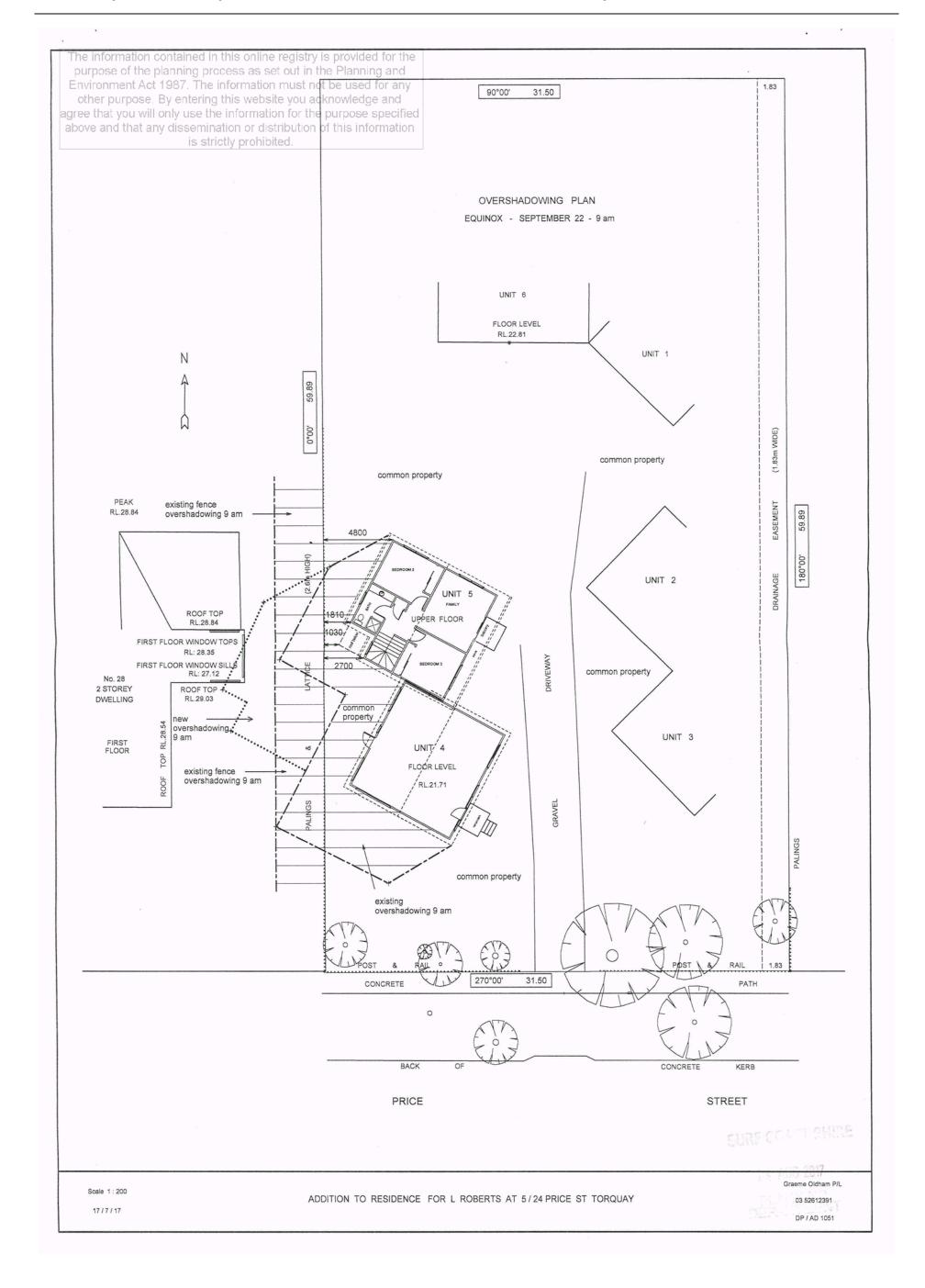


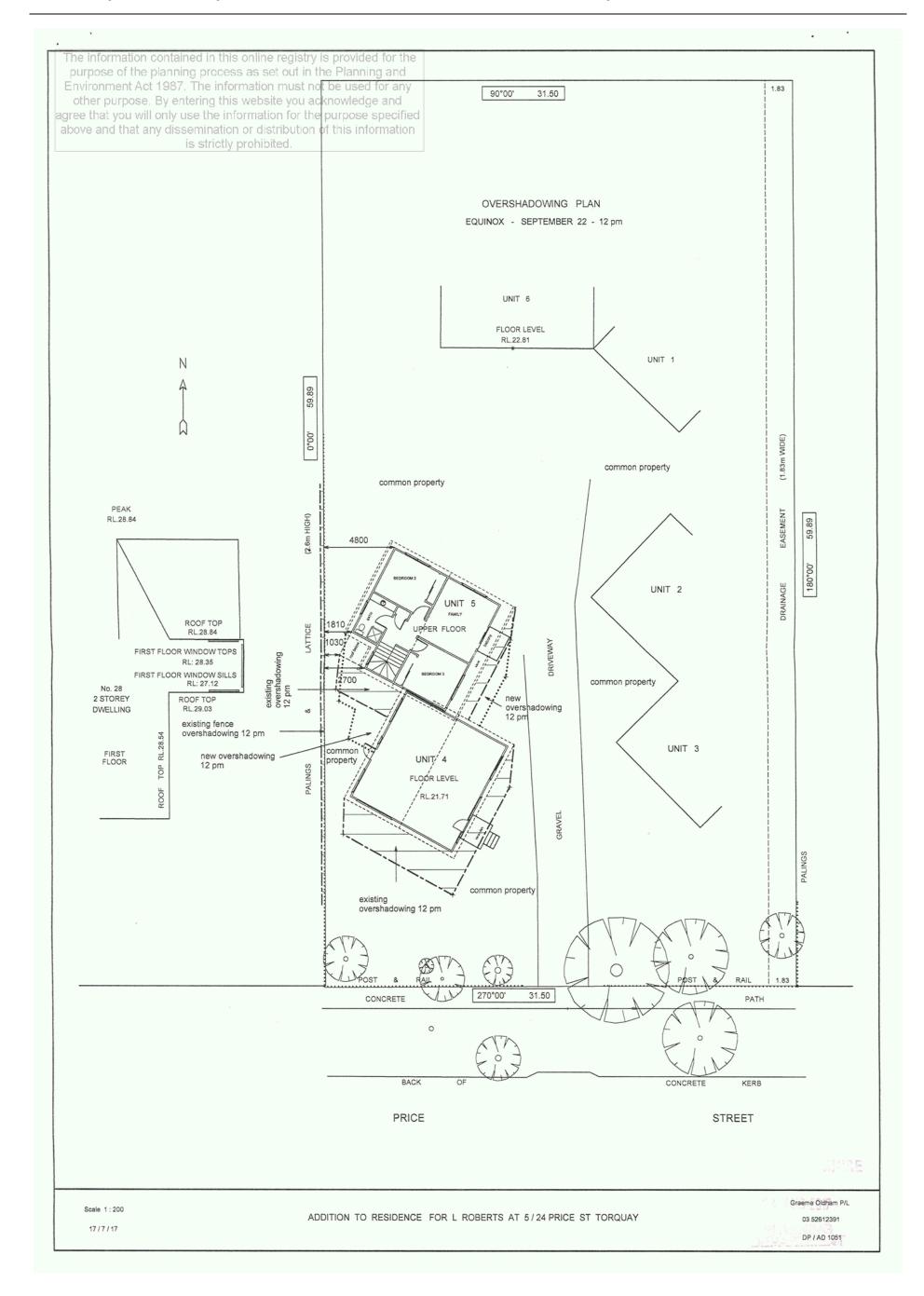


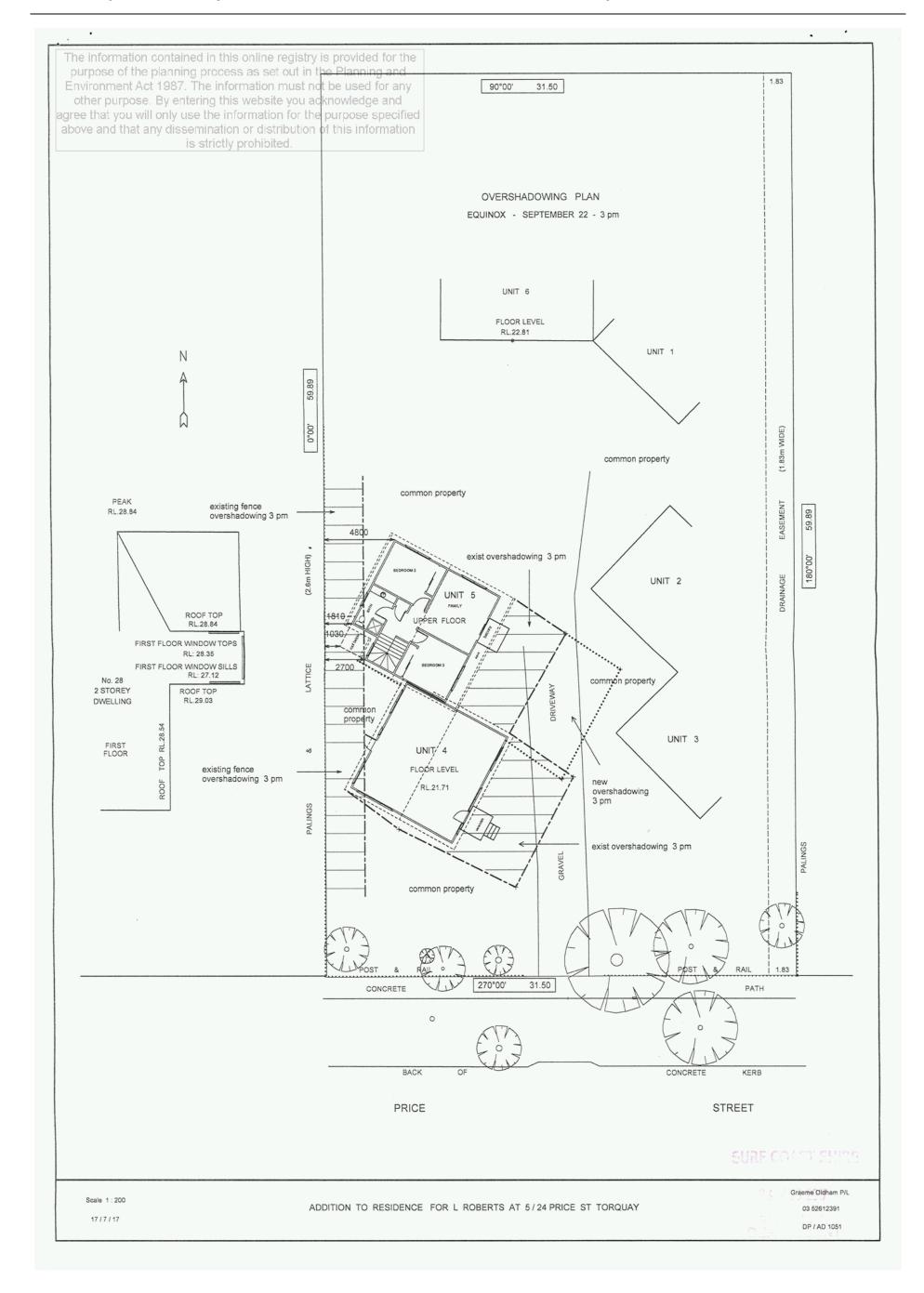


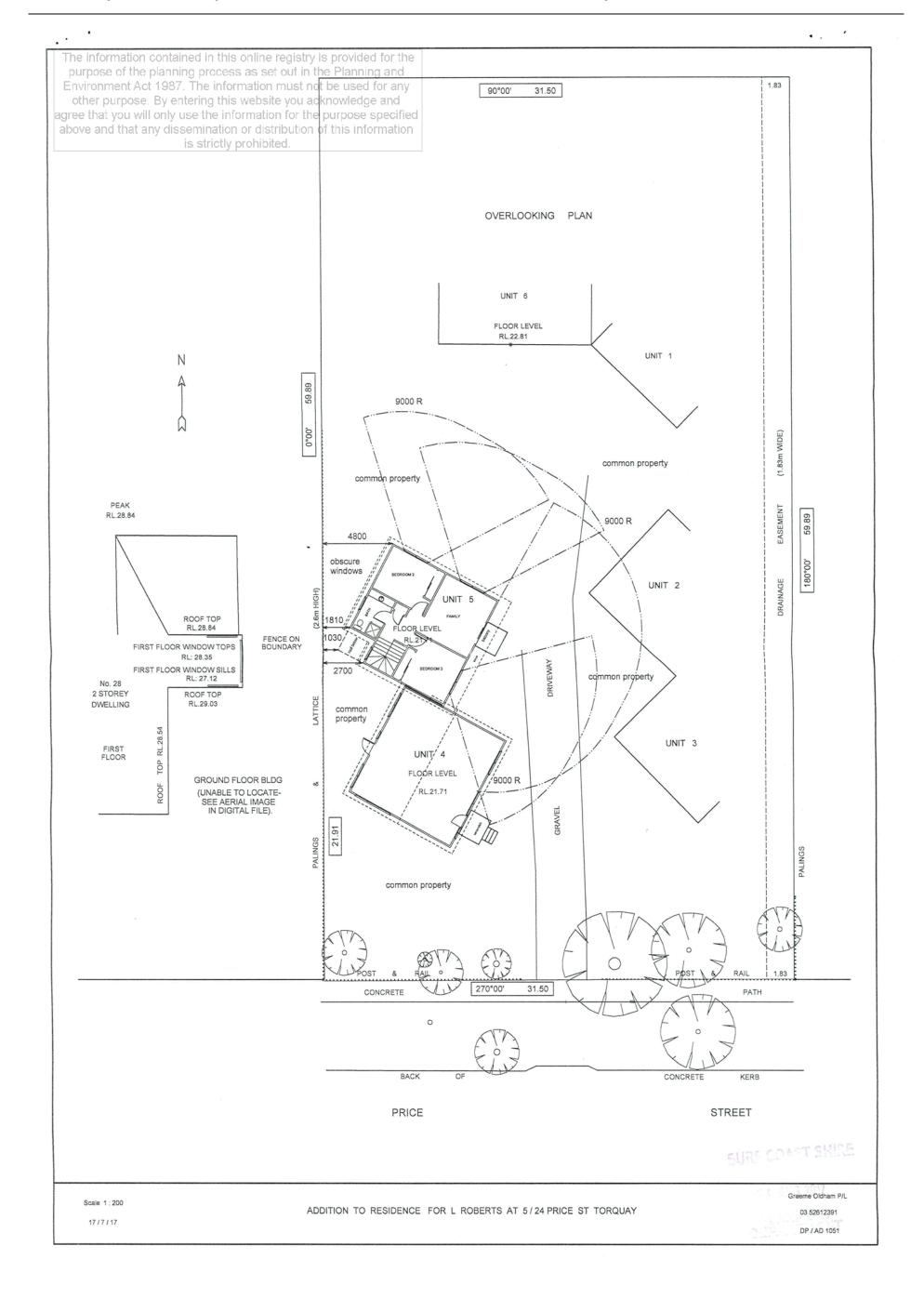












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Appendix:

- 1. List of Speakers 6 March 2018 (D18/23369)
- 2. Application Documents (D17/103025)
- 3. Amended Application Bushfire Management Statement 115 Strathmore Drive Torquay (D17/151797)

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In accordance with Local Section 80C:	Government Act 1989 –		ified confidential in accordance with nt Act 1989 – Section 77(2)(c):
Yes Reason: Nil	⊠ No	Yes Reason: Nil	⊠ No

#### **Purpose**

The purpose of this report is to hear submissions relating to Planning Permit Application 17/0294.

#### Summary

An application has been made to undertake a two lot subdivision at 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc.

The site is zoned General Residential Zone – Schedule 1 and is subject to the following overlays: Bushfire Management Overlay, Design and Development Overlay – Schedule 22, Significant Landscape Overlay – Schedule 6 and Development Contributions Plan Overlay – Schedule 2.

Public notification of the application was undertaken and five submissions were lodged with Council. All submissions are objections to the application. The following concerns were raised:

- The lot widths are too narrow;
- Vegetation removal;
- The development of two dwellings on the lot will be different to the character of Strathmore Drive on the western side;
- Reduced on street parking;
- Drainage issues;
- Potential impact on views;
- This is the second time the land has been subdivided;
- Front setback should be 30 metres.

