

## Assessment of application against relevant Development Codes

### APPLICATION DETAILS

APPLICATION		PREMISES	
<b>FILE NO:</b>	MCU/22/0019	<b>ADDRESS:</b>	67 Constance Street and 2- 6 Hastie Street, Mareeba
<b>APPLICANT:</b>	Mareeba Child Care & Kindergarten Inc	<b>RPD:</b>	Lot 2 on RP723297 & Lot 10 on SP270086
<b>LODGED BY:</b>	Gilvear Planning Pty Ltd	<b>AREA:</b>	Lot 2 - 2,223m <sup>2</sup> Lot 10 - 1,565m <sup>2</sup>
<b>DATE LODGED:</b>	13 September 2022	<b>OWNER :</b>	Mareeba Child Care & Kindergarten Inc
<b>TYPE OF APPROVAL:</b>	Development Permit		
<b>PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:</b>	Material Change of Use - Child Care Centre		
<b>PLANNING SCHEME:</b>	Mareeba Shire Council Planning Scheme 2016		
<b>ZONE:</b>	Medium Density Residential		
<b>LEVEL OF ASSESSMENT:</b>	Code Assessment		
<b>SUBMISSIONS:</b>	N/A - Code Assessment Only		

### Relevant Development Codes

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

- 6.2.7 Medium density residential zone code
- 8.2.2 Airport environs overlay code
- 8.2.4 Environmental significance overlay code
- 9.3.3 Community activities code
- 9.4.2 Landscaping code
- 9.4.3 Parking and access code
- 9.4.5 Works, services and infrastructure code

## 6.2.7 Medium density residential zone code

### 6.2.7.1 Application

- (1) This code applies to assessing development where:
  - (a) located in the Medium density 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.

### 6.2.7.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the medium density residential zone code is to provide for medium density multiple dwellings supported by community uses and small-scale services and facilities that cater for local residents.
- (2) Mareeba Shire Council's purpose of the Medium density residential zone code is to facilitate medium residential densities and a diversity of housing which caters for a range of households in locations which are proximate to town centres, community facilities and open space.

Small lot housing is facilitated and medium density development may include Dual occupancy and Multiple dwelling development in the form of town houses, apartments and units.

- (3) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
  - (a) Development provides a range of residential dwelling choices including Multiple dwellings in locations clustered around or near activity centres and transport networks;
  - (b) Development encourages and facilitates urban consolidation and the efficient use of physical and social infrastructure;
  - (c) Development is supported by employment nodes, community facilities and services, transport and commercial hubs where appropriate; Development provides and maintains a high level of amenity in the zone and is reflective of the desired character of the area;
  - (d) The scale and density of development facilitates an efficient land use pattern that supports safe and walkable neighbourhoods that are well connected to employment nodes, centres, open space and recreational areas, community services and educational opportunities;
  - (e) Other small-scale development that integrates personal employment and residential activities is encouraged, provided it complements local residential amenity;
  - (f) Development maintains a high level of residential amenity avoiding uses that introduce impacts associated with noise, hours of operation, traffic, advertising devices, visual amenity, privacy, lighting, odour and emissions;
  - (g) Non-residential development may be supported where such uses directly support the day to day needs of the immediate residential community; and
  - (h) Development responds to land constraints and mitigates any adverse impacts on adjacent land uses and the environment.

### 6.2.7.3 Criteria for assessment

**Table 6.2.7.3A—Medium density 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>			
<p><b>PO1</b> Building height takes into consideration and respects the following:</p> <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>	<p><b>AO1</b> Development has a maximum building height of:</p> <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>			
<p><b>PO2</b> Domestic outbuildings:</p> <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 Medium density residential zone.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO2</b> Domestic outbuildings do not exceed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 100m<sup>2</sup> in gross floor area; and</li> <li>(b) 5.5 metres in height above natural ground level.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Siting</b>			

