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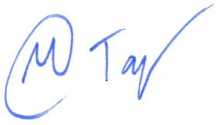
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1. INTRODUCTION

Benbow Environmental has been engaged by Enviro Waste Services Group Pty Ltd (Enviro Waste) to undertake an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the increase in processing quantities at the liquid waste treatment facility located at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora NSW 2161.

The subject site has approval to process 900 tonnes per annum of waste liquids, with a maximum of 110 tonnes of liquid that can be stored at any one time.

Enviro Waste proposes to increase the processing quantity at the subject site to 100,000 tonnes per annum and increase the maximum quantity to be stored at any one time to 200 tonnes.

The proposal constitutes State Significant Development (SSD) under the SEPP (State and Regional Development) 2011 as it is a waste management facility that would handle 100,000 tonnes per year.

The environmental assessment process for State Significant Development requires that an EIS be prepared that satisfies the requirements in Schedule 2 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

The proposal also constitutes integrated development as it requires a licence under Schedule 1 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997.

The following sections provide the details of the proposed development, the relevant planning considerations, and expected potential environmental impacts that need to be addressed in an Environmental Impact Statement. This Report supports the application for Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements (SEARs) for the proposed development.

1.1 ABOUT THE APPLICANT

Enviro Services Group, Liquid Waste Sydney (Enviro Waste) – is a family owned and operated Liquid Waste disposal company in Sydney who specialise in liquid waste removal founded on the extensive experience of its Owner and Director, Eddy Hawach.

Eddy has been in the Liquid Waste industry in Sydney for over 15 years and has built his company on the highest quality of care to ensure customer satisfaction without any impact on the surrounding environment.

Enviro Waste provides professional, high quality service but with the friendliness and personal follow-through of an Australian owned family-run company to all its clients, whether a multi-million dollar commercial project, or a one-off domestic septic tank or grease trap pump-out. They assist the Sydney community with septic tank cleaning, grease trap cleaning and all other liquid waste removal services.

2. PROJECT JUSTIFICATION

Under the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, generators of liquid waste are required to manage this waste in a way that does not contaminate land or waterways and protects the environment. Additional regulations apply to the generation, storage and treatment of hazardous and liquid wastes.

The proposed development would provide additional capacity for generators of such waste to have this waste managed in accordance with legislative requirements at a well-known established liquid waste treatment facility. The proposal has been presented in response to the increased requests for treatment of liquid wastes around the Sydney region.

2.1 OBJECTIVES OF THE PROPOSAL

The main objective of the proposal is to increase the facility's processing capacity that improves the efficacy of Enviro Waste's on-going family-run business of liquid waste treatment. Secondary objectives include:

- Utilise the existing on-site equipment at the facility at an increased capacity to efficiently process liquid waste, reducing likelihood of illegal dumping; and
- To operate the facility to a high environmental standard and ensure cleaner production principles are implemented.

2.2 NEED FOR DEVELOPMENT

The demand for treatment facilities to cope with the increased liquid waste generation around NSW has been increasing. As such Enviro Services Group is looking to increase the processing capacity of their existing plant to meet this demand.

3. DESCRIPTION OF THE DEVELOPMENT

The proposed development involves increasing processing quantities at the liquid waste recycling facility located at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora. The proposed development seeks approval to increase the processing quantities from 900 tonnes per annum to 100,000 tonnes per annum, and increase the maximum quantity to be stored at any one time from 110 tonnes to 200 tonnes.

3.1 PROPOSED SITE ACTIVITIES AND SITE USE

The facility would receive an increased quantity of liquid wastes of a type that it is already licenced to receive including:

- Residues from industrial waste treatment/disposal operations – landfill leachates (N205);
- Liquid waste material in glass, plastic or aluminium containers;
- Surface active agents (surfactants) containing principally organic constituents and which may contain metals and inorganic materials (M250);
- Waste oil/hydrocarbons mixtures/emulsions in water (J120);
- Sewage sludge & residues (K130); and
- Grease trap waste (K110).

The operation of the facility involves the following activities to be undertaken on site:

- Unloading and loading of liquid waste from tanker trucks;
- Filtration of solid debris;
- Separation of solids;
- Separation of oils and sludge; and
- Separation of oil and water;

The increased processes quantities would utilise the existing equipment onsite.

3.2 PRODUCTION PROCESS

The purpose of the facility is to receive waste liquids and process the liquid so suitably cleaned water is removed for discharge to tradewaste and remaining sludges are sent on by a licenced waste contractor to be further processed, predominantly as grease trap waste.

The processes involved in the site operations are as follows:

1. Waste liquids are collected from sites throughout the Sydney Metropolitan Area. Most of the liquids are collected from special purpose tanks which separate the solid residues from the liquids, minimising the solids collected. The waste liquids are collected via vacuum tankers. The vacuum pump is mounted on the truck and runs on the truck's diesel engine. A flexible hose connected to the pump and tank intake transfers the liquid through the intake nozzle, hose assembly and then into the tank. A pressure valve allows the displaced air to be released to the atmosphere.

2. The liquids are delivered to the recycling facility. Trucks reverse unto the unloading area located inside the factory building, the swept paths showing how the trucks reverse into the facility are shown in Figure 6-1.

3. A flexible hose connected to the outlet point of the tanker truck and is connected to a filter which removes any solids. The filtration devices are on wheels and can be manoeuvred such that a flexible hose connected to the outlet of the filter connected to any one of the tanks within the facility. Typically tanks on the western side of the facility are assigned to oily liquid wastes (grease trap waste (K110); waste oil/hydrocarbons mixtures/emulsions in water (J120); surfactants (M250)) and tanks on the eastern side of the facility store other organic liquid wastes such as sewage sludge & residues (K130) and landfill leachates (N205).

4. Solids from the filters are manually transferred to a storage bin that once full is classified in accordance with waste guidelines and sent accordingly to a licenced landfill.

5. The waste liquids are pumped from the tankers using the main pump within the facility not the tanker pump, which is connected to a pressurised series of tanks and pipework at the facility. The main pumps flow direction and valves throughout the facility controls the movement of liquid waste depending on the operations which vary dependant on volumes of different wastes received.

6. Before final treatment all waste liquid is pumped from the storage tanks, into the tank adjacent to the DAF (tank 1) and then into the DAF (Dissolved air flotation) which separates the solid and oil from the water.

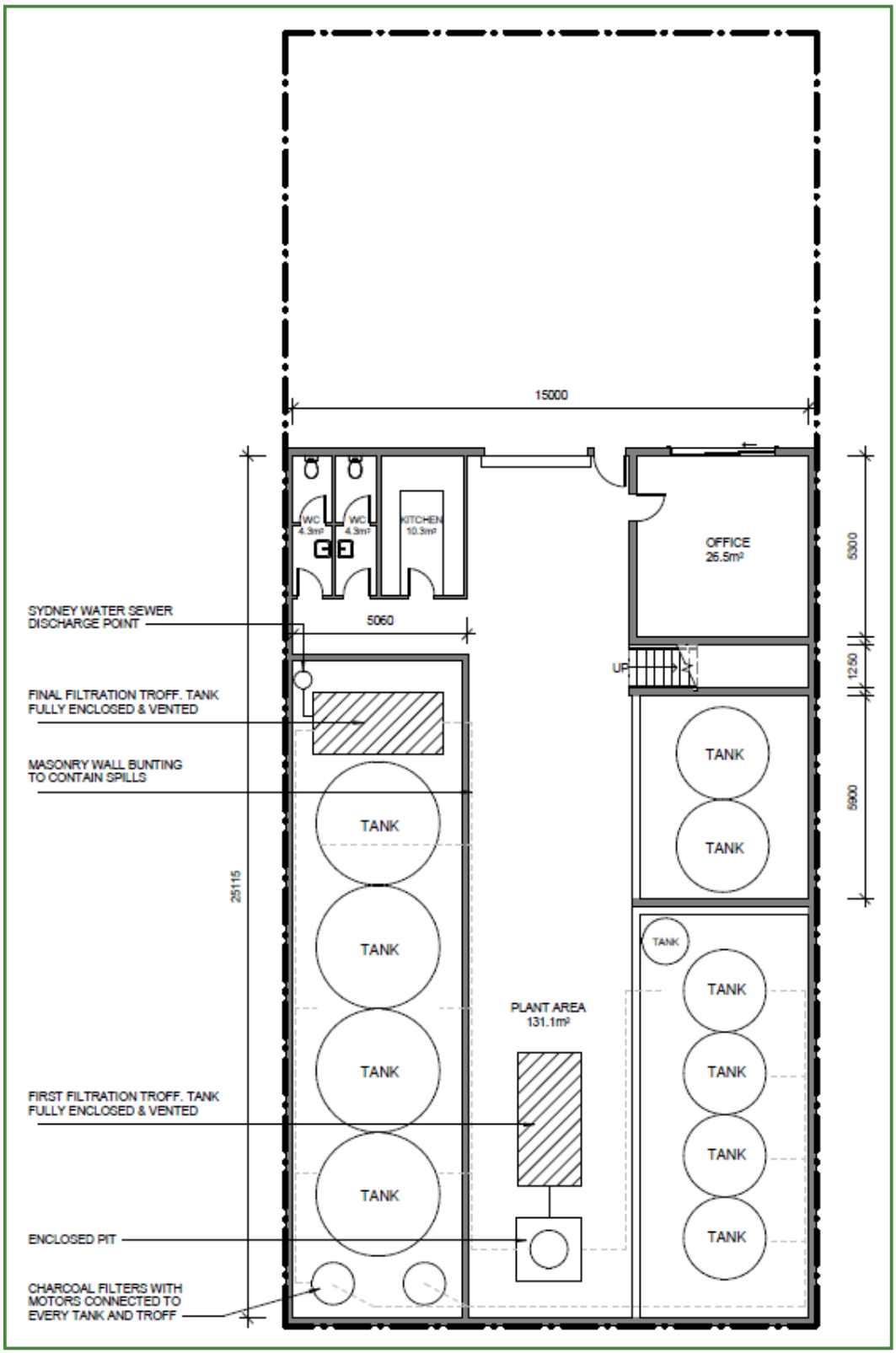
7. Oil and sludge is transferred from the DAF to small storage tanks near the DAF. This is removed from site by a licenced waste contractor to be processed as grease trap waste.

