

## **Assessment of application against relevant Development Codes**

### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

<b>APPLICATION</b>		<b>PREMISES</b>	
<b>FILE NO:</b>	MCU/21/0004	<b>ADDRESS:</b>	57 Douglas Track, Speewah
<b>APPLICANT:</b>	M Dowling	<b>RPD:</b>	Lot 56 on RP732900
<b>LODGED BY:</b>	M Dowling	<b>AREA:</b>	8,718m <sup>2</sup>
<b>DATE LODGED:</b>	22 March 2021	<b>OWNER :</b>	M Dowling & T Kotzur
<b>TYPE OF APPROVAL:</b>	Development Permit		
<b>PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:</b>	Material Change of Use - Shop (General Store), Garden Centre (Nursery) & Low Impact Industry (Small Engine Repairs & Servicing)		
<b>PLANNING SCHEME:</b>	Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme 2016		
<b>ZONE:</b>	Rural Residential Zone		
<b>LEVEL OF ASSESSMENT:</b>	Impact Assessment		
<b>SUBMISSIONS:</b>	1 Objection, 9 Support		

### **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
- 8.2.3 Bushfire hazard overlay code
- 8.2.4 Environmental significance overlay code
- 9.3.2 Commercial activities code
- 9.3.5 Industrial activities code
- 9.4.1 Advertising devices 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 4,000m<sup>2</sup> 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 4,000m<sup>2</sup>.
- (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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Height</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Building height takes into consideration and respects the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the height of existing buildings on adjoining premises;</li> <li>(b) the development potential, with respect to height, on adjoining premises;</li> <li>(c) the height of buildings in the vicinity of the site;</li> <li>(d) access to sunlight and daylight for the site and adjoining sites;</li> <li>(e) privacy and overlooking; and</li> <li>(f) site area and street frontage length.</li> </ul>	<b>AO1</b> Development has a maximum building height of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 8.5 metres; and</li> <li>(b) 2 storeys above ground level.</li> </ul>	✓	Complies.
<b>Outbuildings and residential scale</b>			
<b>PO2</b> Domestic outbuildings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) do not dominate the lot on which they are located; and</li> <li>(b) are consistent with the scale and character of development in the</li> </ul>	<b>AO2.1</b> On lots less than 2 hectares, domestic outbuildings do not exceed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 150m<sup>2</sup> in gross floor area; and</li> <li>(b) 5.5 metres above natural ground level.</li> </ul>	n/a	The shed currently utilised for the Speewah Farmall business activities is existing and is approximately 200m <sup>2</sup> in GFA. This structure is a business premises and is not considered a

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Rural residential zone.			"domestic outbuilding".
	<b>AO2.2</b> On lots greater than 2 hectares, domestic outbuildings do not exceed: (a) 200m <sup>2</sup> in gross floor area; and (b) 8.5 metres above natural ground level.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Siting</b>			
<b>PO3</b> 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.	<b>AO3</b> 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 <sup>2</sup> precinct; and (e) 3 metres from a side or rear boundary otherwise.	✓ <b>Complies with PO3</b>	The built form on site is existing and does not impact on residential amenity or road users. The development will comply with PO3.
<b>Accommodation density</b>			
<b>PO4</b> 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 beyond the	<b>AO4</b> Development provides a maximum density for Accommodation activities of 1 dwelling or accommodation unit per lot.	n/a	Not applicable - the development does not involve a residential aspect. The site contains one dwelling only.

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<p>reasonable expectation of accommodation density for the zone; and</p> <p>(d) is commensurate to the scale and frontage of the site.</p>			
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Site cover</b>			
<p><b>PO5</b> 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><b>AO5</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Complies - The development exists on-site and will predominately utilise existing structures.
<b>Building design</b>			
<p><b>PO6</b> 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><b>AO6</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Complies - The development exists on-site and will predominately utilise existing structures.

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<b>PO7</b> Development complements and integrates with the established built character of the Rural residential zone, having regard to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) roof form and pitch;</li> <li>(b) eaves and awnings;</li> <li>(c) building materials, colours and textures; and</li> <li>(d) window and door size and location.</li> </ul>	<b>AO7</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies - The development exists on-site and will predominately utilise existing structures. Sufficient landscaping is also provided on-site.
<b>Non-residential development</b>			
<b>PO8</b> Non-residential development: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) is consistent with the scale of existing development;</li> <li>(b) does not detract from the amenity of nearby residential uses;</li> <li>(c) does not impact on the orderly provision of non-residential development in other locations in the shire; and</li> <li>(d) directly supports the day to day needs of the immediate residential community; or</li> <li>(e) has a direct relationship to the land on which the use is proposed.</li> </ul>	<b>AO8</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓ Complies with PO8	The subject site is situated in the centre of a developed Rural residential zoned area. The majority of the built form associated with the proposed business is established on-site, with the exception of a larger greenhouse/nursery area, so it cannot be argued that the development is inconsistent in scale with that existing in the area.  As discussed in PO9 below, the proposed development is not likely to compromise the residential amenity of the area and will not impact on the provision of similar services elsewhere in the Shire which are primarily concentrated in Mareeba.

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			<p>The Speewah Farmall business does directly support the day to day needs of the immediate residential community, as evidenced by the positive submissions received, and the business does have a connection with the land in which it is located, as it is operated by the landowner who resides on-site.</p> <p>The development complies with PO8.</p>
<b>Amenity</b>			
<p><b>PO9</b> Development must not detract from the amenity of the local area, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) noise;</li> <li>(b) hours of operation;</li> <li>(c) traffic;</li> <li>(d) advertising devices;</li> <li>(e) visual amenity;</li> <li>(f) privacy;</li> <li>(g) lighting;</li> <li>(h) odour; and</li> <li>(i) emissions.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO9</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓ Complies with PO9</p>	<p>The subject site is situated in the centre of a developed Rural residential zoned area, so the primary town planning consideration is the potential impact the business may have on residential amenity. In this situation though, the business has been established generally at the scale proposed for some time and has operated seemingly free from any land use conflict with surrounding residential properties. This is reflected in the lack of objections received during the public notification period (1 objection</p>

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			<p>only), of which was not from a resident living in the immediate area and which sighted only environmental concern and not amenity impact concern. In contrast, 10 properly made submissions were received which highlighted the important role the business plays in providing goods and services currently only found a substantial distance away in either Mareeba or Cairns.</p> <p>Noise - The proposed development has been appropriately conditioned to ensure noise impacts are minimal.</p> <p>Hours of operation - The operating hours proposed are not unreasonable and again will be controlled by condition of approval.</p> <p>Traffic - The development is not likely to generate large influxes of traffic, instead, customers are likely to access the site steadily of the course of opening days which is</p>



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			<p>currently what occurs.</p> <p>Advertising devices - A condition has been attached limiting cumulative sign face area to 4m<sup>2</sup> which what exists on site currently.</p> <p>Visual amenity and privacy - the development is effectively screened from view from neighbouring dwellings by mature vegetation. The development will not cause visual amenity or privacy issues.</p> <p>Lighting - Lighting will be controlled by condition of approval.</p> <p>Odour and emissions - the development is unlikely to generate any odours or emissions.</p> <p>The development will comply with PO9</p>
<b>PO10</b> Development must take into account and seek to ameliorate any existing negative environmental impacts, having regard to: (a) noise; (b) hours of operation; (c) traffic; (d) advertising devices; (e) visual amenity;	<b>AO10</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies - The development proposed by this application has actually been established on-site, albeit unlawfully, for some time. The uses have occurred on site without complaint from any neighbour in the

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(f) privacy; (g) lighting; (h) odour; and (i) emissions.			immediate vicinity. As such, it is considered that there are no known negative environmental impacts that require amelioration.

### 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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Water supply for fire-fighting purposes</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Development where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> 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.	<b>Where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> <b>AO1.1</b> 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	<b>Not applicable.</b>
	<b>AO1.2</b> 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:	✓	<b>Can be conditioned to comply.</b>

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.		
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Land use</b>			
<b>PO2</b> Development within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> 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.	<b>AO2</b> 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 <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> : (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.
<b>Lot design</b>			
<b>PO3</b> Reconfiguring a lot within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> minimises the potential adverse impacts of bushfire on the safety of people,	<b>Where within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b>  <b>AO3.1</b> No new lots are created.  OR	n/a	Not applicable - no RoL proposed.

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><b>AO3.2</b></p> <p>All lots include a building envelope that achieves a radiant heat flux level of 29kW/m<sup>2</sup> at the perimeter of the building envelope.</p> <p>Note—Where a radiant heat flux of 29kW/m<sup>2</sup> 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>		
<b>Firebreaks and access</b>			
<p><b>PO4</b></p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b>, 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><b>AO4.1</b></p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b>, 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>	✓	Complies.
	<p><b>AO4.2</b></p> <p>In a 'Bushfire hazard area' and 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b>, 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.		
<b>Hazardous materials</b>			
<b>PO5</b> 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.	<b>AO5</b> 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 <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> .	✓	<b>Complies.</b>
<b>Landscaping</b>			
<b>PO6</b> Landscaping within a 'Bushfire hazard area' and a 'Potential impact buffer (100 metres)' identified on the <b>Bushfire hazard overlay maps (OM-003a-o)</b> 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.	<b>AO6</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	The existing landscaping on-site is sufficient and complies with PO6.

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

## 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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Regulated vegetation</b>			
<p><b>PO1</b> Vegetation clearing in areas mapped as 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> is avoided unless:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) it is demonstrated that the area does not support regulated vegetation as mapped;</li> <li>(b) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is for community infrastructure and associated access facilities that cannot be avoided;</li> <li>(c) wildlife interconnectivity is maintained or enhanced at a local and regional scale; and</li> <li>(d) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is minimised and any residual impacts are offset.</li> </ul> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p><b>AO1.1</b> No clearing of native vegetation is undertaken within areas of 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b>.</p>	✓	Complies.
<p><b>PO2</b> Development on sites adjacent to areas of 'Regulated vegetation' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> protects the environmental significance of regulated vegetation and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) does not interrupt, interfere, alter or otherwise impact on underlying natural</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO2</b> Development (excluding roads, earthworks, drainage infrastructure and underground infrastructure) is not located within 20 metres of 'Regulated vegetation' areas identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b>.</p>	✓	Complies where relevant. The development will not involve any new building works on-site. No regulated vegetation is at risk from the proposed development. A supporting ecological assessment is not considered necessary.