The issues raised in the submissions will be considered in detail in a report to be presented to the 27/3/2018 Council meeting.

#### Recommendation

That the Hearing of Submissions Committee receive and note the submissions relating to Planning Permit Application 17/0294 for 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc and forward to Council for consideration.

#### **Committee Resolution**

#### **MOVED Cr Margot Smith, Seconded Cr Carol McGregor**

That the Hearing of Submissions Committee receive and note the submissions relating to Planning Permit Application 17/0294 for 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc and forward to Council for consideration.

**CARRIED 6:0** 

APPENDIX 1 LIST OF SPEAKERS - 6 MARCH 2018



Hearing of Submissions
Tuesday 6 March 2018
5pm
Council Chambers
1 Merrijig Drive, Torquay

#### **ORDER OF SPEAKERS**

#### **Environment & Development**

 Planning Permit Application 17/0332 – 5/24 Price Street, Torquay – Construction of a New Dwelling

	Submitter Name
1.	Jane Goller
2.	Lyndel Roberts (Applicant)

2. Planning Permit Application 17/0294 – 115 Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc – Two Lot Subdivision

	Submitter Name
1.	Julia Spink & David Spink & Lyndelle Zuccolin & Jay Wilson
2.	Adam O'Halloran (Applicant)

APPENDIX 2 APPLICATION DOCUMENTS



#### Application for Planning Permit for a Subdivision

Supplied by Dani Edwards Submitted Date 28/08/2017

**Application Details** 

**Application Type** Planning Permit for a Subdivision

Version 1

1380 Applicant Reference Number

Surf Coast Shire Council Responsible Authority Name

17/0294 Responsible Authority Reference Number(s) SPEAR Reference Number S109242B

Lodged with Responsible Authority **Application Status** 

Planning Permit Issue Date Planning Permit Expiry Date NΑ

The Land

**Primary Parcel** 115A STRATHMORE DRIVE, JAN JUC VIC 3228

Lot 12/Plan PS742219 Volume 11833/Folio 501 SPI 12\PS742219

CPN 184771

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42.03 Significant Landscape

The Proposal

Plan Number

Number of lots

**Proposal Description** 

(Not Supplied)

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The application seeks approval for the subdivision of the land into two lots. The subdivision is proposed as follows;Lot 1. Lot 1 will be a vacant lot with a frontage to Strathmore Drive of 15m. . The lot will have a total area of approximately 1200 square metres. The lot will be accessed via a proposed driveway off Strathmore Drive.Lot 2. Lot 2 will be a vacant allotment with a 15m frontage to Strathmore Drive. The lot will have a total area of approximately 1200 square metres. The vacant lot will be accessed via a proposed driveway off Strathmore Drive.

32 08 General Residential

45.06 Development Plan

Zone

Contributions

43.02 Design and

Estimated cost of the development for which a permit is required \$ 0

**Existing Conditions** 

**Existing Conditions Description** 

The subject site is a vacant allotment on the west side of Strathmore Drive in Jan Juc. The properties to the west are zoned 'Low Density Residential'. They

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	consist of dwellings on large lots. The properties to the north/south and east are zoned 'General Residential' and consist of dwellings on larger lots (to the north/south) and smaller residential lots and dwellings, on the east side of Strathmore Drive. The site contains scattered vegetation. None of this vegetation is of any significance. The proposed subdivision will have no effect on the current vegetation.
Title Information - Does the proposal breach an encumbrance on Title?	The proposal does not breach an encumbrance on title, such as a restrictive covenant, section 173 agreement or other obligation such as an easement or building envelope.
Applicant Contact	
Applicant Contact	Dani Edwards Adam OHalloran & Associates 12 Blackwood Lane, Aireys Inlet, VIC, 3231 Business Phone: 03 5289 6668 Email: dani@aosurvey.com.au
Applicant	
Applicant	(Applicant details as per Applicant Contact)
Owner	
Owner 2	Braeden Chivers 115 Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc, VIC, Australia
Owner 3	Cecilia Chivers 23 Tarrawarra Road, Coldstream, VIC, Australia
Owner 4	John Chivers 23 Tarrawarra Road, Coldstream, VIC, Australia
Declaration	
	I, Dani Edwards, declare that I have notified the owner(s) about this application.
	I, Dani Edwards, declare that all the information
	supplied is true.
Authorised by	Dani Edwards
Organisation	Adam OHalloran & Associates

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### LAND DESCRIPTION

Lot 12 on Plan of Subdivision 742219F. PARENT TITLE Volume 10313 Folio 192 Created by instrument PS742219F 16/11/2016

### REGISTERED PROPRIETOR

Estate Fee Simple
TENANTS IN COMMON
As to 2 of a total of 5 equal undivided shares
Joint Proprietors
JOHN EDWIN CHIVERS
CECILIA ANNE CHIVERS both of 23 TARRAWARRA ROAD COLDSTREAM VIC 3770
As to 3 of a total of 5 equal undivided shares
Sole Proprietor
BRAEDEN JAKE CHIVERS of 115 STRATHMORE DRIVE JAN JUC VIC 3228
PS742219F 16/11/2016

### ENCUMBRANCES, CAVEATS AND NOTICES

Any encumbrances created by Section 98 Transfer of Land Act 1958 or Section 24 Subdivision Act 1988 and any other encumbrances shown or entered on the plan set out under DIAGRAM LOCATION below.

### DIAGRAM LOCATION

SEE PS742219F FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND BOUNDARIES

### ACTIVITY IN THE LAST 125 DAYS

NUMBER		STATUS	DATE
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PLAN OF SUBDIVISION PS742219F **EDITION 1** Council Name: Surf Coast Shire Council LOCATION OF LAND Council Reference Number: S4331 Planning Permit Reference: 15/0249 SPEAR Reference Number: S078308A PARISH: JAN JUC TOWNSHIP: -SECTION: -This plan is certified under section 6 of the Subdivision Act 1988 CROWN ALLOTMENT: 14 & 15 (PARTS) Public Open Space CROWN PORTION: -A requirement for public open space under section 18 of the Subdivision Act 1988 Has not been made at Certification TITLE REFERENCE: VOL 10313 FOL 192 Digitally signed by: Philip Rosevear for Surf Coast Shire Council on 20/06/2016 LAST PLAN REFERENCE: PS342508D LOT 1 POSTAL ADDRESS: 115 STRATHMORE DRIVE, JAN JUC, 3228 MGA CO-ORDINATES: E: 263 376 **ZONE: 55** N: 5 752 788 GDA 94 VESTING OF ROADS AND/OR RESERVES **NOTATIONS** IDENTIFIER COUNCIL/BODY/PERSON THIS IS A SPEAR PLAN NIL NIL LOTS 1 TO 10 (BOTH INCLUSIVE) HAVE BEEN OMITTED FROM THIS PLAN NOTATIONS DEPTH LIMITATION DOES NOT APPLY SURVEY: This plan is based on survey. The information contained in this online registry is provided for the STAGING: purpose of the planning process as set out in the Planning and Environment Act 1987. The information must not be used for any This is not a staged subdivision. Planning Permit No. 15/0249 PM 49ther purpose. By entering this website you acknowledge and This survey has been connected to permanent marks No(s). agree that you will only use the information for the purpose specified In Proclaimed Survey Area No. above and that any dissemination or distribution of this information is strictly prohibited. EASEMENT INFORMATION LEGEND: A - Appurtenant Easement E - Encumbering Easement R - Encumbering Easement (Road) Easement Reference Width Origin Land Benefited/In Favour Of Purpose (Metres) DRAINAGE THIS PLAN E-1 SURF COAST SHIRE COUNCIL ORIGINAL SHEET SIZE: A3 SURVEYORS FILE REF: G1513/POS/1 SHEET 1 OF 3 select surveyors PLAN REGISTERED Digitally signed by: Douglas James Gow (Select Surveyors Pty Ltd), Surveyor's Plan Version (C), giving life to your ideas TIME: 9:50 AM DATE: 16/11/16 G. ANGELINI Assistant Registrar of Titles

