

Assessment of application against relevant Development Codes

APPLICATION DETAILS

APPLICATION		PREMISES	
FILE NO:	MCU/19/0010	ADDRESS:	2 Emerald Heights Road, Mareeba
APPLICANT:	G & S Horner	RPD:	Lot 11 on RP748324
LODGED BY:	U&I Town Plan	AREA:	3.164 hectares
DATE LODGED:	2 July 2019	OWNER :	G Horner
TYPE OF APPROVAL:	Development Permit		
PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:	Material Change of Use - Animal Keeping (Stables)		
PLANNING SCHEME:	Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme 2016		
ZONE:	Rural Residential Zone (Precinct C)		
LEVEL OF ASSESSMENT:	Code Assessment		
SUBMISSIONS:	N/A - Code Assessment only		

Relevant Development Codes

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

- 6.2.10 Rural residential zone code
- 8.2.2 Airport environs overlay code
- 8.2.3 Bushfire hazard overlay code
- 8.2.4 Environmental significance overlay code
- 9.3.6 Rural activities code
- 9.4.2 Landscaping code
- 9.4.3 Parking and access code
- 9.4.5 Works, services and infrastructure code

6.2.10 Rural residential zone code

6.2.10.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
 - (a) located in the Rural residential zone; and
 - (b) it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

6.2.10.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Rural residential zone code is to provide for residential development on large lots where local government infrastructure and services may not be provided on the basis that the intensity of development is generally dispersed.
- (2) Mareeba Shire Council's purpose of the Rural residential zone code is to provide for residential development on a range of larger lots which take account of the history of rural residential development throughout the region. Limited agricultural and animal husbandry activities which contribute to a semi-rural setting may be appropriate on lots with areas in the upper range of lot sizes.
- (3) The Rural residential zone has been broken into three precincts to cater for the distinct lot sizes and levels of servicing that historically occurred in this zone:
 - (a) The 2 hectare precinct is characterised by significant clusters of larger rural residential lifestyle lots that have limited infrastructure and proximity to services. Lots within this precinct will not be reconfigured below 2 hectares in size;
 - (b) The 1 hectare precinct is characterised by significant clusters of rural residential lifestyle lots that have limited access to infrastructure and proximity to services. Lots within this precinct will not be reconfigured below 1 hectare in size; and
 - (c) The 4,000m² precinct is characterised by clusters of smaller rural residential lots in proximity to activity centres, where reticulated water supply and an urban standard of infrastructure (apart from sewerage) can be provided. Lots within this precinct will not be reconfigured below 4,000m².
- (4) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) The development of large rural residential lots with attendant provision of onsite infrastructure is facilitated;
 - (b) Development within the zone preserves the environmental and topographical features of the land by integrating an appropriate scale of rural residential activities;
 - (c) Development avoids areas of ecological significance;
 - (d) Low-impact activities such as small-scale eco-tourism and outdoor recreation uses are permitted within the zone where the impacts of such uses are acceptable;
 - (e) Natural features such as creeks, gullies, waterways, wetlands and vegetation and bushland are retained, enhanced and buffered from the impacts of development, with unavoidable impacts minimised through location, design, operation and management requirements;
 - (f) Other uses may be appropriate where meeting the day to day needs of the rural residential catchment or having a direct relationship to the land in which the particular use is proposed. Any such uses should not have any adverse effects on the residential amenity of the area through factors such as noise generation, traffic generation or other factors associated with the use;

- (g) Reconfiguring a lot will maintain the predominant lot size of the precinct or intended for the precinct; and
- (h) Reconfiguring a lot involving the creation of new lots is not undertaken external to a precinct in the Rural residential zone in consideration of the inherent environmental, and/or physical infrastructure and/or social infrastructure constraints of Rural residential zoned land outside of identified precincts.

6.2.10.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 6.2.10.3—Rural residential zone code - For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Height			
PO1 Building height takes into consideration and respects the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the height of existing buildings on adjoining premises; (b) the development potential, with respect to height, on adjoining premises; (c) the height of buildings in the vicinity of the site; (d) access to sunlight and daylight for the site and adjoining sites; (e) privacy and overlooking; and (f) site area and street frontage length. 	AO1 Development has a maximum building height of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) 8.5 metres; and (b) 2 storeys above ground level. 	✓	Complies.
Outbuildings and residential scale			
PO2 Domestic outbuildings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) do not dominate the lot on which they are located; and (b) are consistent with the scale and character of development in the 	AO2.1 On lots less than 2 hectares, domestic outbuildings do not exceed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) 150m² in gross floor area; and (b) 5.5 metres above natural ground level. 	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO2.2	✓ Complies with PO2	The proposed stable building will have an area of 300m ² and

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Rural residential zone.	On lots greater than 2 hectares, domestic outbuildings do not exceed: (a) 200m ² in gross floor area; and (b) 8.5 metres above natural ground level.		dimensions of 30m x 10m which exceeds the acceptable outcome of 200m ² . See commentary for PO8, PO9 and PO10 - the proposed scale of development will not be grossly inconsistent with existing development in the surrounding area.
Siting			
PO3 Development is sited in a manner that considers and respects: (a) the siting and use of adjoining premises; (b) access to sunlight and daylight for the site and adjoining sites; (c) privacy and overlooking; (d) opportunities for casual surveillance of adjoining public spaces; (e) air circulation and access to natural breezes; (f) appearance of building bulk; and (g) relationship with road corridors.	AO3 Buildings and structures include a minimum setback of: (a) 40 metres from a frontage to a State-controlled Road; (b) 6 metres from a frontage to any other road; (c) 10 metres from a boundary to an adjoining lot in the 2 hectare precinct, 1 hectare precinct or the Rural zone or Conservation zone; (d) 5 metres from a boundary to an adjoining lot in the 4,000m ² precinct; and (e) 3 metres from a side or rear boundary otherwise.	✓	Complies.
Accommodation density			
PO4 The density of Accommodation activities: (a) contributes to housing choice and affordability; (b) respects the nature and density of surrounding land use; (c) does not cause amenity impacts	AO4 Development provides a maximum density for Accommodation activities of 1 dwelling or accommodation unit per lot.	✓	Complies - the development will not increase accommodation density on-site.

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<p>beyond the reasonable expectation of accommodation density for the zone; and</p> <p>(d) is commensurate to the scale and frontage of the site.</p>			
For assessable development			
Site cover			
<p>PO5 Buildings and structures occupy the site in a manner that:</p> <p>(a) makes efficient use of land;</p> <p>(b) is consistent with the bulk and scale of surrounding buildings; and</p> <p>(c) appropriately balances built and natural features.</p>	<p>AO5 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Complies - The built form and building bulk proposed on site is not unreasonable and will not result in an imbalance of build and natural features on site.
Building design			
<p>PO6 Building facades are appropriately designed to:</p> <p>(a) include visual interest and architectural variation;</p> <p>(b) maintain and enhance the character of the surrounds;</p> <p>(c) provide opportunities for casual surveillance;</p> <p>(d) include a human scale; and</p> <p>(e) encourage occupation of outdoor space.</p>	<p>AO6 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	n/a	Not applicable for animal keeping uses.

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<p>PO7 Development complements and integrates with the established built character of the Rural residential zone, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) roof form and pitch; (b) eaves and awnings; (c) building materials, colours and textures; and (d) window and door size and location. 	<p>AO7 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	<p>The proposed stable building is not inconsistent in design and scale to other outbuildings in the surrounding estate. Once landscape buffering (to be conditioned) is established and mature, the stable shed should not be visible from adjoining properties or Emerald Heights Road. No visual impact is envisaged. The development complies with PO7.</p>
Non-residential development			
<p>PO8 Non-residential development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) is consistent with the scale of existing development; (b) does not detract from the amenity of nearby residential uses; (c) does not impact on the orderly provision of non-residential development in other locations in the shire; and (d) directly supports the day to day needs of the immediate residential community; or (e) has a direct relationship to the land on which the use is proposed. 	<p>AO8 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	<p>The proposed non-residential development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) - Includes buildings/structures that are consistent with the scale of existing development in the surrounding area; (b) - will be appropriately conditioned to ensure the stable use can co-exist with surrounding residential land uses with minimal land use conflict (see discussion for PO9 below); (c) - will not impact on the orderly provision of this type of development in other locations in the Shire; (d) - arguably could support the needs of residents in the immediate surrounds that require the horse training services provided by the proposed use. <p>The proposed development is</p>

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			considered to comply with PO8.
Amenity			
<p>PO9 Development must not detract from the amenity of the local area, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) noise; (b) hours of operation; (c) traffic; (d) advertising devices; (e) visual amenity; (f) privacy; (g) lighting; (h) odour; and (i) emissions. 	<p>AO9 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>The proposed development is not likely to detrimentally impact on adjacent and nearby residential uses as a result of traffic (traffic generation minimal), advertising devices (none proposed but minimal amount allowed for in conditions), privacy or lighting.</p> <p>Noise generated by the use is likely to be limited to the loading/unloading of horses to and from training at the Mareeba racecourse. This activity is not likely to occur 7 days per week and conditions have been included to ensure that the loading/unloading of horses does not occur before 6:30am and must occur adjacent the stable building away from property boundaries. Horses are also not to be kept in transport vehicles for extended lengths of time. Outside the loading/unloading of horses for transport off site, the only other noise associated with the use will be horses neighing and being exercised which is not likely to significantly impact on adjoining residents. Solid screen fencing and landscaping has been conditioned to further minimise the risk of noise nuisance as well as visual impact and dust nuisance to adjoining</p>