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<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>			
<b>Regulated vegetation intersecting a watercourse</b>			
<p><b>PO3</b> Vegetation clearing in areas mapped as 'Regulated vegetation intersecting a watercourse', identified as 'Waterway' and 'Waterway buffer' on the <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> 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><b>Where within a 'Waterway buffer' on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b></p> <p><b>AO3.1</b> A minimum setback in accordance with <b>Table 8.2.4.3B</b> is provided between development and the top of the high bank of a 'Waterway' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b>.</p>	✓	Complies.
	<p><b>Where within a 'Waterway buffer' on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b></p> <p><b>AO3.2</b> No clearing of native vegetation is undertaken within the minimum setback identified at <b>AO3.1</b>.</p>	✓	Complies.
<b>Waterways and wetlands</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO4</b> 'High ecological significance wetlands' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> and 'Waterways' on <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> and are protected by: (a) maintaining adequate separation distances between waterways/wetlands and development; (b) maintaining and enhancing aquatic and terrestrial habitat including vegetated corridors to allow for native fauna (terrestrial and aquatic) movement; (c) maintaining waterway bank stability by minimising bank erosion and slumping; (d) maintaining water quality by providing buffers to allow filtering of sediments, nutrients and other pollutants; and (e) retaining and improving existing riparian vegetation and existing vegetation associated with a wetland.  Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.	<b>Where within a 'Waterway buffer' on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> <b>AO4.1</b> A minimum setback in accordance with <b>Table 8.2.4.3B</b> is provided between development and the top of the high bank of a 'Waterway' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> .	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>Where within a 'High ecological significance wetland buffer' on Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> <b>AO4.2</b> A minimum buffer of 200 metres is provided between development and the edge of a 'High ecological significance wetland' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> .	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>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)</b> <b>AO4.3</b> No stormwater is discharged to a 'Waterway' on <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> or 'High ecological significance wetland' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> .	✓	The existing built form and drainage pattern on-site is existing. The development drains to an on-site retention pond. Stormwater quality is not considered an issue and does not detrimentally impact on nearby Groves Creek.

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><b>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</b></p> <p>No wastewater is discharged to a 'Waterway' on <b>Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b> or 'High ecological significance wetland' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Map (OM-004a-z)</b>.</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>	✓	Complies.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Wildlife Habitat</b>			
<p><b>PO5</b></p> <p>Development within a 'Wildlife habitat' area identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b>:</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><b>AO5</b></p> <p>No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

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>			
<b>Legally secured offset areas</b>			
<p><b>PO6</b></p> <p>Development within a 'Legally secured offset area' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> 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><b>AO6</b></p> <p>No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

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>			
<b>Protected areas</b>			
<p><b>PO7</b></p> <p>Development within a 'Protected area' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b> is consistent with the values of the Protected Area and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) supports the inherent ecological and community values of the Protected Area asset;</li> <li>(b) maintains or enhances wildlife interconnectivity at a local and regional scale; and</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p><b>AO7</b></p> <p>No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>Ecological corridors and Habitat linkages</b>			
<p><b>PO8</b> Development located:</p> <p>(a) in the Conservation zone, Emerging community zone, Recreation and open space zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and</p> <p>(b) within an 'Ecological corridor' or a 'Habitat linkage' identified on the <b>Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b></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';</p> <p>(b) the environmental values of adjoining and nearby land within the 'Ecological corridor' or 'Habitat linkage';</p> <p>(c) the extent of any modification proposed to the natural environment including (but not limited to) vegetation and topography;</p> <p>(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</p> <p>(e) the ability for the 'Ecological corridor' or</p>	<p><b>AO8</b> No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

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.



### 9.3.2 Commercial activities code

#### 9.3.2.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
  - (a) involving Commercial 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.

#### 9.3.2.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Commercial activities code is to ensure Commercial activities are appropriately located, designed and operated to service the Shire while not impacting on the character and amenity of the area.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
  - (a) Commercial activities meet the needs of the local community, visitors and tourists through safe, accessible and convenient points of service;
  - (b) Commercial activities have minimal impacts on the natural environment or the environmental values of the area;
  - (c) Commercial activities reinforce and do not prejudice the role and function of established or designated centres;
  - (d) Commercial activities minimise impacts on the character and amenity of the surrounding area and surrounding land uses, particularly residential uses; and
  - (e) Commercial activities do not compromise the viability of the hierarchy and network of centres, namely:
    - (i) Mareeba as a major regional activity centre, which accommodates the most significant concentrations of regional-scale business, retail, entertainment, government administration, secondary and tertiary educational facilities and health and social services within the shire;
    - (ii) Kuranda as a village activity centre, which accommodates services, arts and cultural facilities, sports and recreation facilities, business and employment uses to support the village and its constituent surrounding rural and rural residential communities;
    - (iii) Chillagoe and Dimbulah as Rural activity centres, which provide commercial and community services to their rural catchments; and
    - (iv) Bibbohra, Irvinebank, Julatten, Koah, Mutchilba, Mt Molloy, Myola and Speewah as rural villages, that have limited centre activities and other non-residential activities.

### 9.3.2.3 Criteria for assessment

**Table 9.3.2.3—Commercial activities code – For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development**

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Buildings are finished with high quality materials, selected for their durability and contribution to the character of the area.	<b>AO1</b> Building design does not incorporate: (a) highly reflective materials such as high performance glass or untreated galvanised metals; or (b) unrelieved, unpainted or un-rendered finishes; or (c) unarticulated concrete finishes; or (d) unarticulated cladding systems; or (e) fluorescent or iridescent paints; or (f) use of single colour or surface treatment.	✓	Complies - the existing shed is colorbond cream colour and is not unattractive when viewed from Douglas Track or adjoining properties. The Shed is existing and Speewah residents are used to its existence and appearance.
<b>If for Sales office</b>			
<b>PO2</b> A Sales office is compatible with the built form, character and amenity of the surrounding area, having regard to: (a) duration of use; (b) size and scale; (c) intensity and nature of use; (d) number of employees; and (e) hours of operation.	<b>AO2.1</b> The Sales office is limited in its duration to a period not greater than: (a) 2 years, where involving selling or displaying land or buildings (including a dwelling house, multiple dwelling, commercial or industrial buildings); or (b) 6 months, where involving land or buildings that can be won as a prize.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO2.2</b> The Sales office does not exceed 100m <sup>2</sup> gross floor area.  Note—The Sales office may be located within part of a Dwelling house, Dual occupancy or Multiple dwelling for sale or that can be won as a prize.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO2.3</b> No more than 3 employees work within the sales office at any one time.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<b>AO2.4</b> The Sales office does not operate outside the hours of 8.00am to 6.00pm.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>PO3</b> A Sales office is located to be accessible to visitors.	<b>PO3</b> The Sales office is established at the entrance to: (a) the estate or stage of the estate where involving multiple properties or dwellings; or (b) the building or land where involving a single property or dwelling.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Visual amenity and character</b>			
<b>PO4</b> Commercial activities protect and enhance the character and amenity of the locality and streetscape through the appropriate location and screening of: (a) air conditioning; (b) refrigeration plant; (c) mechanical plant; and (d) refuse bin storage areas.	<b>AO4</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies. A condition will be attached to any approval requiring hidden refuse bin storage.
<b>Location and size</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO5</b> Commercial activities are located and designed: (a) to be commensurate to the scale and nature of land uses located and intended to be located in the immediate vicinity; and (b) consistent with the intent of the activity centre hierarchy for Mareeba Shire.	<b>AO5</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	<p>The development is considered an essential service in a rural residential area lacking any nearby commercial activity providing the services that this development incorporates. The Speewah Farmall is used by a large number of Speewah, Koah and Kuranda residents and no negative submissions were received from anyone in the nearby area. The only negative submitter lives a considerable distance away. 9 properly made submissions were received in support of the development, most of which lived in the surrounding area.</p> <p>The proposed development is considered to comply with PO5.</p>
<b>If for Service station or Car wash</b>			
<b>PO6</b> The site is of a suitable size, shape and configuration to accommodate all aspects of the use, such as: (a) the building/s and associated storage areas; (b) any ancillary activities; (c) fuel delivery and service vehicles;	<b>AO6.1</b> The site has a: (a) minimum area of 1500m <sup>2</sup> ; and (b) minimum frontage of: (i) 30 metres to each road where the site is a corner site; or (ii) 40 metres otherwise.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(d) vehicle access and on site manoeuvrability; and (e) landscaping.	<b>AO6.2</b> Bulk fuel storage tanks are situated on the site no closer than 8 metres to any road frontage.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.3</b> Bulk fuel storage tanks are situated on the site: (a) so that fuel delivery vehicles are standing wholly within the site when discharging fuel into the tanks; and (b) ensuring that the movement of other vehicles on the site is not restricted when fuel delivery occurs.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.4</b> Fuel pumps, car wash bays and facilities including air and water points are: (a) orientated to minimise vehicle conflicts associated with manoeuvring on site; and (b) located so that vehicles using or waiting to use the facilities are standing wholly within the site and in locations which do not restrict the movement of other vehicles on the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>PO7</b> The use must provide for the collection, treatment and disposal of all solid and liquid wastes such that: (a) the off-site release of contaminants does not occur; and (b) there are no significant adverse impacts on the quality of surface water or ground water resources.	<b>AO7</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.

### 9.3.5 Industrial activities code

#### 9.3.5.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
  - (a) involving Industrial 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.