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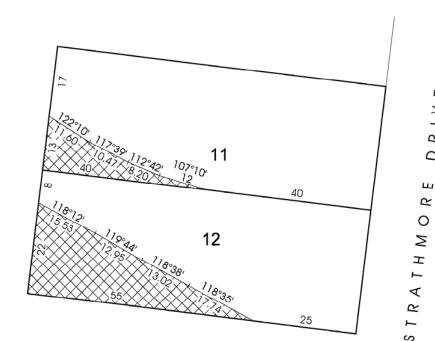
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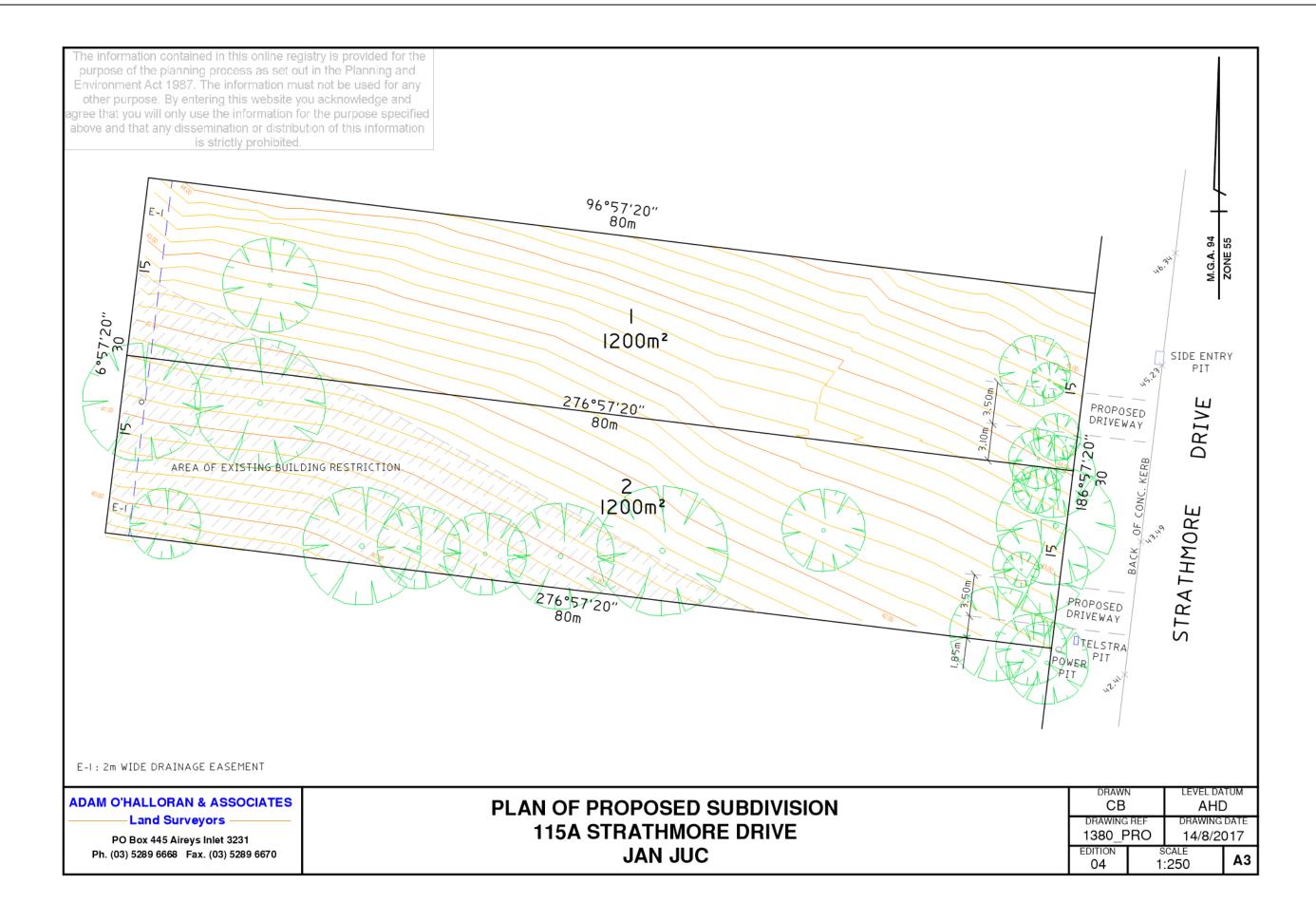
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LAND BURDENED	LAND BENEFITED
LOT 11 ON THIS PLAN	LOT 12 ON THIS PLAN
LOT 12 ON THIS PLAN	LOT 11 ON THIS PLAN

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### <u>Lot 1</u>

- Lot 1 will be a vacant lot with a frontage to Strathmore Drive of 15m.
- The lot will have a total area of approximately 1200 square metres.
- The lot will be accessed via a proposed driveway off Strathmore Drive.

### Lot 2

- Lot 2 will be a vacant allotment with a 15m frontage to Strathmore Drive.
- The lot will have a total area of approximately 1200 square metres.
- The vacant lot will be accessed via a proposed driveway off Strathmore Drive.

A plan of proposed subdivision has been attached with the application.

### SITE AND SURROUNDS

The subject site is a vacant allotment on the west side of Strathmore Drive in Jan Juc.

The properties to the west are zoned 'Low Density Residential'. They consist of dwellings on large lots.

The properties to the north/south and east are zoned 'General Residential' and consist of dwellings on larger lots (to the north/south) and smaller residential lots and dwellings, on the east side of Strathmore Drive.

The site contains scattered vegetation. None of this vegetation is of any significance. The proposed subdivision will have no effect on the current vegetation.

### **ZONING**

The land is located within the General Residential Zone (GRZ1) – Schedule 1, the purpose of the zone is;

- To implement the State Planning Policy Framework and the Local Planning Policy Framework, including the Municipal Strategic Statement and local planning policies.
- To provide for residential development at a range of densities with a variety of dwellings to meet the housing needs of all households.
- To encourage residential development that respects the neighbourhood character.
- To implement neighbourhood character policy and adopt neighbourhood character quidelines.
- In appropriate locations, to allow educational, recreational, religious, community and a limited range of other non-residential uses to serve local community needs.

### Response

The subdivision proposes to create 2 lots of over 1000m<sup>2</sup> which fits in with the character of the area.

The site is located within an area that is established with access to services including public transport, education facilities, open space areas and commercial precincts.

The proposal wholly accords with the purpose and objectives of the General Residential Zone (GRZ1).

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### **OVERLAYS**

The land is located within the:

### Design and Development Overlay - Schedule 22 (DDO22).

The subject site is subject to the Design and Development Overlay – Schedule 22. The purpose of this overlay is:

 To identify areas which are affected by specific requirements relating to the design and built form of new development.

In accordance with Clause 43.02, a planning permit is not required to subdivide the land subject to DDO22. It is therefore considered that the requirements of this overlay area not relevant in this instance.

### Development Contributions Plan Overlay - Schedule 2 (DCPO2)

The subject site is subject to the Development Contributions Plan Overlay – Schedule 2 (DCPO2). The purpose of this overlay is:

 To identify areas which require the preparation of a development contributions plan for the purpose of levying contributions for the provision of works, services and facilities before development can commence.

Under Schedule 2 to Clause 45.06, the subject site falls within charging area 25. The addition of a residential lot in this area incurs a development contribution levy of approximately \$1247.04 (current as at 30 June 2012). It is anticipated that the contribution levy is likely to have been adjusted and trust Council to provide guidance on this matter.

Clause 45.06 does not require a permit for the subdivision of land subject to DCPO2 but a permit granted must:

- Be consistent with the provisions of the relevant development contributions plan.
- Include any conditions required to give effect to any contributions or levies imposed, conditions or requirements set out in the relevant schedule to this overlay.

### The Environmental Significance Overlay – Schedule 6 (ESO 6).

The subject site is subject to the Significant Landscape Overlay – Schedule 6 (SLO6) relates to Central Torquay/Jan Juc residential areas. The overlay recognises that vegetation is a key element of neighbourhood character in these coastal townships and reinforces their casual coastal character. The purpose of this overlay is:

To reinforce a landscape character that comprises:

- A moderate tree canopy supported by understorey shrubs with emphasis on indigenous vegetation.
- An open vegetated streetscape where the vegetation acts to filter and soften the appearance of buildings and hard surface areas.