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			<p>residents. Other conditions have also been included to minimise odour and dust nuisance relating to manure and waste collection and disposal, surface treatments and management plans.</p> <p>Emerald Heights Estate, like other 5 acre (2 hectare) rural residential estates in the Shire (Ray Road, Ellery Road) contain many types of non-residential land uses of varying scales (hobby farms, transport depots, livestock keeping) that co-exist with little to no land use conflict. It is considered that the proposed stable use can be established on site, albeit subject to particular conditions, with minimal impact on neighbouring properties.</p> <p>Subject to reasonable and relevant conditioning, it is considered the proposed development can comply with PO9.</p>
<p>PO10 Development must take into account and seek to ameliorate any existing negative environmental impacts, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) noise; (b) hours of operation; (c) traffic; (d) advertising devices; (e) visual amenity; (f) privacy; (g) lighting; (h) odour; and 	<p>AO10 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Complies - See comment for PO9. Existing negative environmental impacts will be managed through appropriate conditioning.</p>

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(i) emissions.			

8.2.2 Airport environs overlay code

8.2.2.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
 - (a) land the subject of development is affected by a constraint category identified on the **Airport environs overlay maps (OM-002a-f)**; and
 - (b) it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

Note—Strategic airports and aviation facilities are appropriately reflected in Overlay Map 2 and is required to be mapped by State Government in response to Infrastructure State Interests.

8.2.2.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Airport environs overlay code is to protect the current and ongoing operations of established airports, aerodromes and aviation infrastructure in Mareeba Shire.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) The ongoing operation of Mareeba Airport and its associated infrastructure are protected from incompatible development;
 - (b) Aerodromes in Chillagoe and Dimbulah are maintained to support recreation, mining and rural uses;
 - (c) Operational airspace is protected;
 - (d) Threats to aviation safety such as bird and bat strike and distraction or blinding of pilots are avoided or minimised;
 - (e) State significant aviation facilities associated with the Mareeba Airport are protected from encroachment by sensitive land uses; and
 - (f) Development in the vicinity of airports, aerodromes and aviation infrastructure does not compromise public safety.

8.2.2.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 8.2.2.3 - Airport environs overlay code - For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Protection of operational airspace			
PO1 Development does not interfere with movement of aircraft or the safe operation of an airport or aerodrome where within the: (a) Airport environs: OLS area of Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c) ; or (b) Airport environs: OLS area of Cairns Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c.1) ; or (c) 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 1 kilometre' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) ; or (d) 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) .	AO1.1 Development does not exceed the height of the Obstacle Limitation Surface (OLS) where located within the Airport environs: OLS area of: (a) Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c) ; or (b) Cairns Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c.1) .	n/a	Not applicable - Subject site is not situated within the Airport Environs: OLS area.
	AO1.2 Development has a maximum height of 10 metres where within the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 1 kilometre' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) .	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO1.3 Development has a maximum height of 15 metres where within the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) .	n/a	Not applicable.
	Lighting		

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO2 Development does not include lighting that:</p> <p>(a) has the potential to impact on the efficient and safe operation of Mareeba Airport or an aerodrome; or</p> <p>(b) could distract or confuse pilots.</p>	<p>AO2 Development within the 'Airport environs: Distance from airport - 6 kilometres' area for Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b) or the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) does not:</p> <p>(a) involve external lighting, including street lighting, that creates straight parallel lines of lighting that are more than 500 metres long; and</p> <p>(b) does not contain reflective cladding upwards shining lights, flashing lights or sodium lights.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
Noise exposure			
<p>PO3 Development not directly associated with Mareeba Airport is protected from aircraft noise levels that may cause harm or undue interference.</p>	<p>AO3 Sensitive land uses are acoustically insulated to at least the minimum standards specified by AS2021 Acoustics - Aircraft Noise Intrusion - Building Siting and Construction where located within the 'Airport environs: 20-25 ANEF' area identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002d).</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
Public safety			
<p>PO4 Development does not compromise public safety or risk to property.</p>	<p>AO4 Development is not located within the 'Airport environs: Mareeba Airport public safety area' identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002e).</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
State significant aviation facilities associated with Mareeba Airport			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO5 Development does not impair the function of state significant aviation facilities by creating:</p> <p>(a) physical obstructions; or</p> <p>(b) electrical or electro-magnetic interference; or</p> <p>(c) deflection of signals.</p>	<p>AO5.1 Development within 'Airport environs: Zone B (600 metre buffer)' for the 'Saddle Mountain VHF' facility identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002a.1) does not exceed a height of 640 metres AHD.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO5.2 Development within 'Airport environs: Zone B (4,000 metre buffer)' for the 'Hahn Tableland Radar (RSR)' facility identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002a) does not exceed a height of 950 metres AHD, unless associated with Hann Tableland Radar facility.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO5.3 Building work does not occur within 'Airport environs: Zone A (200 metre buffer)' of the 'Biboohra CVOR' facility identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002a) unless associated with the Biboohra CVOR facility.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO5.4 Development within 'Airport environs: Zone B (1,500 metre buffer)' of the 'Biboohra CVOR' facility identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002a), but outside 'Zone A (200 metre buffer)' identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002a), does not include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the creation of a permanent or temporary physical line of sight obstruction above 13 metres in height; or (b) overhead power lines exceeding 5 metres in height; or (c) metallic structures exceeding 7.5 metres in height; or (d) trees and open lattice towers exceeding 10 metres in height; or (e) wooden structures exceeding 13 metres in height. 	n/a	Not applicable.
For assessable development			
Mareeba Airport			
Protection of operational airspace			
<p>PO6 Development within the vicinity of Mareeba Airport or an aerodrome does not interfere with the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) movement of aircraft; or (b) safe operation of the airport or facility. 	<p>AO6.1 Development involving sporting and recreational aviation activities such as parachuting, hot air ballooning or hang gliding, does not occur within the Airport environs: OLS area of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c); or (b) Cairns Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c.1). 	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO6.2 Development involving temporary or permanent aviation activities does not occur within the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f).</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<p>PO7 Development does not affect air turbulence, visibility or engine operation in the operational airspace of Mareeba Airport or regional aerodromes.</p>	<p>AO7 Development does not result in the emission of a gaseous plume, at a velocity exceeding 4.3 metres per second, or smoke, dust, ash or steam within:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the Airport environs: OLS area of Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c); or (b) the Airport environs: OLS area of Cairns Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c.1); or (c) the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 1 kilometre' of a regional aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f). 	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
Managing bird and bat strike hazard to aircraft			
PO8 Development in the environs of Mareeba Airport or an aerodrome does not contribute to the potentially serious hazard from wildlife (bird or bat) strike.	AO8.1 Development within the 'Airport environs: Distance from airport - 8 kilometres' Bird and bat strike zone of Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b) or the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) provides that potential food and waste sources are covered and collected so that they are not accessible to wildlife.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO8.2 Development within the 'Airport environs: Distance from airport - 3 kilometres' Bird and bat strike zone of Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b) or the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 1 kilometre' of an aerodrome identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f) does not include: (a) food processing; or (b) abattoir; or (c) intensive horticulture; or (d) intensive animal husbandry; or (e) garden centre; or (f) aquaculture.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO8.3 Putrescible waste disposal sites do not occur within the 'Airport environs: Distance from airport - 13 kilometres' Bird and bat strike zone of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Mareeba Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b); or (b) Cairns Airport identified on Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b.1). 	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

8.2.3 Bushfire hazard overlay code

8.2.3.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
- (a) land the subject of development is located within a Bushfire hazard area and Potential impact buffer (100 metres) identified on the **Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)**; and
 - (b) it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

Note—Natural hazards are appropriately reflected in Overlay Maps 3, 6 and 8 and are required to be mapped by State Government in response to Hazard and Safety State Interests.

8.2.3.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Bushfire hazard overlay code is to minimise the threat of bushfire to people and property.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
- (a) Development in a Bushfire hazard area is compatible with the nature of the hazard;
 - (b) The number of people and properties subject to bushfire hazards are minimised through appropriate building design and location;
 - (c) Development does not result in a material increase in the extent, duration or severity of bushfire hazard; and
 - (d) Appropriate infrastructure is available to emergency services in the event of a bushfire.