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<p><b>PO3</b> Development is sited in a manner that considers and respects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the siting and use of adjoining premises;</li> <li>(b) access to sunlight and daylight for the site and adjoining sites;</li> <li>(c) privacy and overlooking;</li> <li>(d) opportunities for casual surveillance of adjoining public spaces;</li> <li>(e) air circulation and access to natural breezes;</li> <li>(f) appearance of building bulk; and</li> <li>(g) relationship with road corridors.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO3.1</b> Buildings and structures include a minimum setback of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 6 metres from the primary road frontage; and</li> <li>(b) 3 metres from any secondary road frontage.</li> </ul>	<p>✓ <b>Complies with PO2</b></p>	<p>The proposed redeveloped child care centre will include setbacks of just 0.61 metres from Constance Street, with most of the building façade setback at least 1.3m from Constance Street. The development will also only achieve a setback of 0.69 metres from Hastie Street.</p> <p>Despite not achieving the desired setbacks, the lesser setbacks proposed are consistent with other commercial development along Constance Street. The structures proposed will be attractive in appearance and constructed from modern building materials. The lesser setbacks proposed will not adversely impact on any aspect of PO3.</p>
	<p><b>AO3.2</b> Buildings and structures include a minimum setback of 2 metres from side and rear boundaries.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Complies.</p>
<p><b>Accommodation density</b></p>			

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<p><b>PO4</b> The density of Accommodation activities:</p> <p>(a) contributes to housing choice and affordability;</p> <p>(b) respects the nature and density of surrounding land use;</p> <p>(c) does not cause amenity impacts beyond the reasonable expectation of accommodation density for the zone; and</p> <p>(d) is commensurate to the scale and frontage of the site.</p>	<p><b>AO4</b> Development provides a maximum density for Accommodation activities in compliance with <b>Table 6.2.7.3B</b>.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Gross floor area</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> Gross floor area does not exceed 600m<sup>2</sup>.</p>	<p>✓ <b>Complies with PO5</b></p>	<p>In this instance AO5 places a limit on GFA to control building bulk. Although the true GFA of the building (when considering the administrative definition of GFA is less than 600m<sup>2</sup>, the centre when viewed from the street or neighbouring properties will appear to have a GFA well over 600m<sup>2</sup> (approximately 1,000m<sup>2</sup>)</p> <p>It is considered that the infill redevelopment of a long established child care centre does make efficient use of the</p>

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			land and space available on site and is consistent with the bulk and scale of other commercial development along Constance Street (2 schools, churches, funeral home etc.) and appropriately balances built and natural features. The development complies with PO5.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Building design</b>			
<p><b>PO6</b> Building facades are appropriately designed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) include visual interest and architectural variation;</li> <li>(b) maintain and enhance the character of the surrounds;</li> <li>(c) provide opportunities for casual surveillance;</li> <li>(d) include a human scale; and</li> <li>(e) encourage occupation of outdoor space.</li> </ul>	<p><b>A06</b> Buildings include habitable space, pedestrian entrances and recreation space facing the primary road frontage.</p>	✓	Complies.
<p><b>PO7</b> Development complements and integrates with the established built character of the Medium density residential zone, having regard to:</p>	<p><b>A07</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓ <b>Complies with PO7.</b>	The proposed development will not be inconsistent in scale with surrounding commercial development particularly along Constance Street (State and Catholic Primary

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(a) roof form and pitch; (b) eaves and awnings; (c) building materials, colours and textures; and (d) window and door size and location.			Schools). This area is not considered a true residential area, with a number of large scale commercial and educational developments established in immediate vicinity and further along Constance Street.
<b>Non-residential development</b>			
<b>PO8</b> Non-residential development: (a) is consistent with the scale of existing development; (b) does not detract from the amenity of nearby residential uses; (c) directly supports the day to day needs of the immediate residential community; and (d) does not impact on the orderly provision of non-residential development in other locations in the shire.	<b>AO8</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Complies - The development is: (a) not inconsistent in scale with other non-residential development in the immediate vicinity. (b) Is replacing an existing long established child care centre so will not result in any change or further loss of amenity. (c) Directly supports the day to day needs of the community by providing further child care opportunities in a town where demand outweighs supply, and (d) Will not impact on the orderly provision of child care centres in other townships in the Shire.
<b>Amenity</b>			
<b>PO9</b>	<b>AO9</b>	✓	Complies. The development will

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<p>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>	No acceptable outcome is provided.		replace an existing long established child care centre. There will be increased capacity, however off site emissions as a result of the approx. 30 child increase in capacity will be negligible. Solid screen boundary fencing will be conditioned which will only help minimise noise impacts.
<p><b>PO10</b> Development must take into account and seek to ameliorate any existing negative environmental impacts, 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>AO10</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Conditions will be attached to any approval to ensure minimal impact on adjoining properties.