#### 9.3.5.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Industrial activities code is to ensure Industrial activities are:
  - (a) appropriately located within designated industrial areas;
  - (b) established and operated in an efficient manner with minimal impact on the character, scale, amenity and environmental values of the surrounding area; and
  - (c) managed to allow for progressive rehabilitation where involving Extractive industry.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
  - (a) Industrial activities are appropriately located having regard to topography, surrounding land uses, natural environment, accessibility, local character and potential social and community impacts;
  - (b) Industrial activities meet the needs of the local community and the local economy through well located, safe and convenient points of service;
  - (c) Industrial activities are designed to have minimal impact on the character, amenity and environment of the surrounding area;
  - (d) Industrial activities provide a safe working environment;
  - (e) Industrial activities are designed to promote sustainability and energy efficiency;
  - (f) Industrial activities are co-located with complimentary and compatible uses;
  - (g) External impacts associated with Extractive industry operations do not impact on the character and amenity of the surrounding area and the safety and wellbeing of the community;
  - (h) Extractive industry operations are adequately separated from potentially incompatible land uses; and
  - (i) Extractive industry sites are progressively rehabilitated.

### 9.3.5.3 Criteria for assessment

**Table 9.3.5.3—Industrial activities code— For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development**

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Separation</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Industrial activities are appropriately separated from sensitive uses to ensure their amenity is maintained, having regard to: (a) noise; (b) odour; (c) light; and (d) emissions.  Note—Development proposed to be located closer than the separation distances specified in AO2 requires supporting investigations to demonstrate that the expected impacts from the industry use have been adequately mitigated in consideration of the local context.	<b>AO1</b> Development is separated from sensitive uses as follows: (a) medium impact industry—250 metres; or (b) high impact industry—500 metres; or (c) special industry— 1.5 kilometres.	n/a	Not applicable - The proposed development will incorporate low impact industry uses only and is not likely to impact on the amenity of surrounding residential uses.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Amenity</b>			
<b>PO2</b> Industrial activities protect and enhance the character and amenity of the locality and streetscape through the appropriate location and screening of: (a) air conditioning; (b) refrigeration plant; (c) mechanical plant; and (d) refuse bin storage areas.	<b>AO2</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Refer to commentary for PO8 and PO9 of the Rural residential zone code. The Development is not likely to impact on residential amenity. Conditions will be attached to the approval ensuring air conditioning, refrigeration plant, mechanical plant and refuse bins are screened from view.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO3</b> Development avoids and, where unavoidable, mitigates impacts on ground water, particularly where ground water is heavily drawn upon for irrigation or domestic purposes.	<b>AO3</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>If for Extractive industry</b>			
<b>PO4</b> The site has sufficient area and dimensions to safely accommodate: (a) the extractive use; (b) vehicular access and on site vehicular movements; (c) buildings including staff facilities; (d) parking areas for visitors and employees; (e) storage areas and stockpiles; (f) any environmentally significant land; and (g) landscaping and buffer areas.  Note—Refer to Planning Scheme Policy 3 - Extractive Industry.	<b>AO4</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>PO5</b> Extractive industry is established and operated in a way that does not impact on public safety.	<b>AO5</b> Safety fencing is provided for the full length of the perimeter of the site and is appropriately signed with warning signs advising of the nature of the use and any danger or hazard.	n/a	Not applicable.



Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO6</b> Extractive industry is appropriately located to adequately mitigate visual, noise, vibration and dust impacts on sensitive uses.	<b>AO6</b> All aspects of the Extractive industry are setback from all boundaries: (a) 200 metres where not involving blasting or crushing; and (b) 1,000 metres for where involving blasting or crushing.  Note—Refer to Planning Scheme Policy 3 - Extractive Industry.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>PO7</b> The Extractive industry is designed and managed to appropriately address its interface with the natural environment and landscape, having regard to: (a) water quality; (b) existing vegetation; and (c) declared plants.	<b>AO7.1</b> The Extractive industry does not cause a reduction in the quality of ground water or receiving surface waters.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO7.2</b> Vegetation is retained on site that contributes towards alleviating the impact of the development on the visual amenity of surrounding sensitive land uses.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO7.3</b> No declared plants are transported from the site.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO8</b>  Extractive industry actively integrates rehabilitation into the ongoing operations on the site to progressively restore the site to its original (or an improved) condition, having regard to matters of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) locally prevalent plant species;</li> <li>(b) plant spacing;</li> <li>(c) local climatic conditions;</li> <li>(d) locations of waterways and wetlands;</li> <li>(e) ongoing maintenance;</li> <li>(f) potential habitat opportunities;</li> <li>(g) erosion and sediment control; and</li> <li>(h) fencing.</li> </ul> <p>Note—A revegetation plan must be prepared by a suitably experienced person in the field of natural area revegetation and rehabilitation, at a standard acceptable to Council, which addresses the items identified in Performance Outcome PO8.</p>	<p><b>AO8</b>  No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p><b>n/a</b></p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

### 9.4.1 Advertising devices code

#### 9.4.1.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
  - (a) for Advertising devices; 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.

#### 9.4.1.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Advertising devices code is to regulate the location, siting, number, content and design requirements for advertising devices to protect the visual character and amenity of the urban and rural areas of the region, whilst supporting the promotion of business and enterprise.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
  - (a) Advertising devices are designed, sited and integrated so that they do not detract from the existing character and amenity of an area and contribute to a coherent and harmonious streetscape;
  - (b) Advertising devices are of a scale, dimension and quality to minimise adverse visual impacts;
  - (c) Advertising devices do not result in visual clutter;
  - (d) Advertising devices do not impact on pedestrian or road safety and do not obscure the view of any official traffic, safety or information sign;
  - (e) Advertising devices are constructed and maintained to ensure a high standard of public safety through structural integrity, design and construction;
  - (f) Advertising devices primarily provide, clear and effective identification of business and commercial premises, community uses and events with limited product advertising;
  - (g) In the Rural zone advertising devices are limited to maintain the landscape character of the area; and
  - (h) Billboards are limited to identified localities.

### 9.4.1.3 Criteria for assessment

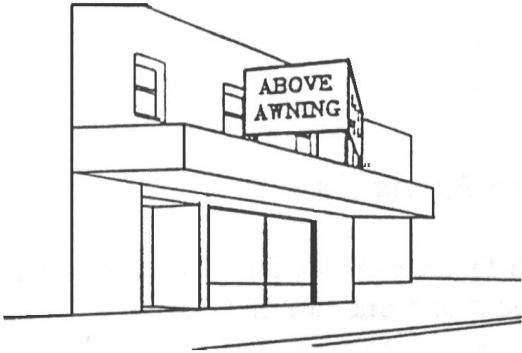


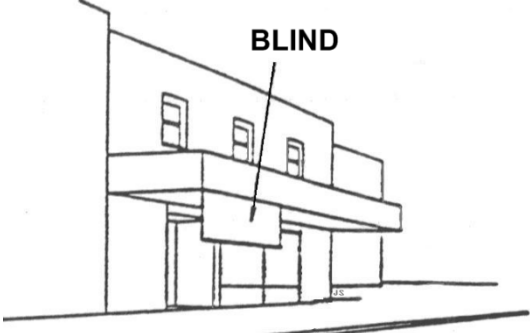
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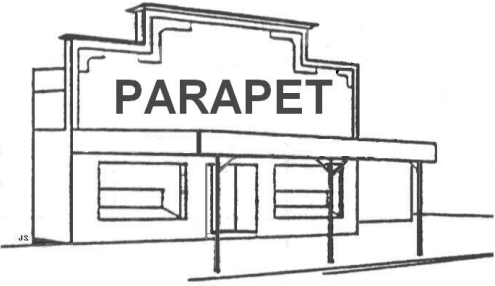
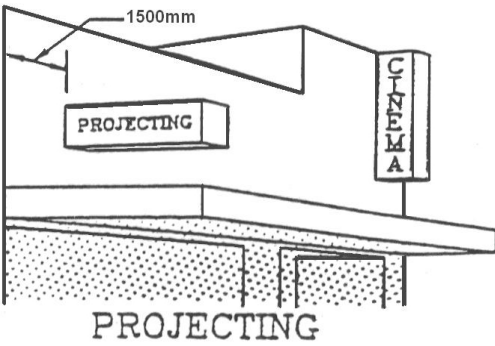
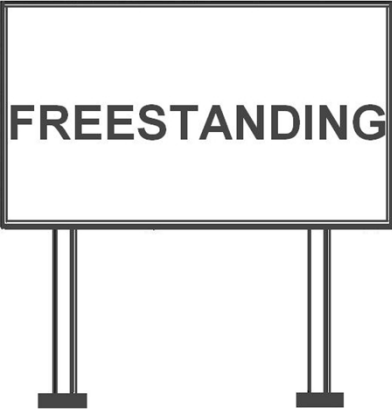
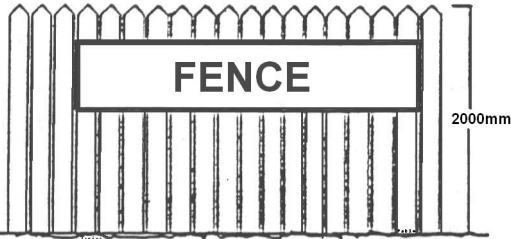
Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Public safety</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Advertising devices are designed, sited and constructed to maintain the efficient function of road infrastructure and not impede safe vehicular and pedestrian movements.	<b>AO1.1</b> Advertising devices do not: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) resemble traffic control devices; or</li> <li>(b) give instructions to traffic; or</li> <li>(c) resemble a hazard or warning light through colour or method of operation, if visible from a road; or</li> <li>(d) cause interference with the visibility and effectiveness of hazard or warning lights; or</li> <li>(e) encroach onto any part of a road, road reserve, pedestrian or cycle path; or</li> <li>(f) incorporate highly reflective materials and finishes; or</li> <li>(g) cause significant visual or physical obstruction of, or distraction to, vehicular or pedestrian traffic.</li> </ul>	✓	A 2m x 2m sign is existing on the front of the existing shed which states "Speewah Farmall". Other signage on-site includes existing signage on the fence which includes the businesses opening hours. The signage existing and proposed complies with AO1.1.
<b>Character and amenity</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO2</b> Advertising devices are designed and located to: (a) avoid visual clutter; (b) avoid overshadowing of adjoining premises or public places; (c) prevent loss of daylight or sunlight access for nearby uses; (d) be consistent with the built and natural character of the immediate surrounds; and (e) allow for the identification of premises, uses and business.	<b>AO2.1</b> Advertising devices: (a) do not move, revolve, strobe or flash; (b) are not painted or erected on a roof (excluding awnings) or structure (such as a silo or tank); (c) do not incorporate overt or explicit language or visual content that is likely to be offensive to the general public; (d) primarily advertise a business and/or commercial premises rather than products; (e) are located on the property to which the advertising relates; (f) do not protrude above the roofline or parapet; and (g) are limited to those devices identified in <b>Table 9.4.1.3B</b> .	✓	See comment for AO1.1. The scale, location and design of advertising proposed and existing on-site complies with PO2.
	<b>AO2.2</b> The number, type and design of advertising devices complies with <b>Table 9.4.1.3D</b> .	✓	See comment for AO1.1. The scale, location and design of advertising proposed and existing on-site complies with PO2.