8.2.3.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 8.2.3.3—Bushfire hazard overlay code — For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Water supply for fire-fighting purposes			
PO1 Development where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) maintains the safety of people and property by providing an adequate, accessible and reliable water supply for fire-fighting purposes which is safely located and has sufficient flow and pressure characteristics. Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.	Where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) AO1.1 Where in a reticulated water service area, the on-site water supply has flow and pressure characteristics of 10 litres a second at 200 kPa. OR	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO1.2 Where access to the reticulated water network is not available, a minimum on site water storage of 5,000 litres is provided that must comprise:	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	(a) a separate tank; or (b) a reserve section in the bottom part of the main water supply tank; or (c) a dam; or (d) a swimming pool. Note—Where a water tank is provided for fire-fighting purposes it is fitted with standard rural fire brigade fittings and the tank is provided with a hardstand area for heavy vehicles.		
For assessable development			
Land use			
PO2 Development within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) is appropriate to the bushfire hazard risk having regard to the: (a) the bushfire risk compatibility of development; (b) the vulnerability of and safety risk to persons associated with the use; and (c) consequences of bushfire in regard to impacts on essential infrastructure, buildings and structures. Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.	AO2 All buildings, structures, infrastructure and facilities associated with the following uses are located outside any area of the site located within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) : (a) child care centre; or (b) community care centre; or (c) correctional facility; or (d) educational establishment; or (e) emergency services; or (f) hospital; or (g) residential care facility; or (h) retirement facility; or (i) rooming accommodation; or (j) shopping centre; or (k) tourist park; or (l) tourist attraction.	n/a	Not applicable.
Lot design			
PO3 Reconfiguring a lot within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) minimises the potential adverse impacts of bushfire on the safety of people,	Where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) AO3.1 No new lots are created. OR	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>property and the environment through lot design that:</p> <p>(a) is responsive to the nature and extent of bushfire risk; and</p> <p>(b) allows efficient emergency access to buildings for fire-fighting appliances.</p> <p>Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.</p>	<p>AO3.2</p> <p>All lots include a building envelope that achieves a radiant heat flux level of 29kW/m² at the perimeter of the building envelope.</p> <p>Note—Where a radiant heat flux of 29kW/m² is achieved and this relies on cleared or maintained land external to the land the subject of the development application it must be demonstrated that land external to the site will be maintained to a standard that does not exceed the level of bushfire hazard identified in a Bushfire hazard management plan.</p>		
Firebreaks and access			
<p>PO4</p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o), vehicular access is designed to mitigate against bushfire hazard by:</p> <p>(a) ensuring adequate access for fire-fighting and other emergency vehicles;</p> <p>(b) ensuring adequate access for the evacuation of residents and emergency personnel in an emergency situation, including alternative safe access routes should access in one direction be blocked in the event of a fire; and</p> <p>(c) providing for the separation of developed areas and adjacent bushland.</p> <p>Note—Where it is not practicable to provide firebreaks in accordance with A04.2 Fire Maintenance Trails are provided in accordance with the following:</p> <p>i. located as close as possible to the boundaries of the lot and the adjoining hazardous vegetation;</p>	<p>AO4.1</p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o), roads are designed and constructed:</p> <p>(a) with a maximum gradient of 12.5%;</p> <p>(b) to not use cul-de-sacs; and</p> <p>(c) a constructed road width and weather standard complying with Planning Scheme Policy 4 - FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO4.2</p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o), firebreaks are provided:</p> <p>(a) consisting of a perimeter road that separates lots from areas of bushfire hazard;</p> <p>(b) a minimum cleared width of 20 metre;</p> <p>(c) a maximum gradient of 12.5%; and</p> <p>(d) a constructed road width and weather standard complying with Planning Scheme Policy 4 -</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

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ii. the minimum cleared width not less than 6 metres; iii. the formed width is not less than 2.5 metres; iv. the formed gradient is not greater than 15%; v. vehicular access is provided at both ends; vi. passing bays and turning areas are provided for fire-fighting appliances located on public land. Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.	FNQROC Regional Development Manual.		
Hazardous materials			
PO5 Public safety and the environment are not adversely affected by the detrimental impacts of bushfire of hazardous materials manufactured or stored in bulk. Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.	AO5 The processing or storage of dangerous goods or hazardous materials is not undertaken in a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) .	n/a	Not applicable.
Landscaping			
PO6 Landscaping within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) does not result in a material increase in the extent, duration or severity of bushfire hazard having regard to: (a) fire ecology; (b) slope of site; and (c) height and mix of plant species. Note—Frost hollows and the associated grass kill facilitates a rapid curing of fuel and exacerbates bushfire hazard.	AO6 No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.</p>			
Infrastructure			
<p>PO7 Infrastructure services located in a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) are protected from damage or destruction in the event of a bushfire.</p> <p>Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.</p>	<p>AO7 The following infrastructure services are located below ground:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) water supply; (b) sewer; (c) electricity; (d) gas; and (e) telecommunications 	n/a	Not applicable for the animal keeping use proposed.
Private driveways			
<p>PO8 All premises located in a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o) are provided with vehicular access that enables safe evacuation for occupants and easy access by fire-fighting appliances.</p> <p>Note— A Bushfire hazard management plan must be prepared by suitably qualified persons in seeking to demonstrate compliance with the Performance outcome.</p>	<p>AO8 Private driveways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) do not exceed a length of 60 metres from the street frontage; (b) do not exceed a gradient of 12.5%; (c) have a minimum width of 3.5 metres; (d) have a minimum vertical clearance of 4.8 metres; (e) accommodate turning areas for fire-fighting appliances in accordance with the Queensland Fire and Emergency Services' Fire Hydrant and Vehicle Access Guidelines; and (f) serve no more than three dwellings or buildings. 	n/a	Not applicable for the animal keeping use proposed.

8.2.4 Environmental significance overlay code

8.2.4.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
 - (a) land the subject of development is affected by a constraint category identified on the **Environmental significance overlay maps (OM-004a-z)**; and
 - (b) it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

Note—Biodiversity and Water quality are appropriately reflected in Overlay Map 4 and is required to be mapped by State Government in response to Environment and Heritage State Interests.

8.2.4.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Environmental significance overlay code is to identify and protect matters of environmental significance, which include matters of state environmental significance (MSES) as defined under the state planning policy.

The Environmental significance overlay code ensures that:

- (a) waterways and high ecological significance wetlands are protected and enhanced to maintain ecosystem services and hydrological processes and provide aquatic habitat for flora and fauna; and
 - (b) the environmental values of regulated vegetation, wildlife habitat, protected areas and legally secured offset areas are protected and managed.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) the biodiversity values, ecosystem services and climate change resilience of areas of environmental significance are protected, managed, enhanced and rehabilitated;
 - (b) the biodiversity values of protected areas and legally secured offset areas are protected from development unless overriding community need is demonstrated;
 - (c) development is located, designed and managed to minimise the edge effects of development on areas of regulated vegetation and wildlife habitat;
 - (d) areas of regulated vegetation and wildlife habitat are managed to minimise biodiversity losses;
 - (e) development maintains, protects and enhances a regional network of vegetated corridors that assist in wildlife movement and contribute to the maintenance of habitat and biological diversity;
 - (f) development is appropriately setback from waterways and high ecological significance wetlands to minimise direct and indirect impacts on water quality and biodiversity; and
 - (g) riparian vegetation and vegetation associated with high ecological significance wetlands is protected and enhanced to improve water quality and natural ecosystem function.