8. Waste water from the DAF is discharged to the Sydney Water sewer under a Trade Wastewater Agreement (see Attachment 2).

3.3 SITE LAYOUT

Figure 3-1 shows the existing site plans of the development.

Figure 3-1: Site Plans



3.4 HOURS OF OPERATION

Current hours of operation are 6am – 4pm Monday to Friday and 8am - 1pm Saturdays.

The facility proposes to operate 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

3.5 EMPLOYMENT

The site currently employs 2 full time staff and will employ 3 additional staff with the proposed increase in production.

3.6 CONSTRUCTION WORKS

No construction work is necessary for the proposed development. The existing equipment will be utilised with an increased throughput and operational hours.

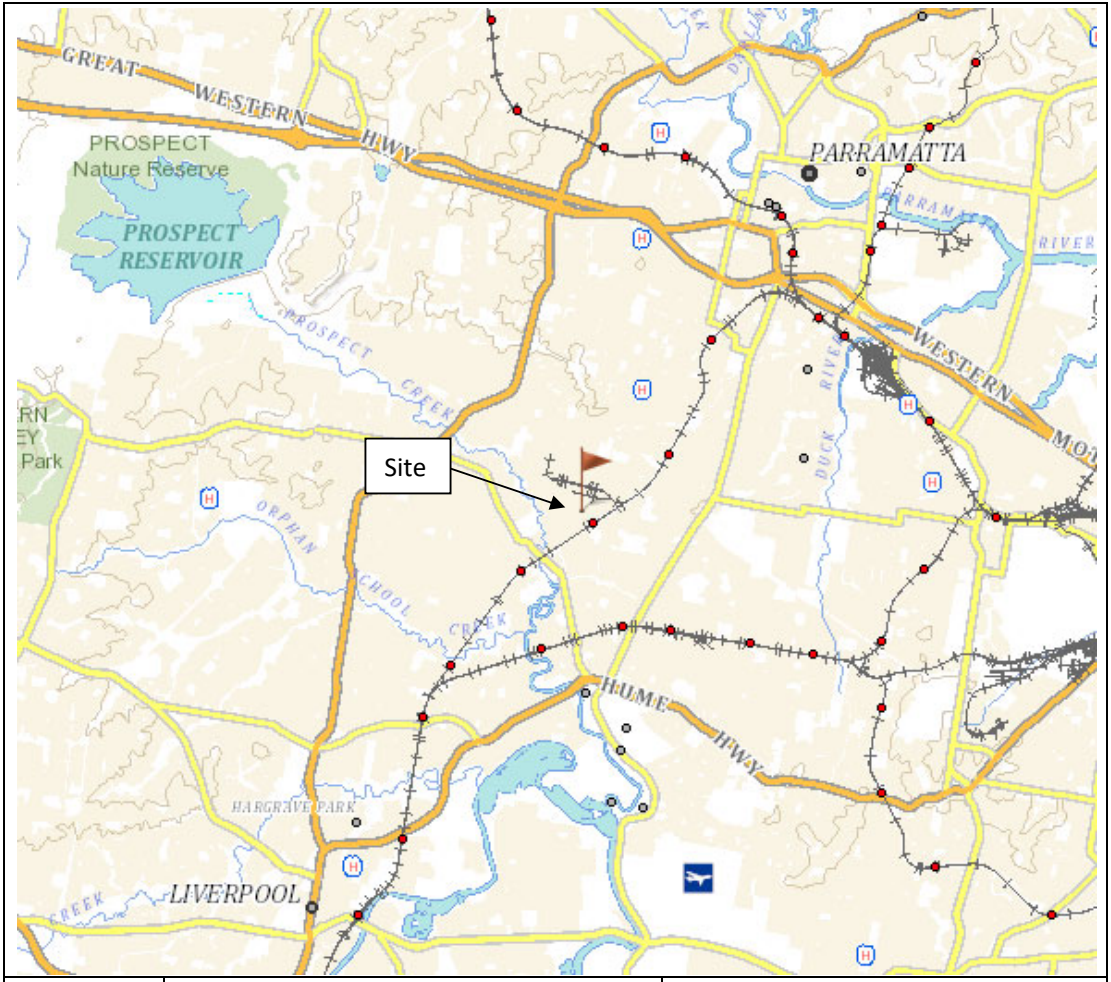
4. LOCATION

This section describes the existing site and the location of the development. The surroundings are characterised and a general description of the environment that is likely to be affected is provided.

4.1 SITE LOCATION

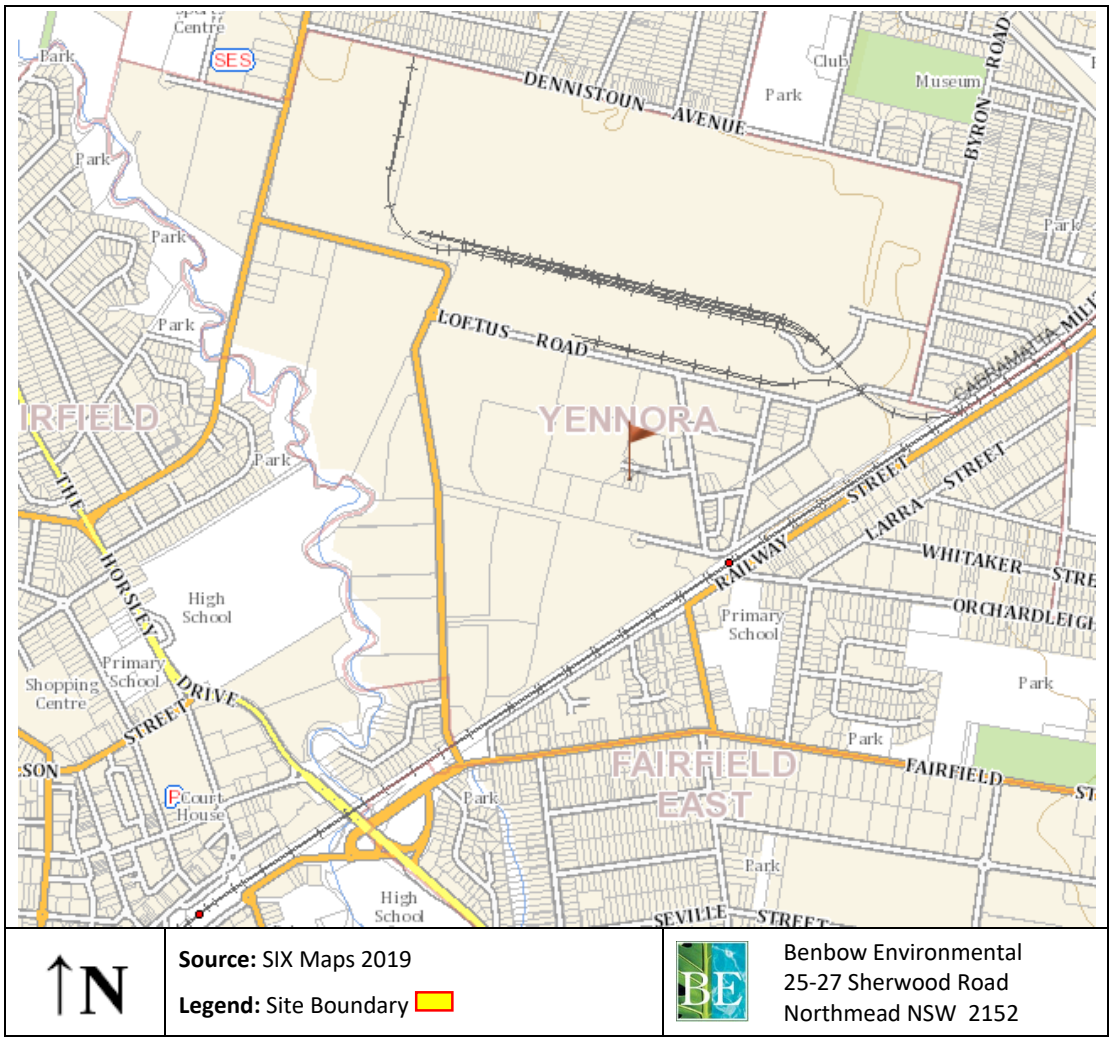
The development is located on a 575 m^2 site at 14 Kiora crescent, Yennora ("the subject site"), Lot 49 DP18211 and is within the Cumberland local government area. Figure 4-1 shows the site location in a regional context, with the site's local context shown in Figure 4-2.

Figure 4-1: Site Location in a Regional Context



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Figure 4-2: The Site Location in a Local Context



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Source: SIX Maps 2019

Legend: Site Boundary

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4.2 EXISTING FACILITIES

The site is currently operating as a liquid waste treatment facility. The facility consists of a tank farm, filtration equipment, processing tanks, bunded areas, sump collection pits, odour control devices, unloading and loading areas, office and amenities. An aerial photograph of the site is shown in Figure 4-4.