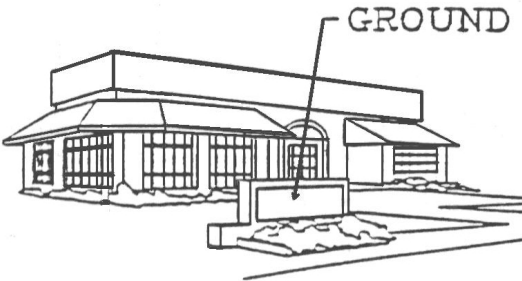
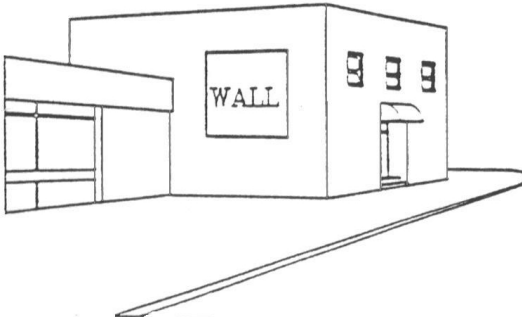
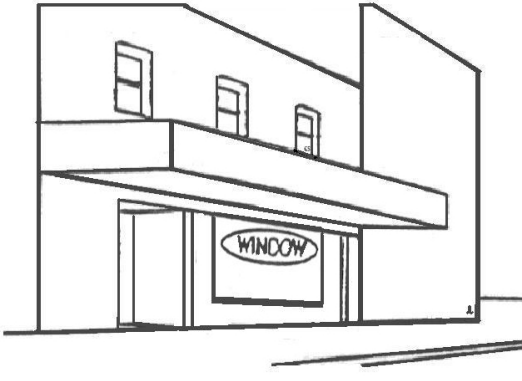
Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Character and amenity</b>			
<b>PO3</b> Advertising devices are: (a) designed and engineered to a standard that satisfies the wind classification for the particular area; (b) appropriately secured and supported so as to cause no injury or damage to persons or property; (c) not displayed on or attached to a tree, roadside pole or official traffic or safety sign; and (d) appropriately separated from any electricity infrastructure.	<b>AO3</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies where relevant.
<b>PO4</b> Freestanding advertising devices, where located on land fronting a state-controlled road, are appropriately located and designed to: (a) not impact on the safety and efficiency of the state controlled road network; and (b) preserve rural character and landscape values.	<b>AO4</b> Freestanding advertising devices: (a) have a maximum sign face area of 18m <sup>2</sup> and a maximum sign face width of 6 metres; (b) are sited a minimum of 1 kilometre from all existing freestanding advertising devices whether or not they are on the same side of the road; (c) are of a design and colour that is compatible with existing adjacent development; and (d) are only located on properties with frontage to either side of the sections of State-controlled road identified in <b>Table 9.4.1.3C</b> .	n/a	Not applicable - no freestanding advertising proposed.

**Table 9.4.1.3B—Acceptable advertising devices**

Type and definition	Example
<p><b>Above awning advertising device</b> - an advertising sign located on top of and attached to an awning or veranda.</p>	
<p><b>Fascia advertising device</b> - a flush advertising sign painted on, or attached to the front and/or side faces of an awning.</p>	
<p><b>Under awning advertising device</b> - a flat signage panel or light-box that is suspended directly underneath an awning or verandah.</p>	
<p><b>Blind advertising device</b> - a sign that is painted or otherwise affixed to a solid or flexible material suspended from an awning face or verandah.</p>	

Type and definition	Example
<p><b>Parapet advertising device</b> – a sign painted on, or affixed to the architectural parapet of a building.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a building facade. A sign with the word "PARAPET" is mounted on the architectural parapet above the entrance. The sign is rectangular and has a slightly raised, three-dimensional appearance.</p>
<p><b>Projecting advertising device</b> - a sign mounted at right angles to a wall or building face.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a building facade. A sign with the word "PROJECTING" is mounted on a wall, projecting outwards. A dimension line indicates a height of 1500mm. To the right, a vertical sign reads "CINEMA". Below the main sign, the word "PROJECTING" is written in a larger, bold font.</p>
<p><b>Freestanding advertising device</b> - a sign that comprises either a hoarding/billboard or a pylon sign which is elevated from the ground and supported by one or more columns, pylons or poles.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a freestanding sign. It consists of a large rectangular sign with the word "FREESTANDING" in bold, supported by two vertical poles.</p>
<p><b>Fence advertising device</b> - a sign painted on, or otherwise affixed to a fence or gate that acts as a permanent partition screen or barrier.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a fence with a sign. The sign has the word "FENCE" in bold. A dimension line on the right indicates a height of 2000mm.</p>



Type and definition	Example
<p><b>Ground advertising device</b> - a low-level independent sign that contains the name associated with the premises and that is erected at a driveway entrance as a permanent structure.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a commercial building with a driveway. A low, rectangular sign is positioned at the entrance of the driveway. A line points from the word "GROUND" to the sign.</p>
<p><b>Wall advertising device</b> - a sign painted on, or otherwise affixed to a wall and confined within the limits of the wall.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a building corner. A rectangular sign is painted on the side wall, containing the word "WALL".</p>
<p><b>Window advertising device</b> - a sign painted on, or otherwise affixed to the inner or outer surface of a window. The term includes devices that are suspended from the window frame and may also be illuminated. The term does not include product displays or showcases for viewing by pedestrians.</p>	 <p>A line drawing of a building with a large window. An oval sign is affixed to the window, containing the word "WINDOW".</p>

**Table 9.4.1.3D—Number, Type and Design of Advertising Devices**

Zone/Use	Maximum number of signs per site	Sign types	Maximum face	Design requirements
<b>Zones</b>				
Centre zone	3	Above awning	-	(a) Do not exceed the height of the parapet or building roofline (b) Do not exceed the width or depth of the of the awning to which they are affixed
		Fascia	-	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the awning to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the awning face
		Blind	-	(a) Do not exceed the width of the of the awning to which they are affixed (b) Have a ground clearance of 2.4 metres between the lowest part of the sign and the footpath (c) Sited adjacent to the main building entrance (d) Flush with the awning face (e) Wholly located under the awning
		Freestanding	6m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located on lots greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> (b) No higher than buildings on the same lot or 7.5 metres (whichever is the lesser)
		Parapet	-	(a) Flush with the building parapet wall face (b) Wholly contained within the area of the parapet (c) Have a sign face of no more than maximum of 40% of the available parapet area
		Projecting	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Limited to one sign per road frontage (b) Do not project greater than 1.5 metres from the building or structure to which they are affixed; (c) Do not exceed the height of the building or structure to which they are affixed
		Under awning	-	(a) Limited to one sign per road frontage (b) Do not exceed 75% of the width of the awning to which the sign is affixed (c) Have a maximum length of 2.5 metres (d) Have a minimum ground clearance of 2.4 metres between the lowest part of the sign and the footpath (e) Positioned in the centre of the awning and are perpendicular to the building face of the premises

Zone/Use	Maximum number of signs per site	Sign types	Maximum face	Design requirements
		Wall	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the wall to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the face of the wall (c) limited to one sign per road frontage for each tenant (d) No more than 50% of available wall space is covered by existing and proposed signage (e) At least one side has a minimum length of 600mm
		Window	-	(a) Wholly contained within the window area (b) No more than 50% of available window space is covered by existing and proposed signage
		All signs	-	(a) If illuminated, light spillage from advertising devices is minimised in accordance with AS4282 (as amended).
Community facilities zone	3	Above awning	-	(a) Do not exceed the height of the parapet or building roofline (b) Do not exceed the width or depth of the of the awning to which they are affixed
		Blind	1.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Do not exceed the width of the of the awning to which they are affixed (b) Have a ground clearance of 2.4 metres between the lowest part of the sign and the footpath (c) Sited adjacent to the main building entrance (d) Flush with the awning face (e) Wholly located under the awning
		Fascia	-	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the awning to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the awning face
		Fence	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
		Freestanding	6m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located on lots greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> (b) No higher than buildings on the same lot or 7.5 metres (whichever is the lesser)
		Ground	5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Maximum height of 1.5 metres
		Parapet	-	(a) Flush with the building parapet wall face (b) Wholly contained within the area of the parapet (c) Sign face of no more than a maximum of 40% of the available parapet area
		Projecting	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Limited to one sign per road frontage (b) Do not project greater than 1.5 metres from the building or structure to which they are affixed (c) Do not exceed the height of the building or structure to which they are affixed