8.2.4.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 8.2.4.3A - Environmental significance overlay code - For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Regulated vegetation			
<p>PO1 Vegetation clearing in areas mapped as 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) is avoided unless:</p> <p>(a) it is demonstrated that the area does not support regulated vegetation as mapped;</p> <p>(b) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is for community infrastructure and associated access facilities that cannot be avoided;</p> <p>(c) wildlife interconnectivity is maintained or enhanced at a local and regional scale; and</p> <p>(d) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is minimised and any residual impacts are offset.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p>AO1.1 No clearing of native vegetation is undertaken within areas of 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o).</p>	✓	Complies.
<p>PO2 Development on sites adjacent to areas of 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) protects the environmental significance of regulated vegetation and:</p> <p>(a) does not interrupt, interfere, alter or otherwise impact on underlying natural</p>	<p>AO2 Development (excluding roads, earthworks, drainage infrastructure and underground infrastructure) is not located within 20 metres of 'Regulated vegetation' areas identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o).</p>	✓	Complies.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>ecosystem processes such as water quality, hydrology, geomorphology and biophysical processes;</p> <p>(b) does not negatively impact the movement of wildlife at a local or regional scale; and</p> <p>(c) avoids noise, light, vibration or other edge affects, including weed and pest incursion on identified environmental values.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
Regulated vegetation intersecting a watercourse			
<p>PO3 Vegetation clearing in areas mapped as ‘Regulated vegetation intersecting a watercourse’, identified as ‘Waterway’ and ‘Waterway buffer’ on the Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) is avoided unless wildlife interconnectivity between habitats is maintained or enhanced at a local and regional scale, to the extent that migration or normal movement of significant species between habitats or normal gene flow between populations is not inhibited.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p>Where within a ‘Waterway buffer’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</p> <p>AO3.1 A minimum setback in accordance with Table 8.2.4.3B is provided between development and the top of the high bank of a ‘Waterway’ identified on the Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z).</p>	n/a	Not applicable. The only component of the development that will be within the waterway buffer is a landscape buffer strip which is not likely to impact on the waterways ecological values.
	<p>Where within a ‘Waterway buffer’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</p> <p>AO3.2 No clearing of native vegetation is undertaken within the minimum setback identified at AO3.1.</p>	✓	Complies.
Waterways and wetlands			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO4 ‘High ecological significance wetlands’ identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) and ‘Waterways’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) and are protected by:</p> <p>(a) maintaining adequate separation distances between waterways/wetlands and development;</p>	<p>Where within a ‘Waterway buffer’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) AO4.1 A minimum setback in accordance with Table 8.2.4.3B is provided between development and the top of the high bank of a ‘Waterway’ identified on the Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z).</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Complies where relevant.</p>
<p>(b) maintaining and enhancing aquatic and terrestrial habitat including vegetated corridors to allow for native fauna (terrestrial and aquatic) movement;</p> <p>(c) maintaining waterway bank stability by minimising bank erosion and slumping;</p>	<p>Where within a ‘High ecological significance wetland buffer’ on Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) AO4.2 A minimum buffer of 200 metres is provided between development and the edge of a ‘High ecological significance wetland’ identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o).</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
<p>(d) maintaining water quality by providing buffers to allow filtering of sediments, nutrients and other pollutants; and</p> <p>(e) retaining and improving existing riparian vegetation and existing vegetation associated with a wetland.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p>Where within a ‘Waterway buffer’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) or ‘High ecological significance wetland buffer’ on Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) AO4.3 No stormwater is discharged to a ‘Waterway’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) or ‘High ecological significance wetland’ identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o).</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Will comply. The only component of the proposed development situated within the buffer area is a landscape strip. Which will not impact on stormwater quality or quantity. Notwithstanding this, a condition can be attached to any approval requiring the preparation of a erosion an sediment control plan.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>Note— An alternative outcome is required to demonstrate that the ecological impacts of stormwater discharge to a 'Waterway' or 'High ecological significance wetland' are mitigated in accordance with PO3 through appropriate stormwater management / treatment (where possible).</p> <p>Where within a 'Waterway buffer' on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) or 'High ecological significance wetland buffer' on Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) AO4.4</p> <p>No wastewater is discharged to a 'Waterway' on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z) or 'High ecological significance wetland' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Map (OM-004a-z).</p> <p>Note— A alternative outcome is required to demonstrate that the ecological impacts of wastewater discharge to a 'Waterway' or 'High ecological significance wetland' are mitigated in accordance with PO3 through appropriate wastewater management / treatment (where possible).</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Will comply. The only component of the proposed development situated within the buffer area is a landscape strip. Which will not impact on stormwater quality or quantity.</p>
For assessable development			
Wildlife Habitat			
<p>PO5 Development within a 'Wildlife habitat' area identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o):</p> <p>(a) protects and enhances the habitat of Endangered, Vulnerable and Near Threatened (EVNT) species and local species of significance;</p> <p>(b) incorporates siting and design measures to</p>	<p>AO5 No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>protect and retain identified ecological values and underlying ecosystem processes within or adjacent to the development site;</p> <p>(c) maintains or enhances wildlife interconnectivity at a local and regional scale; and</p> <p>(d) mitigates the impact of other forms of potential disturbance (such as presence of vehicles, pedestrian use, increased exposure to domestic animals, noise and lighting impacts) to protect critical life stage ecological processes (such as feeding, breeding or roosting).</p> <p>Note—Development applications must identify any EVNT species or their habitats that may be affected by the proposal. In particular, applications are to identify and describe how the development avoids adverse impacts on ecological processes within or adjacent to the development area.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
Legally secured offset areas			
<p>PO6 Development within a 'Legally secured offset area' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) or other known Legally Secured Offset Area is consistent with the binding requirements of the offset and does not prejudice, undermine, or negatively impact the inherent ecological values, including all naturally occurring native flora, fauna and their habitat</p>	<p>AO6 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>within the Legally Secured Offset Area.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
Protected areas			
<p>PO7 Development within a 'Protected area' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o) is consistent with the values of the Protected Area and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) supports the inherent ecological and community values of the Protected Area asset; (b) maintains or enhances wildlife interconnectivity at a local and regional scale; and (c) does not prejudice, undermine, or negatively impact the inherent ecological values, including all naturally occurring native flora, fauna and their habitat within the Protected Area. <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p>A07 No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
Ecological corridors and Habitat linkages			
<p>PO8 Development located: (a) in the Conservation zone, Emerging community zone, Recreation and open space zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and (b) within an 'Ecological corridor' or a 'Habitat linkage' identified on the Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</p> <p>does not compromise the provision of habitat connectivity of the corridor/linkage, having regard to:</p> <p>(a) the environmental values of the area of the site identified in the 'Ecological corridor' or 'Habitat linkage'; (b) the environmental values of adjoining and nearby land within the 'Ecological corridor' or 'Habitat linkage'; (c) the extent of any modification proposed to the natural environment including (but not limited to) vegetation and topography; (d) the location and design of proposed improvements that may impact on the functions of the 'Ecological corridor' or 'Habitat linkage' including (but not limited to) buildings, structures, fences, lighting, vehicle movement areas and infrastructure services; and (e) the ability for the 'Ecological corridor' or</p>	<p>AO8 No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>'Habitat linkage' to be enhanced to improve ecological connectivity.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports may be appropriate to demonstrate compliance with PO8.</p>			

Table 8.2.4.3B - Setback and buffer distances from waterways

Stream order	Setback and buffer from waterways
1	10 metres from top of high bank
2-4	25 metres from top of high bank
5 or more	50 metres from top of high bank

Note—The stream order of a 'waterway' is to be determined on a case by case basis.

9.3.6 Rural activities code

9.3.6.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
 - (a) involving Rural activities; and
 - (b) it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

9.3.6.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Rural activities code is to facilitate the provision of Rural activities in appropriate locations throughout the shire.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) Rural activities meet the needs of the community through safe, accessible and well located uses;
 - (b) Rural activities are designed, located and operated to minimise any adverse impacts on the natural environment and surrounding uses;
 - (c) Rural activities employ best practice industry standards;
 - (d) Rural activities maintain the rural landscape character and amenity of the surrounding area;
 - (e) Rural activities facilitate employment opportunities where appropriate; and
 - (f) Forestry for wood production is given equal regard to other forms of cropping.