**Table 6.2.7.3B—Maximum densities for Accommodation activities**

Use	Maximum density
Dual occupancy	1 dwelling per 300m <sup>2</sup> of site area
Multiple dwelling	(a) 1 dwelling per 150m <sup>2</sup> of site area; and (b) 1 bedroom per 75m <sup>2</sup> of site area.
Residential care facility	1 dwelling or accommodation unit per 100m <sup>2</sup> of site area.
Retirement facility	1 dwelling or accommodation unit per 150m <sup>2</sup> of site area



## 8.2.2 Airport environs overlay code

### 8.2.2.1 Application

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

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

### 8.2.2.2 Purpose

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

### 8.2.2.3 Criteria for assessment

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

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

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

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

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

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><b>AO6.2</b> Development involving temporary or permanent aviation activities does not occur within the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 3 kilometres' of an aerodrome identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f)</b>.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<p><b>PO7</b> Development does not affect air turbulence, visibility or engine operation in the operational airspace of Mareeba Airport or regional aerodromes.</p>	<p><b>A07</b> Development does not result in the emission of a gaseous plume, at a velocity exceeding 4.3 metres per second, or smoke, dust, ash or steam within:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the Airport environs: OLS area of Mareeba Airport identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c)</b>; or</li> <li>(b) the Airport environs: OLS area of Cairns Airport identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002c.1)</b>; or</li> <li>(c) the 'Airport environs: Airport buffer - 1 kilometre' of a regional aerodrome identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002f)</b>.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.

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

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><b>AO8.3</b> Putrescible waste disposal sites do not occur within the 'Airport environs: Distance from airport - 13 kilometres' Bird and bat strike zone of:</p> <p>(a) Mareeba Airport identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b)</b>; or</p> <p>(b) Cairns Airport identified on <b>Airport environs overlay map (OM-002b.1)</b>.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p><b>Complies.</b></p>



## 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> <p>(a) it is demonstrated that the area does not support regulated vegetation as mapped;</p> <p>(b) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is for community infrastructure and associated access facilities that cannot be avoided;</p> <p>(c) wildlife interconnectivity is maintained or enhanced at a local and regional scale; and</p> <p>(d) the loss or reduction in regulated vegetation is minimised and any residual impacts are offset.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p><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> <p>(a) does not interrupt, interfere, alter or otherwise impact on underlying natural</p>	<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.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>ecosystem processes such as water quality, hydrology, geomorphology and biophysical processes;</p> <p>(b) does not negatively impact the movement of wildlife at a local or regional scale; and</p> <p>(c) avoids noise, light, vibration or other edge affects, including weed and pest incursion on identified environmental values.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
<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>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>AO3.2</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
<p><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:</p> <p>(a) maintaining adequate separation distances between waterways/wetlands and development;</p> <p>(b) maintaining and enhancing aquatic and terrestrial habitat including vegetated corridors to allow for native fauna (terrestrial and aquatic) movement;</p> <p>(c) maintaining waterway bank stability by minimising bank erosion and slumping;</p> <p>(d) maintaining water quality by providing buffers to allow filtering of sediments, nutrients and other pollutants; and</p> <p>(e) retaining and improving existing riparian vegetation and existing vegetation associated with a wetland.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>	<p><b>Where within a ‘Waterway buffer’ on Environmental Significance - Waterway Overlay Maps (OM-004p-z)</b></p> <p><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>.</p>	✓	Complies.
	<p><b>Where within a ‘High ecological significance wetland buffer’ on Environmental Significance Overlay Maps (OM-004a-o)</b></p> <p><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>.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<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)</b></p> <p><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>.</p>	✓	Complies - Stormwater will be discharged to kerb network.

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>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Complies - Wastewater will be discharged to town sewer.</p>
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Wildlife Habitat</b>			
<p><b>PO5</b> 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> No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>protect and retain identified ecological values and underlying ecosystem processes within or adjacent to the development site;</p> <p>(c) maintains or enhances wildlife interconnectivity at a local and regional scale; and</p> <p>(d) mitigates the impact of other forms of potential disturbance (such as presence of vehicles, pedestrian use, increased exposure to domestic animals, noise and lighting impacts) to protect critical life stage ecological processes (such as feeding, breeding or roosting).</p> <p>Note—Development applications must identify any EVNT species or their habitats that may be affected by the proposal. In particular, applications are to identify and describe how the development avoids adverse impacts on ecological processes within or adjacent to the development area.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
<b>Legally secured offset areas</b>			
<p><b>PO6</b> 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> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p>within the Legally Secured Offset Area.</p> <p>Note—A supporting Ecological Assessment Report is prepared in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 2 – Ecological Assessment Reports.</p>			
<b>Protected areas</b>			
<p><b>PO7</b> 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> No acceptable outcome is provided</p>	<p>n/a</p>	<p>Not applicable.</p>