Zone/Use	Maximum number of signs per site	Sign types	Maximum face	Design requirements
		Under awning	-	(a) Limited to one sign per road frontage (b) Do not exceed 75% of the width of the awning to which the sign is affixed with the maximum length being 2.5 metres (c) Have a minimum ground clearance of 2.4 metres between the lowest part of the sign and the footpath (d) Positioned in the centre of the awning and are perpendicular to the building face of the premises
		Wall	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the wall to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the face of the wall (c) No more than 50% of available wall space is covered by existing and proposed signage (d) Limited to one sign per road frontage for each tenant (e) Have at least one side with a minimum length of 600mm
		Window	-	(a) Wholly contained within the window area (b) No more than 50% of available window space is covered by existing and proposed signage
		All signs	-	(a) If illuminated, light spillage from advertising devices is minimised in accordance with AS4282 (as amended).
Conservation zone	1	Fence	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
		Freestanding	2.9m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Maximum height of 3 metres (b) Sited a minimum of 1 kilometre from all existing freestanding advertising devices whether or not they are on the same side of the road (c) Setback a minimum of 1 metre from the property boundaries (d) Located below the height of the vegetation within the surrounding landscape when viewed from adjacent roads or prominent public viewing points
		Ground	5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Maximum height of 1.5 metres
		All signs	-	(a) Not illuminated
Emerging community zone	1	Fence or Freestanding	0.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Relate to a use conducted on the premises (b) Not illuminated (c) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
Low density residential zone				
Medium density residential zone				

Zone/Use	Maximum number of signs per site	Sign types	Maximum face	Design requirements
Rural residential zone				
Industry zone	3	Above awning	-	(a) Do not exceed the height of the parapet or building roofline (b) Do not exceed the width or depth of the of the awning to which they are affixed
		Fascia	-	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the awning to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the awning face
		Fence	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
		Freestanding	6m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located on lots greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> (b) No higher than buildings on the same lot or 7.5 metres (whichever is the lesser)
		Ground	5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Maximum height of 1.5 metres
		Parapet	-	(a) Flush with the building parapet wall face (b) Wholly contained within the area of the parapet (c) Have a sign face of no more than maximum of 40% of the available parapet area
		Projecting	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Limited to one sign per road frontage (b) Do not project greater than 1.5 metres from the building or structure to which they are affixed (c) Do not exceed the height of the building or structure to which they are affixed
		Wall	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the wall to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the face of the wall (c) No more than 50% of available wall space is covered by existing and proposed signage (d) Limited to one sign per road frontage for each tenant (e) Have at least one side with a minimum length of 600mm
		Window	-	(a) Wholly contained within the window area (b) No more than 50% of available window space is covered by existing and proposed signage
Recreation and open space zone	3	All signs	-	(a) If illuminated, light spillage from advertising devices is minimised in accordance with AS4282 (as amended).
		Fence	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
		Freestanding	6m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located on lots greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> (b) No higher than buildings on the same lot or 7.5 metres (whichever is the lesser)
		Ground	5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Maximum height of 1.5 metres

Zone/Use	Maximum number of signs per site	Sign types	Maximum face	Design requirements
		Wall	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Wholly contained within the outline of the wall to which they are affixed (b) Flush with the face of the wall (c) No more than 50% of available wall space is covered by existing and proposed signage (d) Limited to one sign per road frontage for each tenant (e) Have at least one side with a minimum length of 600mm
		All signs	-	(a) If illuminated, light spillage from advertising devices is minimised in accordance with AS4282 (as amended).
Rural zone	1	All signs	-	(a) Not illuminated
		Fence	2.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
		Freestanding	2.9m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Sited a minimum of 1 kilometre from all existing freestanding advertising devices whether or not they are on the same side of the road (b) Setback a minimum of 1 metre from the property boundaries (c) Located below the height of the vegetation within the surrounding landscape when viewed from adjacent roads or prominent public viewing points (d) Maximum height of 3 metres
Uses				
Home based business	1	Fence Freestanding	0.5m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Not illuminated (b) Located wholly within the premises facing the road frontage(s) of the site
Renewable energy facility	-	-	-	(a) Limited in scale (b) Confined to site (c) Limited to development interpretation.
Roadside stall	2	-	1m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located on the same site as the roadside stall.
Rural industry	-	-	2.1m <sup>2</sup>	(a) Located at the entrance to the premises; (b) Limited to the name and hours of operation of the facility (c) Does not include any product advertising

Note—Where there is a conflict between a requirement in a zone and a requirement for a use in the **Table 9.4.1.3D**, compliance is to be achieved with the more restrictive requirement.

Note—Where there is no requirement specified for a use, reference should be made to the relevant zone requirement.

## 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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>PO1</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) contributes to the landscape character of the Shire;</li> <li>(b) compliments the character of the immediate surrounds;</li> <li>(c) provides an appropriate balance between built and natural elements; and</li> <li>(d) provides a source of visual interest.</li> </ul>	<b>AO1</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, provides: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a minimum of 10% of the site as landscaping;</li> <li>(b) planting in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species;</li> <li>(c) for the integration of retained significant vegetation into landscaping areas;</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul> <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>	✓ Complies with PO1	The development is existing and is appropriately landscaped. Existing landscaping provides for an attractive balance of built and nature features on-site and softens the visual impact on the development. The development complies with PO1.



Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO2</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping along site frontages that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) creates an attractive streetscape;</li> <li>(b) compliments the character of the immediate surrounds;</li> <li>(c) assists to break up and soften elements of built form;</li> <li>(d) screen areas of limited visual interest or servicing;</li> <li>(e) provide shade for pedestrians; and</li> <li>(f) includes a range and variety of planting.</li> </ul>	<b>AO2</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes a landscape strip along any site frontage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) with a minimum width of 2 metres where adjoining a car parking area;</li> <li>(b) with a minimum width of 1.5 metres in all other locations; and</li> <li>(c) in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.</li> </ul> <p>Note—Where development is setback from a frontage less than 1.5 metres, the setback area is provided as a landscape strip</p>	✓ <b>Complies with PO2</b>	Complies with PO2 - see comment for AO1.
<b>PO3</b> Development includes landscaping and fencing along side and rear boundaries that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) screens and buffer land uses;</li> <li>(b) assists to break up and soften elements of built form;</li> <li>(c) screens areas of limited visual interest;</li> <li>(d) preserves the amenity of sensitive land uses; and</li> <li>(e) includes a range and variety of planting.</li> </ul>	<b>AO3.1</b> Development provides landscape treatments along side and rear boundaries in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.2.3B</b> .	✓	Side and rear boundaries are appropriately landscaped with existing mature natural and planted vegetation, including Groves Creek riparian vegetation.
	<b>AO3.2</b> Shrubs and trees provided in landscape strips along side and rear boundaries: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) are planted at a maximum spacing of 1 metre;</li> <li>(b) will grow to a height of at least 2 metres;</li> <li>(c) will grow to form a screen of no less than 2 metres in height; and</li> <li>(d) are mulched to a minimum depth of 0.1 metres with organic mulch.</li> </ul>	✓	Complies where relevant.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<b>AO3.3</b> Any landscape strip provided along a side or rear boundary is designed in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.	✓	Complies where relevant. Sufficient landscaping exists on-site and considered adequate.
<b>PO4</b> Car parking areas are improved with a variety of landscaping that: (a) provides visual interest; (b) provides a source of shade for pedestrians; (c) assists to break up and soften elements; and (d) improves legibility.	<b>AO4.1</b> Landscaping is provided in car parking areas which provides: (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; (b) a minimum of 1 shade tree for every 6 parking spaces, or part thereof, otherwise; and (c) where involving a car parking area in excess of 500m <sup>2</sup> : (i) shade structures are provided for 50% of parking spaces; and (ii) a minimum of 10% of the parking area as landscaping.  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.	✓	Complies where relevant. Larger shade trees are situated adjacent the carparking area.
	<b>AO4.2</b> Landscaping in car parking areas is designed in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.	✓	Complies where relevant.
	<b>AO5.1</b> Plant species are selected from the Plant Schedule in Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.	✓	Complies where relevant.

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.	<b>AO5.2</b> A minimum of 25% 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.	✓	Complies - Landscaping is existing and mature.
<b>PO6</b> Landscaping does not impact on the ongoing provision of infrastructure and services to the Shire.	<b>AO6.1</b> 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.	✓	Complies where relevant.
	<b>AO6.2</b> Vegetation below or within 4 metres of overhead electricity lines and power poles has a maximum height of 3.5 metres at maturity.	✓	Complies where relevant.
	<b>AO6.3</b> 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.
<b>For assessable development</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>P07</b> Landscaping areas are designed to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) be easily maintained throughout the ongoing use of the site;</li> <li>(b) allow sufficient area and access to sunlight and water for plant growth;</li> <li>(c) not cause a nuisance to occupants of the site or members of the public; and</li> <li>(d) maintain or enhance the safety of pedestrians through the use of Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design principles.</li> </ul>	<b>A07</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies.