9.3.6.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 9.3.6.3A—Rural activities code — For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
If for Aquaculture			
PO1 Aquaculture is of an appropriate scale and does not adversely impact on surrounding land uses, having regard to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the nature of surrounding land use; 	AO1.1 If located in the Rural zone, Aquaculture: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (a) is located in an existing dam; or (b) does not involve any filling or excavation greater than 1,000m³. 	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(b) the proximity of surrounding land use; (c) hours of operation; and (d) emissions of: (i) odour; (ii) noise; and (iii) light.	AO1.2 If located in the Rural residential zone, Aquaculture is located on land greater than 2 hectares and: (a) is located in an existing dam; or (b) does not involve any filling or excavation.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO1.3 If located in a zone other than the Rural zone or the Rural residential zone, Aquaculture: (a) is enclosed within a building; or (b) does not involve any filling or excavation.	n/a	Not applicable.
PO2 Aquaculture: (a) does not result in contamination or the reduction in quality of ground or surface waters; or (b) adversely impact upon surrounding ecological systems, including existing native vegetation.	AO2.1 All wastewater from the facility (including wash-down water) is discharged directly into the sewer or in accordance with a trade waste permit.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO2.2 A bund is provided to contain a minimum of 110% of the total capacity of the tanks within the facility.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO2.3 Site design includes physical measures for interrupting and treating surface water drainage prior to release from the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO2.4 Bunding is provided to protect areas where waste water storage or treatment occurs.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	AO2.5 The establishment of the Aquaculture use does not involve clearing of native vegetation.	n/a	Not applicable.
PO3 Aquaculture is located on sites which have sufficient area to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) accommodate all buildings, structures and infrastructure associated with the use; and (b) provide sufficient separation between the use and adjoining premises and uses. 	AO3 Aquaculture is established on a site with a minimum site area of 1 hectare.	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Intensive animal industries			
PO4 Buildings, structures, equipment and machinery associated with the use are located so that they do not have a detrimental impact on sensitive land uses, having regard to offsite emissions of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) fume (b) particle (c) smoke (d) odour; (e) light; and (f) noise. <p>Note—The use of the S factor methodology and odour dispersion modelling (in accordance with the methodology identified in PAE Holmes report 'Best Practice Guidance for the Queensland Poultry Industry – Plume Dispersion Modelling and Meteorological Processing') may be appropriate in demonstrating the compliance of an alternative to Acceptable Outcome AO4 with Performance Outcome PO4.</p>	AO4 Intensive animal industries are separated by a minimum distance of 2 kilometres from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) land included in the Low density residential zone, Medium density residential zone, Emerging community zone or Rural residential zone; (b) any existing dwellings or accommodation units; and (c) any community facility where people gather. 	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
If for Animal keeping or Intensive animal industries			
<p>PO5 Animal keeping or Intensive animal industries are located on land which has an area, dimensions and topography which allow the use to function appropriately and be sufficiently separated from adjoining properties and uses.</p>	<p>AO5.1 Development is located on a site which has an area of 60 hectares or greater.</p>	<p>✓ Complies with PO5</p>	<p>The subject site has an area of just 3.164 hectares and is therefore non-compliant with AO5.1.</p> <p>The 60-hectare minimum lot size required by AO5.1 is considered reasonable for some animal keeping and intensive animal industry uses that require large separation distances in order to minimise off-site impacts such as kennels (noise impacts from barking) and piggeries and meat poultry farms (intense odour nuisance). However, the 60 hectare minimum lot size is not necessarily required for the less intense, smaller scale types of animal keeping uses such as stables and catteries.</p> <p>It is considered that the subject sites area, dimensions and topography will allow the proposed stable to function appropriately, and as discussed above, the development has been appropriately conditions to minimise impacts on adjoining properties.</p> <p>It is considered the proposed development can comply with PO5.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO5.2 Development is located on land which has a gradient which is not greater than 10%.</p>	✓	Complies.
If for Forestry for wood production or Permanent plantation			
<p>PO6 The impacts of the use on soil structure, fertility and stability are minimised through appropriate design of the site and operation of the use.</p>	<p>AO6 The establishment and maintenance (including associated tracks and roads) of the use utilises the following methods: (a) mechanical strip cultivation on the contour, spot cultivation or manual cultivation for slopes greater than 10 per cent and less than 25 per cent; (b) spot cultivation or manual cultivation for slopes equal to or greater than 25 per cent; and (c) tracks and roads are located to avoid natural drainage features and areas that are subject to erosion and landslips to the greatest possible extent. Where it is necessary for tracks to cross these areas the crossing is designed and constructed to maximise surface stability.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO7 The Forestry for wood production or Permanent plantation use is designed to:</p> <p>(a) reduce the potential bushfire hazard of the use; and</p> <p>(b) prevent the spread of bushfire between the use and adjoining premises.</p>	<p>AO7.1 Firebreaks with a minimum width of 10 metres are established and maintained between the use and adjoining uses.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO7.2 The outer rows of forestry for wood production trees within 10 metres of the cleared firebreak are pruned up to a minimum height of 2 metres, commencing once trees are greater than 4 metres in height.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO7.3 Planting in hollows, gullies or drainage features preserves cold air drainage flow paths to prevent creation of frost hollows.</p> <p>Note—Frost hollows and the associated grass kill facilitates a rapid curing of fuel and exacerbates bushfire hazard.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Roadside stall			
<p>PO8 The Roadside stall is consistent with the scale, intensity and character of land use within the immediate surrounds, having regard to matters of:</p> <p>(a) size of buildings;</p> <p>(b) building materials and design;</p> <p>(c) relationship with other on-site uses; and</p> <p>(d) balance between built and natural elements</p>	<p>AO8.1 The Roadside stall is for the sale of produce grown on the same rural site or on rural properties in the immediate locality.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO8.2 Buildings and structures comprising the roadside stall do not exceed 20m² gross floor area.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO8.3 Buildings and structures are constructed of materials such as timber, tin and shade cloth.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	AO8.4 Buildings and structures are temporary in nature unless the Roadside stall forms part of an existing farm building.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO8.5 The Roadside stall is a maximum of 5 metres in height.	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Rural industry			
PO9 Rural industry is located on sites which have sufficient area to: (a) accommodate all buildings, structures and infrastructure associated with the use; and (b) provide sufficient separation between the use and adjoining premises and uses.	AO9 Development is located on a lot with a minimum area of 10 hectares.	n/a	Not applicable.
For assessable development			
All Rural activities, other than Aquaculture, Forestry for wood production, Permanent plantation, Roadside stall or Rural industry			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO10 A site specific Environmental Management Plan is provided addressing (as appropriate):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) farming / nursery operations; (b) erosion and sediment control; (c) surface water and storm water management; (d) groundwater protection; (e) nutrient management for substrate utilisation or spray irrigation program; (f) use and storage of chemicals and pesticides; (g) integrated pest management; (h) operations and maintenance requirements; (i) composting; (j) air quality management; (k) odour reduction and management; (l) emergency preparedness plan; (m) wastewater management; (n) spent substrate management; (o) waste management and disposal; (p) separation distances between farm uses and surrounding properties; and (q) other matters appropriate to the use, as determined by Government regulations, guidelines, licence requirements and industry best practice. 	<p>AO10 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Can be conditioned to comply for relevant elements.</p>
If for Forestry for wood production			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO11 Forestry for wood production is located to minimise impacts on nearby land uses and infrastructure, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) damage as a result of fallen trees; (b) reduced access due to fallen trees; (c) spreading of plant matter and seedlings; and (d) shadowing. 	<p>AO11.1 Forestry for wood production is separated a distance of 1.5 times the maximum anticipated height of the tree at harvest from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) dwellings and accommodation units; (b) machinery sheds; and (c) above-ground pipelines not subject to an easement (excluding infrastructure servicing only the farm). 	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO11.2 Within a setback or separation area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) cultivation and planning for wood production does not occur; (b) self-propagated seedlings (wildlings) generated from forestry for wood production are eradicated; and (c) road and track establishment may occur. <p>Note—AO2.2 is not limited to a separation distance provided in accordance with AO2.1 and applies to all setbacks and separation distances applicable to Forestry for wood production, including those provided by a zone code or overlay code.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Animal keeping or Intensive animal industries			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO12 The operation of the development must implement and maintain biosecurity measures that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) prevent the introduction of infectious disease agents to the development; (b) prevent the spread of disease agents from an infected area to an uninfected area; and (c) minimise the incidence and spread of microorganisms of public health significance. 	<p>AO12 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply where relevant.
<p>PO13 Poultry farms, intensive animal feedlots and pig keeping uses are sited and operated in accordance with best practice industry standards, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the nature of surrounding land use; (b) separation from other land uses; (c) the size and nature of the use; and (d) potential for odour dispersion. <p>Note—The use of the S factor methodology and odour dispersion modelling (in accordance with the methodology identified in PAE Holmes report <i>'Best Practice Guidance for the Queensland Poultry Industry – Plume Dispersion Modelling and Meteorological Processing'</i>) may be appropriate in demonstrating compliance with Performance Outcome PO13.</p>	<p>AO13 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO14 All buildings used as part of a poultry farm complex must be appropriately separated from adjoining land, existing infrastructure and areas of environmental interest.</p> <p>Note—Where a poultry farm involves 1,000 birds or less, no Acceptable Outcome is provided.</p>	<p>AO14.1 All buildings used as part of a poultry farm complex which involves more than 1,000 birds are setback from property boundaries in accordance with Table 9.3.6.3B.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO14.2 All buildings used as part of a poultry farm complex which involves more than 1,000 birds are separated by a distance which is no less than that specified in Table 9.3.6.3B from the following: (a) surface water, wells and bores; (b) declared fish habitat areas; and (c) high ecological value waters.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<p>PO15 Development avoids and, where unavoidable, mitigates impacts on ground water, particularly where ground water is heavily drawn upon for irrigation or domestic purposes.</p>	<p>AO15 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	The development is not likely to have a noticeable impact on ground water supply in the area.
If for Aquaculture			
<p>PO16 Water used as part of an Aquaculture operation is appropriately managed to ensure that it does not impact on environmental values.</p>	<p>AO16 Water used as part of an Aquaculture operation does not reach a waterway, wetland or other waterbody via overland or stormwater flows.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
PO17 Development is located and designed to avoid or minimise impacts on areas host to fisheries resources.	AO17.1 All elements of the Aquaculture operation are separated from fish habitats by a minimum distance of: (a) 50 metres from bankfull width outside an urban area; or (b) 25 metres from bankfull width within an urban area.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO17.2 There is an overriding functional requirement for the development component or infrastructure to be located on areas host to fisheries resources.	n/a	Not applicable.
PO18 A pond, tank or any other similar containment structure used for Aquaculture is appropriately designed to prevent leakage.	AO18 No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.

Table 9.3.6.3B— Poultry farming (over 1,000 birds) setback distances

Aspect	Distance (measured from poultry farm building complex to relevant aspect)
Areas of environmental interest	
Surveyed bank of a permanent water course	100 metres
Water supply dam	250 metres
Upper flood margin level of an urban water supply storage	800 metres
Wetlands and tidal waters	250 metres
Other surface waters (not covered by other categories)	100 metres
Property boundaries	
Property boundary where adjoining land is not located in the Rural Zone	300 metres
Property boundary in all other cases	100 metres

9.4.2 Landscaping code

9.4.2.1 Application

This code applies where it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

9.4.2.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Landscaping code is to ensure all development is landscaped to a standard that:
 - (a) complements the scale and appearance of the development;
 - (b) protects and enhances the amenity and environmental values of the site;
 - (c) complements and enhances the streetscape and local landscape character; and
 - (d) ensures effective buffering of incompatible land uses to protect local amenity.

- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) Landscaping is a functional part of development design and is commensurate with the intended use;
 - (b) Landscaping accommodates the retention of existing significant on site vegetation where appropriate and practical;
 - (c) Landscaping treatments complement the scale, appearance and function of the development;
 - (d) Landscaping contributes to an attractive streetscape;
 - (e) Landscaping enhances the amenity and character of the local area;
 - (f) Landscaping enhances natural environmental values of the site and the locality;
 - (g) Landscaping provides effective screening both on site, if required, and between incompatible land uses;
 - (h) Landscaping provides shade in appropriate circumstances;
 - (i) Landscape design enhances personal safety and reduces the potential for crime and vandalism; and
 - (j) Intensive land uses incorporate vegetated buffers to provide effective screening of buildings, structures and machinery associated with the use.

9.4.2.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 9.4.2.3A—Landscaping code - For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
<p>PO1 Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) contributes to the landscape character of the Shire; (b) compliments the character of the immediate surrounds; (c) provides an appropriate balance between built and natural elements; and (d) provides a source of visual interest. 	<p>AO1 Development, other than in the Rural zone, provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a minimum of 10% of the site as landscaping; (b) planting in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species; (c) for the integration of retained significant vegetation into landscaping areas; (d) on-street landscaping works in accordance with the Design Guidelines set out in Section D9 Landscaping, of the Planning Scheme Policy 4 - FNQROC Regional Development Manual. <p>Note—Where development exceeds a site cover of 90%, areas of landscaping may be provided above ground level to achieve a total supply of landscaping equivalent to 10% of the site area.</p>	<p>✓ Complies with PO1</p>	<p>The proposed development includes less than 10% of the site as landscaping and is therefore non-compliant with AO1.</p> <p>Despite this non-compliance, the amount of landscaping proposed, which for the most part has been secured by condition of approval, will contribute to the attractiveness of the site and provide an appropriate balance and buffer between the proposed development including its built form and surrounding residential development.</p> <p>The proposed development complies with the relevant components of PO1.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO2 Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping along site frontages that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) creates an attractive streetscape; (b) compliments the character of the immediate surrounds; (c) assists to break up and soften elements of built form; (d) screen areas of limited visual interest or servicing; (e) provide shade for pedestrians; and (f) includes a range and variety of planting. 	<p>AO2 Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes a landscape strip along any site frontage:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) with a minimum width of 2 metres where adjoining a car parking area; (b) with a minimum width of 1.5 metres in all other locations; and (c) in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species. <p>Note—Where development is setback from a frontage less than 1.5 metres, the setback area is provided as a landscape strip</p>	✓	Landscaping screening buffers will be conditioned as per their location shown on the submitted plans. The widths depicted on the submitted plan exceed those mentioned in AO2.
<p>PO3 Development includes landscaping and fencing along side and rear boundaries that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) screens and buffer land uses; (b) assists to break up and soften elements of built form; (c) screens areas of limited visual interest; (d) preserves the amenity of sensitive land uses; and (e) includes a range and variety of planting. 	<p>AO3.1 Development provides landscape treatments along side and rear boundaries in accordance with Table 9.4.2.3B.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply where relevant.
	<p>AO3.2 Shrubs and trees provided in landscape strips along side and rear boundaries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) are planted at a maximum spacing of 1 metre; (b) will grow to a height of at least 2 metres; (c) will grow to form a screen of no less than 2 metres in height; and (d) are mulched to a minimum depth of 0.1 metres with organic mulch. 	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO3.3 Any landscape strip provided along a side or rear boundary is designed in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<p>PO4 Car parking areas are improved with a variety of landscaping that:</p> <p>(a) provides visual interest;</p> <p>(b) provides a source of shade for pedestrians;</p> <p>(c) assists to break up and soften elements; and</p> <p>(d) improves legibility.</p>	<p>AO4.1 Landscaping is provided in car parking areas which provides:</p> <p>(a) a minimum of 1 shade tree for every 4 parking spaces, or part thereof, where the car parking area includes 12 or more spaces;</p> <p>(b) a minimum of 1 shade tree for every 6 parking spaces, or part thereof, otherwise; and</p> <p>(c) where involving a car parking area in excess of 500m²:</p> <p>(i) shade structures are provided for 50% of parking spaces; and</p> <p>(ii) a minimum of 10% of the parking area as landscaping.</p> <p>Note—Where a shade structure is provided over part of a car parking area, shade tree planting is not required in this area of the car parking area.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO4.2 Landscaping in car parking areas is designed in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<p>PO5 Landscaping areas include a range and variety of planting that:</p>	<p>AO5.1 Plant species are selected from the Plant Schedule in Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(a) is suitable for the intended purpose and local conditions; (b) contributes to the natural character of the Shire; (c) includes native species; (d) includes locally endemic species, where practical; and (e) does not include invasive plants or weeds.	AO5.2 A <u>minimum of 25%</u> of (new and existing) plants is provided as larger, advanced stock with a minimum plant height of 0.7 metres and mulched to a minimum depth of 0.1 metres with organic mulch.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
PO6 Landscaping does not impact on the ongoing provision of infrastructure and services to the Shire.	AO6.1 Tree planting is a minimum of (a) 2 metres from any underground water, sewer, gas, electricity or telecommunications infrastructure; and (b) 4 metres from any inspection chamber.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO6.2 Vegetation below or within 4 metres of overhead electricity lines and power poles has a maximum height of 3.5 metres at maturity.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
	AO6.3 Vegetation adjoining an electricity substation boundary, at maturity, will have: (a) a height of less than 4 metres; and (b) no foliage within 3 metres of the substation boundary, unless the substation has a solid wall along any boundary.	n/a	Not applicable.
For assessable development			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO7 Landscaping areas are designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) be easily maintained throughout the ongoing use of the site; (b) allow sufficient area and access to sunlight and water for plant growth; (c) not cause a nuisance to occupants of the site or members of the public; and (d) maintain or enhance the safety of pedestrians through the use of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design principles. 	<p>AO7 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Can be conditioned to comply.</p>

Table 9.4.2.3B—Side and rear boundary landscape treatments

Location or use	Landscape Strip Minimum Width	Screen Fencing Minimum Height	Extent of treatment
Where car parking, servicing or manoeuvring areas adjoin a side or rear boundary	1 metre	Not applicable	To the extent these areas adjoin the boundary
Where involving a use other than a dwelling house on a site with a common boundary with land in the Low density residential zone, the Medium density residential zone or the Rural residential zone:	1.5 metres	1.8 metres	Along the common boundary.
Development for an industrial activity which has a common boundary with land not within the Industry zone	2 metres	1.8 metres	Along the common boundary
Development involving (a) Tourist park not in the Rural zone (b) Sales office (c) Multiple dwelling (d) Residential care facility; or (e) Dual occupancy	Not applicable	1.8 metres	Along all side and rear boundaries and between dwellings for a Dual occupancy.
Development involving (a) Tourist park in the Rural zone (b) Service station (c) Car wash; or (d) Utility installation	2 metres	Not applicable	Along all side and rear boundaries
For: (a) waste storage; (b) equipment; (c) servicing areas; and (d) private open space and site facilities associated with Caretaker's accommodation.	Not applicable	1.8 metres	To prevent visibility

Note—Where more than one landscape treatment is applicable to a development in the above table, the development is to provide a landscape treatment that satisfies all applicable minimum specifications.

9.4.3 Parking and access code

9.4.3.1 Application

This code applies to assessing development where it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

9.4.3.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Parking and access code is to ensure:
 - (a) parking areas are appropriately designed, constructed and maintained;
 - (b) the efficient functioning of the development and the local road network; and
 - (c) all development provides sufficient parking, loading/service and manoeuvring areas to meet the demand generated by the use.

- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) Land uses have a sufficient number of parking and bicycle spaces designed in a manner to meet the requirements of the user;
 - (b) Parking spaces and associated manoeuvring areas are safe, functional and provide equitable access;
 - (c) Suitable access for all types of vehicles likely to utilise a parking area is provided in a way that does not compromise the safety and efficiency of the surrounding road network;
 - (d) Premises are adequately serviced to meet the reasonable requirements of the development; and
 - (e) End of trip facilities are provided by new major developments to facilitate alternative travel modes.