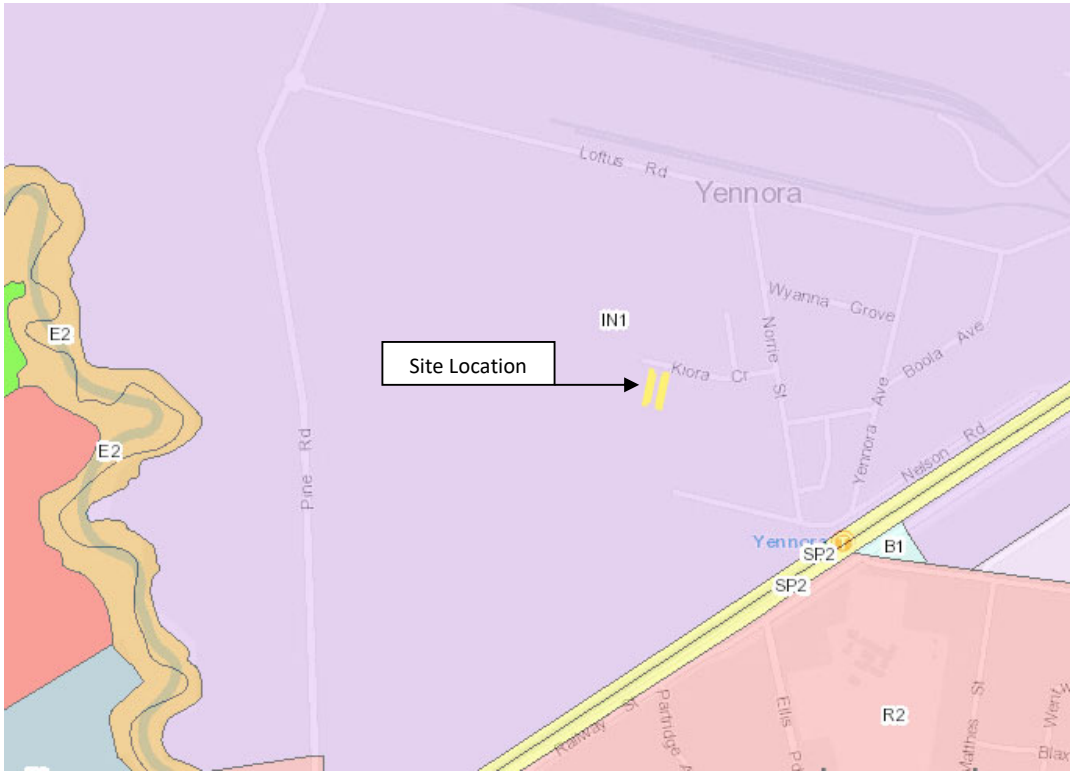
4.3 LAND USE

The site is situated in IN1 – General Industrial land use zoning under the Holroyd LEP 2013 as shown in Figure 4-3. The surroundings, in all directions, are mainly General Industrial IN1, with some Special Infrastructure SP2 (T5 – Leppington railway line) to the east and south and beyond that, Low Density Residential R2. Further to the east there are smaller areas of Light Industrial IN2. Beyond the General Industrial IN1 to the north there are also areas of Low Density Residential R2, Public Recreation RE1 and Environmental Conservation E2. At the edge of the General Industrial IN1 in the west is Prospect Creek, Environmental Conservation E2, beyond that is an area of Low Density Residential R2, Public Recreation RE1 and High Density Residential R4.

The T5 – Leppington railway line is located 325 m to the south east of the site. The Horsley Drive is located 1.02 km to the south west of the site and Prospect Creek is located 735 m to the south west.

The closest residential area is to south east of the site, 330 m to the south east of the site. The surrounding land zoning is shown in Figure 4-3.

Figure 4-3: Surrounding land use zoning



Source: https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au

Legend:

- B1 - Neighbourhood Centre
- B2 - Local Centre
- B3 - Commercial Core
- B4 - Mixed Use
- B5 - Business Development
- B6 - Enterprise Corridor
- B7 - Business Park
- B8 - Metropolitan Centre
- E1 - National Parks and Nature Reserves
- E2 - Environmental Conservation
- E3 - Environmental Management
- E4 - Environmental Living
- IN1 - General Industrial
- IN2 - Light Industrial
- IN3 - Heavy Industrial
- IN4 - Working Waterfront
- R1 - General Residential
- R2 - Low Density Residential
- R3 - Medium Density Residential
- R4 - High Density Residential
- R5 - Large Lot Residential
- RE1 - Public Recreation
- RE2 - Private Recreation
- RU1 - Primary Production
- RU2 - Rural Landscape
- RU3 - Forestry
- RU4 - Primary Production Small Lots
- RU5 - Village
- RU6 - Transition
- SP1 - Special Activities
- SP2 - Infrastructure
- SP3 - Tourist
- W1 - Natural Waterways
- W2 - Recreational Waterways
- W3 - Working Waterways

Figure 4-4: Aerial View of the Site



↑N	**Source:** SIX Maps 2019 **Legend:** Site boundaries	Benbow Environmental 25-27 Sherwood Road Northmead NSW 2152

Table 4-1: Residential and Non-Residential Receivers

Receptor ID	Address	Lot & DP	Approx. Distance from Proposed Development	Type of Receptor
R1	2A Ellis Parade, Yennora	Lot 1 DP553522	330 m SSE	Residential
R2	45 Railway Street, Yennora	Lot 3 DP 574732	755 m ENE	Residential
R3	66 Byron Road, Guildford	Lot 2 DP 975284	965 m NE	Residential
R4	58 Tamplin Road, Guildford	Lot 7 DP 31391	920 m NNE	Residential
R5	45 Dennistoun Avenue, Guildford West	Lot 118 DP 10981	910 m N	Residential
R6	89 Dennistoun Avenue, Guildford West	Lot 50 DP 39199	1135 m NW	Residential
R7	28 Ace Avenue, Fairfield	Lot 30 DP 539236	830 m W	Residential
R8	17 Pine Road, Fairfield	Lot 39 DP 13605	645 m SW	Residential
R9	104 Railway Street, Yennora	Lot 5 DP 812983	425 m SSW	Residential
R10	Yennora Public School 1-9 Orchardleigh Street, Yennora	Lot 1 DP 447926	335 m SW	School/ Childcare Centre
R11	Mini Masterminds Guildford 16 Junction Street, Old Guildford	Lot 1 DP 509537	1070 m ENE	School/ Childcare Centre
R12	Fairfield High School 405 The Horsley Drive, Fairfield	Lot 1 DP 1063605	710 m W	School/ Childcare Centre
R13	Fairfield Road Park 241 Fairfield Road, Yennora	Lot 23 DP 610787	1020 m WNW	Active Recreation
R14	12 Kiora Crescent, Yennora	Lot 48 DP 18211	Adjacent E	Industrial
R15	16 Kiora Crescent, Yennora	Lot 50 DP 18211	Adjacent W	Industrial
R16	27-49 Nelson Road, Yennora	Lot 1 DP 746982	Adjacent S	Industrial
R17	1 Norrie Street, Yennora	Lot 9 DP 1233715	130 m N	Industrial

Figure 4-5: Receptor Map



5. PLANNING

This section provides an assessment of the proposed development in accordance with all relevant statutory planning controls.

5.1 COMMONWEALTH CONTROLS

5.1.1 Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

The *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) would apply to the development of the subject land. The EPBC Act provides a legal framework to protect and manage nationally and internationally important flora, fauna, ecological communities and heritage places – defined in the EPBC Act as matter of national environmental significance.

The proposed development would not have a significant impact on matters of national environmental significance and it is not on Commonwealth land. Therefore, the Provisions of the Act do not have application and the approval of the Minister is not required.

5.2 STATE CONTROLS

5.2.1 Environmental Planning and Assessment Act and Regulation

The *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (EP&A Act)* and the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 (EP&A Regulation)* provide the framework for environmental planning in NSW. The EP&A Act and the Regulation include provisions to ensure that proposals, which have the potential to impact on the environment, are subject to detailed assessment. Under this legislation the proposed development is defined as both designated and integrated development.

5.2.1.1 Designated development

The proposed development potentially falls under the *EP&A Regulation 2000, Schedule 3, Part 1 "What is designated development?"*. The following clauses are of relevance.

> ***32 Waste management facilities or works***
> *(1) Waste management facilities or works that store, treat, purify or dispose of waste or sort, process, recycle, recover, use or reuse material from waste and:*
> *(a) that dispose (by landfilling, incinerating, storing, placing or other means) of solid or liquid waste:*
> *(i) that includes any substance classified in the Australian Dangerous Goods Code or medical, cytotoxic or quarantine waste, or*
> *(ii) that comprises more than 100,000 tonnes of "clean fill" (such as soil, sand, gravel, bricks or other excavated or hard material) in a manner that, in the opinion of the consent authority, is likely to cause significant impacts on drainage or flooding, or*
> ***(iii) that comprises more than 1,000 tonnes per year of sludge or effluent,*** *or*
> *(iv) that comprises more than 200 tonnes per year of other waste material, or*
> *(b) that sort, consolidate or temporarily store waste at transfer stations or materials recycling facilities for transfer to another site for final disposal, permanent storage, reprocessing, recycling, use or reuse and:*

(i) that handle substances classified in the Australian Dangerous Goods Code or medical, cytotoxic or quarantine waste, or
(ii) that have an intended handling capacity of more than 10,000 tonnes per year of waste containing food or livestock, agricultural or food processing industries waste or similar substances, or
(iii) that have an intended handling capacity of more than 30,000 tonnes per year of waste such as glass, plastic, paper, wood, metal, rubber or building demolition material, or

(c) that purify, recover, reprocess or process more than 5,000 tonnes per year of solid or liquid organic materials, *or*

(d) that are located:
(i) in or within 100 metres of a natural waterbody, wetland, coastal dune field or environmentally sensitive area, or
(ii) in an area of high watertable, highly permeable soils, acid sulphate, sodic or saline soils, or
(iii) within a drinking water catchment, or
(iv) within a catchment of an estuary where the entrance to the sea is intermittently open, or
(v) on a floodplain, or
(vi) within 500 metres of a residential zone or 250 metres of a dwelling not associated with the development and, in the opinion of the consent authority, having regard to topography and local meteorological conditions, are likely to significantly affect the amenity of the neighbourhood by reason of noise, visual impacts, air pollution (including odour, smoke, fumes or dust), vermin or traffic.

(2) This clause does not apply to:
(a) development comprising or involving any use of sludge or effluent if:
(i) the dominant purpose is not waste disposal, and
(ii) the development is carried out in a location other than one listed in subclause (1) (d), above, or
(b) development comprising or involving waste management facilities or works specifically referred to elsewhere in this Schedule, or
(c) development for which State Environmental Planning Policy No 52—Farm Dams and Other Works in Land and Water Management Plan Areas requires consent.