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



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

**Table 8.2.4.3B - Setback and buffer distances from waterways**

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

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

### 9.3.3 Community activities code

#### 9.3.3.1 Application

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

#### 9.3.3.2 Purpose

- (1) The purpose of the Community activities code is to ensure Community activities that are appropriately designed and located to:
- (a) be conveniently accessible to the communities they serve; and
  - (b) not detrimentally impact on local amenity.
- (2) The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:
- (a) Community activities do not have an adverse impact on the amenity of the surrounding area;
  - (b) Community activities establish in appropriate locations that are highly accessible;
  - (c) Community activities are located with other community activities when the opportunity to achieve practical co-location of facilities exists;
  - (d) Community activities are designed to be accessible, functional and safe;
  - (e) Community activities are compatible and integrated with surrounding land uses; and
  - (f) Community activities enhance community identity and character.

#### 9.3.3.3 Criteria for assessment

**Table 9.3.3.3—Community 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>Amenity and privacy</b>			
<p><b>PO1</b> Community activities are appropriately located and designed to avoid adverse impacts on sensitive uses related to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) noise;</li> <li>(b) lighting; and</li> <li>(c) overlooking.</li> </ul> <p>Note—These provisions apply to any adjoining sensitive use, both on an adjoining site and on the same site as the Community activity.</p>	<p><b>AO1</b> Along any common boundary with a sensitive land use, development incorporates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a 1.8 metre high solid screen fence; and</li> <li>(b) screening to windows which:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) face the boundary;</li> <li>(ii) have a sill height less than 1.5 metres; and</li> <li>(iii) are not wholly screened by the boundary fence.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply where relevant.
<b>If for Educational establishment or Child care centre</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO2</b> Development is located on a site that is capable of accommodating:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) all facilities necessary for the use;</li> <li>(b) required landscaping and buffering; and</li> <li>(c) appropriately designed access, manoeuvring and parking areas.</li> </ul>	<p><b>A02</b> The development is located on a site with a minimum:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) site area of 800m<sup>2</sup>;</li> <li>(b) road frontage of 20 metres; and</li> <li>(c) road reserve width of 20 metres.</li> </ul>	✓	Complies.
<p><b>PO3</b> The design of the development does not result in any safety hazard for children or other users of the facility.</p>	<p><b>A03</b> A child proof fence or physical barrier is provided to prevent unintended access to the following areas, directly from indoor or outdoor areas intended to accommodate children:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Vehicle manoeuvring and parking areas;</li> <li>(b) Refuse storage and servicing areas; and</li> <li>(c) Air conditioning, refrigeration plant and mechanical plant.</li> </ul>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply if not incorporated in design.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Location</b>			
<p><b>A04</b> Development is compatible with the amenity of the surrounding area, having regard to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the location and type of vehicular access and parking;</li> <li>(b) hours of operation;</li> <li>(c) waste storage and collection;</li> <li>(d) advertising devices and signage;</li> <li>(e) visual amenity;</li> <li>(f) privacy; and</li> <li>(g) noise, odour and dust emissions.</li> </ul>	<p><b>A04</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	✓	Complies - Proposed development will replace existing childcare centre with an approximate 30% increase in child capacity. No additional impact on amenity is envisaged.
<p><b>PO5</b> Community activities are highly accessible to the</p>	<p><b>A05.1</b> Community activities are not located in a cul-de-sac.</p>	✓	Complies.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
community they serve and are located to encourage multi-purpose trips.	<b>A05.2</b> Development is located: (a) within 800 metres walking distance of the Centre zone; or (b) within 400 metres walking distance of a public transport stop; or (c) provided with a connection to the pedestrian and cycle network.	✓	Complies.
<b>Amenity and privacy</b>			
<b>PO6</b> Community 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>A06</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
<b>If for Educational establishment or Child care centre</b>			
<b>PO7</b> Educational establishments and Child care centres: (a) do not detrimentally impact on the amenity or operations of surrounding land uses; and (b) have suitable separation distances and buffering from sensitive uses.	<b>A07</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.	✓	Proposed development will replace existing childcare centre with an approximate 30% increase in child capacity. No additional impact on amenity is envisaged.