9.4.3.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 9.4.3.3A—Parking and access code – For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Car parking spaces			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO1 Development provides sufficient car parking to accommodate the demand likely to be generated by the use, having regard to the:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) nature of the use; (b) location of the site; (c) proximity of the use to public transport services; (d) availability of active transport infrastructure; and (e) accessibility of the use to all members of the community. 	<p>AO1 The number of car parking spaces provided for the use is in accordance with Table 9.4.3.3B.</p> <p>Note—Car parking spaces provided for persons with a disability are to be considered in determining compliance with AO1.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
Vehicle crossovers			
<p>PO2 Vehicle crossovers are provided to::</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) ensure safe and efficient access between the road and premises; (b) minimize interference with the function and operation of roads; and (c) minimise pedestrian to vehicle conflict. 	<p>AO2.1 Vehicular access to/from Council roads is designed and constructed in accordance with the Standard drawings in Planning Scheme Policy 4 - FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
	<p>AO2.2 Development on a site with two or more road frontages provides vehicular access from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the primary frontage where involving Community activities or Sport and recreation activities, unless the primary road frontage is a State-controlled road; or (b) from the lowest order road in all other instances. 	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	AO2.3 Vehicular access for particular uses is provided in accordance with Table 9.4.3.3E .	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
PO3 Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include appropriate pavement treatments having regard to: (a) the intensity of anticipated vehicle movements; (b) the nature of the use that they service; and (c) the character of the surrounding locality.	AO3 Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include pavements that are constructed in accordance with Table 9.4.3.3C .	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
For assessable development			
Parking area location and design			
PO4 Car parking areas are located and designed to: (a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation; and (b) be consistent with the character of the surrounding locality.	AO4.1 Car parking spaces, access and circulation areas have dimensions in accordance with AS/NZS 2890.1 Off-street car parking.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
	AO4.2 Disabled access and car parking spaces are located and designed in accordance with AS/NZS 2890.6 Parking facilities - Off-street parking for people with disabilities.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO4.3 The car parking area includes designated pedestrian routes that provide connections to building entrances.	n/a	Not applicable - car parking will be provided in close proximity to the stable building.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO4.4 Parking and any set down areas are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) wholly contained within the site; (b) visible from the street where involving Commercial activities, Community activities, Industrial activities or a use in the Recreation and open space zone; (c) are set back behind the main building line where involving a Dual occupancy, Multiple dwelling, Residential care facility or Retirement facility; and (d) provided at the side or rear of a building in all other instances. 	✓	Will comply where relevant.
Site access and manoeuvring			
<p>PO5 Access to, and manoeuvring within, the site is designed and located to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) ensure the safety and efficiency of the external road network; (b) ensure the safety of pedestrians; (c) provide a functional and convenient layout; and (d) accommodate all vehicles intended to use the site. 	<p>AO5.1 Access and manoeuvrability is in accordance with :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) AS28901 – Car Parking Facilities (Off Street Parking); and (b) AS2890.2 – Parking Facilities (Off-street Parking) Commercial Vehicle Facilities. <p>Note—Proposal plans should include turning circles designed in accordance with AP34/95 (Austroads 1995) Design Vehicles and Turning Path Templates.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO5.2 Vehicular access has a minimum sight distance in accordance with Part 5 of AUSTROADS.</p>	✓	Complies - Site access is via cul-de-sac.
	<p>AO5.3 Vehicular access is located and designed so that all vehicles enter and exit the site in a forward gear.</p>	✓	Will comply.
	<p>AO5.4 Pedestrian and cyclist access to the site: (a) is clearly defined; (b) easily identifiable; and (c) provides a connection between the site frontage and the entrance to buildings and end of trip facilities (where provided).</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<p>PO6 Development that involves an internal road network ensures that it's design: (a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation; (b) does not impact on the amenity of residential</p>	<p>AO6.1 Internal roads for a Tourist park have a minimum width of: (a) 4 metres if one way; or (b) 6 metres if two way.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>uses on the site and on adjoining sites, having regard to matters of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) hours of operation; (ii) noise (iii) light; and (iv) odour; <p>(c) accommodates the nature and volume of vehicle movements anticipated to be generated by the use;</p> <p>(d) allows for convenient access to key on-site features by pedestrians, cyclists and motor vehicles; and</p> <p>(e) in the Rural zone, avoids environmental degradation.</p>	<p>AO6.2 For a Tourist park, internal road design avoids the use of cul-de-sacs in favour of circulating roads, where unavoidable, cul-de-sacs provide a full turning circle for vehicles towing caravans having:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a minimum approach and departure curve radius of 12 metres; and (b) a minimum turning circle radius of 8 metres. 	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
	<p>AO6.3 Internal roads are imperviously sealed and drained, apart from those for an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
	<p>AO6.4 Speed control devices are installed along all internal roads, apart from those for an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity, in accordance with Complete Streets.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
	<p>AO6.5 Internal roads, apart from those for an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity, are illuminated in accordance with AS 4282 (as amended) - Control of Obtrusive effects of outdoor lighting.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO6.6 Where involving an accommodation activity, internal roads facilitate unobstructed access to every dwelling, accommodation unit, accommodation site and building by emergency services vehicles.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO6.7 For an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity, internal road gradients: (a) are no steeper than 1:5; or (b) are steeper than 1:5 and are sealed.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
Servicing			
<p>PO7 Development provides access, maneuvering and servicing areas on site that: (a) accommodate a service vehicle commensurate with the likely demand generated by the use; (b) do not impact on the safety or efficiency of internal car parking or maneuvering areas; (c) do not adversely impact on the safety or efficiency of the road network; (d) provide for all servicing functions associated with the use; and (e) are located and designed to minimise their impacts on</p>	<p>AO7.1 All unloading, loading, service and waste disposal areas are located: (a) on the site; (b) to the side or rear of the building, behind the main building line; (c) not adjacent to a site boundary where the adjoining property is used for a sensitive use.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply where relevant.
	<p>AO7.2 Unloading, loading, service and waste disposal areas allow service vehicles to enter and exit the site in a forward gear.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
adjoining sensitive land uses and streetscape quality.	AO7.3 Development provides a servicing area, site access and maneuvering areas to accommodate the applicable minimum servicing vehicle specified in Table 9.4.3.3B.	n/a	Not applicable.
Maintenance			
PO8 Parking areas are used and maintained for their intended purpose.	AO8.1 Parking areas are kept and used exclusively for parking and are maintained in a suitable condition for parking and circulation of vehicles.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
	AO8.2 All parking areas will be compacted, sealed, drained, line marked and maintained until such time as the development ceases.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
End of trip facilities			
PO9 Development within the Centre zone; Industry zone or Emerging community zone provides facilities for active transport users that: (a) meet the anticipated demand generated from the use; (b) comprise secure and convenient bicycle parking and storage; and (c) provide end of trip facilities for all active transport users.	AO9.1 The number of bicycle parking spaces provided for the use is in accordance with Table 9.4.3.3D.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO9.2 End of trip facilities are provided in accordance with Table 9.4.3.3D.	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Educational establishment or Child care centre where involving more than 100 vehicle movements per day or Renewable energy facility, Sport and recreation activities or Tourist park			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO10 The level of traffic generated by the development on the surrounding local road network must not result in unacceptable impacts on adjacent land and local road users.</p>	<p>AO10 A traffic impact report is prepared by a suitably qualified person that identifies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the expected traffic movements to be generated by the facility; (b) any associated impacts on the road network; and (c) any works that will be required to address the identified impacts. 	n/a	Not applicable.
If for Educational establishment or Child care centre where involving more than 100 vehicle movements per day or Renewable energy facility, Sport and recreation activities or Tourist park			
<p>PO11 The level of traffic generated by the development on the surrounding local road network must not result in unacceptable impacts on adjacent land and local road users.</p>	<p>AO11 A traffic impact report is prepared by a suitably qualified person that identifies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (d) the expected traffic movements to be generated by the facility; (e) any associated impacts on the road network; and (f) any works that will be required to address the identified impacts. 	n/a	Not applicable.

Table 9.4.3.3B—Vehicle Parking and Service Vehicle Space Requirements

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
Animal keeping	Minimum of three spaces or one space per 200m ² of use area, whichever is greater.	One SRV space.

9.4.5 Works, services and infrastructure code

9.4.5.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where it is identified in the assessment benchmarks for assessable development and requirements for accepted development column of an assessment table in Part 5 of the planning scheme.

9.4.5.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Works, services and infrastructure code is to ensure that all development is appropriately serviced by physical infrastructure, public utilities and services and that work associated with development is carried out in a manner that does not adversely impact on the surrounding area.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
 - (a) Development provides an adequate, safe and reliable supply of potable, fire-fighting and general use water in accordance with relevant standards;
 - (b) Development provides for the treatment and disposal of wastewater and ensures there are no adverse impacts on water quality, public health, local amenity or ecological processes;
 - (c) Development provides for the disposal of stormwater and ensures that there are no adverse impacts on water quality or ecological processes;
 - (d) Development connects to the road network and any adjoining public transport, pedestrian and cycle networks while ensuring no adverse impacts on the safe, convenient and efficient operation of these networks;
 - (e) Development provides electricity and telecommunications services that meet its desired requirements;
 - (f) Development is connected to a nearby electricity network with adequate capacity without significant environment, social or amenity impact;
 - (g) Development does not affect the efficient functioning of public utility mains, services or installations;
 - (h) Infrastructure dedicated to Council is cost effective over its life cycle;
 - (i) Work associated with development does not cause adverse impacts on the surrounding area; and
 - (j) Development prevents the spread of weeds, seeds or other pests.

