DELEGATED REPORT

SUBJECT: A & SL DONNELLY - RECONFIGURING A LOT - ACCESS

EASEMENT - LOT 1 ON SP282712 - 2573 KENNEDY

HIGHWAY, KOAH - RAL/18/0037

DATE: 9 January 2019

REPORT OFFICER'S

TITLE: Senior Planner

DEPARTMENT: Corporate and Community Services

APPLICATION DETAILS

APPLICATION			PREMISES		
APPLICANT	A & SL Donnelly	ADDRESS	2573	Kennedy	
			Highway,	Koah	
DATE LODGED	19 December 2018	RPD	Lot 1 on	SP282712	
TYPE OF	Development Permit				
APPROVAL	-				
PROPOSED	Reconfiguring a Lot - Access Easement				
DEVELOPMENT					

FILE NO	RAL/18/0037	AREA	2.802 hectares
LODGED BY	Brazier Motti Pty Ltd	OWNER	A & SL Donnelly
PLANNING SCHEME	Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme 2016		
ZONE	Rural zone		
LEVEL OF	Code Assessment		
ASSESSMENT			
SUBMISSIONS	n/a		

ATTACHMENTS: 1. Proposal Plan/s

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Council is in receipt of a development application described in the above application details.

The application is code assessable and was not required to undergo public notification.

It has been assessed against the relevant statutory planning instruments, including the Regional Plan and the Planning Scheme and does not conflict with any relevant planning instrument.

It is recommended that the application be approved in full with conditions.

OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION

1. That in relation to the following development application:

URP-12/2011-1.2

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and in accordance with the Planning Act 2016, the applicant be notified that the application for a development permit for the development specified in (A) is:

Approved by Council in accordance with the approved plans/documents listed in (B), subject to assessment manager conditions in (C), assessment manager's advice in (D), relevant period in (E), further permits in (F), and further approvals from Council listed in (G);

And

The assessment manager does not consider that the assessment manager's decision conflicts with a relevant instrument.

(A) APPROVED DEVELOPMENT: Development Permit for Reconfiguring a Lot - Access Easement

(B) APPROVED PLANS:

Plan/Document Number	Plan/Document Title	Prepared by	Dated
33468/004 A	Proposed Reconfiguration Easement C (Access Purposes) in Lot 1 on SP282712	Brazier Motti	17 December 2018

(C) ASSESSMENT MANAGER'S CONDITIONS (COUNCIL)

- (a) Development assessable against the Planning Scheme
- 1. Development must be carried out generally in accordance with the approved plans and the facts and circumstances of the use as submitted with the application, subject to any alterations:
 - found necessary by Council's delegated officer at the time of examination of the engineering plans or during construction of the development because of particular engineering requirements; and
 - to ensure compliance with the following conditions of approval.

2. Timing of Effect

The conditions of the development permit must be complied with to the satisfaction of Council's delegated officer prior to the endorsement of the plan of survey, except where specified otherwise in these conditions of approval.

General

- 3.1 The development approval would not have been issued if not for the conditions requiring the construction of infrastructure or the payment of infrastructure charges/contributions contained within the conditions of approval.
- 3.2 The applicant/developer is responsible for the cost of necessary alterations to existing public utility mains, services or installations required by works in relation to the proposed development or any works required by condition(s) of this approval.
- 3.3 All payments required to be made to the Council (including contributions, charges and bonds) pursuant to any condition of this approval must be made prior the endorsement of the plan of survey and at the rate applicable at the time of payment.
- 3.4 The developer must relocate (in accordance with FNQROC standards) any services such as water, sewer, drainage, telecommunications and electricity that are not wholly located within the lots that are being created/serviced where required by the relevant authority unless approved by Council's delegated officer.
- 3.5 Where utilities (such as sewers on non-standard alignments) traverse lots to service another lot, easements must be created in favour of Council for access and maintenance purposes. The developer is to pay all costs (including Council's legal expenses) to prepare and register the easement documents.
- 3.6 Where approved existing buildings and structures are to be retained, setbacks to any new property boundaries are to be in accordance with Planning Scheme requirements for the relevant structure and/or Queensland Development Code. Where existing building/s are in proximity to new property boundaries, a plan demonstrating compliance with the required setback must be submitted prior to endorsement of the plan of survey.
- 3.7 All works must be designed, constructed and carried out in accordance with FNQROC Development Manual requirements and to the satisfaction of Council's delegated officer.

