Design Requirements for Block 6 Section 16 MU4

Strathnairn



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Part 1: Introduction

The Ginninderry vision: an inspiring 21st century community

The Ginninderry community will be unique in our region. It extends across the ACT/NSW border to the west of Belconnen and is being developed by a Joint Venture between the ACT Suburban Land Agency (SLA) and Riverview Developments (ACT) Pty Ltd.

From the start, our vision for Ginninderry has been to build a community of international significance, with innovation, diversity and ecological criteria at its core. Now we're bringing this vision to life.

Setting the highest standards

The multi-unit site at Ginninderry will form part of a whole neighbourhood design.

The project team has established high expectations for Ginninderry, perhaps best illustrated by the project's accreditation as Canberra's first 6 Star Green Star Community, through the Green Building Council of Australia. To achieve this certification, we've shown that Ginninderry will be a worldleading community, exhibiting international best practice in urban design and development.

All residents at Ginninderry will benefit from a vast conservation corridor, well connected pedestrian and cycling pathways, tree lined streets and easy access to public transport.

Ginninderry aspires to be recognised as a world leader in sustainable development, delivering a community that is:

- better planned and designed
- more dynamic and vibrant •
- a healthy place to live work and play
- productive and prosperous
- flexible, adaptable and resilient.

Innovative ideas and technologies

Like all communities, Ginninderry will evolve and change over time, and so too will building design technologies and materials. It is quite possible that innovative energy, comfort and cost outcomes may be achieved by using new technologies, practices and principles not contemplated in this document.

At the discretion of the Development Manager, mandatory requirements may be varied if better alternatives and solutions are proposed, that do not compromise the overall integrity of Ginninderry's design philosophy.

Part 2: Design Approval **Process**

Multi-unit designs at Ginninderry need to comply with the following:

- These Design Requirements
- Plans relating to this block in Part 4 Appendices
- Relevant rules in the Multi Unit Housing Development Code (as applicable)
- Strathnairn Precinct Map and Code

Compliance Bond

An important part of the Contract for Sale of land at Ginninderry is the requirement for the payment of a Compliance Bond at the time of settlement. The Compliance Bond is to ensure the adherence to these Design Requirements.

Minimum Requirements

The conditions for the return of the Compliance Bond are:

- You must attend a pre application meeting with the Design Team prior to design submission. Pre application documents should include:
 - A concept site plan
 - Concept floor plans
 - Concept lane way elevation and open space elevation
- The design(s) has been submitted to and approved by the Development Manager prior to building commencement.
- The multi-unit homes have been built to the approved design in accordance with the Design Requirements

- A letter from your solar installer certifying that the PV system with inverter and Home Energy Management System has been installed to comply with the Sustainability Requirements
- Any damage caused by the construction of the multi-unit site to the surrounding verges, street trees, footpath, services and adjoining land has been rectified to the satisfaction of Transport Canberra and City Services (TCCS) and our Development Manager
- All waste on the public verge and adjoining land has been removed
- The purchaser (builder) may not seek to transfer the compliance bond requirements to the ultimate owner of the dwelling(s)
- If found to be compliant, your full Compliance Bond will be returned



Part 3: Design Requirements

The following information outlines the Design Requirements for Blocks 6 Section 16 within Strathnairn.

Design Principle	Design Requirements	
Public Domain Interface	Front doors of each dwelling are clearly visible from a public	
Provide legible and attractive interfaces that achieve passive surveillance to public	street or lane-way and include a covered entry feature or portico.	
streets and lane-ways.	Windows fronting a public road from habitable rooms, balconies or decks overlook the public domain.	
	Courtyard walls are to be provided to comply with the Precinct Code and are required to be coordinated with all service requirements, including clearance to any water meters and free access to any electrical meter boxes.	
	Where development frontages are adjacent to open spaces, parks, public walkways or located on a corner, the following requirements apply:	
	 Habitable rooms have windows to provide passive surveillance (i.e. no 'blank' facades) 	
	Building entries and pathways are visible and legible from public domain.	



Surveillance of Public Domain



Clear entries behind courtyard walls

Design Principle	Design Requirements
Local Character and Context The built form, articulation and scale relates to the local character of the area and its context.	The design should sit comfortably with the Strathnairn Master plan. Block 6 Section 16 is situated adjacent an important Green Link corridor within Strathnairn. The design should respond to its northern open space connection. The site has Blocks 1-3 Section 15 to its south via Ferrari Court and Blocks 7-10 Section 16 to its East. Blocks 1-5 Section 16 are located to the West with individual residential dwellings.
Landscape Design The landscape design requires healthy plant and tree growth space for medium sized trees.	Rear or internal courtyards must include 1 tree with mature height of 5-8m. The landscape plan proposes a combination of tree planting, for shade, mid height shrubs, lawn and ground covers. Include a mix of species that are appropriate for scale and shading. Synthetic or artificial grass is not permitted The verge areas between the front boundary of the Land and the kerb must be turfed. Refer Appendix B for suggested Landscape Planting Palette.



Courtyard spaces should allow natural light and cross-ventilation to living spaces



An example of a vertical greenwall to help soften small courtyard areas



Design Principle

Design Requirements

Visual Appearance and Façade Articulation

To promote well designed buildings of high Architectural quality that contribute to the local character.

The facades of the multi-unit homes must be designed as an integrated pack to provide an consistent streetscape. The development is to incorporate articulation to frontages.

The following elements help provide functional articulation. The design must demonstrate how it responds to the following elements:

- Covered entry feature or portico is mandatory
- A balcony, deck, pergola, terrace, or veranda
- Extruded box window treatments
- Bay windows
- Awnings, sunhood, and louvres
- Eaves
- Access ramps as required

The overall streetscape must have a light base colour as the prominent wall finish with light weight cladding and include a mix of materials to provide articulation.

Double storey designs must incorporate balconies at bookends/ corners with a combination of solid and perforated metal or glass balustrades.

Facade glazing to street frontages must be more vertical in proportion with mullion spacing less than 1.0m. Openings of 2.4m wide or more must be a minimum of 3 panels.

Metal profile cladding systems or FC style boards with profile widths of a maximum 200mm are encouraged.



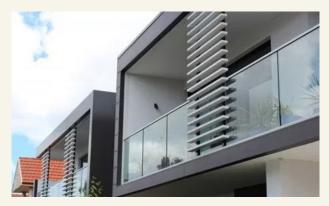
Sunhood and Awning



Light filled screened balconies.



Clearly articulated facades add value and character to the streetscape



Passive Surveillance with articulated and screened balconies



Clearly articulated facades add value and character to the streetscape



Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Visual Appearance and Articulation to	Refer to the block planning controls.		
Corners	Articulation elements such as balconies, blade walls, pergolas, sunhoods, awnings, façade treatments, material use and expressed structure are required to add visual interest and avoid large blank wall planes to prominent corners.		
	Buildings may need to be stepped back further on corners to permit balconies, glazing and larger eaves without encroachment into secondary front setbacks. All materials must wrap around the corner dwellings by at least 4 metres.		
Roof Form	The roof treatments are integrated into the building design and positively respond to open space and laneway and provide for individual expression for each dwelling.		
	The roof form must consider how to integrate the solar panels. Lights and ventilation systems are integrated into the roof design.		
	Gable roof – minimum 25 degrees		
	Skillion – 10 to 15 degrees minimum		
Roofing Materials	Metal profile roof sheeting only. Refer to Approved Colours and Finishes palette Part 4		
Eaves, Awnings and Sunhoods	Minimum 450mm eaves required. Any windows that are not protected by an eave , i.e Parapet walls, require awnings or sunhoods, except south facing windows.		
Mailbox	Mailboxes should be incorporated into a courtyard wall (where permitted).		
	Standalone mailboxes must compliment the home and must be constructed of masonry such as smooth face brick, stone faced masonry, rendered or bagged masonry or natural stone.		
	Any pre-fabricated stand alone mailboxes must be of a high quality and may only be approved on merit.		
Bush Fire Requirements	There are no bush fire requirements within Strathnairn		
Energy Efficiency Rating	A minimum NatHERS rating of 7.0 is required for each dwelling.		
Zoning	RZ5		
Building Height	Up to 3 storeys permitted		
Building Front Setback	Refer to Strathnairn Precinct Map and Code, Multi Unit Housing Development Code and Block Planning Control Plans.		
Fencing & Courtyard Walls	Mandatory – refer to Fencing Controls Plan, Strathnairn Precinct Map and Code, Multi Unit Housing Development Code and Block Planning Control Plans.		
PPOS Requirements	Refer to Strathnairn Precinct Map and Code, Multi Unit Housing Development Code (as applicable) and Block Planning Control Plans.		

Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Natural Ventilation	All habitable rooms must be naturally ventilated.		
Dwelling Size and Layout	The dwelling has sufficient area to ensure the layout of rooms are functional, well organised and provide a high standard of amenity.		
	Minimum Net Living Areas (NLA's)		
	 1 bed = 65m² (minimum 22.0m² to any upper floor living areas) 		
	• 2 bed = 90m²		
	• 3+ bed = 115m²		
	Kitchens are not part of circulation spaces such as hallways.		
Garage and Garage Doors	Garages are to be located where zero boundary are permitted via the Strathnairn Precinct Code Provision, refer to the Block Planning Control Plan.		
	Consider the use of masonry base elements to corners of garages and lightweight elements where appropriate.		
	We may consider alternate articulation of rear laneways on architectural merit such as where surveillance units are adopted or unusual lot shapes require an alternate design response.		
	Provide panel lift or tilt up garage doors. Roller doors are not permitted.		
Storage	Multi-unit designs must provide adequate storage and at least 50% of the required storage must be within the dwelling.		
	Minimum Storage Area Provision:		
	• 1 bed = 6m³		
	• 2 bed = 8m³		
	• 3+ bed = 10m³		
	Bike storage must be covered and secure whether external or within garages. 10A general power outlet provision for Electric bike charging must be provided.		







Bicycle storage solutions



Laundry linen storage

Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Bin Locations	Storage for three bins must be provided including general waste, recycling and green waste. Bin locations should be integrated with the dwelling designs and screened from public view. Kitchen design must allow for easy waste separation.		
Ceiling Heights	Ceiling heights are to achieve sufficient natural ventilation and provide daylight access and spatial quality. Minimum ceiling heights: 2.7m to ground floor habitable rooms 2.7m to upper floor living areas 2.5m to upper level bedrooms		
Glazing	uPVC or thermally broken aluminum double glazing is required to all external windows and doors.		
Home Energy Systems	Dwellings must be all-electric with no mains or bottled gas connections. A PV System with a Home Energy Systems and compatible inverter must be installed for all dwellings under the following provisions: a. Minimum PV size: • 1-2 bedroom 3kW • 3 bedroom+ 4kW b. Home Energy Systems must be a Reposit Power (battery is required) or Evergen. c. The solar inverter must be compatible with the chosen Home Energy Systems above. d. Where PV panels are located on a roof section fronting a street, they must be installed flush with the roof. e. All hardware components must be installed by a certified Clean Energy Council Installer.		
Appliances and Fixtures	Induction cooktops must be provided to all dwellings. All appliances, water fixtures and fittings must have a minimum 4 star rating under the water efficiency labeling and standards (WELS) scheme and (where required) a 4 star energy rating under the energy rating label (Energy Efficiency Rating) scheme. This includes showerheads, tap ware, toilets, fridges, freezers, washing machines, dryers and any other appliance provided with the dwelling.		

Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Hot Water Systems	All dwellings must have a solar or heat pump hot water system installed. Roof top solar water collectors are not permitted on the roof fronting the street. Consideration must be given to the location of any tank including screening or placement within a cupboard or garage space. Hot water systems must be climate appropriate and have temperature application range down to -5 degrees ambient air temperature.		
Heating and Cooling	Passive heating and cooling must be considered for all dwellings including ceiling fans and thermal mass) If Mechanical heating and/ or cooling systems are installed they must be: a. reverse cycle air conditioning with: • Energy Efficiency Rating of 3.1 or higher for cooling cycle • Coefficient of Performance of 3.5 or higher for heating cycle • Outdoor unit with sound pressure level of 57dBA or lower for heating and cooling cycle b. air conditioning with a cooling cycle only that achieves an Energy Efficiency Rating of 3.1 or higher c. ducted evaporative cooling with self-closing damper d. ground source heat pump. Considerations must be given to the location of any outdoor fan coil unit including screening and compliance with ACT EPA		
Rainwater Tanks	noise requirements. Minimum requirement as per Multi Unit Housing Development Code. Please consider addition Water Sensitive Urban Design and Rainwater tank provisions for soft planting and environmental purposes.		



Narrow style rainwatrer tanks can be used where space requirements are restrictive

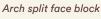


Rainwater tanks incorporated into a carport design shows clever and effective use of small spaces



Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Provision	One EV Ready parking space point per dwelling with:		
	 10amp General Power Outlet (GPO) with wiring capacity for 7KW AC charging 		
	Wiring installed from EV Charger position to individual switchboard		
	Space for double-width circuit breaker in switchboard		
	Data cabling to be provided next to GPO		
	If any future higher specification requirements are provided by the National Construction Code or ACT Government Territory Plan, the requirements from the National Construction Code or ACT Government Territory Plan take precedence.		
Retaining Walls	Minimum Requirements:		
Extensive earthworks should be limited where possible to minimise the extent of	The height of site cuts along the side boundaries with attached neighbouring wall cannot exceed 500mm in height		
retaining wall costs and the visual impacts to the streetscape.	Retaining wall forward of the front building line must be constructed from the following materials at the discretion of the Ginninderry Development Manager		
	- Approved face brick		
	- Approved rendered masonry		
	 Approved brickwork such as split face, honed or shot blast finishes 		
	- Approved stone faced masonry		
	- Approved reinforced concrete finishes		
	Timber, concrete sleepers or prefabricated modular systems are not permitted forward of the building line.		
	 Retaining walls alongside boundaries forward of the building line must be tapered or stepped in line with the finished ground level at the front boundary. 		
	Where there are services such as water, electrical, communications, sewer and storm water, detailed coordination of all courtyard wall locations and associated services must be considered in the initial design process.		







Streetscape

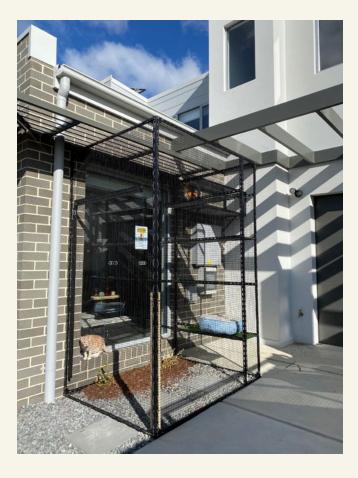


Well articulated dwelling designs provide a functional and more attractive streetscape



Design Principle	Design Requirements		
Rear Lane Access	Block 6 Section 16 are rear loaded blocks. Access is via flush kerb from Ferrari Court to all blocks.		
	Minimum Requirements:		
	Driveways must be constructed from either		
	- plain concrete or		
	- maximum 5% Oxide finish		
Services and ancillary structures	Services such as water, electricity meter boxes, NBN and home energy system cabinets can have an adverse impact on the overall streetscape if not considered as part of the overall design.		
	The location of the above services will be required to be shown on the site plan as part of the design approval process.		
	Minimum Requirements:		
	 Water, electricity meter boxes, NBN and home energy system cabinets must be integrated into the front façade and located away from the front door 		
	Solar panels must sit flush with the roof line if located to the street frontages of the dwellings		
	 Storage tank for solar HWS is not permitted to be mounted on the roof fronting the street 		
	 Aerials, satellite dishes, antennae, heat pumps, A/C units and evaporative units are to be located to the rear of the dwellings and must not be visible from the street. 		
	 Clothes drying lines and garbage bins are to be located to the rear of the terraces. If they are located to the side of the house within the Primary Building zone, they must be screened from public view. 		
	Sheds, outdoor structures are to be located to the rear of the terraces and away from public view.		
Dog and Cat containment	Minimum Requirements:		
	Suburbs within Ginninderry are Cat Containment and Dog on Leash areas. Terrace designs should give consideration to responsible pet ownership principles including the use of enclosures or cat runs. More information can be obtained at: https://www.cityservices.act.gov.au/pets-and-wildlife/domestic-animals/cats/cat-containment • Dogs must remain on leash in public areas except within designated un-leashed areas such as dog parks. • Dogs are not permitted in the conservation corridor.		