The proposed development will process more than 5,000 tonnes per year and will comprise more than 1,000 tonnes per year of sludge or effluent. Therefore the proposed development constitutes designated development. However, under the State Environmental Planning Policy (State and Regional Development) 2011, the development is State Significant Development (SSD). Therefore, an application for SSD is made.

5.2.1.2 Integrated development

Part 4, Division 4.8, Section 4.46 of the EP&A Act defines what constitutes an "Integrated development". Integrated development is development (not being State significant development or complying development) that requires development consent and one or more of the following licenses or approvals listed in Table 5-1.

Table 5-1: Licence/Approval Requirements as Integrated Development

Legislation	Require License or Approval
Coal Mine Subsidence Compensation Act 2017	No
Fisheries Management Act 1994	No
Heritage Act 1977	No
Mines Subsidence Compensation Act 1961	No
Mining Act 1992	No
National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974	No
Petroleum (Onshore) Act 1991	No
Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997	**Yes**
Roads Act 1993	No
Rural Fires Act 1997	No
Water Management Act 2000	No

The site currently holds an Environment Protection Licence (EPL licence No. 20444) for waste processing (non-thermal treatment). An application to vary the EPL for the increased quantities would be submitted.

Hence this proposal is integrated development.

5.2.1.3 Section 4.15 (1) – Matters for Consideration

Under Section 4.15 of the EP&A Act, in determining a development application a consent authority is to take into consideration such of the following matters as are relevant to the development, the subject of the development application.

(a) The provisions of:

(i) Any environmental planning instrument.

The *Holroyd Local Environmental Plan (HLEP) 2013* applies to the subject land. The subject land is zoned IN1 General Industrial. Under the provisions of this zone the proposed use is permitted with consent.

(ii) Any draft environmental planning instruments that have been placed on public exhibition.

None at this stage.

(iii) Any Development Control Plans.

The proposed use will be assessed in accordance with the Holroyd DCP 2013 in the EIS.

(iv) Any matters prescribed by the regulations.

None at this stage.

(b) The likely impact of the development including environmental impacts in both the natural and built environment and social and economic impacts in the locality.

- *Context and Setting*

The proposed use will complement the surrounding area and strengthen the overall economic development of the area.

- *Potential Impact on Adjoining Properties*

There will be no negative impact on the adjoining or surrounding industrial or other adjoining properties.

- *Access, Transport and Traffic*

A traffic and parking assessment will be undertaken for the proposed development for all aspects of its traffic design.

- *Public Domain*

The proposed use will have a positive contribution to the public domain.

- *Utilities*

The existing utilities are adequate to service the proposed development.

- *Heritage*

There are no heritage issues.

- *Other Land Resources*

The proposed development will not require land resources.

- *Critical Habitat*

The land does not include or comprise critical habitat.

- *Air and Microclimate*

There are no microclimate issues. An air quality impact assessment has been conducted and found that there will be no significant impacts.

- *Waste*

Waste management will be assessed; the proposed development will treat liquid wastes from the Sydney region, reducing the potential environmental impacts of this waste effectively.

- *Energy*

The proposed operation would not involve energy intensive activities therefore there are no energy issues.

- *Noise*

Detailed noise impact assessment has been conducted in accordance with the NSW Noise Policy for Industry, and the NSW Road Noise Policy. The noise assessment concluded that the proposed development will not generate significant noise impacts.

- *Natural Hazards*

There are no acknowledged natural hazards.

- *Social Impact in the Locality*

There are no negative social impacts.

- *Economic Impact in the Locality*

The proposed use will contribute to the economic development of the area.

- *Site Design and Building Form*

There will be no major changes to the building design and form, the existing building is of a design suitable to the land zoning of the area and be in accordance with relevant DCP requirements and the Building Code of Australia.

- *Construction*

Minimal construction works are required for the proposed development.

- *Cumulative Impacts*

Cumulative impacts will be assessed in the EIS.

(c) The suitability of the site for the development.

The proposed development is appropriate for this site.

(d) Any submissions made in accordance with the Act.

No submissions at this stage.

(e) The public interest

There are no aspects of the proposed use that would be contrary to the public interest.

5.2.2 Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016

The subject land is not biodiversity certified land within the meaning of Part 8 of the *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2010*. There is no element of the Biodiversity Offsets Scheme that applies to the land under Part 8 of the same Act. The subject land does not contain threatened species.

The proponent is therefore seeking a waiver for a biodiversity development assessment report (BDAR waiver) under Section 7.9 of the Act (Attachment 4).

5.2.3 NSW Heritage Act 1977

The subject land does not contain an item of environmental heritage and there are no items of environmental heritage in the immediate vicinity of the subject land that would be impacted by its proposed use. Therefore, there are no issues in relation to the *NSW Heritage Act 1977*.

5.2.4 State and Regional Environmental Planning Policies

A number of State Environmental Planning Policies (SEPPs) and Deemed SEPPs (previously knowns as Regional Environmental Plans) as well as Draft SEPPs, apply to the subject land and are listed in Table 5-2. The most relevant SEPPs are then discussed in greater detail.

Table 5-2: State and Regional Environmental Planning Policies

Policy	Comments
Greater Metropolitan Regional Environmental Plan No. 2 – Georges River Catchment	**No application: Discussed below**
SEPP (Affordable Rental Housing) 2009	No application
SEPP (Building Sustainability Index: BASIX) 2004	No application
SEPP (State Significant Precincts) 2005	**No application: Discussed below**
SEPP (Miscellaneous Consent Provisions) 2007	No application
SEPP (State and Regional Development) 2011	**Applies: Discussed below**
SEPP (Exempt and Complying Development Codes) 2008	No application
SEPP (Housing for Seniors or People with a Disability) 2004	No application
SEPP (Infrastructure) 2007	**Applies. Discussed below.**
SEPP (Mining, Petroleum Production and Extractive Industries) 2007	No application
SEPP No 1 – Development Standards	No application
SEPP No 19 – Bushland in Urban Areas	No application
SEPP No 21 – Caravan Parks	No application
SEPP No 33 – Hazardous and Offensive Development	**No application: Discussed below**
SEPP No 44 – Koala Habitat Protection	No application
SEPP No 50 – Canal Estate Development	No application
SEPP No 55 – Remediation of Land	**No application: Discussed below**
SEPP No 62 – Sustainable Aquaculture	No application
SEPP No 64 – Advertising and Signage	Existing signage will remain. No application.
SEPP No 65 – Design Quality of Residential Apartment Development	No application
SEPP No 70 – Affordable Housing	No application
SEPP (Primary Production and Rural Development) 2019	No application
SEPP (Vegetation in Non-Urban Areas) 2017	No application
Draft SEPP – Integrating Land Use and Transport	No application
Draft SEPP (Environment) 2017	No application

5.2.4.1 State Environmental Planning Policy No. 33 – Hazardous and Offensive Development

The proposed development does not trigger the thresholds listed in SEPP No. 33 – Hazardous and Offensive Development and would not fit the definition of 'potentially hazardous industry' or 'hazardous storage establishment'. This is will be addressed in the EIS.

5.2.4.2 State Environmental Planning Policy No. 55 – Remediation of Land

The proposed development does not require any excavation, therefore SEPP No. 55 – Remediation of Land does not apply.

The site is considered to be suitable for the proposed development in its current condition, and therefore no remediation is required.

5.2.4.3 State Environmental Planning Policy (Infrastructure) 2007

The proposal is permitted with consent under Clause 121 of Division 23, Part 3, of the *State Environmental Planning Policy* (SEPP) *(Infrastructure) 2007*, as reported below.

> ***121 Development permitted with consent***
> *(1) Development for the purpose of waste or resource management facilities, other than development referred to in subclause (2), may be carried out by any person with consent on land in a prescribed zone.*
>
> Where:
> ***prescribed zone*** *means any of the following land use zones or a land use zone that is equivalent to any of those zones:*
> *(a) RU1 Primary Production,*
> *(b) RU2 Rural Landscape,*
> ***(c) IN1 General Industrial,***
> *(d) IN3 Heavy Industrial,*
> *(e) SP1 Special Activities,*
> *(f) SP2 Infrastructure.*
>
> ***waste or resource management facility*** *means a waste or resource transfer station, a resource recovery facility or a waste disposal facility.*
>
> ***resource recovery facility*** *means a facility for the recovery of resources from waste, including such works or activities as separating and sorting, processing or treating the waste, composting, temporary storage, transfer or sale of recovered resources, energy generation from waste gases and water treatment, but not including re-manufacture of material or goods or disposal of the material by landfill or incineration.*
>
> ***waste or resource transfer station*** *means a facility for the collection and transfer of waste material or resources, including the receipt, sorting, compacting, temporary storage and distribution of waste or resources and the loading or unloading of waste or resources onto or from road or rail transport.*

Development for the purposes of a waste or resource management facility is permissible with consent.

5.2.4.4 State Environmental Planning Policy (State Significant Precincts) 2005

The development is not within a state significant precinct and the provisions of the SEPP (State Significant Precincts) 2005 do not apply.

5.2.4.5 State Environmental Planning Policy (State and Regional Development) 2011

The aims of SEPP (State and Regional Development) 2011 is to identify development that is state significant development, state significant infrastructure or critical state significant infrastructure. Under Clause 8 (1) of the *State Environmental Planning Policy (State and Regional Development) 2011*, development is potentially State Significant Development if it is specified in Schedule 1 or Schedule 2. Clause 23(3) of Schedule 1 is relevant to the proposed activities:

> ***23 Waste and resource management facilities***
> *(1) Development for the purpose of regional putrescible landfills or an extension to a regional putrescible landfill that:*
> *(a) has a capacity to receive more than 75,000 tonnes per year of putrescible waste, or*
> *(b) has a capacity to receive more than 650,000 tonnes per year of putrescible waste over the life of the site, or*
> *(c) is located in an environmentally sensitive area of State significance.*
>
> *(2) Development for the purpose of waste or resource transfer stations in metropolitan areas of the Sydney region that handle more than 100,000 tonnes per year of waste.*
>
> *(3) Development for the purpose of resource recovery or recycling facilities that handle more than 100,000 tonnes per year of waste.*
>
> *(4) Development for the purpose of waste incineration that handles more than 1,000 tonnes per year of waste.*
>
> *(5) Development for the purpose of hazardous waste facilities that transfer, store or dispose of solid or liquid waste classified in the Australian Dangerous Goods Code or medical, cytotoxic or quarantine waste that handles more than 1,000 tonnes per year of waste.*
>
> *(6) Development for the purpose of any other liquid waste depot that treats, stores or disposes of industrial liquid waste and:*
> ***(a) handles more than 10,000 tonnes per year of liquid food or grease trap waste, or***
> ***(b) handles more than 1,000 tonnes per year of other aqueous or non-aqueous liquid industrial waste.***

The proposed development **is State Significant Development** as it involves the handling more than 10,000 tonnes per year of liquid food or grease trap waste and 1,000 tonnes of other aqueous per year of waste. Additionally, the subject site is not an identified site under Schedule 2 of the SEPP.