Clause 42.03 does not require a permit for the subdivision of land subject to SLO6. It is therefore considered that the requirements of this overlay are not relevant in this instance.

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A two lot subdivision must meet the requirements of Clause 56 in particular those clauses specified in the table at Clause 32.08-2 of the General Residential Zone.

### 56.01-1 Site and Context Description

See Plan of Existing Conditions

In relation to the SITE

Site shape, dimension and size Orientation and contours

Trees and other significant vegetation

The siting and use of existing buildings on the site

Street frontage features such as poles, street

trees and kerb crossovers

Access Points

Drainage and infrastructure connections

Easements

And significant natural features of the site including drainage lines, watercourses, significant habitat and habitat corridors for the

movement of fauna

Significant views to and from the site Noise and odour sources or other external

influences

Soil conditions, including any land affected by

contamination, salinity or fill

Any other notable features or characteristics of

the site

See attached plan

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There is a drainage easement

at the rear of the site.

Not applicable

Not applicable Not applicable

Not applicable

See attached plan

### In relation to the SURROUNDING AREA

The pattern of subdivision of the surrounding areas

Existing land uses

The siting and use of existing buildings on the adjacent properties

The location and type of significant vegetation Street and footpath widths, material and detailing Location, distance and characteristics of any nearby Public Open Space

Direction and distances of local shops, schools, community and recreational facilities

Direction and distances to public transport routes and stops

Existing transport routes including freeways, arterial and sub-arterial roads and major roads

connecting neighbourhoods Local street network

Traffic volumes and movements on adjacent

roads

Pedestrian and bicycle paths

Any place of natural or cultural significance

A range of rectilinear lot sizes

Primarily residential & low density residential See attached plan

See attached plan See attached plan

Reserves, ovals and beach all

within 500m Local shops are

approximately 500 metres to the south. Schools in

Torquay & Bellbrae Vline bus on Great Ocean

Road

**Great Ocean Road provides** access to Anglesea, Geelong

and Melbourne

Series of local traffic streets

Low traffic levels

Reserves through Jan Juc

Not applicable

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### 56.01-2 Design Response

The proposed plan has been designed to respond to the site. There are no real constraints on site.

### 56.03-05 Neighbourhood Character Objectives

The layout respects the established pattern of development within the surrounding environment. The proposed subdivision provides for safe and effective vehicle movement and will assist in providing a greater range of lot sizes in the area to promote diversity.

### 56.04-2 Lot Area and Building Envelopes

The proposed lot areas are of a significant size. This ensures the ability for provision of solar access, private open space, vehicle access, parking and the retention of existing vegetation.

### 56.04-3 Solar Orientation

The Lots are orientated for solar access. The lot sizes provide for ample flexibility of related building design

### 56.04-5 Common Area Objectives

There is no common area to be created by the proposed subdivision

### 56.06-8 Lot Access Objective

Proposed vehicle crossings for each lot have been shown on the Plan of Proposed Subdivision.

### 56.07 Water Management, 56.08 Site Management, & 56.09 Utilities

Services, Water supply and Waste Water management will be installed in accordance with requirements of the relevant Authorities.

### Clause 65 Decision Guidelines

Clause 65.02 of the Surf Coast Shire Planning Scheme lists a number of matters for consideration by the responsible authority when considering an application to subdivide land.

The following dot points address the dot points listed (in order) as decision guidelines in clause 65.02 of the planning scheme.

- The land is suitable for subdivision in a strategic sense given its close proximity to physical and social infrastructure and due to the size and configuration of the lot and the existing development. There are no restrictions on this lot preventing further subdivision;
- The proposal is consistent with current and possible future development of nearby land given the prevalent residential uses. Some of the abutting properties have been subdivided into smaller allotments;
- · The current proposal maximizes use of existing infrastructure;
- · There are few physical characteristics on the land;
- The density of proposed development is appropriate to the locality, available infrastructure and services, and the planning scheme provisions.
- The area and dimensions of each lot are appropriate, each able to provide existing on-site parking and sufficient space for areas of private open space;
- The existing road network is adequate. The subdivision will add little to existing traffic volumes.

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- There will be no conflict between pedestrian and vehicular movement to and from each of the proposed lots;
- Provision of public open space is not an issue. There is a wide range of open space available within a short distance of the site;
- · The subdivision will not be staged;
- Each of the lots are of a size sufficient to enable the safe siting and design of buildings;
- Provision will be made for the parking of vehicles off street;
- · There is no common property area;
- No body corporate is required;
- · All utility services are available to the proposed subdivision;
- · Reticulated sewerage is available to the proposed development;
- The size of the lots provides for flexibility of building design, therefore not requiring the removal of the existing trees on the site.

### Conclusion

Overall it is considered the proposed two lot subdivision accords with the relevant provisions of the Surf Coast Shire Planning Scheme. The proposed subdivision:

- Meets the minimum lot size for the precinct.
- Does not require the removal of any vegetation.
- Fits in with the existing neighbourhood character of the surrounds.
- Provides adequate lot sizes and dimensions for new dwellings.

Given all of the above it is requested a planning permit be issued for the subdivision of the land into two lots.

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1.2 Planning Permit Application 17/0294 - 115 Strathmore Drive Jan Juc - Two Lot Subdivision

APPENDIX 3 AMENDED APPLICATION - BUSHFIRE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT - 115 STRATHMORE DRIVE TORQUAY

# BUSHFIRE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT – 115A STRATHMORE DRIVE, JAN JUC

14<sup>th</sup> December 2017

South Coast Bushfire Consultants

### South Coast Bushfire Consultants

P.O. Box 721, Torquay, Vic 3228

Phone: 0401 328 757 Email: mksteel@bigpond.com

Principal Consultant - Kylie Steel

Qualifications / Accreditations:

- Accredited Bushfire Consultant (BPAD level 2) with the Fire Protection Association Australia (FPA) (2014)
- Preparing and assessing an application under the Bushfire Management Overlay Planet (Department of Planning and Community Development) (2013)
- Postgraduate Certificate in Bushfire Planning and Management The University of Melbourne (2013)
- Postgraduate Certificate in Business The University of Notre Dame, Broome (2002)
- Bachelor of Science, Honours The University of Melbourne (1998)
- Native Vegetation Planning Permit Applications Planet (Department of Planning and Community Development) Training Seminar (2013)

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Requirements detailed in this document do not guarantee survival of the buildings or the occupants. The client is strongly encouraged to develop and practice a bushfire survival plan.

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# Definitions, Abbreviations and Acronyms

AS 3959-2009 – Australian Standard AS 3959 -2009 Construction of buildings in bushfire-prone areas.

CFA - Country Fire Authority

Clause – A clause relates to a specific piece within the planning scheme.

Clause 44.06 - Bushfire Management Overlay

Clause 52.47 - Planning for Bushfire

DEPI - Department of Environment Planning and Infrastructure (now DELWP)

DELWP - Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning

BAL - Bushfire Attack Level

BPA - Bushfire Prone Area

BMO - Bushfire Management Overlay

BMS - Bushfire Management Statement

Method 1 – refers to methodology in AS 3959-2009 for determining a BAL with a number of predetermined inputs.

Method 2 – refers to methodology in AS 3959-2009 for determining a site specific BAL

Pathway 1 - refers to an application pathway in Clause 52.47 of the planning scheme.

Pathway 2 – refers to an application pathway in Clause 52.47 of the planning scheme.

Planning Practice Note – a guide for using various sections of the planning scheme prepared by DTPI

RA – Responsible Authority

SCBC - South Coast Bushfire Consultants

Total Fire Ban Day – is declared by CFA on days when fires are likely to spread rapidly and could be difficult to control.

### 1 SUMMARY

This document analyses the bushfire hazards to a proposed subdivision at 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc. This application proposes to subdivide the existing single lot into two lots.

The site is within the Bushfire Management Overlay (BMO) and as such must meet the subdivision objectives of the overlay. This document interprets how the proposed subdivision can meet the objectives and approval measures of *Clause 52.47 – Planning for Bushfire* and 44.06 - Bushfire Management Overlay.