Cat containment

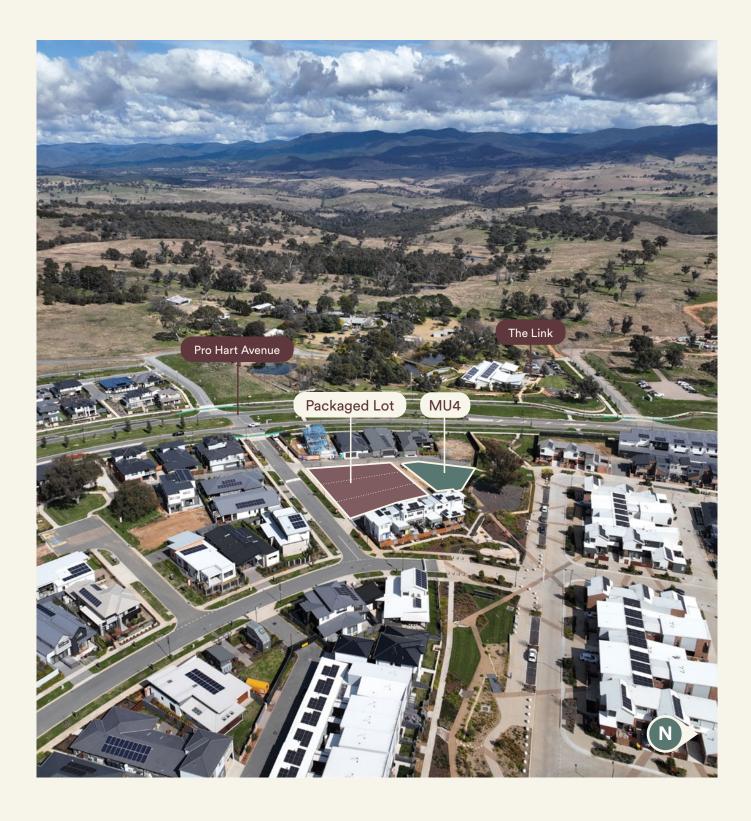


Integrated water meter details within courtyard walls





Site location map



Part 4: Appendix

External Colours and Finishes Schedule

Please tick the boxes below

Roof Tiles - Monier

Atura	Mist Grey	Saltspray	Seashell	Wildrice
Horizon	Mist Grey	Saltspray	Seashell	Wildrice

Roof Tiles - Boral



Roof Tiles - Bristile

Prestige	Silver Gum		
Classic	Alabaster	Linen	Silver Gum

Metal Roof - Colorbond

Basalt	Cove	Dune	Evening Haze	Gully	Windspray
Jasper	Shale Grey	Surfmist	Wallaby	Paperbark	

Fence Colour - Colorbond

Side and Rear Boundary Fencing



Fence Infill Panel / Street Facing Fencing - Colorbond

Basalt	Cove	Dune	Evening Haze	Gully	Windspray
Jasper	Natural Pearl	Shale Grey	Surfmist	Wallaby	Ultra Silver
Precious Silver	Silver Medalist				

Garage Doors

Basalt	Cove	Dune	Evening Haze	Gully	Windspray
Jasper	Natural Pearl	Shale Grey	Surfmist	Wallaby	Ultra Silver
Precious Silver	Silver Medalist	Blushed Teak	Classic Cedar	Iron Bark	Kwila
Merbau	Silky Oak	Weathered Timber	Western Red Cedar		

Façade Colours Walls / Render / Cladding

Basalt	Cove	Dune	Evening Haze	Gully	Windspray
Jasper	Natural Pearl	Shale Grey	Surfmist	Wallaby	Ultra Silver
Precious Silver	Silver Medalist	Beige Royal	Braid	Cru	Lexicon
Light Rice	Linseed	Natural White	Oyster Linen	Terrace White	Toffee Fingers
Tuft	Warm Neutral				

Bricks - Austral



F.O. Feature area only

Bricks - PGH



F.O. Feature area only

Appendix B



Landscape Concept Planting Palette Edible Plants

Below is a list of edible plants that Ginninderry encourages you to plant when landscaping your garden.

Code	Botanical Name	Common Name	Mature Plant Size	Container Size	Spacing	
Small Tre	ees					
Mad	Malus domestica	Apple	3m x 3m	100L	-	
Рус	Prunus cerasifera	Cherry Plum	5m x 5m	100L	-	
PrpA	Prunus persica 'Anzac'	Australian Peach	4m x 4m	100L	-	
PrsAB	Prunus salicina 'Angelina Burdett'	Plum	4-10m x 2-4m	100L	-	
Large Sh	rubs					
Cil	Citrus limon 'Meyer'	Meyer Lemon	3m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²	
Fes	Feijoa sellowiana	Pineapple Guava	4m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²	
Mia	Microcitrus australasica	Finger Lime	4m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²	
Small Sh	rubs					
Roo	Rosemarinus officinalis	Rosemary	0.5-1.5m x 1m	5L/200mm	3/m²	
Vac	Vaccinium corymbosum	Blueberry - Blue Rose	1-2m x 1-2m	5L/200mm	3/m²	
Cij	Citrus japonica	Kumquat	2-3m x 3m	5L/200mm	3/m²	
Groundo	Groundcovers/ Climbers					
Fra	Fragaria ananassa	Strawberry	0.3m H	2.5L/150mm	4/m²	

Small Trees



Malus domestica



Malus domestica – fruit



Prunus cerasifera



Prunus persica



Prunus salicina - fruit

Large Shrubs







Feijoa sellowiana



Microcitrus australasica

Groundcovers



Fragaria ananassa

Small Shrubs



Rosemarinus officinalis



Vaccinium corymbosum



Citrus japonica



Landscape Concept Planting Palette Native Plants

Below is a list of native plants that Ginninderry encourages you to plant when landscaping your garden.

Code	Botanical Name	Common Name	Mature Plant Size	Container Size	Spacing
Large S	Shrubs (Hedging)				
BNm	Banksia marginata	Silver Banksia	5m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
BNsp	Banksia spinulosa	Hairpin Banksia	3m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Cbf	Callistemon 'Great Balls of Fire'	Bottlebrush	2m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Ckp	Callistemon 'King's Park Special'	Bottlebrush	2-4m x 3-4m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Cra	Callistemon viminalis 'Red Alert'	Creek Bottlebrush	4m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Gpp	Grevillea 'Poorinda Peter'	Poorinda Peter Grevillea	3m x 4m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Gpq	Grevillea 'Poorinda Queen'	Poorinda Queen Grevillea	3m x 4m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Gho	Grevillea 'Red Hooks'	Red Hooks Grevillea	3m x 4m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Small S	Shrubs				
Anf	Anigozanthus 'Bush Gem'	Kangaroo Paw	0.6m x 1m	5L/200mm	3/m²
BKI	Baeckea linifolia	Flax-leaf Heath Myrtle	1-2.5m x 0.5-2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Gco	Grevillea confertifolia	Dense-leaf Grevillea	2m x 1-2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Gla	Grevillea lanigera	Wooly Grevillea	0.5-1m x 1-2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Wab	Westingia sp. 'Aussie Box'	Coast Rosemary	1.5m x 1.5m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Small S	Shrubs (Hedging to Frontage)				
Cvc	Callistemon viminalis 'Captain Cook'	Bottlebrush		5L/200mm	3/m²
Etm	Philotheca myoporoides	Long-leaf Waxflower	1.5-2m x 2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Gba	Grevillea baueri	Bauer's Grevillea	0.6-1.5m x 2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Wew	Westingia fruticosa 'Grey Box'	Coastal Rosemary	2m x 4m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Ground	dcover/Climbers				
Acc	Acacia cognata 'limelight'	Dwarf River Wattle	0.5m x 1m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Asfp	Astartea fascicularis	Winter Pink	0.3m x 1.5m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
BNsp	Banksi spinulosa 'Birthday Candle'	Birthday Candle Banksia	0.5m x 1.5m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
BRm	Brachyscome multifida	Rock Daisy	0.3m x 1.5m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Coc	Convolvulus cneorum	Bush Morning Glory	0.6m x 1m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Gbr	Grevillea sp. 'Bronze Rambler'	Bronze Rambler Grevillea	0.3m x 2m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²

Hav	Hardenbergia violacea	Purple Coral Pea	3m x 1m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Мур	Myoporum parvifolium	Creeping Boobialla	0.2m x 2m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
RHs	Rhagodia spinescens 'Aussie Flat Bush'	Aussie Flat Bush	0.3-0.5m x 1m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Vih	Viola hederacea	Australian Native Violet	0.1m x 0.5m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Grasse	s				
Dlc					
Dic	Dianella caerulea 'Cassa Blue'	Cassa Blue Flax Lily	0.7m x 1m	Growtube	6/m²
DII	Dianella longifolia	Pale Flax Lily	0.6m x 0.4m	Growtube	6/m²
Dlr	Dianella revoluta	Black Anther Flax Lily	0.5m x 0.5m	Growtube	6/m²
DIt	Dianella tasmanica	Blue Flax Lily	0.7m x 1m	Growtube	6/m²
LDIC	Lomandra longifolia 'Cassica'	Cassica Mat Rush	1.2m x 0.8m	Growtube	6/m²
LDIT	Lomandra longifolia 'Tanika'	Tanika Mat Rush	0.5m x 0.5m	Growtube	6/m²
POAIE	Poa labillardieri	Tussock Grass	0.6m x 0.4m	Growtube	6/m²
THt	Themeda triandra	Kangaroo Grass	1m x 0.5m	Growtube	6/m²

Large Shrubs (Hedging)



Banksia marginata



Banksia spinulosa



Callistemon 'Balls of Fire' Callistemon 'Kings Park'





Callistemon 'Red Alert'





Grevillea 'Poorinda Peter' Grevillea 'Poorinda Queen'



Grevillea 'Red Hooks'

Small Shrubs









Grevillea lanigerav

Angiozanthus 'Bush Gem' Baeckea linifolia Grevillea confertifolia

Small Shrubs (Hedging to Frontage)









Callistemon viminalis

Philotheca myoproides

Grevillea baueri

Westringia 'Grey Box'

Groundcover/Climbers







Astartea fascicularis



Banksia 'Birthday Candles'



Brachyscome multifida



Convolvulus cneorum



Grevillea 'Bronze Rambler'



Hardenbergia violacea



Myoporum parvifolium



Rhagodia spinescens



Viola hederacea

Grasses





Landscape Concept Planting Palette Exotic Plants

Below is a list of exotic plants that Ginninderry encourages you to plant when landscaping your garden.

Code	Botanical Name	Common Name	Mature Plant Size	Container Size	Spacing
Small tr	ees/Large Shrubs				
Acb	Acer buergeranum	Trident Maple	5m x 3m	100L	
Acj	Acer japonicum	Japanese Maple	5m x 5m	100L	
Cil	Citrus x Lemon	Lemon	-	25L/300mm	1.5/m2
Cra	Cordyline Australis	Cabbage Tree	2m x 1.5m	5L/200mm	3/m²
CNc	Cornus capitata	Evergreen Dogwood	3m x3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Dyk	Diospyros kaki	Japanese Persimmon	6-8m x 6m	100L	-
Dia	Dicksonia antarctica	Soft Tree Fern	2-4m x 2.5m	25L/300mm	-
Кор	Koelreuteria paniculata	Golden Rain Tree	5m x 8m	100L	-
Lai	Lagerstroemia indica	Crepe Myrtle	3m x 2m	25L/300mm	-
MGI	Magnolia grandiflora 'Little Gem'	-	6m x 3m	100L	-
Mgso	Magnolia soulangeana	Saucer Magnolia	4m (h)	100L	-
Mgst	Magnolia stellata	Star Magnolia	4-6m x 4.5m	100L	-
Рср	Prunus cerasifera 'Pissardii'	Cherry Plum	5m x 5m	100L	-
Pcs	Prunus cerasifera 'Spire'	Black Cherry Plum	6m x 2m	100L	-
Рус	Pyrus calleryana	Ornamental Pear	11m x 4m	100L	-
Large S	hrubs (Hedging)				
CAMs	Camellia sasanqua	Sasanqua Camellia	4m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Cup	Cupressus sp.	Cypress Sp.	-	25L/300mm	-
Eiv	Escallonia sp. 'Iveyi'	Escallonia	3m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
MIf	Michelia figo	Port Wine Magnolia	2m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Pitt	Pittosporum tenuifolium 'Green Pillar'	Pittosporum	3m x 2m	25L/300mm	1.5/m2
Pla	Prunus lauocerasus	Cherry Laurel	5m x 3m	25L/300mm	-
Plu	Prunus Iusitanica	Portugese Laurel	4m x 2m	25L/300mm	-
ТНј	Thuja Sp.	Cedar Sp.	-	25L/300mm	-
VIO	Viburnum odoratissimum	Sweet Viburnum	4-6m x 4m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
VIT	Viburnum tinus	Lauristinus	3m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²

Small S	hrubs				
Azs	Azalea sp.	Azalea		5L/200mm - 25L/300mm	3/m²
Bey	Beschorneria yuccoides	Mexican Lily	1-1.5m x 1-2m	25L/300mm	-
Ерр	Escallonia sp. 'Pink Pixie'	Escallonia	0.8m x 0.8m	5L/200mm	3/m²
LVA	Lavandula angustifolia	White English Lavender	0.3m x 0.3m	5L/200mm	3/m²
LOn	Lonicera nitida	Dwarf Honeysuckle	2m x 3m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
NNn	Nandina domestica 'Nana'	Dwarf Screen Bamboo	0.3m x 2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Small S	hrubs (Hedging to Frontage)				
ABg	Abelia grandiflora	Glossy Abelia	1.5m x 1.2m	5L/200mm	3/m²
BUs	Buxus sempervirens	English Box	2m x 1m	5L/200mm	3/m²
CYt	Choisya ternata	Mexican Orange Blossom	1.5m x 1.5m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
Erk	Escallonia sp. 'Red Knight'	Escallonia	1.5m x 1.5m	25L/300mm	1.5/m²
GAf	Gardenia augusta 'Florida'	Gardenia Florida	1-1.5m x 1m	5L/200mm	3/m²
Ground	lcovers/Climbers				
AJr	Ajuga reptans	Common Bugle	0.1m x 0.3m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
COPk	Coprosma x kirkii	Mirror Plant	0.6m x 1m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
HEc	Hedera canariensis (green form only)	Canary Island Ivy	n/a	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
HYc	Hypericum calycinum	Aaron's Beard	0.3m x 0.5m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
RSI	Rosmarinus lavandulaceus	Creeping Rosemary	0.3m x 0.3m	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
TRj	Trachelospermum jasminoides	Chinese Star Jasmine	n/a	2.5L/150mm	4/m²
Vla	Vitis amurensis	Ornamental Grape Vine	n/a	2.5L/150mm	-
Grasses	s				
LIEg	Liriope 'Evergreen Giant'	Evergreen Giant Lily	0.4m x 0.7m	Growtube	6/m²
Opn	Ophiopogon planiscapus 'Nigrescens'	Black Mondo Grass	0.2m x 0.8m	Growtube	6/m2