## 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>			
<p><b>PO1</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping that:</p> <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>	<p><b>AO1</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, provides:</p> <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>	✓	<p>The requirement for a landscape plan has been conditioned. More than 10% of the site will be landscaped which will include the large outdoor play areas.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO2</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes landscaping along site frontages that:</p> <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>	<p><b>AO2</b> Development, other than in the Rural zone, includes a landscape strip along any site frontage:</p> <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>	<p>✓ <b>Complies with PO2</b></p>	<p>Landscape strips will be provided along the Constance Street and Hastie Street frontages but will not be 2m wide. Despite the reduced width, the landscaping will act to soften the visual impact of the new building. A landscape plan has been conditioned.</p>
<p><b>PO3</b> Development includes landscaping and fencing along side and rear boundaries that:</p> <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>	<p><b>AO3.1</b> Development provides landscape treatments along side and rear boundaries in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.2.3B</b>.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Can be conditioned to comply. Screen fencing will be conditioned as per the community activities code.</p>
	<p><b>AO3.2</b> Shrubs and trees provided in landscape strips along side and rear boundaries:</p> <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>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Can be conditioned to comply.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><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.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<p><b>PO4</b> Car parking areas are improved with a variety of landscaping that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) provides visual interest;</li> <li>(b) provides a source of shade for pedestrians;</li> <li>(c) assists to break up and soften elements; and</li> <li>(d) improves legibility.</li> </ul>	<p><b>AO4.1</b> Landscaping is provided in car parking areas which provides:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(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;</li> <li>(b) a minimum of 1 shade tree for every 6 parking spaces, or part thereof, otherwise; and</li> <li>(c) where involving a car parking area in excess of 500m<sup>2</sup>: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) shade structures are provided for 50% of parking spaces; and</li> <li>(ii) a minimum of 10% of the parking area as landscaping.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Note—Where a shade structure is provided over part of a car parking area, shade tree planting is not required in this area of the car parking area.</p>	n/a	No onsite parking proposed.
	<p><b>AO4.2</b> Landscaping in car parking areas is designed in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.</p>	n/a	No onsite parking proposed.



Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<b>PO5</b> Landscaping areas include a range and variety of planting that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) is suitable for the intended purpose and local conditions;</li> <li>(b) contributes to the natural character of the Shire;</li> <li>(c) includes native species;</li> <li>(d) includes locally endemic species, where practical; and</li> <li>(e) does not include invasive plants or weeds.</li> </ul>	<b>AO5.1</b> Plant species are selected from the Plant Schedule in Planning Scheme Policy 6 - Landscaping and preferred plant species.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
	<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.	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
<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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) 2 metres from any underground water, sewer, gas, electricity or telecommunications infrastructure; and</li> <li>(b) 4 metres from any inspection chamber.</li> </ul>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
	<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.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
	<b>AO6.3</b> Vegetation adjoining an electricity substation boundary, at maturity, will have: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) a height of less than 4 metres; and</li> <li>(b) no foliage within 3 metres of the substation boundary, unless the substation has a solid wall along any boundary.</li> </ul>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<b>For assessable development</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>P07</b> Landscaping areas are designed to:</p> <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>	<p><b>A07</b> No acceptable outcome is provided.</p>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Will be conditioned to comply.</p>

**Table 9.4.2.3B—Side and rear boundary landscape treatments**

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

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

### 9.4.3 Parking and access code

#### 9.4.3.1 Application

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

#### 9.4.3.2 Purpose

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

#### 9.4.3.3 Criteria for assessment

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

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<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 style="text-align: center;">✓</p> <p><b>Complies with PO1.</b></p>	<p>No parking is proposed to be provided on-site. Adequate on-street parking exists immediately adjacent the site on Constance Street that exceeds the number of spaces required by AO1. A TIA was carried out by Trinity Engineering that also concluded that the slight increase to the car parking demand as a result of redevelopment was able to be accommodated by the existing on-street parking.</p> <p>It is the shared view of the assessing officers that adequate parking is provided on-street to service the development.</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> <li>(c) minimise pedestrian to vehicle conflict.</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>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>n/a</b></p>	<p>Not applicable. The existing crossover servicing the bus parking area is constructed to standard and will not be replaced or disturbed as a result of the development.</p>