3.8 Charges

All outstanding rates, charges and expenses pertaining to the land are to be paid in full.

(D) ASSESSMENT MANAGER'S ADVICE

(a) A number of other charges or payments may be payable as conditions of approval. The applicable fee is set out in Council's Fees & Charges Schedule for each respective financial year.

(b) Endorsement Fees

Council charges a fee for the endorsement of a Survey Plan, Community Management Statements, easement documents, and covenants. The fee is set out in Council's Fees & Charges Schedule applicable for each respective financial year.

(c) Compliance with applicable codes/policies

The development must be carried out to ensure compliance with the provisions of Council's Local Laws, Planning Scheme Policies, Planning Scheme and Planning Scheme Codes to the extent they have not been varied by a condition of this approval.

(d) Notation on Rates Record

A notation will be placed on Council's Rate record with respect to each lot regarding the following conditions:

- a registered easement over the subject site
- (e) Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

The applicant is advised that referral may be required under the *Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* if the proposed activities are likely to have a significant impact on a matter of national environmental significance. Further information on these matters can be obtained from www.environment.gov.au.

(f) Cultural Heritage

In carrying out the activity the applicant must take all reasonable and practicable measures to ensure that no harm is done to Aboriginal cultural heritage (the "cultural heritage duty of care"). The applicant will comply with the cultural heritage duty of care if the applicant acts in accordance with gazetted cultural heritage duty of care guidelines. An assessment of the proposed activity against the duty of care guidelines will determine whether or to what extent Aboriginal cultural heritage may be harmed by the activity. Further information on cultural heritage, together with a copy of the duty of care guidelines and cultural heritage search forms, may be obtained from www.datsip.qld.gov.au.

(E) RELEVANT PERIOD

When approval lapses if development not started (s.85)

- Reconfiguring a Lot four (4) years (starting the day the approval takes effect);
- (F) OTHER NECESSARY DEVELOPMENT PERMITS AND/OR COMPLIANCE PERMITS
 - Nil
- (G) OTHER APPROVALS REQUIRED FROM COUNCIL
 - Nil

THE SITE

The subject land is described as Lot 1 on SP282712 situated at 2573 Kennedy Highway, Koah.

The subject land has an area of 2.802 hectares with a frontage of approximately 339 metres to the Kennedy Highway. Access is obtained directly off the Kennedy Highway through a high standard access originally developed for the defunct wild animal park. An access easement extends through the subject land providing access to Lots 2 and 3 on SP282712.

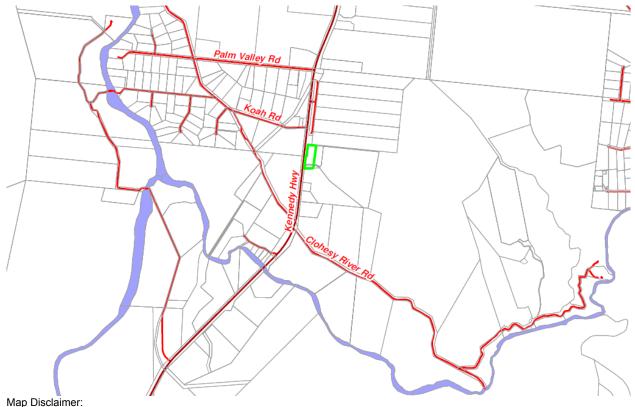
The subject land contains a dwelling house (under construction) sited between the existing easement and the southern boundary. The northern two thirds of the subject land has an undulating topography, with a major drainage line at its centre and extensive remnant vegetation.

Surrounding properties are used for various rural living purposes.



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BACKGROUND AND CONTEXT

Nil

PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS & APPROVALS

Nil

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The development application seeks a Development Permit for Reconfiguring a Lot - Access Easement in accordance with the plans shown in **Attachment 1**.