5.2.5 Greater Metropolitan Regional Environmental Plan No. 2 – Georges River Catchment

The proposed development must adhere to the specific matters for consideration of clause 23 of the Greater Metropolitan Regional Environmental Plan No. 2 – Georges River Catchment.

> ***19 SEWERAGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS OR WORKS***
>
> ***Definition***
> *Development for the purpose of any sewerage system or work which stores, treats or disposes of sewage (including domestic on-site disposal systems that are ancillary to other development which requires consent) but not including a public utility undertaking.*
>
> ***Planning control***
> *Development consent required.*
> *Advertised.*
>
> ***Specific matters for consideration***
> *Whether the proposed development will be capable of connection to a Sydney Water Corporation Limited or council sewerage system either now or in the future.*
>
> *The suitability of the site for on-site disposal of effluent or sludge and the ability of the sewerage systems or works to operate over the long-term without causing significant adverse effects on adjoining property. Where the proposal is for single dwelling residential development not connected to a reticulated sewerage system, the Environment and Health Protection Guidelines—On-site Sewage Management for Single Households (1998) prepared by and available from the Department of Local Government, the Department of Land and Water Conservation, the Department of Health and the Environment Protection Authority must be followed.*
>
> *The likely effect of any on-site disposal area required by the proposed development on:*
> *(a) any water bodies in the vicinity, including rivers, streams, creeks, dams, or*
> *(b) any wetland areas identified and mapped by the National Parks and Wildlife Service, or*
> *(c) any groundwater, or*
> *(d) any flood liable land within the Catchment.*
> *The sewage management facility or, in the case of on-site disposal systems, the effluent application area should make provision for the following:*
> *(a) preventing the spread of disease by micro-organisms, emission of foul odours, contamination of water and degradation of soil and vegetation, discouraging insects and vermin and ensuring that persons do not come into contact with untreated sewage or effluent (whether treated or not) in their ordinary activities on the premises,*
> *(b) the reuse of resources (including nutrients, organic matter and water) and the minimisation of any adverse impacts on the amenity of the land on which the facility or area is installed or constructed and other land in the vicinity of that land,*
> *(c) the scope for recycling and reusing effluent or sludge on the site,*
> *(d) the adequacy of wet weather storage and the wet weather treatment capacity (as necessary) of the proposed sewerage system or works,*

(e) likely cumulative impacts downstream where direct discharge of effluent to the Georges River or its tributaries is proposed,

(f) the need for ongoing monitoring of the system or work.

Note. Direct discharge into the Georges River or its tributaries is strongly discouraged. Where that is permitted, the standards set by the Environment Protection Authority must be satisfied.

22 WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY OR WORKS

Definition

Development for the purpose of waste management facilities or works described in Schedule 3 (Designated Development) to the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 1994.

Planning controls

Development consent required unless on flood liable land, in which case it is prohibited. Advertised.

Specific matters for consideration

A system is to be required to manage leachate surface controls on the land on which the waste management facility or works is or are proposed.

A site management plan is to be required for the land on which the waste management facility or works is or are proposed.

The likelihood of groundwater contamination.

The adequacy of the proposed leachate management system and surface water controls.

The long-term stability of the final landform and the adequacy of the site management plan.

Where the proposed development involves extraction of material, whether an adverse impact on the Georges River or its tributaries will result.

The specific matters for consideration listed above would be addressed in the EIS.

5.3 CONSULTATION

A project of this type requires early consultation with the various regulatory stakeholders, Government and non-Government organisations.

Consultation with government departments and the local community plays an important role in ensuring that all potential environmental impacts are evaluated and the most important issues are prioritised. The following sections provide details on consultation and stakeholder engagement, such as that with regulators and government bodies that are currently being undertaken. Key aspects and assessment requirements identified through the consultation process are also summarised in Section 6.

Consultation with all bodies (including Fire and Rescue NSW and NSW EPA) will be conducted through the standard consultation channels. Consultation has commenced through a scoping meeting with DPIE on the 21st November 2019.

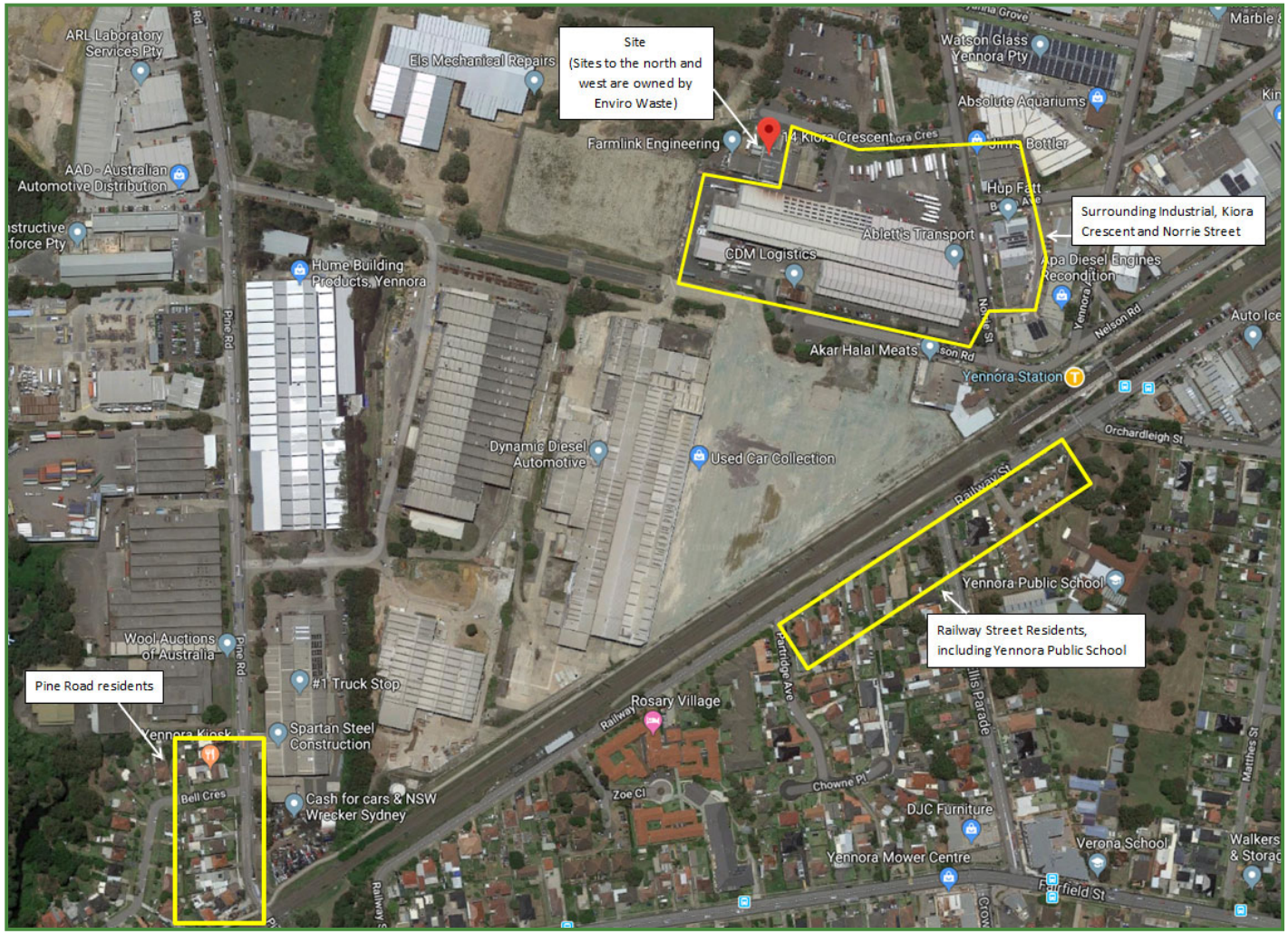
5.3.1 Community Consultation

Consultation with the residential community and adjoining industrial businesses will be undertaken by the Principal Consultant and Environmental Scientist of Benbow Environmental (BE). A leaflet (Attachment 1) will be provided with an explanation of the proposal, its location, activity and the size of the development.

35 locations are planned to be visited and all delivered leaflets. Leaflets will be letterbox dropped where residents are absent or gates locked.

The aerial in Figure 5-1 shows the locations planned to be visited.

Figure 5-1: Location planned to be visited during consultation



6. POTENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

The proposed development would have the potential to impact a number of environmental aspects which would be addressed in a comprehensive Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). The EIS would be supported by a number of technical reports. Requirements of regulatory authorities would also be included in the technical reports which are expected to include:

6.1 WASTE MANAGEMENT

The proposed development will treat liquid waste and manage environmental impacts effectively. A Waste Management Plan is required.

The waste management plan would include a description of the type, quantity and classification of the waste to be accepted at the site, how this waste will be transported, processed, managed and stored, on-site processing of the waste and proposed controls for managing environmental impacts of these activities.

6.2 AIR QUALITY

A full quantitative odour assessment (OIA) has been conducted for the operation of the proposed liquids waste recycling facility in accordance with the "*Approved Methods for the Modelling and Assessment of Air Pollutants in New South Wales*" (EPA 2016).