9.4.5.3 Criteria for assessment

Table 9.4.5.3 - Works, services and infrastructure code – For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development			
Water supply			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO1 Each lot has an adequate volume and supply of water that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) meets the needs of users; (b) is adequate for fire-fighting purposes; (c) ensures the health, safety and convenience of the community; and (d) minimises adverse impacts on the receiving environment. 	<p>AO1.1 Development is connected to a reticulated water supply system in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual other than where located:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and (b) outside a reticulated water supply service area. 	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO1.2 Development, where located outside a reticulated water supply service area and in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone is provided with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a bore or bores are provided in accordance with the Design Guidelines set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual; or (b) on-site water storage tank/s: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) with a minimum capacity of 90,000L; (ii) fitted with a 50mm ball valve with a camlock fitting; and (iii) which are installed and connected prior to the occupation or use of the development. 	✓	Can be conditioned to comply. The proposed development is for animal keeping only.
Wastewater disposal			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO2 Each lot provides for the treatment and disposal of effluent and other waste water that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) meets the needs of users; (b) is adequate for fire-fighting purposes; (c) ensures the health, safety and convenience of the community; and (d) minimises adverse impacts on the receiving environment. 	<p>AO2.1 Development is connected to a reticulated sewerage system in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual other than where located:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and (b) outside a reticulated sewerage service area. 	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>AO2.2 An effluent disposal system is provided in accordance with ASNZ 1547 On-Site Domestic Wastewater Management (as amended) where development is located:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and (b) outside a reticulated sewerage service area. 	n/a	Not applicable - Horse manure will be removed by hand and disposed of off-site.
Stormwater infrastructure			
<p>PO3 Stormwater infrastructure is designed and constructed to collect and convey the design storm event to a lawful point of discharge in a manner that mitigates impacts on life and property.</p>	<p>AO3.1 Where located within a Priority infrastructure area or where stormwater infrastructure is available, development is connected to Council's stormwater network in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>AO3.2 On-site drainage systems are constructed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) to convey stormwater from the premises to a lawful point of discharge; and (b) in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual. 	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
Electricity supply			
<p>PO4 Each lot is provided with an adequate supply of electricity</p>	<p>AO4 The premises:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) is connected to the electricity supply network; or (b) has arranged a connection to the transmission grid; or (c) where not connected to the network, an independent energy system with sufficient capacity to service the development (at near average energy demands associated with the use) may be provided as an alternative to reticulated electricity where: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) it is approved by the relevant regulatory authority; and (ii) it can be demonstrated that no air or noise emissions; and (iii) it can be demonstrated that no adverse impact on visual amenity will occur. 	✓	Complies - The site contains a dwelling house and has an active electricity supply.
Telecommunications infrastructure			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
PO5 Each lot is provided with an adequate supply of telecommunication infrastructure	A05 Development is provided with a connection to the national broadband network or telecommunication services.	n/a	Not applicable.
Existing public utility services			
PO6 Development and associated works do not affect the efficient functioning of public utility mains, services or installations.	A06 Public utility mains, services are relocated, altered or repaired in association with the works so that they continue to function and satisfy the relevant Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.	n/a	Not applicable.
Excavation or filling			
PO7 Excavation or filling must not have an adverse impact on the: (a) streetscape; (b) scenic amenity; (c) environmental values; (d) slope stability; (e) accessibility; or (f) privacy of adjoining premises.	A07.1 Excavation or filling does not occur within 1.5 metres of any site boundary.	n/a	Not applicable.
	A07.2 Excavation or filling at any point on a lot is to be no greater than 1.5 metres above or below natural ground level.	n/a	Not applicable.
	A07.3 Earthworks batters: (a) are no greater than 1.5 metres in height; (b) are stepped with a minimum width 2 metre berm; (c) do not exceed a maximum of two batters and two berms (not greater than 3.6 metres in total height) on any one lot; (d) have a slope no greater than 1 in 4; and (e) are retained.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p>A07.4 Soil used for filling or spoil from excavation is not stockpiled in locations that can be viewed from:</p> <p>(a) adjoining premises; or (b) a road frontage, for a period exceeding 1 month from the commencement of the filling or excavation.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>A07.5 All batters and berms to be constructed in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>A07.6 Retaining walls have a maximum height of 1.5 metres and are designed and constructed in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p>A07.7 Excavation or filling at any point on a lot is to include measures that protect trees at the foot or top of cut or fill batters by the use of appropriate retaining methods and sensitive earth removal or placement and in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
For assessable development			
Transport network			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO8 The development has access to a transport network of adequate standard to provide for the safe and efficient movement of vehicles, pedestrians and cyclists.</p>	<p>A08.1 Vehicle access, crossovers, road geometry, pavement, utilities and landscaping to the frontage/s of the site are designed and constructed in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development manual.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply where relevant.
	<p>A08.2 Development provides footpath pavement treatments in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 9 – Footpath Paving.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
Public infrastructure			
<p>PO9 The design, construction and provision of any infrastructure that is to be dedicated to Council is cost effective over its life cycle and incorporates provisions to minimise adverse impacts.</p>	<p>A09 Development is in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
Stormwater quality			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO10 Development has a non-worsening effect on the site and surrounding land and is designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) optimise the interception, retention and removal of waterborne pollutants, prior to the discharge to receiving waters; (b) protect the environmental values of waterbodies affected by the development, including upstream, on-site and downstream waterbodies; (c) achieve specified water quality objectives; (d) minimise flooding; (e) maximise the use of natural channel design principles; (f) maximise community benefit; and (g) minimise risk to public safety. 	<p>AO10.1 The following reporting is prepared for all Material change of use or Reconfiguring a lot proposals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) a Stormwater Management Plan and Report that meets or exceeds the standards of design and construction set out in the Queensland Urban Drainage Manual (QUDM) and the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual; and (b) an Erosion and Sediment Control Plan that meets or exceeds the Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Guidelines (Institute of Engineers Australia), including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) drainage control; (ii) erosion control; (iii) sediment control; and (iv) water quality outcomes. 	<p>✓</p>	<p>Can be conditioned to comply.</p>

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	<p>AO10.2 For development on land greater than 2,500m² or that result in more than 5 lots or more than 5 dwellings or accommodation units, a Stormwater Quality Management Plan and Report prepared and certified by a suitably qualified design engineer (RPEQ) is prepared that demonstrates that the development:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) meets or exceeds the standards of design and construction set out in the Urban Stormwater Quality Planning Guideline and the Queensland Water Quality Guideline; (b) is consistent with any local area stormwater water management planning; (c) accounts for development type, construction phase, local climatic conditions and design objectives; and (d) provides for stormwater quality treatment measures reflecting land use constraints, such as soil type, landscape features (including landform), nutrient hazardous areas, acid sulfate soil and rainfall erosivity. 	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO11 Storage areas for stormwater detention and retention:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) protect or enhance the environmental values of receiving waters; (b) achieve specified water quality objectives; (c) where possible, provide for recreational use; (d) maximise community benefit; and (e) minimise risk to public safety. 	<p>AO11 No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable - No stormwater detention is proposed or likely needed.</p>
Excavation or filling			
<p>PO12 Traffic generated by filling or excavation does not impact on the amenity of the surrounding area.</p>	<p>AO12.1 Haul routes used for transportation of fill to or from the site only use major roads and avoid residential areas.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
	<p>AO12.2 Transportation of fill to or from the site does not occur:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) within peak traffic times; and (b) before 7am or after 6pm Monday to Friday; (c) before 7am or after 1pm Saturdays; and (d) on Sundays or Public Holidays. 	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
PO13 Air pollutants, dust and sediment particles from excavation or filling, do not cause significant environmental harm or nuisance impacts.	AO13.1 Dust emissions do not extend beyond the boundary of the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO13.2 No other air pollutants, including odours, are detectable at the boundary of the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
	AO13.3 A management plan for control of dust and air pollutants is prepared and implemented.	n/a	Not applicable.
PO14 Access to the premises (including driveways and paths) does not have an adverse impact on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) safety; (b) drainage; (c) visual amenity; and (d) privacy of adjoining premises. 	AO14 Access to the premises (including all works associated with the access): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) must follow as close as possible to the existing contours; (b) be contained within the premises and not the road reserve, and (c) are designed and constructed in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development manual. 	n/a	Not applicable.
Weed and pest management			
PO15 Development prevents the spread of weeds, seeds or other pests into clean areas or away from infested areas.	AO15 No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.
Contaminated land			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>PO16 Development is located and designed to ensure that users and nearby sensitive land uses are not exposed to unacceptable levels of contaminants</p>	<p>AO16 Development is located where: (a) soils are not contaminated by pollutants which represent a health or safety risk to users; or (b) contaminated soils are remediated prior to plan sealing, operational works permit, or issuing of building works permit.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
Fire services in developments accessed by common private title			
<p>PO17 Fire hydrants are located in positions that will enable fire services to access water safely, effectively and efficiently.</p>	<p>AO17.1 Fire hydrants are located in accessways or private roads held in common private title at a maximum spacing of: (a) 120 metres for residential development; and (b) 90 metres for any other development.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>
	<p>AO17.2 Fire hydrants are located at all intersections of accessways or private roads held in common private title.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>