This document includes a; Bushfire Hazard Landscape Assessment, Bushfire Hazard Site assessment, Bushfire Attack Level (BAL) assessment and a Bushfire Management Plan. This information is presented to provide a response to the legislative requirements of the Bushfire Management Overlay (Clause 44.06 and 52.47).

The site was found to meet the approval measures of clause 52.47 for a subdivision and both developments are able to meet a BAL of 19. The lots are both 1,200m<sup>2</sup> in size and thus any development must provide a static water supply of 10,000L solely for the purpose of firefighting and must allow CFA to get within 4m of the water tank. An indicative location of these tanks has been provided in the Bushfire Management Plan; however, these locations may change.

### 2 INTRODUCTION

This document has been prepared for the property owner to respond to the requirements of Clause 44.06 *Bushfire Management Overlay* (known from this point on as Clause 44.06), and associated Clause 52.47 *Bushfire Protection: Planning Requirements* (known from this point on as Clause 52.47) for a subdivision at 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc.

The site is located in the Bushfire Management Overlay (BMO) and requires a bushfire management statement to accompany the planning permit application.

### 3 METHODOLOGY

The methodology used to prepare a holistic approach to assessing and mitigation the bushfire risk to the development includes the following:

- Bushfire Hazard Landscape Assessment
- Bushfire Hazard Site Assessment
- A method 1 BAL Assessment
- Bushfire Management Plan
- Bushfire Management Statement (Clause 52.47)

### 4 PLANNING AND BUILDING CONTROLS

### 4.1 Planning and building controls

Clause Number	Name
32.08	General Residential Zone (GRZ)
	Schedule 1
44.06	Bushfire Management Overlay (BMO)
	Schedule 2
43.02	Design and Development Overlay (DDO)
	Schedule 22
45.06	Development Contributions Plan Overlay(DCPO)
	Schedule 2
42.03	Significant Landscape Overlay (SLO)
	Schedule 6

### 5 BUSHFIRE HAZARD LANDSCAPE ASSESSMENT

The Bushfire Hazard Landscape Assessment includes a plan that describes the bushfire hazard of the general locality surrounding the site (Map 1).

### 5.1 Vegetation extent in the broader landscape

The vegetation in the broader landscape is varied in its composition and thus its bushfire risk. The vegetation that surrounds the property in 1km radium is largely small rural holdings (2-5 acre properties) and beyond them farm lands.

South and south west of the site is a creek line that is fringed with remnant woodland vegetation. This vegetation varies in width and has an average width of 60m opposite the site. This vegetation would be unlikely to build and develop into a severe landscape bushfire due to its fragmented nature; however, it would cause a significant impact on the surrounding developments if ignited.

### 5.2 Surrounding Road Network

The surrounding road network is excellent and provides easy access to the Township of Torquay. The central township zone of Torquay is located approximately 3km from the proposed development.

The roads that lead to the township of Torquay through Jan Juc require travel through existing built up areas.

### 5.3 Bushfire History of the Area

The Barwon South West Regional Strategic Fire Management Plan: Environmental Scan lists bushfire events in the Otway Ranges. The 1939 Black Friday Fires and the 1983 Ash Wednesday fires were the most significant bushfire events in the South West region of Victoria in recent history.

The Ash Wednesday fires started in Deans Marsh and were pushed south under a northerly wind before the introduction of the cold change or low pressure system which then forced the fire in a southwesterly direction along the coast and through the Great Otway National Park.

The events of 1983 show how devastating a bushfire within the Otway Ranges can be. The township of Torquay and Jan Juc was not significantly affected by these bushfires as it was stopped on the outskirts of Bells Beach.

The Ash Wednesday bushfire footprint can be seed in Appendix 2 of this document. The 1983 Ash Wednesday bushfire did not impact the proposed development site and were close to the edge of the containment line.

Since the devastating bushfires on Black Saturday in 2009 the number of prescribed burns or fuel reduction burns across the state has increased. The fuel reduction burns seen in Appendix 1 have occurred in the last 5-6 years. These offer some protection for the time being; however, it is uncertain if these practices will be ongoing.

### 5.4 Bushfire Risk

The site is not considered to be at a high risk from a large fire front. The dominant fuel within the landscape is grasslands to the north and west beyond the assessment zone.

Table 1 - Bushfire Scenarios

Scenario	Description	Site Response
1 - North	North of the site are a number of residential dwellings and grasslands beyond these.	The property to the north provides protection from the open grasslands to the north.
2 - East	East of the site is the highly developed residential area of Jan Juc. Bushfire impact from the east is highly unlikely.	There are no bushfire hazards identified to the east.
3 - South	South of the site is the creek line with remnant woodland vegetation along the banks. This vegetation has continuity with grasslands to the west and would enable a significant flare up under extreme bushfire weather.	There is a house to the south that has highly managed gardens and would create a good buffer between the proposed development and the creek line to the south.
4- West	The greatest fire run potential and the path of the Ash Wednesday bushfire came from the south west.  Extreme fire weather can approach from the west on the south westerly wind change when a low pressure system is introduced.	The building envelopes provide a large area for defendable space to the west to mitigate the effects of a large grassfire impacting the creek line vegetation.
	West of the site is the creek line that runs north west – to south east. Beyond the creek line are large areas of grasslands to the west.	



Map 1 – Bushfire Hazard Landscape Assessment

### 6 BUSHFIRE HAZARD SITE ASSESSMENT

The Bushfire Hazard Site Assessment includes a plan that describes the bushfire hazard within 150 meters of the proposed development. The description of the hazard is prepared in accordance with AS 3959-2009 Construction of buildings in bushfire prone areas (Standards Australia) excluding paragraph (a) of section 2.2.3.2 (Vegetation Exclusions).

### 6.1 Site Details

Address: 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc 3228

Standard Parcel Identifier: Lot 12 PS742219

Municipality: Surf Coast
BMO Schedule: Schedule 2
Existing Dwellings: Vacant Lot

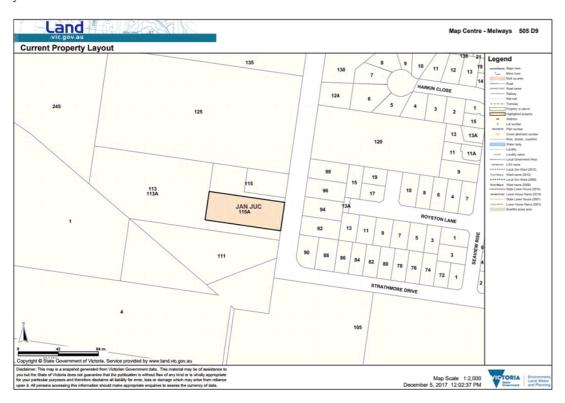
Private Bushfire Shelter: N/A

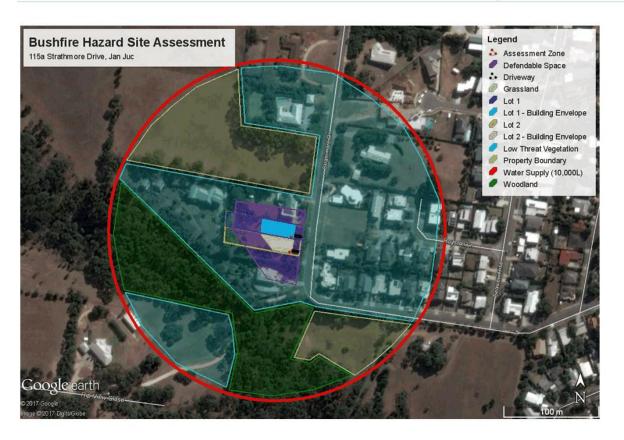
Application Pathway: Pathway 2 – Subdivision less than 10 lots

Site Area: Lot 1 - 1,200m<sup>2</sup>

Lot 2 - 1,200m<sup>2</sup>

Map 2 Current Layout of the site





Map 3 – Bushfire Hazard Site Assessment

### 6.2 Vegetation

The vegetation within the 150 meter assessment area was classified according to AS 3959-2009, 'Practice note 65 (DTPLI 2014) and the 'Overall fuel hazard assessment guide' (DSE 2010).

The AS 3959-2009 approach uses a generalised description of vegetation based on the AUSLIG (Australian Natural Resources Atlas: No.7 Native Vegetation) classification system. According to this method, vegetation can be classified into seven categories. Each category indicates a particular type of fire behavior and these categories or classifications are then used to determine bushfire intensity.