The predicted 99th percentile ground level impacts were modelled and compared against the odour concentration criterion of 7 OU/m^3 (for residences ≤ ≈ 2). As such odour emitted from the site would be very minor and is not anticipated to cause nuisance or offence to persons within the vicinity of the site.

The following mitigation measures are used at the facility:

- Biotrickling filter system;
- Vertical dispersion stack, 6 m above roofline;
- Indoor operations; and
- Deodoriser.

Dust is not considered as a potential emission that would be generated from the proposed development and therefore was not assessed.

6.3 NOISE AND VIBRATION

A Noise Impact Assessment has been undertaken for the proposed development.

Noise propagation modelling was carried out using Sound PLAN v7.3. Two operational scenarios were considered in the noise model. The first scenario considered a situation in which all equipment were running for 100% of the time over the 15 minute assessment period, with two vehicle movement being considered within a 15 minute period. It is understood that the air compressor generally does not run for a full 15 minute period, so the scenarios present a conservative analysis. The second scenario considers a full operational scenario but with temperature inversion weather conditions.

During the day, evening and night periods the operational noise levels are predicted to comply with the Noise Policy for Industry at all receivers for both weather scenarios. During standard operations, sleep disturbance is not expected to occur at any residential receiver.

It is therefore concluded that the proposed site activities will not have a detrimental impact on surrounding receivers.

6.4 SOIL AND WATER

A Soil and Water Assessment has been undertaken for the proposed development.

The majority of soil and water controls are already in place at the site and are considered appropriate for the proposed development.

Surface and storm waters run off the roof into a downpipe and onto the hardstand at the front of the property. This then feeds into a stormwater gutter at the property line and runs to a stormwater drain approximately 50 m east. The entrance to the operational area is sat upon a slight incline, allowing roof and hardstand water runoff to flow to the stormwater gutter at the front of the property. If any stormwater enters the operational area of the site, it is collected in the sump pit and treated before disposal.

A summary of the soil and water environmental safeguards are provided as follows:

- Transfer of waste from truck to storage tanks is a fully enclosed process;
- All work and process areas involving liquid wastes are fully bunded;
- Sealed blind sump pits are located within bunded areas;
- Blind sump pits and storage tanks are checked for leaks/blockages regularly;
- The site is and will continue to be sat upon fully sealed land;
- Procedures, signage and training in appropriate methods of how to avoid spills and what to do should they occur; and
- Hazardous chemicals and fuels stored on site are fully enclosed and bunded in accordance with relevant standards.

6.5 ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS AND RISKS

A preliminary risk screening of the proposed development in accordance *with State Environment Planning Policy No. 33 – Hazardous and Offensive Development* (SEPP 33) has been undertaken. The only dangerous goods to be stored on site are 1 cylinder of LPG, Class 2.1, stored in chains and 40 kg of Sodium Hydroxide, class 8, PG II within packages. The quantities of dangerous goods do not exceed the threshold quantities for applying SEPP 33. Therefore, a Preliminary Hazard Analysis (PHA) is not required.

There is potential fire risk from diesel use and grease trap waste being stored and handled onsite. Serious risk from grease trap waste is not foreseeable since the activities occurring on-site do not involve heating at high temperatures or chemical processing. Risk from diesel use is also considered low as the tank is fully compliant with AS1940. However, the nature of the operation would provide a fire hazard arising from a possible arson, incidental fire, malfunctioning equipment or off site fire.

In the unlikely event of a fire, contaminated firewater presents its own potential hazard. Excess firewater may contain hazardous by-products of combustion, which turns normally safe materials into toxic, polluting and environmentally damaging substances. The preferred method of firewater containment is the use of pneumatic bladders/drain stoppers to block the outflow of a drain, converting the drain into a sump from which contaminated firewater can be contained then removed by pump for safe disposal.

Fire safeguards and recommendations will be detailed in the EIS.

The site is bushfire prone (vegetation buffer) and will require a bushfire report. A fire safety study to the recently released guideline "Reducing fire risk at waste management sites" prepared by Fire and Rescue NSW will need to be assessed. This document will determine the extent of infrastructure needed for fire protection.

An emergency plan would be provided with the EIS.

6.6 ABORIGINAL CULTURE AND HERITAGE

A detailed Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (ACHAR) was undertaken by McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd for the subject site (Attachment 3). This assessment was conducted in line with the Code of Practice for the Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW, 2010), the Guide to investigating, assessing and reporting on Aboriginal cultural heritage in NSW (OEH 2011) and the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW, 2010).

Findings of this report were that no Aboriginal objects, sites or places were identified and as such there are no impacts on the archaeological record. However, the following recommendations are made:

1) The persons responsible for the management of onsite works will ensure that all staff, contractors and others involved in construction and maintenance related activities are made aware of the statutory legislation protecting sites and places of significance. Of particular importance is the National Parks and Wildlife Amendment (Aboriginal Objects and Aboriginal Places) Regulation 2010, under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974; and
2) Should any Aboriginal objects be uncovered during works, all work will cease in that location immediately and the Environmental Line contacted.

6.7 BIODIVERSITY (FLORA AND FAUNA)

A targeted search within 10m of the site was conducted using the the BioNet Atlas of NSW Wildlife website. The search criteria included all valid records, from the past five years, of entities threatened in NSW under the *Threatened Species Conservation Act 1995* and entities threatened nationally under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* within a selected area. The search found that there are five vulnerable/vulnerable-protected species within that distance, with the sclosest sighting being of a Large Bent-winged Bat sighted 1.34 km south west of the site.

In the Holroyd LEP 2013 Maps the subject site is not identified as containing a critical habitat or biodiversity. The nearest area of biodiversity is 875 m north east of the site and is known as

Remnant Native Vegetation. The closest Riparian Land is 610 m to the west of the site adjacent to Prospect Creek.

The proposed modifications will not result in removal of existing vegetation or a change to landscaping of the site as the site is already developed. The site is not in close proximity to any critical habitats. The flora and fauna impacts are considered negligible.

Ecological Consultants Australia Pty Ltd have undertaken a biodiversity development assessment report (BDAR) waiver has been lodged with this scoping report (Attachment 4).

6.8 TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT

The proposed development would result in increased traffic movements. A detailed traffic and parking assessment will be undertaken for the proposed development for all aspects of its traffic design and assess potential impacts on the existing road network.

Staff vehicle parking is allocated to three (3) parking spots located in the front of the lot.

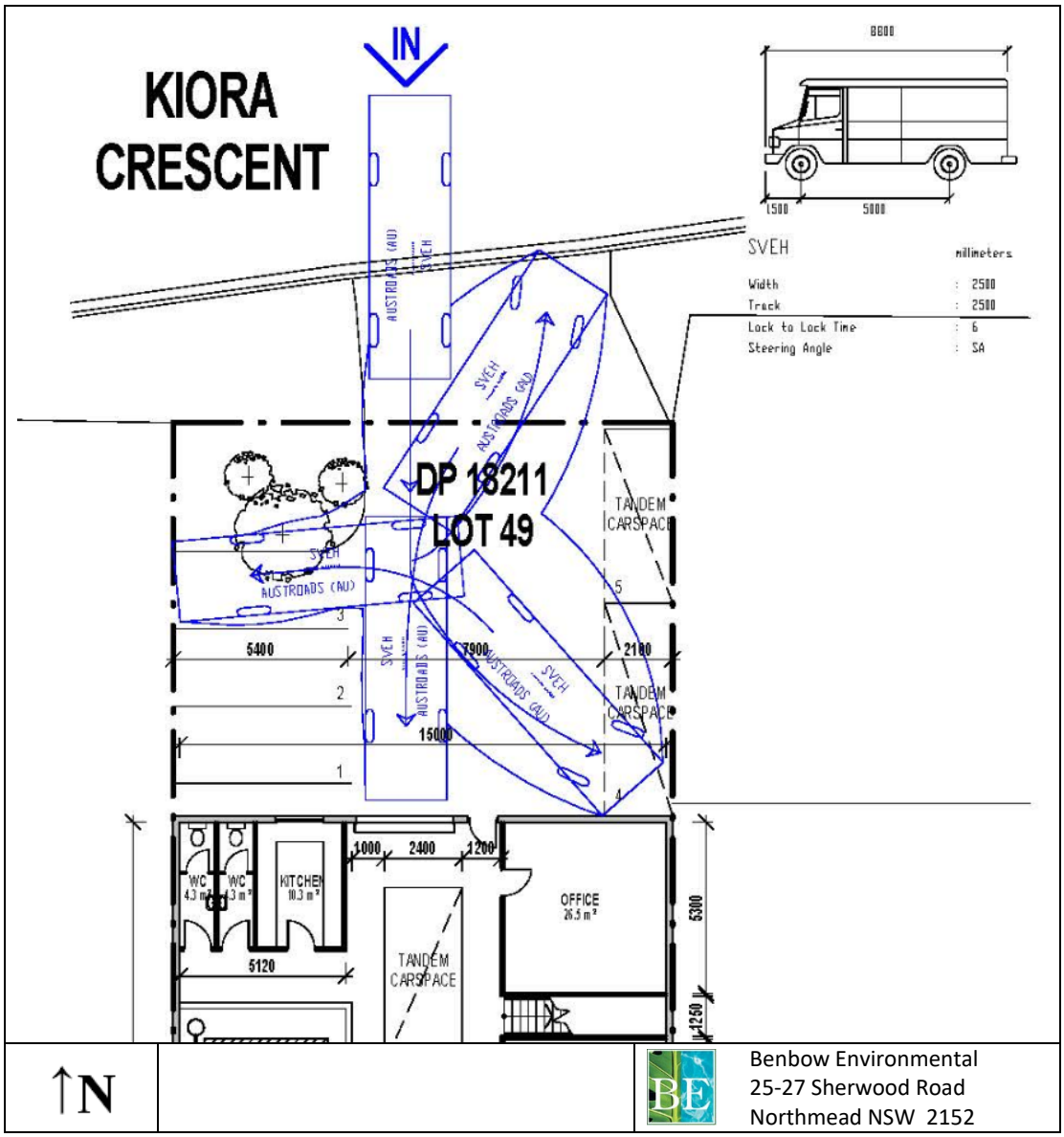
Truck and vehicle movement associated with the increase of quantity will be approximately 10-30 trucks per day.