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><b>AO2.2</b> Development on a site with two or more road frontages provides vehicular access from:</p> <p>(a) the primary frontage where involving Community activities or Sport and recreation activities, unless the primary road frontage is a State-controlled road; or</p> <p>(b) from the lowest order road in all other instances.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO2.3</b> Vehicular access for particular uses is provided in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3E</b>.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<p><b>PO3</b> Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include appropriate pavement treatments having regard to:</p> <p>(a) the intensity of anticipated vehicle movements;</p> <p>(b) the nature of the use that they service; and</p> <p>(c) the character of the surrounding locality.</p>	<p><b>AO3</b> Access, manoeuvring and car parking areas include pavements that are constructed in accordance with <b>Table 9.4.3.3C</b>.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Parking area location and design</b>			
<p><b>PO4</b> Car parking areas are located and designed to:</p> <p>(a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation; and</p>	<p><b>AO4.1</b> Car parking spaces, access and circulation areas have dimensions in accordance with AS/NZS 2890.1 Off-street car parking.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(b) be consistent with the character of the surrounding locality.	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO4.3</b> The car parking area includes designated pedestrian routes that provide connections to building entrances.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO4.4</b> Parking and any set down areas are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) wholly contained within the site;</li> <li>(b) visible from the street where involving Commercial activities, Community activities, Industrial activities or a use in the Recreation and open space zone;</li> <li>(c) are set back behind the main building line where involving a Dual occupancy, Multiple dwelling, Residential care facility or Retirement facility; and</li> <li>(d) provided at the side or rear of a building in all other instances.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Site access and manoeuvring</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO5</b> Access to, and manoeuvring within, the site is designed and located to:</p> <p>(a) ensure the safety and efficiency of the external road network;</p> <p>(b) ensure the safety of pedestrians;</p> <p>(c) provide a functional and convenient layout; and</p> <p>(d) accommodate all vehicles intended to use the site.</p>	<p><b>AO5.1</b> Access and manoeuvrability is in accordance with :</p> <p>(a) AS28901 – Car Parking Facilities (Off Street Parking); and</p> <p>(b) AS2890.2 – Parking Facilities (Off-street Parking) Commercial Vehicle Facilities.</p> <p>Note—Proposal plans should include turning circles designed in accordance with AP34/95 (Austroads 1995) Design Vehicles and Turning Path Templates.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO5.2</b> Vehicular access has a minimum sight distance in accordance with Part 5 of AUSTROADS.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO5.3</b> Vehicular access is located and designed so that all vehicles enter and exit the site in a forward gear.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO5.4</b> Pedestrian and cyclist access to the site:</p> <p>(a) is clearly defined;</p> <p>(b) easily identifiable; and</p> <p>(c) provides a connection between the site frontage and the entrance to buildings and end of trip facilities (where provided).</p>	n/a	Not applicable.



Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO6</b> Development that involves an internal road network ensures that it's design:</p> <p>(a) ensure safety and efficiency in operation;</p> <p>(b) does not impact on the amenity of residential uses on the site and on adjoining sites, having regard to matters of:</p> <p>(i) hours of operation;</p> <p>(ii) noise</p> <p>(iii) light; and</p> <p>(iv) odour;</p> <p>(c) accommodates the nature and volume of vehicle movements anticipated to be generated by the use;</p> <p>(d) allows for convenient access to key on-site features by pedestrians, cyclists and motor vehicles; and</p> <p>(e) in the Rural zone, avoids environmental degradation.</p>	<p><b>AO6.1</b> Internal roads for a Tourist park have a minimum width of:</p> <p>(a) 4 metres if one way; or</p> <p>(b) 6 metres if two way.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><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:</p> <p>(a) a minimum approach and departure curve radius of 12 metres; and</p> <p>(b) a minimum turning circle radius of 8 metres.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO6.3</b> Internal roads are imperviously sealed and drained, apart from those for an Energy and infrastructure activity or Rural activity.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Servicing</b>			
<p><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</p>	<p><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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
efficiency of the road network; (d) provide for all servicing functions associated with the use; and (e) are located and designed to minimise their impacts on adjoining sensitive land uses and streetscape quality.	<b>AO7.2</b> Unloading, loading, service and waste disposal areas allow service vehicles to enter and exit the site in a forward gear.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO7.3</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>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>Maintenance</b>			
<b>PO8</b> Parking areas are used and maintained for their intended purpose.	<b>AO8.1</b> Parking areas are kept and used exclusively for parking and are maintained in a suitable condition for parking and circulation of vehicles.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>AO8.2</b> All parking areas will be compacted, sealed, drained, line marked and maintained until such time as the development ceases.	n/a	Not applicable.
<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>AO9.1</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.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
(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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) the expected traffic movements to be generated by the facility;</li> <li>(b) any associated impacts on the road network; and</li> <li>(c) any works that will be required to address the identified impacts.</li> </ul>	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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(d) the expected traffic movements to be generated by the facility;</li> <li>(e) any associated impacts on the road network; and</li> <li>(f) any works that will be required to address the identified impacts.</li> </ul>	n/a	Not applicable.