**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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Car parking spaces</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO1</b> 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"> <li>(a) nature of the use;</li> <li>(b) location of the site;</li> <li>(c) proximity of the use to public transport services;</li> <li>(d) availability of active transport infrastructure; and</li> <li>(e) accessibility of the use to all members of the community.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO1</b> The number of car parking spaces provided for the use is in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3B</b>.</p> <p>Note—Car parking spaces provided for persons with a disability are to be considered in determining compliance with AO1.</p>	✓	<p>The Speewah Farmall business has been operating in the capacity proposed, albeit unlawfully, for some time. The business is serviced by an on-site car parking area that includes 5 designated parking spaces. The business primarily services the Speewah, Koah and Kuranda areas so does not see large influxes of customers. The existing parking arrangements are considered sufficient to accommodate the demand generated by the development. The development complies with PO1.</p>
<b>Vehicle crossovers</b>			
<p><b>PO2</b> Vehicle crossovers are provided to::</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) ensure safe and efficient access between the road and premises;</li> <li>(b) minimize interference with the function and operation of roads; and</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO2.1</b> 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>	✓	Complies.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(c) minimise pedestrian to vehicle conflict.	<b>AO2.2</b> Development on a site with two or more road frontages provides vehicular access from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the primary frontage where involving Community activities or Sport and recreation activities, unless the primary road frontage is a State-controlled road; or</li> <li>(b) from the lowest order road in all other instances.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO2.3</b> Vehicular access for particular uses is provided in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3E</b> .	✓	Complies.
<b>PO3</b> Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include appropriate pavement treatments having regard to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the intensity of anticipated vehicle movements;</li> <li>(b) the nature of the use that they service; and</li> <li>(c) the character of the surrounding locality.</li> </ul>	<b>AO3</b> Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include pavements that are constructed in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3C</b> .	✓	Complies - Access and customer car parking area is sealed.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Parking area location and design</b>			
<b>PO4</b> Car parking areas are located and designed to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation; and</li> </ul>	<b>AO4.1</b> Car parking spaces, access and circulation areas have dimensions in accordance with AS/NZS 2890.1 Off-street car parking.	✓	Complies.



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(b) be consistent with the character of the surrounding locality.	<b>AO4.2</b> 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.	✓	Complies.
	<b>AO4.3</b> The car parking area includes designated pedestrian routes that provide connections to building entrances.	✓	Complies.
	<b>AO4.4</b> Parking and any set down areas are: (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.	✓	Complies.
<b>Site access and manoeuvring</b>			

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<b>PO5</b> Access to, and manoeuvring within, the site is designed and located to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) ensure the safety and efficiency of the external road network;</li> <li>(b) ensure the safety of pedestrians;</li> <li>(c) provide a functional and convenient layout; and</li> <li>(d) accommodate all vehicles intended to use the site.</li> </ul>	<b>AO5.1</b> Access and manoeuvrability is in accordance with : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) AS28901 – Car Parking Facilities (Off Street Parking); and</li> <li>(b) AS2890.2 – Parking Facilities (Off-street Parking) Commercial Vehicle Facilities.</li> </ul> <p>Note—Proposal plans should include turning circles designed in accordance with AP34/95 (Austroads 1995) Design Vehicles and Turning Path Templates.</p>	✓	Complies.
	<b>AO5.2</b> Vehicular access has a minimum sight distance in accordance with Part 5 of AUSTROADS.	✓	Complies.
	<b>AO5.3</b> Vehicular access is located and designed so that all vehicles enter and exit the site in a forward gear.	✓	Complies.
	<b>AO5.4</b> Pedestrian and cyclist access to the site: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) is clearly defined;</li> <li>(b) easily identifiable; and</li> <li>(c) provides a connection between the site frontage and the entrance to buildings and end of trip facilities (where provided).</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.

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<b>PO6</b> Development that involves an internal road network ensures that it's design: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation;</li> <li>(b) does not impact on the amenity of residential uses on the site and on adjoining sites, having regard to matters of:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) hours of operation;</li> <li>(ii) noise</li> <li>(iii) light; and</li> <li>(iv) odour;</li> </ul> </li> <li>(c) accommodates the nature and volume of vehicle movements anticipated to be generated by the use;</li> <li>(d) allows for convenient access to key on-site features by pedestrians, cyclists and motor vehicles; and</li> <li>(e) in the Rural zone, avoids environmental degradation.</li> </ul>	<b>AO6.1</b> Internal roads for a Tourist park have a minimum width of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 4 metres if one way; or</li> <li>(b) 6 metres if two way.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.2</b> 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a minimum approach and departure curve radius of 12 metres; and</li> <li>(b) a minimum turning circle radius of 8 metres.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.3</b> Internal roads are imperviously sealed and drained, apart from those for an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.4</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.

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	<b>AO6.5</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.6</b> Where involving an accommodation activity, internal roads facilitate unobstructed access to every dwelling, accommodation unit, accommodation site and building by emergency services vehicles.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO6.7</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Servicing</b>			
<b>PO7</b> 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;	<b>AO7.1</b> 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.	✓	Complies.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(d) provide for all servicing functions associated with the use; and (e) are located and designed to minimise their impacts on adjoining sensitive land uses and streetscape quality.	<b>A07.2</b> Unloading, loading, service and waste disposal areas allow service vehicles to enter and exit the site in a forward gear.	✓	Complies.
	<b>A07.3</b> Development provides a servicing area, site access and maneuvering areas to accommodate the applicable minimum servicing vehicle specified in <b>Table 9.4.3.3B</b> .	✓	Complies.
<b>Maintenance</b>			
<b>PO8</b> Parking areas are used and maintained for their intended purpose.	<b>A08.1</b> Parking areas are kept and used exclusively for parking and are maintained in a suitable condition for parking and circulation of vehicles.	✓	Complies.
	<b>A08.2</b> All parking areas will be compacted, sealed, drained, line marked and maintained until such time as the development ceases.	✓	Complies.
<b>End of trip facilities</b>			
<b>PO9</b> Development within the Centre zone; Industry zone or Emerging community zone provides facilities for active transport users that:	<b>A09.1</b> The number of bicycle parking spaces provided for the use is in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3D</b> .	n/a	Not applicable.

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(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.	<b>AO9.2</b> End of trip facilities are provided in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3D</b> .	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>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</b>			
<b>PO10</b> 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.	<b>AO10</b> A traffic impact report is prepared by a suitably qualified person that identifies: (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.
<b>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</b>			
<b>PO11</b> 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.	<b>AO11</b> A traffic impact report is prepared by a suitably qualified person that identifies: (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
<b>Adult store</b>	<p><u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 20m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p><u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p>	One SRV space.
<b>Agricultural supplies store</b>	<p><u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p><u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 30m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p>Queuing for 3 vehicles should be supplied where a GFA is greater than 600m<sup>2</sup>.</p>	One HRV space.
<b>Air services</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements development:</u> One space per 90m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area; or</p> <p><u>If Assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> One space per 200m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Animal husbandry</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements :</u> One space.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Animal keeping</b>	Minimum of three spaces or one space per 200m <sup>2</sup> of use area, whichever is greater.	One SRV space.
<b>Aquaculture</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In the rural or rural residential zones - two spaces; or</li> <li>Enclosed within a building - one space per 90m<sup>2</sup> of net lettable area.</li> </ul> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Brothel</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Bulk landscape supplies</b>	Minimum of five spaces or one space per 250m <sup>2</sup> of use area, whichever is greater.	One AV if the site has an area of greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> ; or One HRV space.
<b>Car wash</b>	Minimum of two parking spaces plus 1 car queuing space for each car wash or service bay and parking at rates applicable to ancillary use/s.	One AV space.
<b>Caretaker's accommodation</b>	One space per dwelling unit.	Nil.
<b>Cemetery</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Child care centre</b>	A minimum of 3 spaces will be required to be used for setting down and picking up of children, plus one space per 10 children for staff parking.	One SRV space.



Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Club</b>	Minimum of 5 spaces per use or one space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA, whichever is greater.	One SRV space; and One HRV space if greater than 500m <sup>2</sup> .
<b>Community care centre</b>	Minimum of 5 spaces per use or one space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA, whichever is greater.	One SRV space.
<b>Community residence</b>	Three spaces.	Nil.
<b>Community use</b>	Minimum of 5 spaces per use or one space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA, whichever is greater.	One SRV space if greater than 500m <sup>2</sup> GFA.
<b>Crematorium</b>	One space per 30m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	As determined by Council.
<b>Cropping</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Two spaces.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Detention facility</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Dual occupancy</b>	One covered space per dwelling; and One visitor space.	Nil.
<b>Dwelling house</b>	One covered space per dwelling house. One space per secondary dwelling.	Nil.
<b>Dwelling unit</b>	<p>One covered space per dwelling unit.</p> <p>A minimum of 0.25 spaces per dwelling is to remain in common property for visitor use.</p>	Nil