Truck size and tank capacity varies between fleet vehicles, staff vehicles and contractors utilising the site for its waste disposal services. Typically truck sizes range between 2,000 to 30,000 litre capacity trucks.

The swept paths for trucks entering and exiting the facility are shown in Figure 6-1. The processes involved in trucks entering and exiting the site are as follows:

- Trucks enter Kiora Crescent from the east, traveling west along the street until reaching the site driveway (situated on the left);
- Trucks enter the site by turning left into the driveway in a forward direction, then performing a 4-point turn within the front the property;
- Once the truck completes the 3-point manoeuvre and is facing towards the street, it reverses to the unloading area located inside the factory building;
- The truck then couples up to the appropriate waste stream transfer hose, and sits idly whilst waste is vacuumed into storage tanks; and
- After waste is removed from truck tanks, trucks exit the site in a forward direction, turning right onto Kiora Crescent and driving east away from the site.

Figure 6-1: Truck swept paths for entering and exiting the unloading area on site



6.9 Visual Amenity

There will be no changes in the current appearance of the site with the new proposal; therefore visual impacts will be negligible.

6.10 Cumulative Impacts

Cumulative impacts of the proposed development would be assessed in the EIS. Cumulative impacts are included in several technical assessment methodologies such as air quality, noise and traffic. The cumulative impact assessment would determine whether the project is likely to cause significant or unacceptable change to an environmental, social or economic aspect in combination with impacts from other sources in the area.

6.11 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

Enviro Waste will require an Environmental Management Plan (EMP). The EMP should address the following major elements:

- Legal and regulatory requirements;
- Site description including environmental characteristics and general infrastructure;
- Operational conditions and controls;
- Environmental management activities in relation to particular aspects and impacts;
- Reporting, staffing and training requirements;
- Environmental monitoring and review; and
- Environmental procedures including but not limited to:
  - Odour management;
  - Noise management;
  - Stormwater management;
  - Waste Management;
  - Equipment monitoring and maintenance schedule; and
  - Regular Workplace Inspection.

The EMP would adopt the framework suggested by the ISO 14001 Standard. This would maximise consistency and simplicity in the administration and implementation of the EMP procedures. Specific procedures would be developed to manage the identified environmental aspects and impacts of site activities.

7. CONCLUDING REMARKS

The preliminary environmental assessment process has enabled the potential impacts of the proposed increase in processing capacity of an existing liquid waste recycling facility to be identified. .

The use of a site that is already developed with buildings and infrastructure in place is a major advantage. Being readily able to meet the demand for liquid waste treatment without the construction of a new site is also a benefit of this site.

This concludes the Scoping Report. Secretary's Environmental Assessment Requirements are requested.



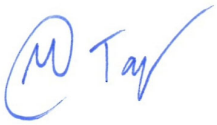
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8. LIMITATIONS

Our services for this project are carried out in accordance with our current professional standards for site assessment investigations. No guarantees are either expressed or implied.

This report has been prepared solely for the use of Enviro Waste Services Group Pty Ltd, as per our agreement for providing environmental services. Only Enviro Waste Services Group Pty Ltd is entitled to rely upon the findings in the report within the scope of work described in this report. Otherwise, no responsibility is accepted for the use of any part of the report by another in any other context or for any other purpose.

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Any opinions and judgements expressed herein, which are based on our understanding and interpretation of current regulatory standards, should not be construed as legal advice.

ATTACHMENTS

Proposed Increase in Capacity to a Liquid Waste Recycling Facility, 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora

COMMUNITY INFORMATION SHEET

Enviro Waste Services Group is proposing to increase processing quantities at their liquid waste recycling facility at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora. The land is located in the suburb of Yennora. An Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for the proposal is currently being prepared for submission to the Department of Planning and Environment. The EIS will be exhibited for a minimum of 28 days (longer if the exhibition overlaps with the Christmas/New Year period), at which time the community are invited to make submissions.

About Enviro Waste Services Group

Enviro Waste Services Group, Liquid Waste Sydney – is a family owned and operated liquid waste disposal company in Sydney who specialise in liquid waste removal founded on the extensive experience of its Owner and Director, Eddy Hawach. Enviro Waste provides professional, high quality service that specialises in liquid waste, grease trap waste disposal, hazardous waste removal, oily waste disposal and removal, septic waste removal, septic tank cleaning and product destruction. Enviro Waste services a range of markets to help enable a large region and rapidly developing country centres to function efficiently.

The liquid waste recycling facility subject of this proposal is located at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora and has been in operation and servicing the community for over the past 6 years.

Project Benefits

The project would provide a number of benefits including improving efficiency, meeting the rising demand for liquid waste recycling around NSW and providing additional local employment opportunities.

The Proposed Site

The site is located at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora and is shown in Figure 1. The land is approximately 575 square metres in area and the site is located with frontage to Kiora Crescent, surrounded by other industry.



Figure 1: Site Location (Source Google Maps)

The Proposed Development

Enviro Waste propose to increase their processing quantities at their liquid waste recycling facility from 900 tonnes per year to 100,000 tonnes per year and store up to a maximum of 200 tonnes of liquid at any one time. No construction or modification to plant equipment will be required.

The Manufacturing Process

The operation of the facility involves the following activities to be undertaken on site:

- Unloading and loading of liquid waste from tanker trucks;
- Filtration of solid debris;
- Separation of solids;
- Separation of oil and sludge; and
- Separation of oil and water.

The increased processes quantities would utilise the existing equipment on site.

Waste liquids are collected from sites throughout the Sydney Metropolitan Area. Most of the liquids are collected from special purpose tanks which separate the solid residues from the liquids, minimising the solids collected. The waste liquids are collected via vacuum tankers. Some of the liquids are delivered or picked up by a small truck in IBCs (1000 L containers).

The liquids are delivered to the recycling facility. The unloading area is located inside the factory building. The waste liquids are pumped from the tankers using pumps within the facility through filters to remove any residue fine solids and then into one of the storage tanks.

The waste liquid is pumped from the storage tanks, into the tank adjacent to the DAF (Dissolved Air Flotation) which separates the solid and oil from the water.

Waste water from the DAF is discharged to the Sydney Water sewer under a Trade Wastewater Agreement.

Oil and sludge is transferred from the DAF to small storage tanks. This oil and sludge waste is removed from site by a licenced waste contractor to be processed as grease trap waste.



Figure 2: View of Enviro Waste from Kiora Crescent

Hours of Operation

The proposed development seeks approval to operate 24 hours, seven days a week.

Environmental Considerations

The environment will be carefully considered at each stage of planning. Key environmental issues that will be addressed in the EIS include:

- Waste Management – the facility would receive an increased quantity of liquid wastes that it is already licenced to receive. Measures would be implemented in line with the *NSW Waste Avoidance and Resource Recovery Strategy 2014-21.*
- Air Quality – the operations may generate odour emissions. An odour impact assessment is being conducted to NSW EPA Guidelines and mitigation measures would be implemented to minimise emissions of odour.
- Soil and Water – No excavations are required. Stringent environmental safeguards will be put in place to minimise the potential for pollution to waters during operation.
- Noise – a noise impact assessment has been conducted to NSW EPA Guidelines and there are no exceedances of criteria at the nearest receivers during all time periods.
- Traffic and Transport – increased traffic would be associated with the operations. This increase and mitigation measures would be assessed in a traffic assessment in the EIS.
- Hazards and Risk – environmental protection equipment is installed at the premises to minimise the potential risks.

Environmental safeguards and controls would be designed into the facility to ensure impacts on the environment are minimised.

For More Information

For further information contact Benbow Environmental on (02) 9896 0399 or email admin@benbowenviro.com.au



Figure 3: Enviro Waste services a range of businesses including liquid waste from aircraft

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This **CONSENT** is made on **day:** 20 **month:** 03 **year:** 2019

Executed for and on behalf of Sydney Water Corporation

By

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(Print name of witness)

This consent must be executed by the Customer prior to execution by Sydney Water and submitted by the Customer to Sydney Water for its consideration. Submission of a consent executed by the Customer under no circumstances obliges Sydney Water to enter into or complete the consent. Submission of an executed consent by the Customer constitutes an application for a consent which Sydney Water may in its reasonable discretion reject, or with the consent of the Customer modify any of the proposed terms thereto.

Consent to Discharge Industrial Trade Wastewater

SCHEDULE 1
(SUBJECT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE)
TRADE WASTEWATER WHICH MAY BE DISCHARGED

1. Trade wastewater substances

(a) The Customer may discharge trade wastewater into the Sewer in a manner whereby the substance characteristics of the trade wastewater are of a type and discharged at a rate, level or concentration equal to or less than that described in this schedule.

(b) The Customer must not discharge trade wastewater into the Sewer in a manner whereby the trade wastewater discharged;

(i) contains, possesses or produces a substance characteristic not provided in, or which may be determined as being contrary to that described in this schedule.

(ii) is at or of a rate, level, or concentration not provided in, or which may be determined as being contrary to, that described in this schedule.

SUBSTANCE	LTADM (kg/day)	MDM (kg/day)	Standard (mg/L)
AMMONIA (AS N)	5	10	100
BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND	75	150	
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	60	120	600
GREASE	11	22	110
SULPHATE	50	100	2000
COPPER	0.15	0.3	5
IRON	1.5	5	50
SULPHIDE	0.5	1	5
ZINC	0.5	1	5

RECONCILIATION PROCEDURES:

LONG TERM AVERAGE DAILY MASS:

The Long Term Average Daily Mass is a twelve month arithmetic average of ALL daily mass discharges as calculated for each composite sample. The Daily Mass discharged is to be calculated for each of the above substances, and checked against the above Long Term Average Daily Mass (kg/day) on the basis of average concentrations of substances discharged (mg/L) over any 24 hour period as determined from composite samples, obtained by either the Customer (in accordance with Schedule 2) or Sydney Water, or a combination of sample results by both.