Grasses

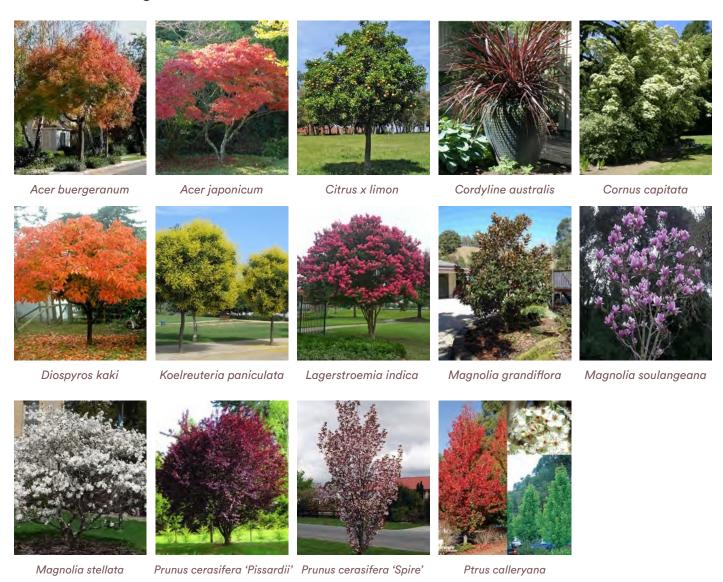


Liriope 'Evergreen Giant'



Ophiopogon 'Nigrescens'

Small Trees/ Large Shrubs



Large Shrubs (Hedging)



Small Shrubs











Camellia sasanqua

Cupressus sp.

Michelia figo

Thuja sp.

Viburnum tinus

Small Shrubs (Hedging to Frontage)









Abelia grandiflora

Buxus sempervirens

Choisya ternata

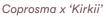
Gardenia augusta

Groundcover/Climbers











Hedera canariensis



Hypericum calycinum



Rosmarinus lavandulaceus







Vitis amurensis



Pest Plant List

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Botanical Name	Common Name	Reason
Ailanthus altissima	Tree of Heaven	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Alnus glutinosa	Black Alder	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Alternanthera philoxeroides	Alligator Weed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Andropogon gayanus	Gamba Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Annona glabra	Pond Apple	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Anredera cordifolia	Madeira Vine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus aethiopicus	Ground Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus africanus	Climbing Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus asparagoides	Bridal Creeper	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus asparagoides Western Cape Form	Bridal Creeper – Western Cape Form	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus declinatus	Bridal Veil	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus plumosa	Climbing Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Asparagus scandens	Asparagus Fern	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Austrocylindropuntia (ALL species)	Coral Cacti	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cabomba caroliniana	Cabomba	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus nutans	Nodding Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus pycnocephalus	Slender Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carduus tenuiflorus	Slender Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Carthamus lanatus	Saffron Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Celtis australis	Nettle Tree	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Centaurea maculosa	Spotted Knapweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Chrysanthemoides monilifera	Bitou Bush / Boneseed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cortaderia jubata	Pampas Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cortaderia selloana	Pampas Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster franchettii	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster glaucophyllus	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster pannosus	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster salicifolius	Willow-leaf Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cotoneaster simonsii	Cotoneaster	Declared pest plant of the ACT

Botanical Name	Common Name	Reason
Crataegus monogyna	Hawthorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cryptostegia grandiflora	Rubber Vine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cylindropuntia (ALL species)	Pear Cacti	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Cytisus (ALL species)	Broom species	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Echium plantagineum	Paterson's Curse	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Echium vulgare	Viper's Bugloss	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Eichornia crassipes	Water Hyacinth	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Equisetum species	Horsetail	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Eragrostis curvula	African Love Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Genista (ALL species)	Broom species	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Gymnocoronis spilanthoides	Senegal Tea Plant	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hedera helix	English Ivy	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hieracium aurantiacum	Orange Hawkweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hieracium pilosella	Mouse-ear Hawkweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hymenachne amplexicaulis	Hymenachne	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Hypericum perforatum	St John's Wort	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Jatropha gossypiifolia	Bellyache Bush	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Kochia scoparia	Kochia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lagarosiphon major	Lagarosiphon	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lantana camara	Lantana	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ligustrum lucidum	Broad-leaf privet	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ligustrum sinense	Narrow-leaf privet	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lonicera japonica	Japanese Honeysuckle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Lycium ferocissimum	African Boxthorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Macfadyena unguis-cati	Cat's Claw Creeper	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Mimosa pigra	Mimosa	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Miscanthus sinensis (ALL varieties)	Chinese Fairy Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Myriophyllum aquaticum	Parrot's Feather	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nasella tenuissima	Mexican Feather Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella charruana	Lobed Needlegrass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella neesiana	Chilean Needle Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Nassella trichotoma	Serrated Tussock	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Onopordum acanthium	Scotch Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Onopordum illyricum	Illyrian Thistle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Opuntia (ALL species) (excludes O. ficus-indica)		
Prickly Pears	Declared pest plant of the ACT	
Parkinsonia aculeata	Parkinsonia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Parthenium hysterophorus	Parthenium Weed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pennisetum setaceum	African Fountain Grass	Declared pest plant of the ACT

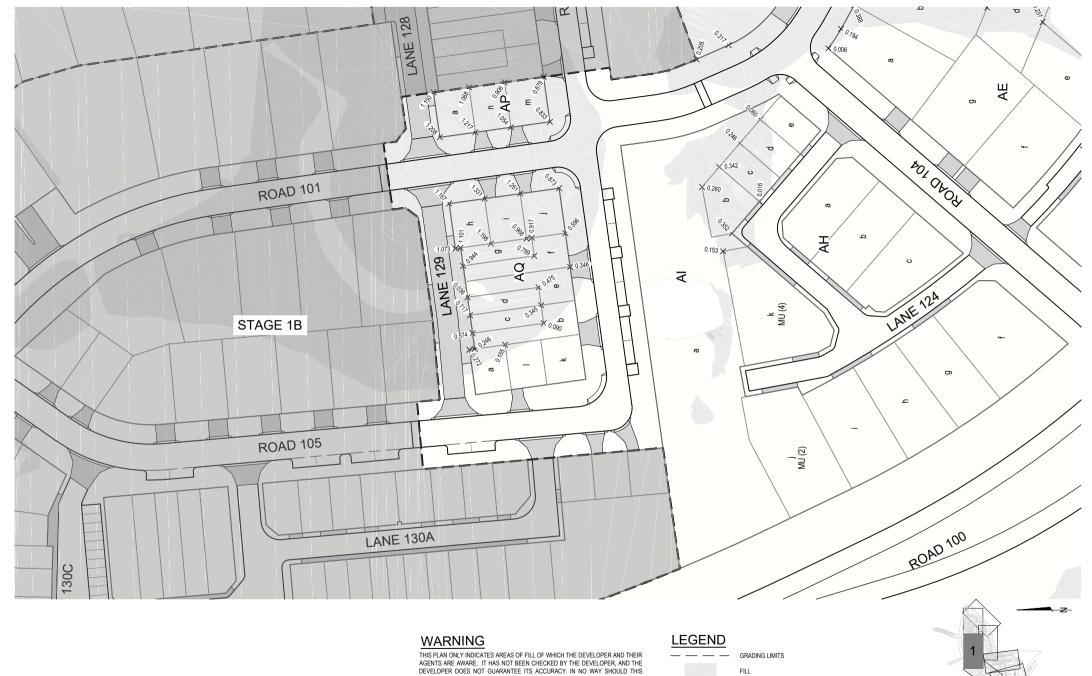
Botanical Name	Common Name	Reason
Phyllostachys aurea	Yellow Bamboo	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pinus radiata	Radiata Pine	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pistia stratiotes	Water Lettuce	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Populus alba	White Poplar	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Populus nigra 'Italica'	Lombardy Poplar	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Prosopis spp.	Mesquite	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha angustifolia	Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha coccinea	Scarlet Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Pyracantha fortuneana	Firethorn	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Robinia pseudoacacia	False Acacia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Rosa rubiginosa	Sweet Briar, Briar Rose	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Rubus fruticosus (aggregate) All species except for the permitted cultivars:	All Blackberry except for the permitted cultivars:	Declared pest plant of the ACT
R. armeniacus and R. ulmifolius species hybrid R. armeniacus species hybrid R. ursinus and R. armeniacus species hybrid	Black Satin, Chester Thornless, Dirksen Loch Ne and Chehale.	
Sagittaria platyphylla	Sagittaria	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Salix ALL species of willow, except for the permitted species:	All Willows except for the permitted species:	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Salix babylonica S. babylonica S. caladendron S. reichardtii	Weeping Willow Weeping Willow Pussy Willow Sterile Pussy Willow	
Salvinia molesta	Salvinia	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Senecio madagascariensis	Fireweed	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Solanum elaeagnifolium	Silverleaf Nightshade	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Sorbus sp.	Service Tree, Rowan	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Spartium junceum	Spanish Broom	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Tamarix aphylla	Athel Pine	
Toxicodendron succedaneum	Rhus Tree	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Ulex europaeus	Gorse	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Vinca major	Periwinkle	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Xanthium occidentale	Noogoora Burr	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Xanthium spinosum	Bathurst Burr	Declared pest plant of the ACT
Landscaping Plant Species		
Agapanthus species	Agapanthus	Multiple varieties where the seed is easily distributed and forms dense monocultures in conservation areas

Botanical Name	Common Name	Reason
Nandina domestica	Sacred Bamboo	Berries toxic to birds, seed easily distributed into the conservation zone
Photinia species	Photinia	Seed easily distributed into conservation zone
Wisteria sinensis	Chinese Wisteria	Spread by seed, particularly along established waterways

Appendix C

/ILLAGE LINK Ginninderry MIXED USE Section: 16 (AI) Block Disclosure Plan 2747m 0 HD 6 549m² MÚ (4) 4.2 **LEGEND** WASTE COLLECTION POINT LOT BOUNDARY SEWER MAIN / MANHOLE / TIE SERVICES TRENCH STORMWATER MAIN / SUMP / FASEMENT NRNCo PIT \blacksquare SUBSTATION MANHOLE / TIE WATER MAIN / STOP VALVE / HYDRANT / TIE 550.0-CONTOUR 0.5m INTERVAL STREETLIGHT STREET TREES CONTOUR 0.1m INTERVAL WATER MAIN (IRRIGATION) ABOVE GROUND MINIPILLAR REINFORCED CONCRETE DRIVEWAY BY PURCHASER GARAGE OFFSET FROM REAR BOUNDARY (1.0) IN GROUND MINIPILLAR MANDATORY TWO(2) STOREYS FRONT FENCING AND GATE BY DEVELOPER BLOCK SUBJECT TO MID-SIZED PROVISIONS POTENTIALLY NOISE AFFECTED BLOCK ACCESS ROUTE REQUIRED INFORMATION SHOWN IN THIS DRAWING IS FROM FINAL DESIGN AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE DURING CONSTRUCTION Disclaimer: All care has been taken in the preparation of this material. No responsibility is taken by the vendor for any errors or omissions, and details may be subject to change. All road designs, contours, block

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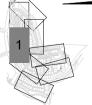


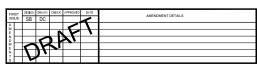
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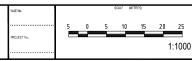
DESIGN CONTOURS @ 1m INTERVALS FILL DEPTHS (IN METRES)















BLOCK FILL PLANS STAGE 1A - SHEET 1 OF 5 SECTIONS AH, AI & AQ

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Appendix E



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Site Classification Summary Report

Client Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd Project No. 77356.22

Project Strathnairn Stage 1 Site Classification Date October 2018

Address Block 6 (k) Section 16 (AI), Strathnairn Doc No. R.001.Rev1.B6S16

Classification Procedure

Subsurface Conditions: The field work comprised the excavation of 2 test pits (Pits 7 and 8) using a Kubota KX057-4 mini- excavator (~6 tonne) fitted with a 300 mm wide bucket to depths of 1.6 m and 0.7 m. The pits were logged onsite by an experienced geo-environmental scientist.

Details of the subsurface conditions encountered are summarised in the attached test pit logs. The logs must be read in conjunction with the accompanied notes that define classification methods and terms used to describe the soils and rocks. A brief description of each test pit is provided below.

Test Pit 7: Sandy clay filling to 0.2 m depth, sandy silt to 0.5 m depth, then sandy clay to 1.4 m depth overlying to sandy silty clay to the limit of investigation depth of 1.6 m.

Test Pit 8: Gravelly sandy clay to 0.2 m depth then silty clay to 0.5 m overlying granodiorite to the limit of investigation depth of 0.7 m.

Bulk Earthworks:

Filling within the block was placed under Level 1 control as defined in AS 3798 – 2007 (Ref 1).

Laboratory Results:

Previous laboratory results indicated liquid limit ranging from 52-81%, plasticity index ranging from 39-68% and linear shrinkage ranging from 13.5-22.5%

Site Classification

Site classification in accordance with AS2870 – 2011 (Ref 2) provides guidance on the patterns and magnitude of moisture related seasonal ground movements that must be considered in design. Due to adverse moisture conditions due to the presence of a large tree adjacent to the northern boundary of the block, the site is classified as Class P (problem site). Notwithstanding the Class P classification, based on soil reactivity including the additional tree-induced suction change and allowing for variation in the subsoil profile, the natural soil profile would be equivalent to Class H1* (highly reactive/filled site) conditions.

It must be noted that the south-west corner of the block would be equivalent to Class S conditions due to shallow rock. If the site is subjected to cut to fill, dual classifications of Class A (where rock is entirely exposed) and Class S, M or H1 (in engineered fill areas) could be possible. Therefore the classification must be reassessed should the soil profile change either by adding fill or removing soil





from the block and/or if the presence of service trenches or retaining walls are within the zone of influence of the block. Reference should be made to the comments provided below.

Footing Systems

Design must be based on engineering principles (i.e. Class P conditions) by a suitably qualified structural engineer taking into consideration any onsite or offsite constraints. Dwelling design will need to ensure uniform moisture conditions are maintained in the vicinity of the footings.

All footings should found within a uniform bearing stratum of suitable strength/material, below the zone of influence of any uncontrolled filling, service trenches, retaining walls or underground structures. Masonry walls should be articulated in accordance with current best practice.

Maintenance Guidelines

Reference should be made to the attached CSIRO Sheet BTF 18 'Foundation Maintenance & Footing Performance' to comments about gardens, landscaping and trees on the performance of foundation soils.