The vegetation identified within the 150 meter assessment zone is detailed in table 3 and the locations of these vegetation types are evident in Map 3.

Table 3 - Vegetation Assessment

Woodland	AS 3959-2009 Definition
	Trees 10-30m high: 10-30% foliage cover dominated by eucalypts; understorey or low trees to tall shrubs typically dominated by Acacia, Callitris or Casuarina.
	Site Description
	The vegetation along the creek line to the south and west is classified as woodland. The vegetation is fragmented and would be unlikely to develop into a fire front as assumed in AS 3959-2009, however, it does present as a bushfire hazard to the proposed development.
Grasslands	AS 3959-2009 Definition
	All forms, including situations with shrubs and trees, if the overstorey foliage cover is less than 10%.
	Site Description
	North of the site within the assessment zone is an area of grassland that connects with the larger expanses of grassland to the north and west.
Low Threat	AS 3959-2009 Definition
Vegetation	b) Single areas of vegetation less than 1 ha in area and not within 100m of other areas of vegetation being classified.
	e) Non-vegetated areas, including waterways, roads, footpaths, buildings and rocky outcrops.
	f) Low threat vegetation, including grassland managed in a minimal fuel condition, maintained lawns, golf courses, maintained public reserves and parklands, vineyards, orchards, cultivated gardens,

commercial nurseries, nature strips and windbreaks.

### **Site Description**

The gardens surrounding the site are managed to 'inner zone' defendable space requirements.

Figure 1-Low threat vegetation within the assessment zone to the south east.



Figure 2 – Low threat vegetation to the east.



Figure 3 – Low threat vegetation to the south.



Figure 4 – Low threat vegetation within the subdivision development looking west.

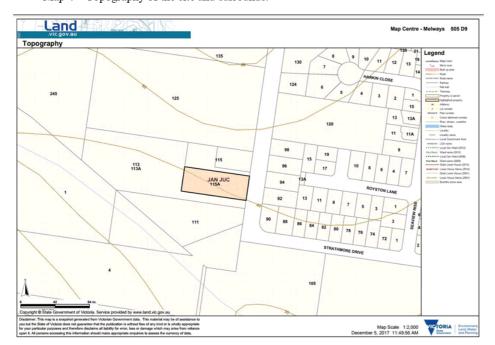


Figure 5 – Low threat vegetation to the north.

### 6.3 Topography

The site is located in a low density development area of Jan Juc that is becoming more densely developed. The site slopes down to the creek to the south west. The down slope is short and the vegetation is fragmented so it is unlikely to develop into a fire front assumed by AS 3959-2009. This slope would not significantly influence the severity or intensity of a landscape bushfire.

The wider landscape is undulating but there are no significant landscape features that would increase the intensity or allow for extreme bushfire behavior within this landscape.



Map 4 – Topography of the site and surrounds.

### 6.4 Bushfire Attack Level (BAL) for the proposed development

The bushfire attack level (BAL) is a means of measuring the severity of a building's potential exposure to ember attack, radiant heat and direct flame contact, using increments of radiant heat expressed in kilowatts per meter squared. The BAL is also the basis for establishing the requirements for construction to improve protection of building elements from attack by bushfire.

The highest BAL determines the construction requirements for the dwelling.

The BAL for this site has been calculated using a 'Forest Fire Danger Index' (FFDI) of 100 and a Flame Temperature of 1090K. The FFDI and flame temperature are in accordance with parameters that have been set as the appropriate risk parameters by the Minster for Planning.

Table 4 – BAL calculations for the proposed dwelling on lot 1.

Orientation	Highest threat vegetation	Slope under classifiable vegetation	Distance to vegetation	Defendable Space Requirement	Bushfire Attack Level (BAL)
North	Grassland	Upslope	32m	13m	19
East	Low Threat	Down slope 0-5°	-	-	19
South	Woodland	Down slope 0-5°	76m	29m	19
West	Woodland	Down slope 0-5°	72m	29m	19

Table 5-BAL calculations for the proposed dwelling on lot 2.

Orientation	Highest threat vegetation	Slope under classifiable vegetation	Distance to vegetation	Defendable Space Requirement	Bushfire Attack Level (BAL)
North	Grassland	Upslope	49m	13m	19
East	Low Threat	Down slope 0-5°	-	-	19
South	Woodland	Down slope 0-5°	60m	29m	19
West	Woodland	Down slope 0-5°	65m	29m	19

### 7 BUSHFIRE MANAGEMENT PLAN AND STANDARD PERMIT CONDITIONS

Bushfire Management Plan – 115A Strathmore Drive, Jan Juc (Prepared By – SCB Consultants 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017)



### 5. Access

Where fire authority access to the water supply is required under AM4.1, fire authority vehicles should be able to get within 4 metres of the water supply outlet.

Where the length of access is greater than 30 meters but less than 100m the following design and construction requirements apply:

- All-weather construction.
- A load limit of at least 15 tonnes.
- Provide a minimum trafficable width of 3.5 metres.
- Be clear of encroachments for at least 0.5 metres on each side and at least 4 metres vertically.
- Curves must have a minimum inner radius of 10 metres.
- The average grade must be no more than 1 in 7 (14.4%) (8.1°) with a maximum grade of no more than 1 in 5 (20%) (11°) for no more than 50 metres.
- Dips must have no more than a 1 in 8 (12.5%) (7.1°) entry and exit angle.

### 1. Construction Standards

All construction works need to comply with a BAL of 19 from AS 3959-2009

### 2. <u>Defendable Space</u>

An area of defendable space for the designated BAL around the proposed building / or to the property boundary where vegetation (and other flammable materials) will be modified and managed in accordance with the following distances from Table 2 Clause 52.47:

Unit 1= North - 13m, East - Property Boundary, South - 29m, West - 29m Unit 2= North - 13m, East - Property Boundary, South - 29m, West - 29m

### 3. Vegetation Management requirements include:

- Grass must be short cropped and maintained during the declared fire danger period.
- All leaves and vegetation debris must be removed at regular intervals during the declared fire danger period.
- Within 10 metres of a building, flammable objects must not be located close to the vulnerable parts of the building
- Plants greater than 10 centimetres in height must not be placed within 3 metres of a window or glass feature of the building
- Shrubs must not be located under the canopy of trees.
- Individual and clumps of shrubs must not exceed 5 square metres in area and must be separated by at least 5
  metres.
- Trees must not overhang or touch any elements of the building.
- The canopy of trees must be separated by at least 5 metres.
- There must be a clearance of at least 2 metres between the lowest tree branches and ground level.

### 4. Water Supply

The site is required to have 10,000 Litres of water supply for fire fighting purposes which meets the following requirements:

- Is stored in an above ground water tank constructed of concrete or metal.
- All fixed above-ground water pipes and fittings required for fire fighting purposes must be made of corrosive
- Incorporate a ball or gate valve (British Standard Pipe (BSP) 65mm) and coupling (64mm CFA 3 thread per inch male fitting).
- The outlet/s of the water tank must be within 4m of the access way and be unobstructed.
- Be readily identifiable from the building or appropriate identification signage to the satisfaction of CFA must be provided.
- Any pipe work and fittings must be a minimum of 65mm (excluding the CFA coupling).

### 8 BUSHFIRE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT – SITES RESPONSE TO APPLICABLE SUB CLAUSES OF 52.47

Clause 52.47 contains a range of sub clauses with objectives, approved measures (AM), alternative measures (AltM) and decision guidelines. The table below details which clauses are relevant to this application. The following section demonstrates how the requirements have been met for the relevant standards.

Table 5 - Relevant clauses and measures applicable to the proposed development.