A ten (10) metre wide access easement is proposed within Lot 1 on SP282712 to allow access between Lot 22 on RP850124 and the Kennedy Highway.

Access onto the Kennedy Highway will be via the high standard former zoo access. Lot 22 was previously accessed through this route up until the closure of the zoo.

A sealed driveway is already provided within the easement.

REGIONAL PLAN DESIGNATION

The subject site is included within the Regional Landscape and Rural Production Area land use category in the Far North Queensland Regional Plan 2009-2031. The Regional Plan Map 3 - 'Areas of Ecological Significance' also identifies the site is:

• Terrestrial Area of General Ecological Significance

PLANNING SCHEME DESIGNATIONS

Land Use Categories

Rural Other

Strategic Framework: Natural Environment Elements

Biodiversity Area

Zone: Rural zone

Bushfire Hazard OverlayEnvironmental Significance

Overlays: Overlay

Hill and Slope Overlay

Transport Infrastructure Overlay

RELEVANT PLANNING INSTRUMENTS

Assessment of the proposed development against the relevant planning instruments is summarised as follows:-

(a) Far North Queensland Regional Plan 2009-2031

Separate assessment against the Regional Plan is not required because the Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme appropriately advances the Far North Queensland Regional Plan 2009-2031, as it applies to the planning scheme area.

(b) State Planning Policy

Separate assessment against the State Planning Policy (SPP) is not required because the Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme appropriately integrates all relevant aspects of the SPP.

(c) Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme 2016

Relevant Development Codes

The following Development Codes are considered to be applicable to the assessment of the application:

- 6.2.9 Rural zone code
- 8.2.3 Bushfire hazard overlay code
- 9.4.2 Landscaping code
- 9.4.3 Parking and access code
- 9.4.4 Reconfiguring a lot code
- 9.4.5 Works, services and infrastructure code

The application included a planning report and assessment against the planning scheme. An officer assessment has found that the application satisfies the relevant acceptable outcome (or performance outcome where no acceptable outcome applies) of the relevant codes set out below, provided reasonable and relevant conditions are attached to any approval.

Relevant Codes	Comments	
Rural zone code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	
Bushfire hazard overlay code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	
Landscaping code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	
Parking and access code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	
Reconfiguring a lot code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	
Works, services and infrastructure code	The application can be conditioned to comply with the codes relevant acceptable outcomes and/or performance outcomes (where no acceptable outcome is provided).	

(e) Planning Scheme Policies/Infrastructure Charges Plan

The following planning scheme policies are relevant to the application:

Planning Scheme Policy 4 - FNQROC Regional Development Manual

A condition will be attached to any approval requiring all development works be designed and constructed in accordance with FNQROC Development Manual standards.

(f) Additional Trunk Infrastructure Condition

The subject land is located outside the identified Priority Infrastructure Area (PIA).

Section 130 of the *Planning Act 2016* allows Council to condition additional trunk infrastructure outside the PIA.

As the proposed development is only for the creation of a new access easement, no infrastructure charges/contributions are payable.

REFERRALS

This application did not trigger a referral under Schedule 10 of the *Planning Regulation 2017*.

Internal Consultation

Technical Services

PLANNING DISCUSSION

Nil

Date Prepared: 9 January 2019

DECISION BY DELEGATE

DECISION

Having considered the Senior Planner's report detailed above, I approve, as a delegate of Council, the application subject to the conditions listed in the report.

Dated the 974 day of JANUAR 2019

BRIAN MILLARD SENIOR PLANNER

ANTHONY ARCHIE

MANAGER DEVELOPMENT & GOVERNANCE

MAREEBA SHIRE

AS A DELEGATE OF THE COUNCIL

ATTACHMENT 1

PROPOSAL PLANS

PROPOSED RECONFIGURATION

Easement C (Access Purposes) in Lot 1 on 5P282712





This plan is conceptual and for discussion purposes only. All areas, dimensions and land uses are preliminary, subject to investigation, survey, engineering, and Local Authority and Agency approvals.