Comments

- The successful purchaser must make their own interpretations, deductions and conclusions from the information made available and will need to accept full responsibility for such interpretations, deductions and conclusions.
- Development specific geotechnical investigations must be undertaken.
- Additional topsoils / filling may have been spread subsequent to the investigation.
- Site preparation prior to the construction should include removal of all vegetation, topsoil and any uncontrolled filling.
- All new filling must be placed under controlled conditions (AS 3798-2007). If filling is placed uncontrolled, those areas would require a Class P site classification.
- Some variability in subsurface conditions must be anticipated.
- Moisture condition of site soils and/or the presence of groundwater may vary considerably from time of investigation compared to at the time of construction.
- Hard rock excavation must be anticipated.
- It is recommended that footing excavations be inspected by a geotechnical engineer.

References

- AS 3798-2007 'Guidelines on Earthworks for Commercial and Residential Developments' Standards Association of Australia.
- 2. AS 2870-2011 'Residential Slabs and Footings,' Standards Association of Australia.



Limitations

This report must be read in conjunction with the attached notes "Limitations", "About this Report", "Drawing 2", "Explanatory Notes" and "Test Pit Logs (7 and 8)".

Douglas Partners Pty Ltd

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Attachments:

Limitations

About this Report

Drawing 2

Explanatory Notes

Test Pit Logs (Pits 7 and 8)

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Limitations

Douglas Partners (DP) has prepared this report for this project at Stage 1 Strathnairn in accordance with DP's proposal dated 9 August 2017 and acceptance received from Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd dated 29 September 2018. The work was carried out under an amended Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd Professional Services Agreement. This report is provided for the exclusive use of Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd for this project only and for the purposes as described in the report. It should not be used by or relied upon for other projects or purposes on the same or other site or by a third party. Any party so relying upon this report beyond its exclusive use and purpose as stated above, and without the express written consent of DP, does so entirely at its own risk and without recourse to DP for any loss or damage. In preparing this report DP has necessarily relied upon information provided by the client and/or their agents.

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DP's advice is based upon the conditions encountered during this investigation. The accuracy of the advice provided by DP in this report may be affected by undetected variations in ground conditions across the site between and beyond the sampling and/or testing locations. The advice may also be limited by budget constraints imposed by others or by site accessibility.

This report must be read in conjunction with all of the attached and should be kept in its entirety without separation of individual pages or sections. DP cannot be held responsible for interpretations or conclusions made by others unless they are supported by an expressed statement, interpretation, outcome or conclusion stated in this report.

This report, or sections from this report, should not be used as part of a specification for a project, without review and agreement by DP. This is because this report has been written as advice and opinion rather than instructions for construction.

The contents of this report do not constitute formal design components such as are required, by the Health and Safety Legislation and Regulations, to be included in a Safety Report specifying the hazards likely to be encountered during construction and the controls required to mitigate risk. This design process requires risk assessment to be undertaken, with such assessment being dependent upon factors relating to likelihood of occurrence and consequences of damage to property and to life. This, in turn, requires project data and analysis presently beyond the knowledge and project role respectively of DP. DP may be able, however, to assist the client in carrying out a risk assessment of potential hazards contained in the Comments section of this report, as an extension to the current scope of works, if so requested, and provided that suitable additional information is made available to DP. Any such risk assessment would, however, be necessarily restricted to the geotechnical components set out in this report and to their application by the project designers to project design, construction, maintenance and demolition.



About this Report Douglas Partners O

Introduction

These notes have been provided to amplify DP's report in regard to classification methods, field procedures and the comments section. Not all are necessarily relevant to all reports.

DP's reports are based on information gained from limited subsurface excavations and sampling, supplemented by knowledge of local geology and experience. For this reason, they must be regarded as interpretive rather than factual documents, limited to some extent by the scope of information on which they rely.

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The borehole and test pit logs presented in this report are an engineering and/or geological interpretation of the subsurface conditions, and their reliability will depend to some extent on frequency of sampling and the method of drilling or excavation. Ideally, continuous undisturbed sampling or core drilling will provide the most reliable assessment, but this is not always practicable or possible to justify on economic grounds. In any case the boreholes and test pits represent only a very small sample of the total subsurface profile.

Interpretation of the information and its application to design and construction should therefore take into account the spacing of boreholes or pits, the frequency of sampling, and the possibility of other than 'straight line' variations between the test locations.

Groundwater

Where groundwater levels are measured in boreholes there are several potential problems, namely:

 In low permeability soils groundwater may enter the hole very slowly or perhaps not at all during the time the hole is left open;

- A localised, perched water table may lead to an erroneous indication of the true water table;
- Water table levels will vary from time to time with seasons or recent weather changes. They may not be the same at the time of construction as are indicated in the report;
- The use of water or mud as a drilling fluid will mask any groundwater inflow. Water has to be blown out of the hole and drilling mud must first be washed out of the hole if water measurements are to be made.

More reliable measurements can be made by installing standpipes which are read at intervals over several days, or perhaps weeks for low permeability soils. Piezometers, sealed in a particular stratum, may be advisable in low permeability soils or where there may be interference from a perched water table.

Reports

The report has been prepared by qualified personnel, is based on the information obtained from field and laboratory testing, and has been undertaken to current engineering standards of interpretation and analysis. Where the report has been prepared for a specific design proposal, the information and interpretation may not be relevant if the design proposal is changed. If this happens, DP will be pleased to review the report and the sufficiency of the investigation work.

Every care is taken with the report as it relates to interpretation of subsurface conditions, discussion of geotechnical and environmental aspects, and recommendations or suggestions for design and construction. However, DP cannot always anticipate or assume responsibility for:

- Unexpected variations in ground conditions.
 The potential for this will depend partly on borehole or pit spacing and sampling frequency:
- Changes in policy or interpretations of policy by statutory authorities; or
- The actions of contractors responding to commercial pressures.

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About this Report

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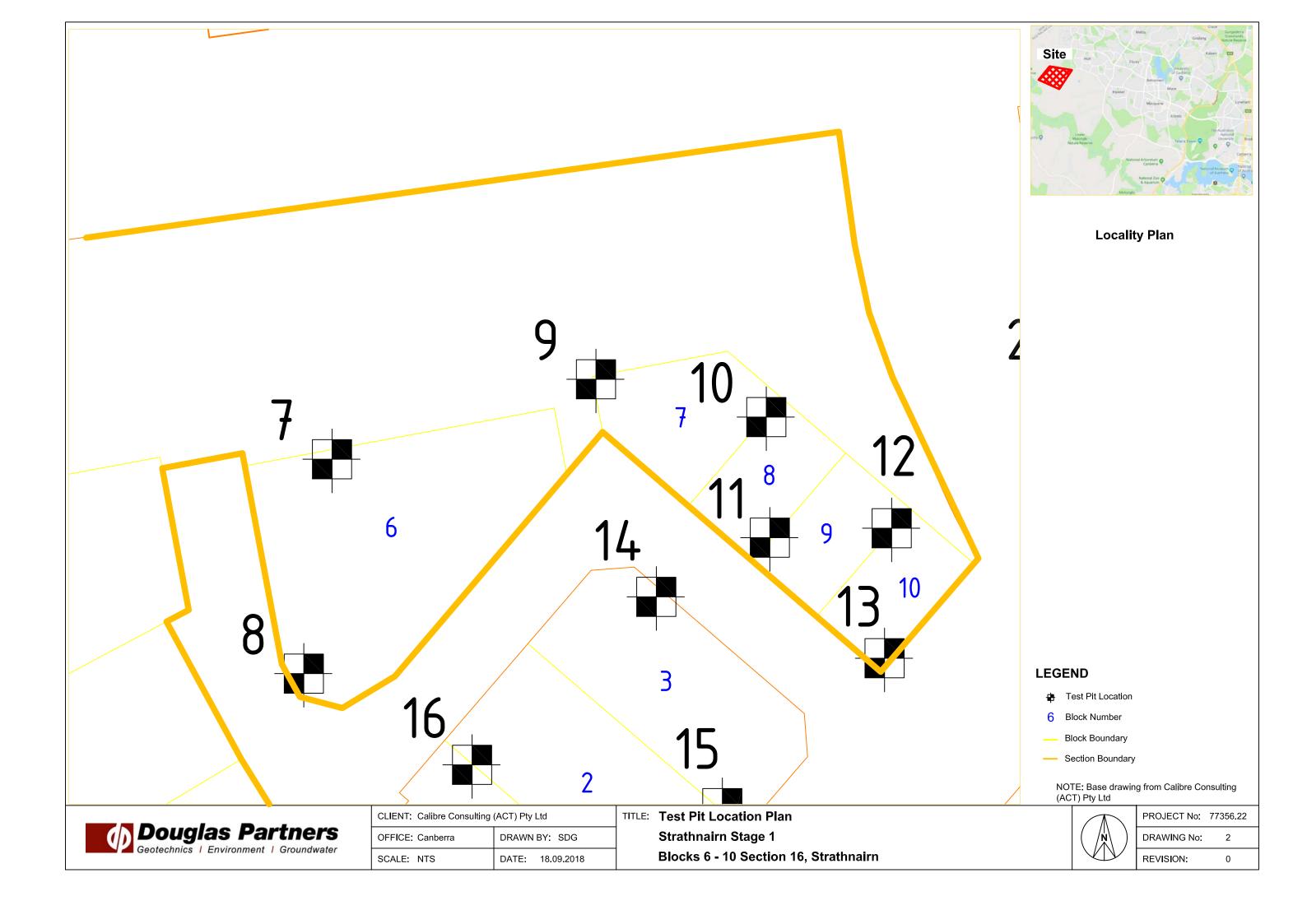
In the event that conditions encountered on site during construction appear to vary from those which were expected from the information contained in the report, DP requests that it be immediately notified. Most problems are much more readily resolved when conditions are exposed rather than at some later stage, well after the event.

Information for Contractual Purposes

Where information obtained from this report is provided for tendering purposes, it is recommended that all information, including the written report and discussion, be made available. In circumstances where the discussion or comments section is not relevant to the contractual situation, it may be appropriate to prepare a specially edited document. DP would be pleased to assist in this regard and/or to make additional report copies available for contract purposes at a nominal charge.

Site Inspection

The company will always be pleased to provide engineering inspection services for geotechnical and environmental aspects of work to which this report is related. This could range from a site visit to confirm that conditions exposed are as expected, to full time engineering presence on site.



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Sampling

Sampling is carried out during drilling or test pitting to allow engineering examination (and laboratory testing where required) of the soil or rock.

Disturbed samples taken during drilling provide information on colour, type, inclusions and, depending upon the degree of disturbance, some information on strength and structure.

Undisturbed samples are taken by pushing a thinwalled sample tube into the soil and withdrawing it to obtain a sample of the soil in a relatively undisturbed state. Such samples yield information on structure and strength, and are necessary for laboratory determination of shear strength and compressibility. Undisturbed sampling is generally effective only in cohesive soils.

Test Pits

Test pits are usually excavated with a backhoe or an excavator, allowing close examination of the insitu soil if it is safe to enter into the pit. The depth of excavation is limited to about 3 m for a backhoe and up to 6 m for a large excavator. A potential disadvantage of this investigation method is the larger area of disturbance to the site.

Large Diameter Augers

Boreholes can be drilled using a rotating plate or short spiral auger, generally 300 mm or larger in diameter commonly mounted on a standard piling rig. The cuttings are returned to the surface at intervals (generally not more than 0.5 m) and are disturbed but usually unchanged in moisture content. Identification of soil strata is generally much more reliable than with continuous spiral flight augers, and is usually supplemented by occasional undisturbed tube samples.

Continuous Spiral Flight Augers

The borehole is advanced using 90-115 mm diameter continuous spiral flight augers which are withdrawn at intervals to allow sampling or in-situ testing. This is a relatively economical means of drilling in clays and sands above the water table. Samples are returned to the surface, or may be collected after withdrawal of the auger flights, but they are disturbed and may be mixed with soils from the sides of the hole. Information from the drilling (as distinct from specific sampling by SPTs or undisturbed samples) is of relatively low

reliability, due to the remoulding, possible mixing or softening of samples by groundwater.

Non-core Rotary Drilling

The borehole is advanced using a rotary bit, with water or drilling mud being pumped down the drill rods and returned up the annulus, carrying the drill cuttings. Only major changes in stratification can be determined from the cuttings, together with some information from the rate of penetration. Where drilling mud is used this can mask the cuttings and reliable identification is only possible from separate sampling such as SPTs.

Continuous Core Drilling

A continuous core sample can be obtained using a diamond tipped core barrel, usually with a 50 mm internal diameter. Provided full core recovery is achieved (which is not always possible in weak rocks and granular soils), this technique provides a very reliable method of investigation.

Standard Penetration Tests

Standard penetration tests (SPT) are used as a means of estimating the density or strength of soils and also of obtaining a relatively undisturbed sample. The test procedure is described in Australian Standard 1289, Methods of Testing Soils for Engineering Purposes - Test 6.3.1.

The test is carried out in a borehole by driving a 50 mm diameter split sample tube under the impact of a 63 kg hammer with a free fall of 760 mm. It is normal for the tube to be driven in three successive 150 mm increments and the 'N' value is taken as the number of blows for the last 300 mm. In dense sands, very hard clays or weak rock, the full 450 mm penetration may not be practicable and the test is discontinued.

The test results are reported in the following form.

 In the case where full penetration is obtained with successive blow counts for each 150 mm of, say, 4, 6 and 7 as:

> 4,6,7 N=13

In the case where the test is discontinued before the full penetration depth, say after 15 blows for the first 150 mm and 30 blows for the next 40 mm as:

15, 30/40 mm

Sampling Methods

The results of the SPT tests can be related empirically to the engineering properties of the soils.

Dynamic Cone Penetrometer Tests / Perth Sand Penetrometer Tests

Dynamic penetrometer tests (DCP or PSP) are carried out by driving a steel rod into the ground using a standard weight of hammer falling a specified distance. As the rod penetrates the soil the number of blows required to penetrate each successive 150 mm depth are recorded. Normally there is a depth limitation of 1.2 m, but this may be extended in certain conditions by the use of extension rods. Two types of penetrometer are commonly used.

- Perth sand penetrometer a 16 mm diameter flat ended rod is driven using a 9 kg hammer dropping 600 mm (AS 1289, Test 6.3.3). This test was developed for testing the density of sands and is mainly used in granular soils and filling.
- Cone penetrometer a 16 mm diameter rod with a 20 mm diameter cone end is driven using a 9 kg hammer dropping 510 mm (AS 1289, Test 6.3.2). This test was developed initially for pavement subgrade investigations, and correlations of the test results with California Bearing Ratio have been published by various road authorities.

Soil Descriptions



Description and Classification Methods

The methods of description and classification of soils and rocks used in this report are based on Australian Standard AS 1726-1993, Geotechnical Site Investigations Code. In general, the descriptions include strength or density, colour, structure, soil or rock type and inclusions.