Clause	Approved	Achieved	Justification
	Measure		
Clause 52.47-1 -	AM 1.1	Not Applicable	The development is for a subdivision.
Dwellings in existing	AM 1.2	Not Applicable	
settlements-Bush fire	AM 1.3	Not Applicable	
protection objective			
Clause 52.47-2.1	AM 2.1	Applicable	The development is able to meet these clauses.
Landscape, siting and	AM 2.2	Applicable	
design objectives	AM 2.3	Applicable	
Clause 52.47-2.2	AM 3.1	Not Applicable	
Landscape, siting and	AM 3.2	Not Applicable	
design objectives	AltM 3.3	Not Applicable	
	AltM 3.4	Not Applicable	
	AltM 3.5	Not Applicable	
	AltM 3.6	Not Applicable	
Clause 52.47-2.3	AM 4.1	Applicable	The development is able to meet this clause.
Landscape, siting and	AM 4.2	Not Applicable	
design objectives			
Clause 52.47-2.4	AM 5.1	Applicable	
Subdivision objectives	AM 5.2	Not Applicable	Land is zoned General Residential Zone thus this
			clause applies.
	AM 5.3	Not Applicable	Less than 10 lots proposed
	AM 5.4	Applicable	
	AM 5.5	Not Applicable	

### 8.1 52.47-2 Bushfire protection objectives

### 8.1.1 52.47-2.1 Landscape, siting and design objectives

Development is appropriate having regard to the nature of the bushfire risk arising from the surrounding landscape.

Development is sited to minimise the risk from bushfire.

Development is sited to provide safe access for vehicles, including emergency vehicles.

Building design minimises vulnerability to bushfire attack.

Approved	Requirement
Measure	
AM 2.1	The bushfire risk to the development from the landscape beyond the site can be mitigated to an acceptable level.
	Response:
	The site is within the residential area of Jan Juc and is at the interface of the low density residential area of the township.
	The site is able to share defendable space between allotments and on well managed neighbouring developments.
	The development site is expected to be affected by ember attack but is considered far enough away from the forest interface not be affected by high levels of radiant heat.
AM 2.2	A building is sited to ensure the site best achieves the following:
	<ul> <li>The maximum separation distance between the building and the bushfire hazard.</li> </ul>
	The building is in close proximity to a public road.
	<ul> <li>Access can be provided to the building for emergency service vehicles.</li> </ul>
	Response:
	The proposed developments are on narrow lots and there is limited availability for siting.
	The bushfire hazards surrounding the site are located over 32m to the north and over 60 to the south and west.

	The dwellings will be located in close proximity to the road and the driveways would not exceed 30m in length.	
	Access will be provided to the buildings for emergency service vehicles.	
8.1.2 52.47-2.3 Water supply and access objectives		
AM 4.1	A building used for a dwelling (including an extension or alteration to a dwelling), a dependant person's unit, industry, office or retail premises is provided with:	
	<ul> <li>A static water supply for fire fighting and property protection purposes specified in Table 4 to Clause 52.47-3.</li> <li>Vehicle access that is designed and constructed as specified in Table 5 to Clause 52.47-3.</li> </ul>	
	The water supply may be in the same tank as other water supplies provided that a separate outlet is reserved for fire fighting water supplies.	
	Response: The proposed dwellings will each provide a static water supply of 10,000 litres solely for the purposes of fire fighting and allow CFA to get within 4m of the water supply.	
	Access will be provided in accordance with the permit conditions outlined in the Bushfire Management Plan (section 7).	
8.1.3 52.47-2.4 Subdivision objectives		
To provide lots that are capable of being developed in accordance with the objectives of Clause 52.47.		
To specify at the subdivision stage bushfire protection measures to develop a lot with a single dwelling on land zoned for residential or rural residential purposes.		
AM 5.1	An application to subdivide land, other than where AM 5.2 applies, demonstrates that each proposed lot is capable of meeting:  • The defendable space in accordance with Table 2 Columns A, B or C	
	<ul> <li>and Table 6 to Clause 52.47-3.</li> <li>The approved measures in Clause 52.47-2.1 and Clause 52.47-2.3.</li> </ul>	
	Response: The site is within the General Residential Zone and thus AM 5.2 applies.	
AM 5.2	An application to subdivide land zoned for residential or rural residential purposes must be accompanied by a plan that shows:  • Each lot satisfies the approved measure in AM 2.1.	
	<ul> <li>A building envelope for a single dwelling on each lot that complies with AM 2.2 and provides defendable space in accordance with:</li> <li>Columns A or B of Table 2 to Clause 52.47-3 for a subdivision that creates 10 or more lots; or</li> </ul>	

	• Columns A, B or C of Table 2 to Clause 52.47-3 for a subdivision that creates less than 10 lots.
	The bushfire attack level that corresponds to the defendable space provided in accordance with Table 2 to Clause 52.47-3 must be noted on the building envelope.  • Defendable space wholly contained within the boundaries of the proposed subdivision.
	<ul> <li>Defendable space may be shared between lots within the subdivision. Defendable space for a lot may utilse communal areas, such as roads, where that land can meet the requirements for defendable space.</li> <li>Vegetation management requirements in accordance with Table 6 to implement and maintain the defendable space required under this approved measure.</li> <li>Water supply and vehicle access that complies with AM 4.1.</li> </ul>
	Response:
	Each lot is able to satisfy the approval measure in AM 2.1.
	The building envelope on each lot complies with AM 2.2 and provides defendable space in accordance with Column A of Table 2 to Clause 52.47-3 for a subdivision that creates less than 10 lots.
	The bushfire attack level for each development is BAL 19 and the defendable space is shared across the site and uses communal areas, roads and neighbouring allotments managed to a low threat condition.
	The vegetation management requirements are detailed on the Bushfire Management Plan as permit conditions and are in accordance with Table 6 of Clause 52.47.
	The water supply and vehicle access complies with AM 4.1 of clause 52.47 and are detailed above within this report.
AM 5.3	An application to subdivide land to create 10 or more lots provides a
	perimeter road adjoining the hazardous vegetation to support fire fighting.
	Response:
	N/A
AM 5.4	A subdivision manages the bushfire risk to future development from existing or proposed landscaping, public open space and communal areas.
	Response:
	The nature of this subdivision proposal does not pose a risk to any future

	development from proposed landscaping, public open space or communal areas.
AltM 5.5	A building envelope for a subdivision that creates 10 or more lots required under AM 5.2 may show defendable space in accordance with Table 2 Column C and Table 6 to Clause 52.47-3 where it can be demonstrated that:  • All other requirements of AM 5.2 have been met.  • Less defendable space and a higher construction standard is appropriate having regard to the bushfire hazard landscape assessment.  Response:  N/A

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### 10 APPENDICES

## ${\bf Appendix~1-Bushfire~History~and~Prescribed~Burns~in~the~Area~(DEPI-Biodiversity~Interactive~Map-showing~bushfire~history).}$

Figure 1 – Natural Bushfires in the area since 1970. Pink areas on the map indicate wildfires.

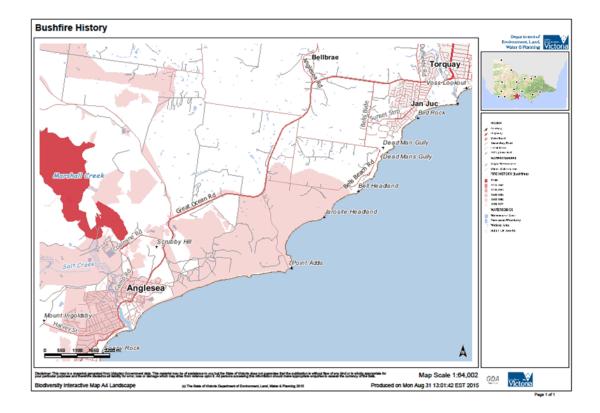
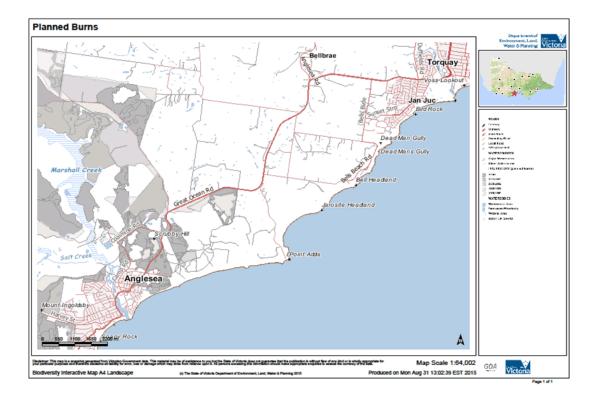


Figure 2 – Prescribed Burns in the area since 1970. Most of the prescribed burns indicated on the map shaded as areas of grey have occurred since the 2008 Black Saturday bushfires.



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**Close:** There being no further items of business the meeting closed at 5.26pm.