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Educational establishment</b>	<p>For all establishments: 1 space per every 10 students plus 1 space per employee, and</p> <p>Provision for 3 vehicles for loading and unloading of passengers in addition to the requirements above.</p>	<p>For accepted development subject to requirements: One HRV space; and One SRV space; and A minimum of 3 Bus / coach parking / set down areas.</p> <p>For assessable development: As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Emergency services</b>	Minimum of 5 spaces per use or one space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA, whichever is greater.	As determined by Council.
<b>Environment facility</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Extractive industry</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Food and drink outlet</b>	<p>Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.</p> <p><u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA and one space per 15m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p><u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA and one space per 10m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p><u>Drive-through:</u> Queuing spaces for 6 passenger vehicles within the site boundaries.</p> <p>One service vehicle space per use or one service vehicle space per 1,000m<sup>2</sup> GFA, whichever is greater.</p>	One HRV space.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Function facility</b>	One space per 30m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA.	One SRV space.
<b>Funeral parlour</b>	Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 20m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One SRV space.
<b>Garden centre</b>	A minimum of 5 spaces for customer parking or one space per 150m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of use area, whichever is greater.  One service vehicle space per use or one service vehicle space per 800m <sup>2</sup> use area, whichever is greater.	One AV if the site has an area of greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV space.
<b>Hardware and trade supplies</b>	Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One AV if the site has an area of greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV space.
<b>Health care services</b>	Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 40m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area. <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 20m <sup>2</sup> of or part thereof of net lettable area.	One SRV space per 500m <sup>2</sup> GFA.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>High impact industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.
<b>Home based business</b>	<u>Bed and breakfasts:</u> One space per guest room.  <u>Other home based business:</u> One space for home based business and one covered space for the dwelling.	Nil.
<b>Hospital</b>	One space per 6 residential care beds. One space per 4 hostel unit beds. Visitor parking at 30% of resident parking requirements.	One HRV space. One SRV for every 800m <sup>2</sup> of GFA and part thereof; and One space for an emergency vehicle.
<b>Hotel</b>	One space per 10m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA per bar, beer garden and other public area. One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA per bulk liquor sales area. One space per guest room.	One HRV space.
<b>Indoor sport and recreation</b>	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> of net lettable area. <u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.	An internal bus set down and pick up area that enables the bus to be in a forward motion at all times whilst onsite  Internal dedicated taxi bays provided within 200 metres of the site entrance.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Intensive animal industries</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Two spaces.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	One SRV space.
<b>Intensive horticulture</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Two spaces.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Landing</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Low impact industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.
<b>Major electricity infrastructure</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Major sport, recreation and entertainment facility</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Marine industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One HRV space if the site has an area greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One SRV space.
<b>Market</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Medium impact industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Motor sport facility</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Multiple dwelling</b>	<p>One covered space per dwelling.</p> <p>One dedicated vehicle wash-down bay for premises containing 5 or more dwellings.</p> <p>A minimum of 0.25 spaces per dwelling is to remain in common property for visitor use.</p>	Nil.
<b>Nature-based tourism</b>	One space per dwelling; or 0.75 spaces per guest room if in dormitory or shared facilities.	As determined by Council.
<b>Nightclub entertainment facility</b>	One space per 60m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	Nil.
<b>Non-resident workforce accommodation</b>	One space per dwelling unit.	Nil.
<b>Office</b>	<p>Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.</p> <p><u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 20m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p> <p><u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m<sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m<sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m<sup>2</sup>.</p>	One SRV space.
<b>Outdoor sales</b>	<p>A minimum of 5 spaces for customer parking or one space per 150m<sup>2</sup> of use area, whichever is greater.</p> <p>One service vehicle space per use or one service vehicle space per 800m<sup>2</sup>, whichever is greater.</p>	One AV if the site has an area of greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV space.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Outdoor sport and recreation</b>	<p>Coursing, horse racing, pacing or trotting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One space per five seated spectators; plus</li> <li>One space per 5m<sup>2</sup> of other spectator areas.</li> </ul> <p>Football:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>50 spaces per field.</li> </ul> <p>Lawn bowls:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>30 spaces per green.</li> </ul> <p>Swimming pool:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>15 spaces; plus</li> <li>One space per 100m<sup>2</sup> of useable site area.</li> </ul> <p>Tennis or other Court:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four spaces per court.</li> </ul> <p>Golf Course:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four spaces per tee on the course; plus</li> <li>One space per 50m<sup>2</sup> of net lettable area.</li> </ul> <p><u>Any other use:</u> As determined by council.</p>	<p>An internal bus set down and pick up area that enables the bus to be in a forward motion at all times whilst onsite</p> <p>Internal dedicated taxi bays provided within 200 metres of the site entrance.</p>
<b>Park</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Parking station</b>	Not applicable	Nil.
<b>Permanent plantation</b>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Two spaces.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>	<p><u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.</p> <p><u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.</p>
<b>Place of worship</b>	Minimum of 5 spaces per use or one space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA, whichever is greater.	One SRV space.
<b>Port services</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Relocatable home park</b>	One space for each home site plus 1 space for each 5 home sites or part thereof for visitors.	One HRV space.

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<b>Renewable energy facility</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Research and technology industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One HRV space if the site has an area greater than 1,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One SRV space.
<b>Residential care facility</b>	One space per 4 hostel unit beds. Visitor parking at 30% of resident parking requirements.	One SRV space; and One space for an emergency vehicle.
<b>Resort complex</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Retirement facility</b>	One covered space per unit and 0.5 spaces for visitors parking.	One SRV space; and One space for an emergency vehicle.
<b>Roadside stall</b>	One space per stall.	Nil.
<b>Rooming accommodation</b>	<u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 15 beds. <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 8 beds.	One SRV space. One space for a 20 seater bus.
<b>Rural industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space.
<b>Rural workers' accommodation</b>	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil  <u>If Assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil  <u>If Assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.
<b>Sales office</b>	One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	Nil.



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<b>Service industry</b>	Accepted where in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One HRV space if the site is greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One SRV space.
<b>Service station</b>	Minimum of four spaces plus car parking at rates applicable to ancillary use/s.	One AV space.
<b>Shop</b>	Accepted where in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One HRV space if the site is greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One SRV space.
<b>Shopping centre</b>	<u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA and one space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One AV space per 1,000m <sup>2</sup> ; and One SRV space per 500m <sup>2</sup> ; or One SRV space per every 2 specialty uses, whichever the greater.
<b>Short-term accommodation</b>	One space per unit.	One HRV space if involves the serving of food or beverage; otherwise One SRV space.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Showroom</b>	Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 25m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 10m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> . <u>Outside the Centre zone:</u> One space per 50m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA up to 400m <sup>2</sup> GFA, and one space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of GFA above 400m <sup>2</sup> .	One AV space and One SRV space if the site is greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> ; or One HRV space; and One SRV Space.
<b>Special industry</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.
<b>Substation</b>	<u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Telecommunication s facility</b>	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.  <u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.  <u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.
<b>Theatre</b>	One space per 15m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area, or one space per 5 seated spectators whichever is the greater.	One SRV space.
<b>Tourist attraction</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.

Definition	Minimum number of Car parking spaces	Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision
<b>Tourist park</b>	One space within each accommodation site plus 1 additional visitor space per 10 accommodation sites.  Queuing for 2 vehicles towing caravans and 1 holding bay for a vehicle towing a caravan plus additional queuing for 1 vehicle towing a caravan per 40 accommodation sites.	One HRV space.
<b>Transport depot</b>	One space per 125m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.
<b>Utility installation</b>	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.  <u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.	<u>If accepted development subject to requirements:</u> Nil.  <u>If assessable development:</u> As determined by Council.
<b>Veterinary services</b>	Accepted in an existing building within the Centre zone.  <u>Inside Centre zone:</u> One space per 40m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area. <u>Outside Centre zone:</u> One space per 20m <sup>2</sup> or part thereof of net lettable area.	One HRV space if greater than 500m <sup>2</sup> GFA; and One SRV space per 500m <sup>2</sup> GFA.
<b>Warehouse</b>	One space per 90m <sup>2</sup> GFA or part thereof.	One AV space if the site has an area greater than 2,000m <sup>2</sup> , otherwise One HRV.
<b>Wholesale nursery</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Winery</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.

Note—Any use not herein defined - as determined by Council.



**Table 9.4.3.3C—Pavement Standards for Access, Manoeuvring and Car Parking areas**

Zone	Compacted Gravel Base (minimum thickness)	Surfacing Options
<b>All development other than dwelling house</b>		
All zones other than the Conservation zone or the Rural zone	75mm	Reinforced concrete with a minimum thickness of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 100mm for parking areas; and</li> <li>• 150mm for access ways.</li> </ul>
	150mm	Asphalt with a minimum thickness of 25mm
	150mm	Two coat sprayed bitumen seal
	150mm	Concrete pavers
Conservation zone or Rural zone	Not applicable	Minimum 150mm thickness compacted gravel suitable for all weather and dust free
<b>Dwelling house</b>		
All zones	75mm	Reinforced concrete with a minimum thickness of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 100mm for parking areas; and</li> <li>• 150mm for access ways.</li> </ul>
	150mm	Asphalt with a minimum thickness of 25mm
	150mm	Two coat sprayed bitumen seal
	150mm	Concrete pavers
	Not applicable	Minimum 150mm thickness compacted gravel suitable for all weather and dust free

Note—Where more than one surfacing option is listed, any one of the treatments listed may be provided.

**Table 9.4.3.3D—Bicycle Parking and End of Trip Facility Requirements**

Definition	Minimum number of bicycle parking spaces	Minimum end of trip facilities
<b>Commercial activities</b>	<p>New or redeveloped commercial activities buildings (other than a shopping centre), provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For employees - secure bicycle storage for 8% of building staff (based on one person per 60m<sup>2</sup> Gross leasable area). Secure bicycle parking involves a bicycle locker or bicycle rail in a locked compound/cage; and</li> <li>• visitor facilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- one bicycle rack space per 750m<sup>2</sup> NLA or part thereof; and</li> <li>- bicycle parking, signposted; and adjacent to a major public entrance to the building.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>New or redeveloped commercial activities buildings (other than a shopping centre), provide the following employee facilities, which are continually accessible to employees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• accessible showers at the rate of one shower per 10 bicycle spaces provided or part thereof;</li> <li>• changing facilities adjacent to showers; and</li> <li>• secure lockers in the changing facilities for 20% of building staff (based on one person per 60m<sup>2</sup> GLA to cater for walkers, cyclists and other active users.</li> </ul>
<b>Community use</b>	Four spaces per 1,500m <sup>2</sup> GFA.	As determined by Council.

Definition	Minimum number of bicycle parking spaces	Minimum end of trip facilities
<b>Educational establishment</b>	<p>New or redeveloped education facilities, provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For employees - secure bicycle storage for 8% of building staff (based on one person per 75m<sup>2</sup> GLA). Secure bicycle parking involves a bicycle locker or bicycle rail in a locked compound/cage; and</li> <li>For students: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- minimum of 8% of the peak number of students using the building at any one time (with 75% occupancy); and</li> <li>- bicycle storage within 100m of the building front entrance(s); or added to the campus central bicycle storage area.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>New or redeveloped education facilities, provide the following employee facilities, which are continually accessible to employees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>accessible showers at the rate of one per 10 bicycle spaces provided or part thereof;</li> <li>changing facilities adjacent to showers; and</li> <li>secure lockers in changing facilities for 20% of building staff (based on one person per 75m<sup>2</sup> GLA) to cater for cyclists, walkers and other active users.</li> </ul>
<b>Food &amp; drink outlet</b>	One space per 100m <sup>2</sup> GFA.	As determined by Council.
<b>Function facility</b>	One space per 300m <sup>2</sup> GFA.	As determined by Council.