Soil Types

Soil types are described according to the predominant particle size, qualified by the grading of other particles present:

Туре	Particle size (mm)
Boulder	>200
Cobble	63 - 200
Gravel	2.36 - 63
Sand	0.075 - 2.36
Silt	0.002 - 0.075
Clay	<0.002

The sand and gravel sizes can be further subdivided as follows:

Туре	Particle size (mm)
Coarse gravel	20 - 63
Medium gravel	6 - 20
Fine gravel	2.36 - 6
Coarse sand	0.6 - 2.36
Medium sand	0.2 - 0.6
Fine sand	0.075 - 0.2

The proportions of secondary constituents of soils are described as:

Term	Proportion	Example
And	Specify	Clay (60%) and Sand (40%)
Adjective	20 - 35%	Sandy Clay
Slightly	12 - 20%	Slightly Sandy Clay
With some	5 - 12%	Clay with some sand
With a trace of	0 - 5%	Clay with a trace of sand

Definitions of grading terms used are:

- Well graded a good representation of all particle sizes
- Poorly graded an excess or deficiency of particular sizes within the specified range
- Uniformly graded an excess of a particular particle size
- Gap graded a deficiency of a particular particle size with the range

Cohesive Soils

Cohesive soils, such as clays, are classified on the basis of undrained shear strength. The strength may be measured by laboratory testing, or estimated by field tests or engineering examination. The strength terms are defined as follows:

Description	Abbreviation	Undrained shear strength (kPa)
Very soft	vs	<12
Soft	S	12 - 25
Firm	f	25 - 50
Stiff	st	50 - 100
Very stiff	vst	100 - 200
Hard	h	>200

Cohesionless Soils

Cohesionless soils, such as clean sands, are classified on the basis of relative density, generally from the results of standard penetration tests (SPT), cone penetration tests (CPT) or dynamic penetrometers (PSP). The relative density terms are given below:

Relative Density	Abbreviation	SPT N value	CPT qc value (MPa)
Very loose	vl	<4	<2
Loose	1	4 - 10	2 -5
Medium dense	md	10 - 30	5 - 15
Dense	d	30 - 50	15 - 25
Very dense	vd	>50	>25

Soil Descriptions

Soil Origin

It is often difficult to accurately determine the origin of a soil. Soils can generally be classified as:

- Residual soil derived from in-situ weathering of the underlying rock;
- Transported soils formed somewhere else and transported by nature to the site; or
- Filling moved by man.

Transported soils may be further subdivided into:

- Alluvium river deposits
- Lacustrine lake deposits
- · Aeolian wind deposits
- · Littoral beach deposits
- Estuarine tidal river deposits
- Talus scree or coarse colluvium
- Slopewash or Colluvium transported downslope by gravity assisted by water.
 Often includes angular rock fragments and boulders.

Rock Strength

Rock strength is defined by the Point Load Strength Index $(Is_{(50)})$ and refers to the strength of the rock substance and not the strength of the overall rock mass, which may be considerably weaker due to defects. The test procedure is described by Australian Standard 4133.4.1 - 2007. The terms used to describe rock strength are as follows:

Term	Abbreviation	Point Load Index Is ₍₅₀₎ MPa	Approximate Unconfined Compressive Strength MPa*
Extremely low	EL	<0.03	<0.6
Very low	VL	0.03 - 0.1	0.6 - 2
Low	L	0.1 - 0.3	2 - 6
Medium	M	0.3 - 1.0	6 - 20
High	Н	1 - 3	20 - 60
Very high	VH	3 - 10	60 - 200
Extremely high	EH	>10	>200

^{*} Assumes a ratio of 20:1 for UCS to $Is_{(50)}$. It should be noted that the UCS to $Is_{(50)}$ ratio varies significantly for different rock types and specific ratios should be determined for each site.

Degree of Weathering

The degree of weathering of rock is classified as follows:

Term	Abbreviation	Description
Extremely weathered	EW	Rock substance has soil properties, i.e. it can be remoulded and classified as a soil but the texture of the original rock is still evident.
Highly weathered	HW	Limonite staining or bleaching affects whole of rock substance and other signs of decomposition are evident. Porosity and strength may be altered as a result of iron leaching or deposition. Colour and strength of original fresh rock is not recognisable
Moderately weathered	MW	Staining and discolouration of rock substance has taken place
Slightly weathered	SW	Rock substance is slightly discoloured but shows little or no change of strength from fresh rock
Fresh stained	Fs	Rock substance unaffected by weathering but staining visible along defects
Fresh	Fr	No signs of decomposition or staining

Degree of Fracturing

The following classification applies to the spacing of natural fractures in diamond drill cores. It includes bedding plane partings, joints and other defects, but excludes drilling breaks.

Term	Description
Fragmented	Fragments of <20 mm
Highly Fractured	Core lengths of 20-40 mm with some fragments
Fractured	Core lengths of 40-200 mm with some shorter and longer sections
Slightly Fractured	Core lengths of 200-1000 mm with some shorter and longer sections
Unbroken	Core lengths mostly > 1000 mm

Rock Descriptions

Rock Quality Designation

The quality of the cored rock can be measured using the Rock Quality Designation (RQD) index, defined as:

RQD % = <u>cumulative length of 'sound' core sections ≥ 100 mm long</u> total drilled length of section being assessed

where 'sound' rock is assessed to be rock of low strength or better. The RQD applies only to natural fractures. If the core is broken by drilling or handling (i.e. drilling breaks) then the broken pieces are fitted back together and are not included in the calculation of RQD.

Stratification Spacing

For sedimentary rocks the following terms may be used to describe the spacing of bedding partings:

Term	Separation of Stratification Planes	
Thinly laminated	< 6 mm	
Laminated	6 mm to 20 mm	
Very thinly bedded	20 mm to 60 mm	
Thinly bedded	60 mm to 0.2 m	
Medium bedded	0.2 m to 0.6 m	
Thickly bedded	0.6 m to 2 m	
Very thickly bedded	> 2 m	

Symbols & Abbreviations Douglas Partners

Introduction

These notes summarise abbreviations commonly used on borehole logs and test pit reports.

Drilling or Excavation Methods

C	Core arilling
R	Rotary drilling
SFA	Spiral flight augers
NMLC	Diamond core - 52 mm dia
NQ	Diamond core - 47 mm dia
110	D:

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HQ Diamond core - 63 mm dia PQ Diamond core - 81 mm dia

Water

Sampling and Testing

Α	Auger sample
В	Bulk sample
D	Disturbed sample
E	Environmental sample

U₅₀ Undisturbed tube sample (50mm)

W Water sample

pp Pocket penetrometer (kPa)
PID Photo ionisation detector
PL Point load strength Is(50) MPa
S Standard Penetration Test

V Shear vane (kPa)

Description of Defects in Rock

The abbreviated descriptions of the defects should be in the following order: Depth, Type, Orientation, Coating, Shape, Roughness and Other. Drilling and handling breaks are not usually included on the logs.

Defect Type

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В	Bedding plane
Cs	Clay seam
Cv	Cleavage
Cz	Crushed zone
Ds	Decomposed seam

F Fault
J Joint
Lam Lamination
Pt Parting
Sz Sheared Zone

V Vein

Orientation

The inclination of defects is always measured from the perpendicular to the core axis.

h	horizontal
V	vertical
sh	sub-horizontal
sv	sub-vertical

Coating or Infilling Term

cln	clean
СО	coating
he	healed
inf	infilled
stn	stained
ti	tight
vn	veneer

Coating Descriptor

ca	calcite
cbs	carbonaceous
cly	clay
fe	iron oxide
mn	manganese
slt	silty

Shape

cu	curved
ir	irregular
pl	planar
st	stepped
un	undulating

Roughness

ро	polished
ro	rough
sl	slickensided
sm	smooth
vr	very rough

Other

fg	fragmented
bnd	band
qtz	quartz

Symbols & Abbreviations

Graphic Syr	mbols for Soil and Rock		
General		Sedimentary	Rocks
	Asphalt		Boulder conglomerate
	Road base		Conglomerate
\(\delta \cdot \delta \delta \cdot \delta \c	Concrete		Conglomeratic sandstone
	Filling		Sandstone
Soils		. — . — . —	Siltstone
	Topsoil		Laminite
* * * * * :	Peat		Mudstone, claystone, shale
	Clay		Coal
	Silty clay		Limestone
/////// //.///	Sandy clay	Metamorphic	: Rocks
	Gravelly clay		Slate, phyllite, schist
-/-/-/- -/-/-/-	Shaly clay	+ + +	Gneiss
	Silt		Quartzite
	Clayey silt	Igneous Roc	ks
	Sandy silt	+ + + + + + + , + , +	Granite
	Sand	<	Dolerite, basalt, andesite
	Clayey sand	× × × ; × × × ;	Dacite, epidote
· · · · · · · · · · · ·	Silty sand		Tuff, breccia
	Gravel		Porphyry
	Sandy gravel		
	Cobbles, boulders		

TEST PIT LOG

CLIENT: Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd

PROJECT: Ginnindery Residential Development

LOCATION: Strathnairn Stage 1

SURFACE LEVEL: 583.6 AHD

EASTING: 198710.05 **NORTHING:** 609445.85

PIT No: 7 PROJECT No: 77356.22

DATE: 12/9/2018 **SHEET** 1 OF 1

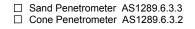
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RIG: Kubota KX057-4 mini-excavator, 300mm bucket LOGGED: SDG SURVEY DATUM: MGA94

WATER OBSERVATIONS: No free groundwater observed

REMARKS:

	SAMP	LING	3 & IN SITU TESTING	LEG	END
Α	Auger sample	G	Gas sample	PID	Photo ionisation detector (ppm)
В	Bulk sample	Р	Piston sample		Point load axial test Is(50) (MPa)
BLK	Block sample	U _x	Tube sample (x mm dia.)	PL(D	Point load diametral test Is(50) (MPa)
С	Core drilling	W	Water sample	pp	Pocket penetrometer (kPa)
D	Disturbed sample	\triangleright	Water seep	S	Standard penetration test
Ε	Environmental sample	Ī	Water level	V	Shear vane (kPa)





TEST PIT LOG

CLIENT: Calibre Consulting (ACT) Pty Ltd **PROJECT:** Ginnindery Residential Development

LOCATION: Strathnairn Stage 1

SURFACE LEVEL: 583.8 AHD

EASTING: 198707.29 **NORTHING:** 609424.83

PIT No: 8

PROJECT No: 77356.22

DATE: 12/9/2018 **SHEET** 1 OF 1

П		Description	U		San	npling (& In Situ Testing					
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-	- 0.2	SILTY CLAY-hard, dry to moist, yellow brown, medium plasticity silty clay						-				
	- 0.5	GRANODIORITE-very low to low strength, highly to moderately weathered, orange brown/greenish white, fine to coarse grained granodiorite						-				
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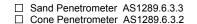
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RIG: Kubota KX057-4 mini-excavator, 300mm bucket

WATER OBSERVATIONS: No free groundwater observed

REMARKS:

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SURVEY DATUM: MGA94



Foundation Maintenance and Footing Performance: A Homeowner's Guide



BTF 18 replaces Information Sheet 10/91

Buildings can and often do move. This movement can be up, down, lateral or rotational. The fundamental cause of movement in buildings can usually be related to one or more problems in the foundation soil. It is important for the homeowner to identify the soil type in order to ascertain the measures that should be put in place in order to ensure that problems in the foundation soil can be prevented, thus protecting against building movement.

This Building Technology File is designed to identify causes of soil-related building movement, and to suggest methods of prevention of resultant cracking in buildings.

Soil Types

The types of soils usually present under the topsoil in land zoned for residential buildings can be split into two approximate groups — granular and clay. Quite often, foundation soil is a mixture of both types. The general problems associated with soils having granular content are usually caused by erosion. Clay soils are subject to saturation and swell/shrink problems.

Classifications for a given area can generally be obtained by application to the local authority, but these are sometimes unreliable and if there is doubt, a geotechnical report should be commissioned. As most buildings suffering movement problems are founded on clay soils, there is an emphasis on classification of soils according to the amount of swell and shrinkage they experience with variations of water content. The table below is Table 2.1 from AS 2870, the Residential Slab and Footing Code.

Causes of Movement

Settlement due to construction

There are two types of settlement that occur as a result of construction:

- Immediate settlement occurs when a building is first placed on its foundation soil, as a result of compaction of the soil under the weight of the structure. The cohesive quality of clay soil mitigates against this, but granular (particularly sandy) soil is susceptible.
- Consolidation settlement is a feature of clay soil and may take
 place because of the expulsion of moisture from the soil or because
 of the soil's lack of resistance to local compressive or shear stresses.
 This will usually take place during the first few months after
 construction, but has been known to take many years in
 exceptional cases.

These problems are the province of the builder and should be taken into consideration as part of the preparation of the site for construction. Building Technology File 19 (BTF 19) deals with these problems.

Erosion

All soils are prone to erosion, but sandy soil is particularly susceptible to being washed away. Even clay with a sand component of say 10% or more can suffer from erosion.

Saturation

This is particularly a problem in clay soils. Saturation creates a bog-like suspension of the soil that causes it to lose virtually all of its bearing capacity. To a lesser degree, sand is affected by saturation because saturated sand may undergo a reduction in volume – particularly imported sand fill for bedding and blinding layers. However, this usually occurs as immediate settlement and should normally be the province of the builder.

Seasonal swelling and shrinkage of soil

All clays react to the presence of water by slowly absorbing it, making the soil increase in volume (see table below). The degree of increase varies considerably between different clays, as does the degree of decrease during the subsequent drying out caused by fair weather periods. Because of the low absorption and expulsion rate, this phenomenon will not usually be noticeable unless there are prolonged rainy or dry periods, usually of weeks or months, depending on the land and soil characteristics.

The swelling of soil creates an upward force on the footings of the building, and shrinkage creates subsidence that takes away the support needed by the footing to retain equilibrium.

Shear failure

This phenomenon occurs when the foundation soil does not have sufficient strength to support the weight of the footing. There are two major post-construction causes:

- Significant load increase.
- Reduction of lateral support of the soil under the footing due to erosion or excavation.
- In clay soil, shear failure can be caused by saturation of the soil adjacent to or under the footing.

	GENERAL DEFINITIONS OF SITE CLASSES					
Class	Foundation					
A	Most sand and rock sites with little or no ground movement from moisture changes					
S	Slightly reactive clay sites with only slight ground movement from moisture changes					
M	Moderately reactive clay or silt sites, which can experience moderate ground movement from moisture changes					
Н	Highly reactive clay sites, which can experience high ground movement from moisture changes					
E	Extremely reactive sites, which can experience extreme ground movement from moisture changes					
A to P	Filled sites					
P	Sites which include soft soils, such as soft clay or silt or loose sands; landslip; mine subsidence; collapsing soils; soils subject to erosion; reactive sites subject to abnormal moisture conditions or sites which cannot be classified otherwise					

Tree root growth

Trees and shrubs that are allowed to grow in the vicinity of footings can cause foundation soil movement in two ways:

- Roots that grow under footings may increase in cross-sectional size, exerting upward pressure on footings.
- Roots in the vicinity of footings will absorb much of the moisture in the foundation soil, causing shrinkage or subsidence.

Unevenness of Movement

The types of ground movement described above usually occur uneverly throughout the building's foundation soil. Settlement due to construction tends to be uneven because of:

- Differing compaction of foundation soil prior to construction.
- Differing moisture content of foundation soil prior to construction.

Movement due to non-construction causes is usually more uneven still. Erosion can undermine a footing that traverses the flow or can create the conditions for shear failure by eroding soil adjacent to a footing that runs in the same direction as the flow.

Saturation of clay foundation soil may occur where subfloor walls create a dam that makes water pond. It can also occur wherever there is a source of water near footings in clay soil. This leads to a severe reduction in the strength of the soil which may create local shear failure.