**Table 9.4.3.3B—Vehicle Parking and Service Vehicle Space Requirements**

<b>Definition</b>	<b>Minimum number of Car parking spaces</b>	<b>Minimum Service Vehicle Space Provision</b>
<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.

**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
<p><b>PO1</b> Each lot has an adequate volume and supply of water that:</p> <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>	<p><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:</p> <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>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
	<p><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:</p> <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>	n/a	
<b>Wastewater disposal</b>			

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
<p><b>PO2</b> Each lot provides for the treatment and disposal of effluent and other waste water that:</p> <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>	<p><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:</p> <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>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
	<p><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:</p> <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	
<b>Stormwater infrastructure</b>			
<p><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.</p>	<p><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.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.

Performance outcomes	Acceptable outcomes	Complies	Comments
	<p><b>AO3.2</b> On-site drainage systems are constructed:</p> <p>(a) to convey stormwater from the premises to a lawful point of discharge; and</p> <p>(b) in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
<b>Electricity supply</b>			
<p><b>PO4</b> Each lot is provided with an adequate supply of electricity</p>	<p><b>AO4</b> The premises:</p> <p>(a) is connected to the electricity supply network; or</p> <p>(b) has arranged a connection to the transmission grid; or</p> <p>(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:</p> <p>(i) it is approved by the relevant regulatory authority; and</p> <p>(ii) it can be demonstrated that no air or noise emissions; and</p> <p>(iii) it can be demonstrated that no adverse impact on visual amenity will occur.</p>	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<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>A05</b> Development is provided with a connection to the national broadband network or telecommunication services.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<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>A06</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.	✓	Can be conditioned to comply.
<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>A07.1</b> Excavation or filling does not occur within 1.5 metres of any site boundary.	n/a	Not applicable.
	<b>A07.2</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>A07.3</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
	<p><b>AO7.4</b> Soil used for filling or spoil from excavation is not stockpiled in locations that can be viewed from:</p> <p>(a) adjoining premises; or (b) a road frontage, for a period exceeding 1 month from the commencement of the filling or excavation.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO7.5</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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO7.6</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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO7.7</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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
<b>For assessable development</b>			
<b>Transport network</b>			

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<p><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.</p>	<p><b>A08.1</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.</p>	n/a	Not applicable.
	<p><b>A08.2</b> Development provides footpath pavement treatments in accordance with Planning Scheme Policy 9 – Footpath Paving.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
<b>Public infrastructure</b>			
<p><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.</p>	<p><b>A09</b> Development is in accordance with the Design Guidelines and Specifications set out in the Planning Scheme Policy 4 – FNQROC Regional Development Manual.</p>	✓	Will be conditioned to comply.
<b>Stormwater quality</b>			

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<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>	<p>✓</p>	<p>Will be conditioned to comply.</p>

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	<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.

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

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<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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) safety;</li> <li>(b) drainage;</li> <li>(c) visual amenity; and</li> <li>(d) privacy of adjoining premises.</li> </ul>	<b>AO14</b> Access to the premises (including all works associated with the access): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) must follow as close as possible to the existing contours;</li> <li>(b) be contained within the premises and not the road reserve, and</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul>	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>			

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<p><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</p>	<p><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.</p>	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Fire services in developments accessed by common private title</b>			
<p><b>PO17</b> Fire hydrants are located in positions that will enable fire services to access water safely, effectively and efficiently.</p>	<p><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.</p>	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.
	<p><b>AO17.2</b> Fire hydrants are located at all intersections of accessways or private roads held in common private title.</p>	<b>n/a</b>	Not applicable.