Definition	Minimum number of bicycle parking spaces	Minimum end of trip facilities
<b>Health care services</b>	<p>New or redeveloped healthcare facilities, provide the following facilities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For employees - secure bicycle storage for 5% of building staff (based on one person per 75m<sup>2</sup> GLA). Secure bicycle parking involves a bicycle locker or bicycle rail in a locked compound/cage; and</li> <li>For visitors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>facilities with in-patient accommodation provide one space per each 30 beds;</li> <li>facilities without in-patient accommodation provide one space per each 4 practitioners;</li> <li>aged care facilities provide one space per each 60 beds;</li> <li>In every instance above, provide a minimum of 5 bicycle parking spaces; and</li> <li>bicycle parking provided: in an accessible location, signposted and within 10m a major public entrance to the building.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>New or redeveloped healthcare facilities, provide the following employee facilities, which are continually accessible to employees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>accessible showers at the rate of one per 10 bicycle spaces provided or part thereof;</li> <li>changing facilities adjacent to showers; and</li> <li>secure lockers in changing facilities for 20% of building staff (based on one person per 75m<sup>2</sup> GLA) to cater for cyclists, walkers and other active users.</li> </ul>
<b>Hospital</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Indoor sport and recreation</b>	One space per employee plus 1 space per 200m <sup>2</sup> GFA	As determined by Council.
<b>Park</b>	As determined by Council.	As determined by Council.
<b>Rooming accommodation</b>	One space per 4 letting rooms.	As determined by Council.



Definition	Minimum number of bicycle parking spaces	Minimum end of trip facilities
<b>Short accommodation term</b>	One space per 4 letting rooms.	As determined by Council.
<b>Shop or Shopping centre</b>	<p>New or redeveloped shopping centres, provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For employees - secure bicycle storage for 8% of building staff (based on one person per 60m<sup>2</sup> Gross leasable area). Secure bicycle parking involves a bicycle locker or bicycle rail in a locked compound/cage; and</li> <li>visitor facilities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>one space per 500m<sup>2</sup> GLA or part thereof for centres under 30,000m<sup>2</sup>; or</li> <li>one space per 750m<sup>2</sup> GLA or part thereof for centres between 30,000m<sup>2</sup> and 50,000m<sup>2</sup>; and</li> <li>bicycle parking is signposted and within 10m of a major public entrance to the building.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>New or redeveloped shopping centres, provide the following employee facilities, which are continually accessible to employees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>accessible showers at the rate of one shower per 10 bicycle spaces provided or part thereof;</li> <li>changing facilities adjacent to showers; and</li> <li>secure lockers in the changing facilities for 20% of building staff (based on one person per 60m<sup>2</sup> GLA to cater for walkers, cyclists and other active users.</li> </ul>
<b>Theatre</b>	One space per 100m <sup>2</sup> GFA.	As determined by Council.

**Table 9.4.3.3E—Vehicular Access for Specific Uses**

Use	Design
Dwelling house	A secondary dwelling shares a vehicle crossover with the Dwelling house.
Car wash	Site access involves:
Service station	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a maximum width of 9 metres of any vehicle crossover across a footpath;</li> <li>(b) a minimum separation of 12 metres between any vehicle crossover and a road intersection;</li> <li>(c) a separate entrance and exit; and</li> <li>(d) a minimum separation between vehicle crossovers of 14 metres.</li> </ul>

Industrial activities	Each lot is provided with no more than one access point every 15 metres.
Roadside stall	A single vehicular access point is provided to the site.
Tourist park	(a) a single vehicular access point is provided to the site; and (b) no accommodation site has individual vehicular access.

## 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
<b>For accepted development subject to requirements and assessable development</b>			
<b>Water supply</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO1</b> Each lot has an adequate volume and supply of water that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) meets the needs of users;</li> <li>(b) is adequate for fire-fighting purposes;</li> <li>(c) ensures the health, safety and convenience of the community; and</li> <li>(d) minimises adverse impacts on the receiving environment.</li> </ul>	<b>AO1.1</b> 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and</li> <li>(b) outside a reticulated water supply service area.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO1.2</b> Development, where located outside a reticulated water supply service area and in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone is provided with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(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</li> <li>(b) on-site water storage tank/s: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) with a minimum capacity of 90,000L;</li> <li>(ii) fitted with a 50mm ball valve with a camlock fitting; and</li> <li>(iii) which are installed and connected prior to the occupation or use of the development.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	✓	The development site has a sufficient domestic water supply.
<b>Wastewater disposal</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO2</b> Each lot provides for the treatment and disposal of effluent and other waste water that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) meets the needs of users;</li> <li>(b) is adequate for fire-fighting purposes;</li> <li>(c) ensures the health, safety and convenience of the community; and</li> <li>(d) minimises adverse impacts on the receiving environment.</li> </ul>	<b>AO2.1</b> 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and</li> <li>(b) outside a reticulated sewerage service area.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO2.2</b> An effluent disposal system is provided in accordance with ASNZ 1547 On-Site Domestic Wastewater Management (as amended) where development is located: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) in the Conservation zone, Rural zone or Rural residential zone; and</li> <li>(b) outside a reticulated sewerage service area.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable for the type of development proposed.
<b>Stormwater infrastructure</b>			
<b>PO3</b> 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.	<b>AO3.1</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<b>AO3.2</b> On-site drainage systems are constructed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) to convey stormwater from the premises to a lawful point of discharge; and</li> <li>(b) in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</li> </ul>	✓	Complies.
<b>Electricity supply</b>			
<b>PO4</b> Each lot is provided with an adequate supply of electricity	<b>AO4</b> The premises: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) is connected to the electricity supply network; or</li> <li>(b) has arranged a connection to the transmission grid; or</li> <li>(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"> <li>(i) it is approved by the relevant regulatory authority; and</li> <li>(ii) it can be demonstrated that no air or noise emissions; and</li> <li>(iii) it can be demonstrated that no adverse impact on visual amenity will occur.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	✓	Complies.
<b>Telecommunications infrastructure</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO5</b> Each lot is provided with an adequate supply of telecommunication infrastructure	<b>AO5</b> Development is provided with a connection to the national broadband network or telecommunication services.	✓	Complies.
<b>Existing public utility services</b>			
<b>PO6</b> Development and associated works do not affect the efficient functioning of public utility mains, services or installations.	<b>AO6</b> 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.
<b>Excavation or filling</b>			
<b>PO7</b> 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.	<b>AO7.1</b> Excavation or filling does not occur within 1.5 metres of any site boundary.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO7.2</b> 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.
	<b>AO7.3</b> 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
	<b>A07.4</b> Soil used for filling or spoil from excavation is not stockpiled in locations that can be viewed from: (a) adjoining premises; or (b) a road frontage, for a period exceeding 1 month from the commencement of the filling or excavation.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>A07.5</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>A07.6</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>A07.7</b> 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.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Transport network</b>			



Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO8</b> The development has access to a transport network of adequate standard to provide for the safe and efficient movement of vehicles, pedestrians and cyclists.	<b>AO8.1</b> 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.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
	<b>AO8.2</b> Development provides footpath pavement treatments in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 9 – Footpath Paving.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Public infrastructure</b>			
<b>PO9</b> 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.	<b>AO9</b> Development is in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Stormwater quality</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO10</b> Development has a non-worsening effect on the site and surrounding land and is designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) optimise the interception, retention and removal of waterborne pollutants, prior to the discharge to receiving waters;</li> <li>(b) protect the environmental values of waterbodies affected by the development, including upstream, on-site and downstream waterbodies;</li> <li>(c) achieve specified water quality objectives;</li> <li>(d) minimise flooding;</li> <li>(e) maximise the use of natural channel design principles;</li> <li>(f) maximise community benefit; and</li> <li>(g) minimise risk to public safety.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO10.1</b> The following reporting is prepared for all Material change of use or Reconfiguring a lot proposals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(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</li> <li>(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"> <li>(i) drainage control;</li> <li>(ii) erosion control;</li> <li>(iii) sediment control; and</li> <li>(iv) water quality outcomes.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable in this instance. Development is existing and stormwater is dealt with effectively.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><b>AO10.2</b>  For development on land greater than 2,500m<sup>2</sup> 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"> <li>(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;</li> <li>(b) is consistent with any local area stormwater water management planning;</li> <li>(c) accounts for development type, construction phase, local climatic conditions and design objectives; and</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul>	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO11</b> Storage areas for stormwater detention and retention: (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.	<b>AO11</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Excavation or filling</b>			
<b>PO12</b> Traffic generated by filling or excavation does not impact on the amenity of the surrounding area.	<b>AO12.1</b> Haul routes used for transportation of fill to or from the site only use major roads and avoid residential areas.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
	<b>AO12.2</b> Transportation of fill to or from the site does not occur: (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.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO13</b> Air pollutants, dust and sediment particles from excavation or filling, do not cause significant environmental harm or nuisance impacts.	<b>AO13.1</b> Dust emissions do not extend beyond the boundary of the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO13.2</b> No other air pollutants, including odours, are detectable at the boundary of the site.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO13.3</b> A management plan for control of dust and air pollutants is prepared and implemented.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>PO14</b> Access to the premises (including driveways and paths) does not have an adverse impact on: (a) safety; (b) drainage; (c) visual amenity; and (d) privacy of adjoining premises.	<b>AO14</b> Access to the premises (including all works associated with the access): (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.
<b>Weed and pest management</b>			
<b>PO15</b> Development prevents the spread of weeds, seeds or other pests into clean areas or away from infested areas.	<b>AO15</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Contaminated land</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO16</b> Development is located and designed to ensure that users and nearby sensitive land uses are not exposed to unacceptable levels of contaminants	<b>AO16</b> 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.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Fire services in developments accessed by common private title</b>			
<b>PO17</b> Fire hydrants are located in positions that will enable fire services to access water safely, effectively and efficiently.	<b>AO17.1</b> 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.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
	<b>AO17.2</b> Fire hydrants are located at all intersections of accessways or private roads held in common private title.	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.