Seasonal swelling and shrinkage of clay soil affects the perimeter of the building first, then gradually spreads to the interior. The swelling process will usually begin at the uphill extreme of the building, or on the weather side where the land is flat. Swelling gradually reaches the interior soil as absorption continues. Shrinkage usually begins where the sun's heat is greatest.

Effects of Uneven Soil Movement on Structures

Erosion and saturation

Erosion removes the support from under footings, tending to create subsidence of the part of the structure under which it occurs. Brickwork walls will resist the stress created by this removal of support by bridging the gap or cantilevering until the bricks or the mortar bedding fail. Older masonry has little resistance. Evidence of failure varies according to circumstances and symptoms may include:

- Step cracking in the mortar beds in the body of the wall or above/below openings such as doors or windows.
- Vertical cracking in the bricks (usually but not necessarily in line with the vertical beds or perpends).

Isolated piers affected by erosion or saturation of foundations will eventually lose contact with the bearers they support and may tilt or fall over. The floors that have lost this support will become bouncy, sometimes rattling ornaments etc.

Seasonal swelling/shrinkage in clay

Swelling foundation soil due to rainy periods first lifts the most exposed extremities of the footing system, then the remainder of the perimeter footings while gradually permeating inside the building footprint to lift internal footings. This swelling first tends to create a dish effect, because the external footings are pushed higher than the internal ones.

The first noticeable symptom may be that the floor appears slightly dished. This is often accompanied by some doors binding on the floor or the door head, together with some cracking of cornice mitres. In buildings with timber flooring supported by bearers and joists, the floor can be bouncy. Externally there may be visible dishing of the hip or ridge lines.

As the moisture absorption process completes its journey to the innermost areas of the building, the internal footings will rise. If the spread of moisture is roughly even, it may be that the symptoms will temporarily disappear, but it is more likely that swelling will be uneven, creating a difference rather than a disappearance in symptoms. In buildings with timber flooring supported by bearers and joists, the isolated piers will rise more easily than the strip footings or piers under walls, creating noticeable doming of flooring.



As the weather pattern changes and the soil begins to dry out, the external footings will be first affected, beginning with the locations where the sun's effect is strongest. This has the effect of lowering the external footings. The doming is accentuated and cracking reduces or disappears where it occurred because of dishing, but other cracks open up. The roof lines may become convex.

Doming and dishing are also affected by weather in other ways. In areas where warm, wet summers and cooler dry winters prevail, water migration tends to be toward the interior and doming will be accentuated, whereas where summers are dry and winters are cold and wet, migration tends to be toward the exterior and the underlying propensity is toward dishing.

Movement caused by tree roots

In general, growing roots will exert an upward pressure on footings, whereas soil subject to drying because of tree or shrub roots will tend to remove support from under footings by inducing shrinkage.

Complications caused by the structure itself

Most forces that the soil causes to be exerted on structures are vertical – i.e. either up or down. However, because these forces are seldom spread evenly around the footings, and because the building resists uneven movement because of its rigidity, forces are exerted from one part of the building to another. The net result of all these forces is usually rotational. This resultant force often complicates the diagnosis because the visible symptoms do not simply reflect the original cause. A common symptom is binding of doors on the vertical member of the frame.

Effects on full masonry structures

Brickwork will resist cracking where it can. It will attempt to span areas that lose support because of subsided foundations or raised points. It is therefore usual to see cracking at weak points, such as openings for windows or doors.

In the event of construction settlement, cracking will usually remain unchanged after the process of settlement has ceased.

With local shear or erosion, cracking will usually continue to develop until the original cause has been remedied, or until the subsidence has completely neutralised the affected portion of footing and the structure has stabilised on other footings that remain effective.

In the case of swell/shrink effects, the brickwork will in some cases return to its original position after completion of a cycle, however it is more likely that the rotational effect will not be exactly reversed, and it is also usual that brickwork will settle in its new position and will resist the forces trying to return it to its original position. This means that in a case where swelling takes place after construction and cracking occurs, the cracking is likely to at least partly remain after the shrink segment of the cycle is complete. Thus, each time the cycle is repeated, the likelihood is that the cracking will become wider until the sections of brickwork become virtually independent.

With repeated cycles, once the cracking is established, if there is no other complication, it is normal for the incidence of cracking to stabilise, as the building has the articulation it needs to cope with the problem. This is by no means always the case, however, and monitoring of cracks in walls and floors should always be treated seriously.

Upheaval caused by growth of tree roots under footings is not a simple vertical shear stress. There is a tendency for the root to also exert lateral forces that attempt to separate sections of brickwork after initial cracking has occurred.

The normal structural arrangement is that the inner leaf of brickwork in the external walls and at least some of the internal walls (depending on the roof type) comprise the load-bearing structure on which any upper floors, ceilings and the roof are supported. In these cases, it is internally visible cracking that should be the main focus of attention, however there are a few examples of dwellings whose external leaf of masonry plays some supporting role, so this should be checked if there is any doubt. In any case, externally visible cracking is important as a guide to stresses on the structure generally, and it should also be remembered that the external walls must be capable of supporting themselves.

Effects on framed structures

Timber or steel framed buildings are less likely to exhibit cracking due to swell/shrink than masonry buildings because of their flexibility. Also, the doming/dishing effects tend to be lower because of the lighter weight of walls. The main risks to framed buildings are encountered because of the isolated pier footings used under walls. Where erosion or saturation cause a footing to fall away, this can double the span which a wall must bridge. This additional stress can create cracking in wall linings, particularly where there is a weak point in the structure caused by a door or window opening. It is, however, unlikely that framed structures will be so stressed as to suffer serious damage without first exhibiting some or all of the above symptoms for a considerable period. The same warning period should apply in the case of upheaval. It should be noted, however, that where framed buildings are supported by strip footings there is only one leaf of brickwork and therefore the externally visible walls are the supporting structure for the building. In this case, the subfloor masonry walls can be expected to behave as full brickwork walls.

Effects on brick veneer structures

Because the load-bearing structure of a brick veneer building is the frame that makes up the interior leaf of the external walls plus perhaps the internal walls, depending on the type of roof, the building can be expected to behave as a framed structure, except that the external masonry will behave in a similar way to the external leaf of a full masonry structure.

Water Service and Drainage

Where a water service pipe, a sewer or stormwater drainage pipe is in the vicinity of a building, a water leak can cause erosion, swelling or saturation of susceptible soil. Even a minuscule leak can be enough to saturate a clay foundation. A leaking tap near a building can have the same effect. In addition, trenches containing pipes can become watercourses even though backfilled, particularly where broken rubble is used as fill. Water that runs along these trenches can be responsible for serious erosion, interstrata seepage into subfloor areas and saturation.

Pipe leakage and trench water flows also encourage tree and shrub roots to the source of water, complicating and exacerbating the problem.

Poor roof plumbing can result in large volumes of rainwater being concentrated in a small area of soil:

 Incorrect falls in roof guttering may result in overflows, as may gutters blocked with leaves etc.

- Corroded guttering or downpipes can spill water to ground.
- Downpipes not positively connected to a proper stormwater collection system will direct a concentration of water to soil that is directly adjacent to footings, sometimes causing large-scale problems such as erosion, saturation and migration of water under the building.

Seriousness of Cracking

In general, most cracking found in masonry walls is a cosmetic nuisance only and can be kept in repair or even ignored. The table below is a reproduction of Table $\rm C1$ of AS 2870.

AS 2870 also publishes figures relating to cracking in concrete floors, however because wall cracking will usually reach the critical point significantly earlier than cracking in slabs, this table is not reproduced here.

Prevention/Cure

Plumbing

Where building movement is caused by water service, roof plumbing, sewer or stormwater failure, the remedy is to repair the problem. It is prudent, however, to consider also rerouting pipes away from the building where possible, and relocating taps to positions where any leakage will not direct water to the building vicinity. Even where gully traps are present, there is sometimes sufficient spill to create erosion or saturation, particularly in modern installations using smaller diameter PVC fixtures. Indeed, some gully traps are not situated directly under the taps that are installed to charge them. with the result that water from the tap may enter the backfilled trench that houses the sewer piping. If the trench has been poorly backfilled, the water will either pond or flow along the bottom of the trench. As these trenches usually run alongside the footings and can be at a similar depth, it is not hard to see how any water that is thus directed into a trench can easily affect the foundation's ability to support footings or even gain entry to the subfloor area.

Ground drainage

In all soils there is the capacity for water to travel on the surface and below it. Surface water flows can be established by inspection during and after heavy or prolonged rain. If necessary, a grated drain system connected to the stormwater collection system is usually an easy solution.

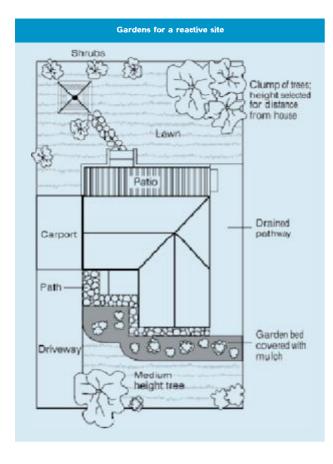
It is, however, sometimes necessary when attempting to prevent water migration that testing be carried out to establish watertable height and subsoil water flows. This subject is referred to in BTF 19 and may properly be regarded as an area for an expert consultant.

Protection of the building perimeter

It is essential to remember that the soil that affects footings extends well beyond the actual building line. Watering of garden plants, shrubs and trees causes some of the most serious water problems.

For this reason, particularly where problems exist or are likely to occur, it is recommended that an apron of paving be installed around as much of the building perimeter as necessary. This paving

Description of typical damage and required repair	Approximate crack width limit (see Note 3)	Damage category
Hairline cracks	<0.1 mm	0
Fine cracks which do not need repair	<1 mm	1
Cracks noticeable but easily filled. Doors and windows stick slightly	<5 mm	2
Cracks can be repaired and possibly a small amount of wall will need to be replaced. Doors and windows stick. Service pipes can fracture. Weathertightness often impaired	5–15 mm (or a number of cracks 3 mm or more in one group)	3
Extensive repair work involving breaking-out and replacing sections of walls, especially over doors and windows. Window and door frames distort. Walls lean or bulge noticeably, some loss of bearing in beams. Service pipes disrupted	15–25 mm but also depend on number of cracks	4



should extend outwards a minimum of 900 mm (more in highly reactive soil) and should have a minimum fall away from the building of 1:60. The finished paving should be no less than 100 mm below brick vent bases.

It is prudent to relocate drainage pipes away from this paving, if possible, to avoid complications from future leakage. If this is not practical, earthenware pipes should be replaced by PVC and backfilling should be of the same soil type as the surrounding soil and compacted to the same density.

Except in areas where freezing of water is an issue, it is wise to remove taps in the building area and relocate them well away from the building – preferably not uphill from it (see BTF 19).

It may be desirable to install a grated drain at the outside edge of the paving on the uphill side of the building. If subsoil drainage is needed this can be installed under the surface drain.

Condensation

In buildings with a subfloor void such as where bearers and joists support flooring, insufficient ventilation creates ideal conditions for condensation, particularly where there is little clearance between the floor and the ground. Condensation adds to the moisture already present in the subfloor and significantly slows the process of drying out. Installation of an adequate subfloor ventilation system, either natural or mechanical, is desirable.

Warning: Although this Building Technology File deals with cracking in buildings, it should be said that subfloor moisture can result in the development of other problems, notably:

- Water that is transmitted into masonry, metal or timber building elements causes damage and/or decay to those elements.
- High subfloor humidity and moisture content create an ideal environment for various pests, including termites and spiders.
- Where high moisture levels are transmitted to the flooring and walls, an increase in the dust mite count can ensue within the living areas. Dust mites, as well as dampness in general, can be a health hazard to inhabitants, particularly those who are abnormally susceptible to respiratory ailments.

The garden

The ideal vegetation layout is to have lawn or plants that require only light watering immediately adjacent to the drainage or paving edge, then more demanding plants, shrubs and trees spread out in that order.

Overwatering due to misuse of automatic watering systems is a common cause of saturation and water migration under footings. If it is necessary to use these systems, it is important to remove garden beds to a completely safe distance from buildings.

Existing trees

Where a tree is causing a problem of soil drying or there is the existence or threat of upheaval of footings, if the offending roots are subsidiary and their removal will not significantly damage the tree, they should be severed and a concrete or metal barrier placed vertically in the soil to prevent future root growth in the direction of the building. If it is not possible to remove the relevant roots without damage to the tree, an application to remove the tree should be made to the local authority. A prudent plan is to transplant likely offenders before they become a problem.

Information on trees, plants and shrubs

State departments overseeing agriculture can give information regarding root patterns, volume of water needed and safe distance from buildings of most species. Botanic gardens are also sources of information. For information on plant roots and drains, see Building Technology File 17.

Excavation

Excavation around footings must be properly engineered. Soil supporting footings can only be safely excavated at an angle that allows the soil under the footing to remain stable. This angle is called the angle of repose (or friction) and varies significantly between soil types and conditions. Removal of soil within the angle of repose will cause subsidence.

Remediation

Where erosion has occurred that has washed away soil adjacent to footings, soil of the same classification should be introduced and compacted to the same density. Where footings have been undermined, augmentation or other specialist work may be required. Remediation of footings and foundations is generally the realm of a specialist consultant.

Where isolated footings rise and fall because of swell/shrink effect, the homeowner may be tempted to alleviate floor bounce by filling the gap that has appeared between the bearer and the pier with blocking. The danger here is that when the next swell segment of the cycle occurs, the extra blocking will push the floor up into an accentuated dome and may also cause local shear failure in the soil. If it is necessary to use blocking, it should be by a pair of fine wedges and monitoring should be carried out fortnightly.

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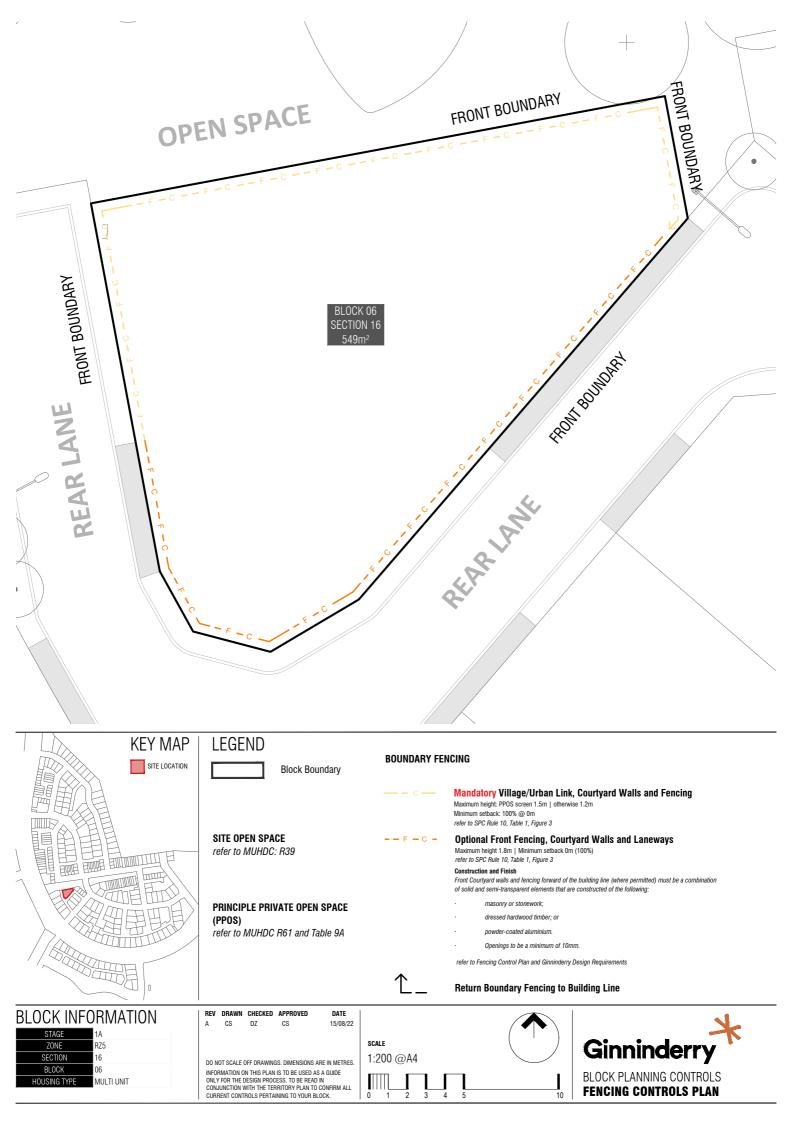
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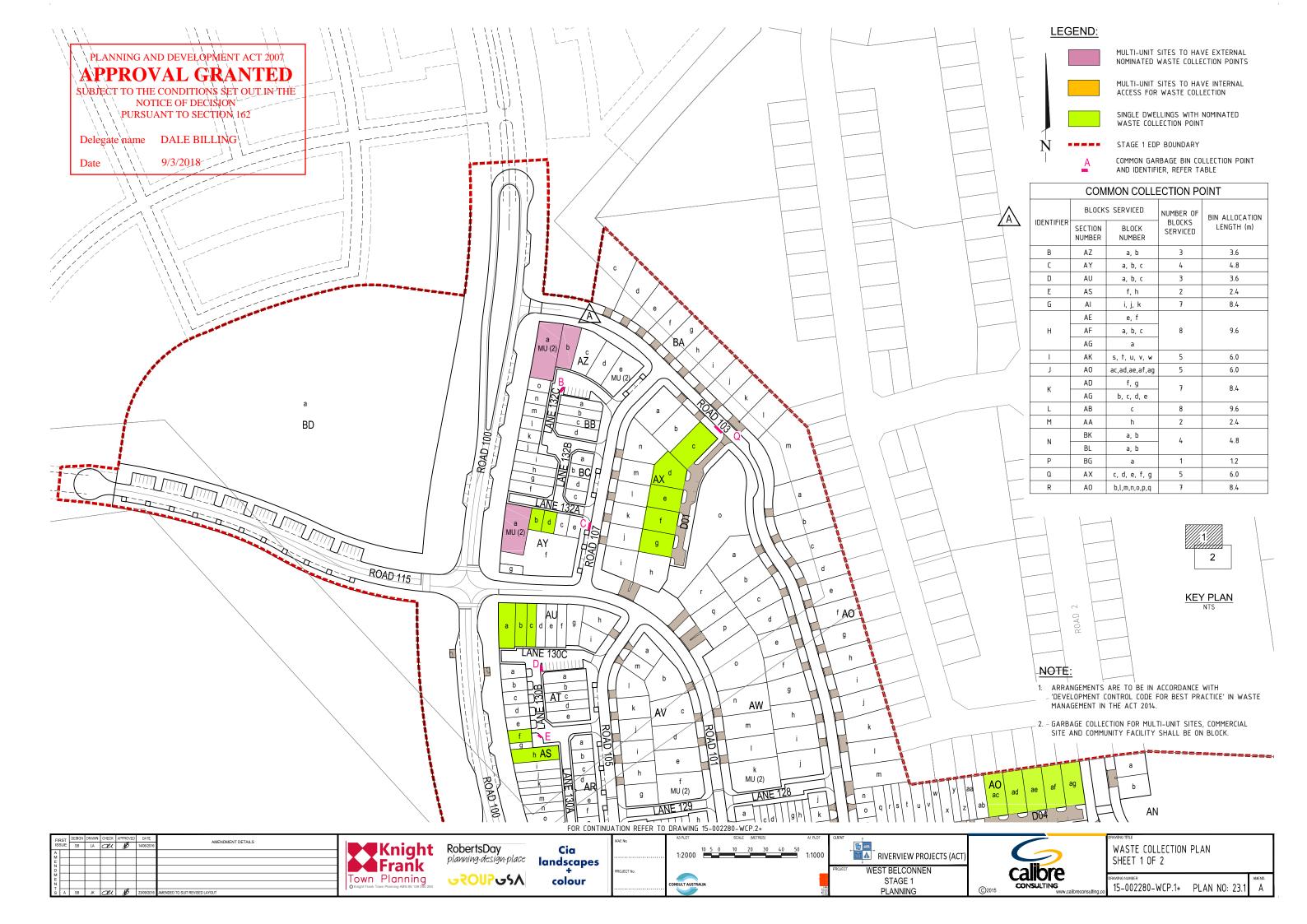
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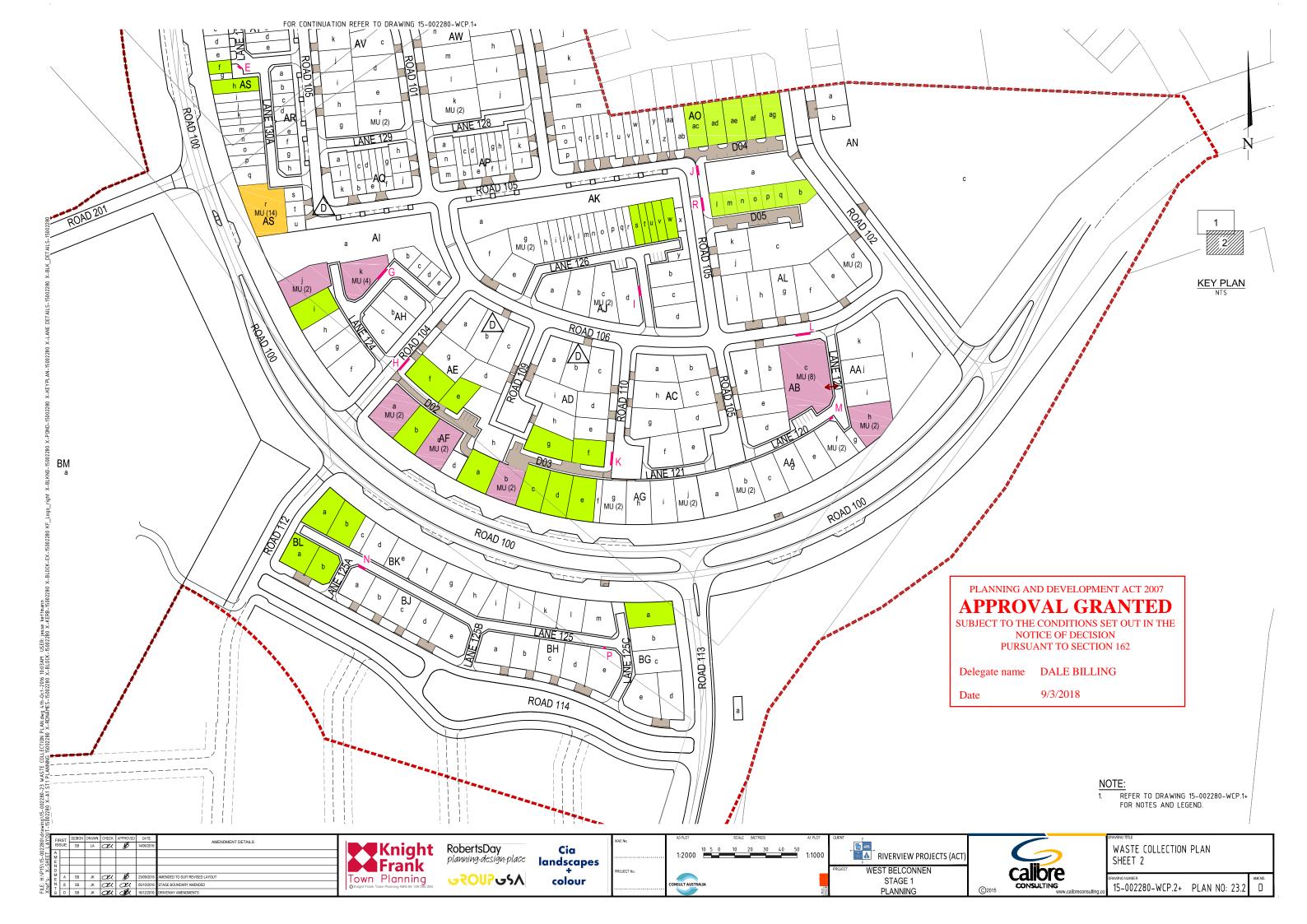
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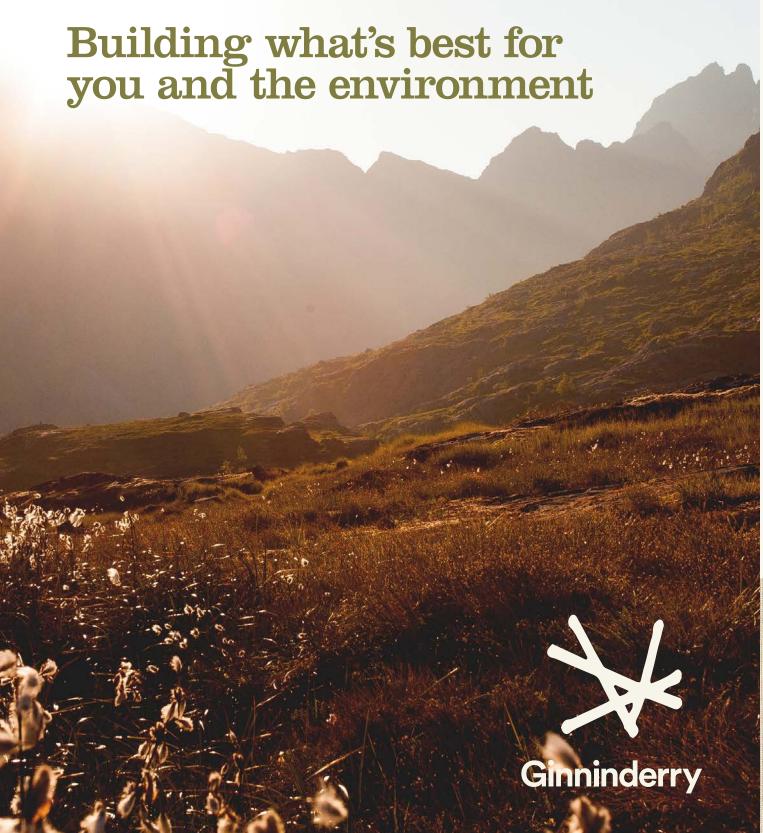
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Appendix H







Building a new house is one of the most costly decisions you will make in your lifetime.

A new home – if built well – can last more than 100 years, so building it right the first time is important! The decisions you make around the size, orientation and materials can make a significant impact on the long term running costs of your home. At Ginninderry, our aim is to help you design a home that is more comfortable to live in, will provide a better lifestyle and will help you save on energy costs. Here we've put together some tips and guidelines to help you make the most of your investment.

Setting the Highest Standards



Ginninderry has achieved a World Leading 6 Star rating through the Green Building Council of Australia's Green Star – Communities program.

Ginninderry has been designed with best practice sustainability features front of mind. Now it's your turn!

Your house Building the shell

Insulation and **Draught Proofing**

Controlling how air flows in and out of your home is important. The shell of your home should act like an esky - you want to seal and insulate it the best you can. Increasing the insulation in your ceilings and walls is one way to keep you warm in winter and cool in summer by giving you the greatest barrier between you and the external climate. This will not only help you save money on heating and cooling but will also stop air escaping unwillingly.

Consider having an air leakage test. A newly built house should achieve less than 10 air changes an hour.

Windows and Glazing

Windows and glass doors let in light, fresh air and provide good indoor and outdoor living connections. Windows are also the weakest link in the insulation of you building and can be a major source of unwanted heat gain in summer and significant heat loss in winter. Where possible, consider using double glazed, or low-e glass. The thermal performance of your windows also includes your frames. Aim for a window system with thermally broken frames, low U-values (less than 4.1) and high solar heat gain coefficient (around 0.66). A single glazed window can be up to 15 times worse at insulating your house than a wall. Choose the location of your windows carefully and size them appropriately.

Roof

Your roof plays an important part in orientating your solar panels. Your panels will work best if installed facing North at 30 degrees from horizontal. When designing your home, think about your roof design to easily cater for your panels. The more basic the design, the easier your job will be!

The colour of your roof could also affect how much heat your home absorbs. Pick lighter shades of roofing so yours doesn't have unwanted heat in your ceiling space.

Designing for the Canberra Climate

Canberra is a cool, temperate area of Australia. It has low humidity and large changes between day and night (diurnal) temperatures and four very distinct seasons. We have highly variable spring and autumn conditions, cold to very cold winters and hot, dry summers.

The variability of our climate will only become greater with climate change. Winter sun and summer shading will help to passively heat and cool your home when it needs it most.

Energy Efficiency Rating

In the ACT, all new homes are required to meet a minimum 6 Star Energy Efficiency Rating (EER). The EER of your home assesses the building design, materials, and layout; and predicts how much heating and cooling you need to be comfortable. The overall EER is made up of both heating and cooling components. The heating load tells you how much heating is required to make your home comfortable. The cooling load tells you how much cooling you will require. The bigger the home, the more it takes to heat and cool your home and therefore affect your EER. The overall EER is a balance of both (like a see-saw) so make sure your EER is not weighted heavily to either heating or cooling. Or better still, ask how to achieve a higher EER!

Reduce

Think about a secure car port rather than a garage. While your car might need to be protected from the elements, you can create secure car ports that are cheaper than a fully bricked garage. Also consider future-proofing for electric vehicles by installing cabling in your garage or carport wall. This will save you time and money adapting in the future.

Material Use

Questions to ask:

- Will my roof design allow for the PV panels I need?
- Is my heating load from my EER sensible for the Canberra climate?
- How can I achieve a higher EER?
- Is my insulation the highest it can be in my walls, floor, and roof?
- Should I install double glazing?
- Do my windows give me good air flow throughout my home?
- Are my windows shaded from the summer sun?
- Can I orientate my living areas to the North to make use of the sun in winter?

Your house The inside

Generating, Managing & Storing Energy

Reducing the amount of energy you use is the most cost effective way to cut your energy costs.

Your PV panels and demand management system can help to provide renewable energy for you home.

Your demand management system (DMS) can help you monitor and manage your energy use. Air conditioner systems, heat pump hot water systems, lighting and security systems can also be managed by your DMS as long as the right appliances are selected.

Talk to your energy package provider about how appliances can be connected to your DMS.

Household Solar Battery systems can also store the power you generate with your PV system, letting you use the power when the sun isn't shining. Remember to consider the location of your battery – either now or allocating space for it in the future. It may need to be on an external wall or within a fire rated enclosure.

Indoor Air Quality

The paints, sealants and glues used in your home can sometimes be quite toxic. Look for materials with low or no Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs). Removing VOCs from your home will result in a fresher, healthier home environment.

Designing for Accessibility

Designing for accessibility is about thinking about how your house caters for a range of mobility and health levels and how these needs can change over time.

Accessibility is important for:

Families with young children – making it easier to manoeuvre prams and strollers and removing trip hazards for toddlers

People with temporary injuries – larger doorways and step-free entries make it easier for people in wheelchair and crutches.

Ageing population – for both residents and elderly visitors, family and friends

People with a disability and their families – not only in their own homes but for visiting others.

Lighting

Think about using natural light from windows before using artificial light. Installing energy efficient LED lighting will save you money over time. Reduce the number of downlights you install in your home. If you really need them, make sure they are fully sealed, LED downlights which can allow insulation around them. Traditional downlights act as big holes in your ceiling – making your insulation less effective.

KITCHEN

VING ROOM

ENTRY

Reduce Materials

The less materials required to build your home, the cheaper it will be. Consider using polished concrete floors, exposed brick (rather than adding a render) and other material which don't require further finishes where sensible

Make Recycling <u>Easy</u>

Designing separate waste bins into your kitchen will make it easier on bin day! Design for composting, recycling and general waste.

Heating and Cooling

The cheapest way to heat your home is with the sun. To make the most of it, your house should allow for lots of winter sun and keep out the harsh summer sun. Place rooms that you're likely to spend daylight hours in (typically your living rooms) to the north of your block. This will allow you to get good winter sunlight and reduce the hot summer sun.

Use thermal mass to store the sun's heat and provide night time warmth in cold conditions. This can be achieved with tiled or polished concrete floors in north facing living areas. This allows the sun to heat the area inside and contribute to a naturally cool home in summer.

Bike Storage

BEDROOM

Active living is an important part of Ginninderry. Make sure you allocate a space for your bikes. Make them easy to access so you're more likely to use them.

Zoning

Think about the areas of your home that you use and when you use them. By zoning your home, you can have better control of which areas you want to heat and when. The smaller the area you are heating at any one time, the cheaper your bills will be.

Efficient Appliances

Many new appliances come with Energy Rating Labels. The more stars an appliances has, the less energy it will use. Choose appliances not only by their price tag but also by how much they will cost you to run every day!

Saving Water

Using rain water to flush your toilets and wash your clothes (as well as for your garden) can help you save money on your water bill.

Installing water efficient fixtures and fittings will also help you save water.

Cross Ventilation

Your doors and windows can help cool your home on summer nights by allowing air to travel through your home. Install flyscreens to your openable windows and doors so that you can securely open your windows and doors.

Questions to ask:

- Is my home zoned in a way that I can heat and cool different areas separately?
- Is there good ventilation throughout the house?
- Has my heating and cooling system been designed to take into account my EER rating?
- Can I use no or low VOC products in building my home?
- Can my demand management system be connected to other appliances like my air conditioner?
- Have I allocated space for bikes?

Indoor Drying Space

Canberra winters are cold but we get really lovely sunny days. Consider space inside for your washing that gets good winter sun. This will reduce the need for a dryer.

Your house Landscape

Make your plants useful plantings

Whether you plant edible foods or plants that attract bees (or other pollinators and wildlife), your garden can not only look pretty but also have a higher purpose.

Space for Bins

The ACT Government is currently trialling green bins for garden waste. To future proof for a potential ACT-wide rollout, allocate space for three bins:

- General waste (red lid)
- Mixed Recycling (yellow lid)
- Green waste (green lid)

Clothes Drying

Allocate an outdoor drying space that has good access to winter sun. This is usually on the northern side of your home. Using the sun to dry your clothes is a lot cheaper than a dryer!

Soft space vs Hard space

The more concrete or hard surfaces in your yard, the hotter your house will be in summer. Think about how you can use grasses, plantings or permeable pavers to limit the amount of hard spaces you have.

This will help you save money by reducing your energy and water required to keep your home cool.

Choose a garden you can maintain

Not everyone has a green thumb. Pick a garden design that suits your lifestyle. If you forget to water your plants, pick drought tolerant, hardy natives or woody herbs like rosemary that don't require a lot of attention.

Free Water

Most homes in Ginninderry have a rain water tank. Rain water is great for watering your plants.

Green Shading

Plants do a great job of shading East and West facing windows. Use them to keep you cool in summer. Choose plants that can be pruned back in winter (or that are deciduous) so that you can let in the winter sun.

Corridor

The plants that you plant in your yard will impact our conservation corridor. Bins and other animals will spread seeds through our landscape. It is therefore very important that we don't plant species that are considered weeds (easily spreading) or sleeper weeds (plants that could become weeds in the future or in other climate conditions).

Conserving our Conservation

Compost

Use your kitchens scraps as compost for your yard or get a worm garden. Don't have room? Donate your scraps to the Community Garden!

This will help reduce unnecessary waste going to landfill.

Questions to ask:

- How can I reduce the amount concrete and hard spaces in my yard?
- Can I use alternatives like permeable paving, groundcovers or mulch?
- Have I allowed enough space for my bins?
- Have I checked that my plants won't become weeds in the conservation corridor?
- Are my plants edible or good for birds, bees and other pollinators?
- Is my garden drought and frost tolerant?
- Have I made the most of my rain water tank?

Mandatory Requirements:

Check the Ginninderry Housing Development Requirements

More Info:

FACTSHEETS

Ginninderry Front Garden Landscape Concept Designs

Ginninderry Energy Package Factsheet

Are your garden plants going bush? ACT Government Parks and Conservation Service

WEBSITES

YourHome - Australia's guide to environmentally sustainable homes www.yourhome.gov.au

Josh's House – showcasing the benefits of sustainable housing to the community through demonstration and inspiration www.joshshouse.com.au

Scinergy - the science of energy efficiency www.scinergy.com.au/airleakage

Water Efficient Labelling and Standards (WELS) Scheme www.waterrating.gov.au

Energy Rating – the more stars the more savings www.energyrating.gov.au

National House Energy Rating Scheme (NATHERS) www.nathers.gov.au

Livable Housing Australia www.livablehousingaustralia.org.au

BOOKS

The Energy-Freedom Home: how to wipe out electricity and gas bills in nine steps. Beyond Zero Emissions (2015)

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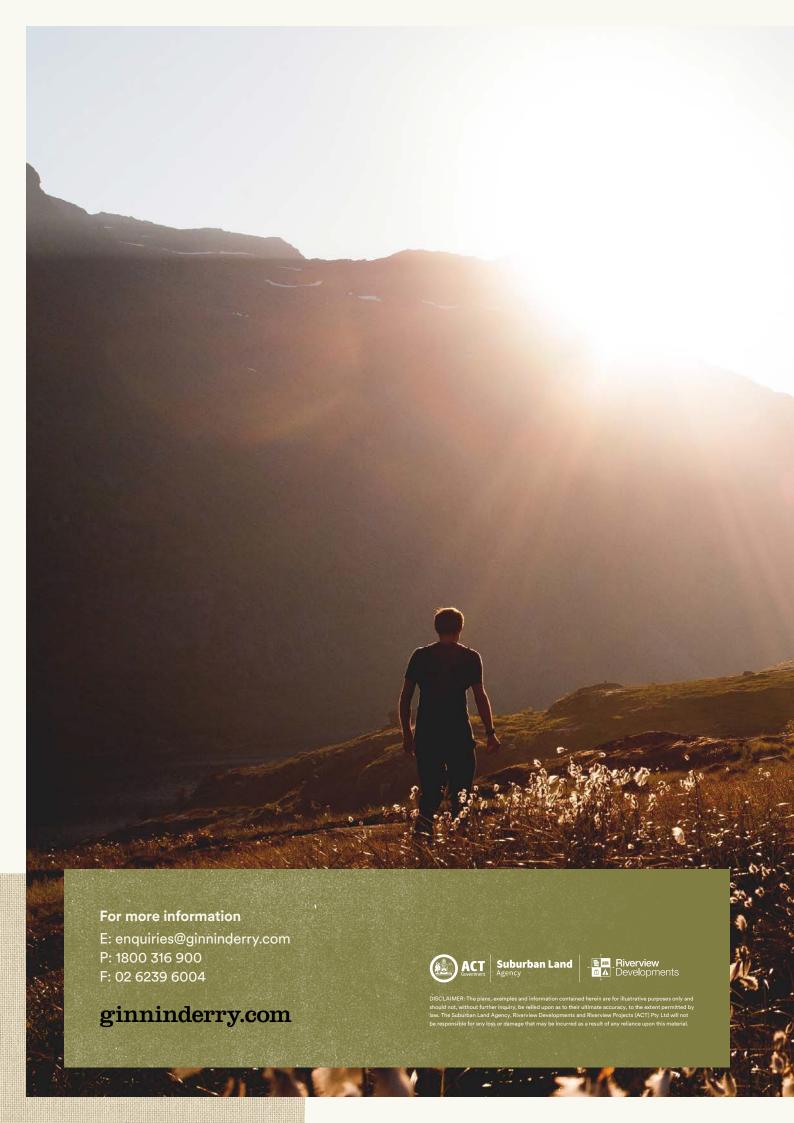
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Strathnairn Housing Development Requirements Application Form

Ginninderry Housing Development Requirements Application Form



Required documents
1. 1:200 site plan with the following details:
Overall building envelope with setback dimensionsExtent of any retaining walls
 Location and size of Principal Private Open Space (PPOS)
 Location and clearance of all easements Services locations such as electrical and NBN
meter boxes, water and gas meter, water tank condenser units, HWS, clothes line
 Finished floor levels for the house and garage as well as gradient of driveway Extent of driveway and location of letterbox
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Provide a fencing plan show all precinct cod fencing requirements.
 Include location of letter box incorporated in wall on as a masonry pier.
3. 1:200 erosion sediment controls plan.
4. 1:100 floor plan and roof plan(s) with dimensions and size of dwelling area.
differsions and size of dwelling area.
5. 1:100 elevations with the following details:
 Natural and proposed ground level with proposed FFL from boundary to boundary
 Extent of cut and/or fill and any retaining walls including details of the height and materials
· Roof pitch
6. Energy efficiency rating certificate
for the dwelling.
8. Water fixture list.

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	Minimum requirements	Record for your home
Star rating as shown on your energy efficiency rating certificate	6 Star	
		Certificate Provided
Solar PV array size (kW)	Block size <250m²: 2kW Block size 251m2 < 350m²: 3kW	Panel Array Size:
	Block size 351m2 < 500m ² : 4kW Block size > 500m ² : 5kW	
Home energy management system	Reposit Power, Combined Energy and Evergen home energy	Brand:
management system	management systems have been pre-approved. If an alternative	
	system is installed, please provide a copy of a signed Alternative Home Energy System Assessment.	
Inverter	Inverter compatible with an approved home energy management	Brand:
	system above.	
		Model:
Hot water system	Solar or Heat Pump Systems Only Temperature range to -5°C.	Brand:
	remperature range to -3 C.	
		Model:





	Minimum requirements	Record for your ho	ome	
Heating and cooling systems		Brand:		
Please select:				
Reverse cycle air conditioning		Model:		
Air conditioning – cooling only				
Ducted evaporative cooling				
Ground source heat pump	Cooling Cycle: EER >= 3 SPL < 57	EER:	SPL:	
Other (please specify)	Temp. Range -5°C to 43°C			
		Temp Range:		
	Heating Cycle: COP >= 3.5	COP:	SPL:	
	SPL < 57 Temp. Range -10°C to 15°C			
	EER = Energy Efficiency Ratio SPL = Sound Pressure Level of outdoor unit measured at 1m. Why is this	Temp Range:		
	important? Read more here COP = Coefficient of Performance			
Water fixtures and fittings	Showerheads 3 star (< 9L/min) Tapware 4 star	All fixtures comply		
	Toilets 4 star	Fixture List Provided		
Rain water tank	Block Size <250m ² : N/A Block Size 251m ² < 350m2: 2,000L	Tank Size:		
	Block Size 351m ² < 600m2: 4,000L Block Size 601m ² < 800m2: 8,000L Block Size > 800m ² : 10,000L			
		Connected to Laundry, toilets and all external taps		

External colours and finishes schedule (Please tick the boxes below)



Roof Tiles - Monier

Atura Babylon Barramundi Mist Grey Saltspray Seashell Caraway Silver Pearch Wildrice Wollemi Aniseed Horizon Babylon Mist Grey Saltspray Barramundi Camelot Caraway Seashell Silver Perch Wildrice Wollemi Aniseed Roof Tiles - Boral Artline Asphalt Earth Fossil Basalt Night Quartz Eclipse Wave Asphalt Earth Night Quartz Fossil Basalt Eclipse Vogue Shale Gunmetal Charcoal Grey Stonewall Taupe Contour Quartz Taupe Walnut Shale Gunmetal Peat Charcoal Grey Striata Gunmetal Walnut Charcoal Grey Taupe Slimline Stonewall Gunmetal Taupe

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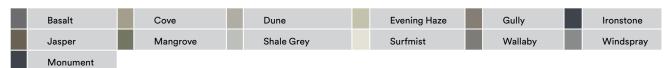
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Classic



Metal Roof - Colorbond

Contemporary Colours



Classic Colours



Matt Colours

Basalt Dune	Shale Grey	Surfmist
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Fence Colour

Side and Rear Boundary Fencing



Window Frame Colour

Contemporary Colours

Basalt	Cove	Dune	Evening Haze	Gully	Monument
Jasper	Mangrove	Shale Grey	Surfmist	Wallaby	Windspray

Standard Colours



Selected Pearls





Bricks - Austral



Bricks - PGH

Gun Metal Blue

Alfresco		Vino		Chocolatto		Truffle	Cocoa
	T	Espresso					
Altitude		Olympus	I	Apollo		Matterhorn	
Academy	T	Quantum	I	Alumni	I	Oscar	Nobel
	I	Juilliard					
		Quantum		Alumni		Oscar	Nobel
		Juilliard					
Composite		Pebble		Aluminium		Urban Blue	Charcoal
		Hawkesbury Bronze		Livingston Gold		Mowbray Blue	Macarthur Mix
Dry Pressed Architectural		Balmerino Blend		Tinto Cream		Red Rum	Silver Shadow
		Black Beauty					



Bricks - PGH (cont.)

Dark and Stormy	Monsoon		Thunder		Whirlwind		Zephyr
Foundations	Gravel		Stone				
Highlands	Blackheath		Leura (feature only)				
Manhattan	Chelsea (feature only or arch merit)		East Hampton (feature only or arch merit)	10	Tribeca (feature only or arch merit)		
Metallic	Nickel Flash		Pewter		Blue Steel Flash		
Morada	Blanco		Ceniza	T	Nero (feature only)	T	Gris
Opaline	Tourmaline		Garnet		Tiger Eye		
Palazzo	Sorbetto						
Pure Linens	Cinders & Soot		Flannel Grey		Pebble Creek		Whispering White
	Harvest Cream		Cashmere		Cream		Pearl Grey
Smooth	Mineral	Т	Volcanic		Rustic Harvest Cream		Copper Glow
	Black & Tan	П	Brown		Choc Tan	I	Terracota
Foundations	Granite	T	Red				
Urban Essence	Melbourne Blue (feature only)		Storm (feature only)				
	Crevole		Cream		Pearl Grey		Red
Velour	Brown		Choc Tan		Mineral		Volcanic
	Terracota		Granite				

Additional colour and finishes information

Driveway finish colour:	Rendered wall colours:			
Retaining wall material finish and colour:	Light weight cladding:			
Courtyard wall material and finish:	Fencing along street frontage:			
Feature materials or colours:	Side gate & fencing parallel to street frontage:			

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