This average concentration (mg/L) is to be multiplied by the total discharge (kL) as recorded by the Customer's discharge flow meter over the 24 hour period in order to calculate the Daily Mass of substances discharged (kg). Exceeding the Long Term Average Daily Mass does not constitute a Breach.

ACCEPTANCE STANDARD:

The Composite Sample Concentration is to be determined for each of the above substances, and checked against the above Acceptance Standard (mg/L) for each sample obtained. Exceeding the Acceptance Standard constitutes a Breach and will also incur an increased Quality Charge as detailed in Schedule 3.

The Discrete Sample Concentration is to be determined for each of the substances identified at Schedule 2, 2 (b) and checked against the above Acceptance Standard (mg/L) for each sample obtained. Exceeding the Acceptance Standard constitutes a Breach.

MAXIMUM DAILY MASS:

The Daily Mass discharged is to be calculated for each of the above substances, and checked against the above Maximum Daily Mass (kg/day) on the basis of average concentrations of substances discharged (mg/L) over any 24 hour period as determined from composite samples, obtained by either the Customer (in accordance with Schedule 2) or Sydney Water, or a combination of sample results by both.

This average concentration (mg/L) is to be multiplied by the total discharge (kL) as recorded by the Customer's discharge flow meter over the 24hour period in order to calculate the Daily Mass of substances discharged (kg). Exceeding the Maximum Daily Mass constitutes a Breach.

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2. The trade wastewater discharged must at all times have the following properties:

Temperature	-	Not to exceed 38 degrees Celsius.
Colour	-	Determined on a system specific basis
pH	-	Within the range 7.0 to 10.0.
Fibrous material	-	None which could cause an obstruction to Sydney Water's sewerage system.
Gross solids (other than faecal)	-	A maximum linear dimension of less than 20 mm, a maximum cross section dimension of 6 mm, and a quiescent settling velocity of less than 3 m/h.
Flammability	-	Where flammable and/or explosive substances may be present, the Customer must demonstrate to the satisfaction of Sydney Water that there is no possibility of explosions or fires occurring in the sewerage system. The flammability of the discharge must never exceed 5% of the Lower Explosive Limit (LEL) at 25° Celsius.

3. Rate of discharge of waste to sewer:

(a) Instantaneous maximum rate of gravitated discharge 6 litres per second

(b) Maximum daily discharge 200 kilolitres

(c) Average daily discharge 100 kilolitres

RECONCILIATION PROCEDURE:

The data obtained from applying these procedures is to be checked by the interface of a chart recorder to the Customer's flow metering equipment, or by the installation of flow metering equipment by Sydney Water, for a minimum of 7 days.

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SCHEDULE 2

(SUBJECT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE)

SAMPLING, ANALYSIS, FLOW RATES AND VOLUME DETERMINATION

1. The Customer must provide and make available for the purpose of sampling and analysis;
   (a) Sampling point located at pre-treatment discharge excluding domestic sewage prior to the point of connection to the Sewer.
   (b) Equipment necessary to allow collection of composite automatic samples on either a flow proportional or a time basis.

2. The Customer is to undertake collection and analysis of samples in accordance with the schedule detailed below:
   (a) Composite samples are to be obtained:
      (i) over one full production day by combining equal volumes taken at 5 kilolitre intervals. The volumes are to be such that at least 5,000 millilitres are obtained over the full day. The reading of the Flowmeter meter is to be obtained at the commencement and conclusion of the sampling day.
      (ii) on 18 March 2019 and every 22 days thereafter. If trade wastewater is not discharged on this day, then the sample is to be taken on the next day that trade wastewater is discharged. Trade wastewater includes all non-domestic wastewater discharged to sewer from the premises, including cleaning waste.
   (b) Discrete samples are to be obtained as detailed below, and analysed according to the procedures and methods specified in Sydney Water's published analytical methods, to determine the concentrations or levels of the following substance characteristics:

pH	at the start and finish of each sample day
AMMONIA (AS N)	at the finish of each sample day

   (c) Composite samples are to be analysed according to the procedures and methods specified in Sydney Water's published analytical methods, or methods otherwise agreed to and detailed hereunder, to determine the concentrations or levels of the following substance characteristics

      AMMONIA (AS N)
      BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND
      SUSPENDED SOLIDS
      GREASE
      SULPHATE
      COPPER
      IRON
      SULPHIDE
      ZINC

   (d) The Customer, or the laboratory contracted by the customer, is to submit results of analyses to Sydney Water within 21 days from the date the sample was taken. All analysis results are to be submitted on the sample analysis report provided as appendices 1 and 2 to this Consent or in such format as may be specified from time to time by Sydney Water.
   (e) All data requested on the sample analysis report must be provided.
   (f) Sydney Water must be notified in writing within 7 days of;
      (i) any failure to obtain samples in accordance with the provisions of Schedule 2; or
      (ii) any loss of any analytical data.

      Where data is unavailable, lost or not provided, the Quality Charge, as detailed in Schedule 3, will be assessed on the basis of the highest Composite Sample concentration recorded in the 12 months prior to the date of the missing sample data.

3. The volume of wastewater discharged must be obtained from the reading of the total flow on the Customer's flowmetering system.

   The rate of waste discharged is to be obtained by the reading of the instantaneous flow rate indicator on the Customer's flowmetering system, or from any chart recorder interfaced to the Customer's flowmetering system.

   The flowmetering system is to be calibrated at least annually at the Customer's expense, by a person or company approved by Sydney Water and a copy of the calibration certificate supplied to Sydney Water within one month of such certificate being received by the Customer.

   If the Customer's flowmetering system fails to record data for any period, Sydney Water is to be advised in writing by the Customer within 7 days of any such failure becoming known by the Customer. An estimate of any data not recorded is to be made as follows:

   Average of the waste discharged, registered for the four weeks before and/or after the failure to record.

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SCHEDULE 3
(SUBJECT TO PUBLIC DISCLOSURE)
PAYMENTS

The charges are effective from 1 March 2019 and will continue until otherwise advised by Sydney Water.

All trade waste fees and charges are subject to CPI adjustments from 1 July each year in accordance with Determination No 1, 2012 made by the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART) and are detailed in fact sheets on the Sydney Water website.

1. CHARGES FOR TRADE WASTEWATER DISCHARGE

Sydney Water will conduct a reading of the Customer's discharge meter at approximately 90 day intervals. The volume of trade wastewater discharged for the period since the previous reading will be calculated.

Charges are based on the Daily Mass calculated from composite samples and corresponding meter readings for each sampling day in the billing period, and calculated in accord with (c), (d), (e), and (f) below. The charge for each sampling day is then multiplied by a flow weighting factor to give a flow weighted charge. The total charge for each substance for the billing period is equal to the sum of the flow weighted charges for the billing period.

Total Charge = the sum of the flow weighted charges for the billing period

Flow Weighted Charge = (charge for all sample days) x (flow weighting factor) and:

$$\text{Flow Weighting Factor} = \frac{\text{(total volume discharged during billing period)}}{\text{(sum of volumes discharged during all sample days during billing period)}}$$

In this formula volume discharged refers to the volume of trade wastewater discharged.

(a) Mass Discharged:
For each substance, the Mass Discharged is calculated by multiplying the Composite Sample concentration by the Trade Wastewater discharge for that sample day.

(b) Chargeable Trade Waste Mass:

(i) For the following substances, the Chargeable Trade Waste Mass is equal to the Mass Discharged:

SUBSTANCE
COPPER
IRON
SULPHIDE
ZINC

(ii) For the following substances, the Chargeable Trade Waste Mass is calculated by subtracting the Equivalent Domestic Mass from the Mass Discharged. The Equivalent Domestic Mass is defined as the Domestic Concentration multiplied by the Trade Wastewater discharge.

SUBSTANCE	DOMESTIC CONCENTRATION mg/L
AMMONIA (AS N)	35
BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND	230
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	200
GREASE	50
SULPHATE	50

If the resulting Chargeable Trade Waste Mass is zero or negative, then no Quality charges will apply for that substance for that sample day.

(c) Quality Charge:

(i) For the following substances, the Quality Charge is determined by multiplying the Chargeable Trade Waste Mass by the Rate for that substance as detailed in the Industrial Customers Acceptance Standards and charging rates for the applicable financial year fact sheet on the Sydney Water website.

SUBSTANCE
AMMONIA (AS N)
SUSPENDED SOLIDS
GREASE
COPPER
IRON
SULPHIDE
ZINC

(ii) For the following substances, the Quality Charge is determined by multiplying the Chargeable Trade Waste Mass by the Rate, where the Rate is a function of the composite sample concentration recorded for that sample day.

SUBSTANCE
BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND

(d) Concentration Breach Charge:
Where the Composite Sample concentration is greater than the Acceptance Standards specified in Schedule 1 (with the exception of sulphate), any charges calculated in (c) above will be doubled for that sampling day.

(e) Failure to collect required samples:
Where the Customer fails to collect and analyse samples in accord with this consent the above charges will be assessed on the basis of the highest composite concentrations recorded for any billing period within the previous 12 months and the average daily discharge for the current billing period.

(f) pH and Temperature charges:
Sydney Water regularly assesses its wastewater networks to determine if a system is affected by accelerated odour and corrosion. Where Sydney Water declares a wastewater system to be affected by accelerated odour and corrosion, the temperature and pH charge will only apply if the customer is not committed to or not complying with an effluent improvement program.

2. CHARGES FOR INSPECTIONS

(a) If, in the opinion of Sydney Water, it is necessary for a Business Customer Representative to exercise rights under clause 6.1, the Customer will incur no liability for payment for any such exercise unless the Business Customer Representative has already exercised rights under clause 6.1 on 4 occasions within a period of one year.

(b) If it is necessary, in the opinion of Sydney Water, to carry out more than 4 occasions within a period of one year, the additional inspections will be charged at the current inspection rate.

(c) Any inspection required following up an alleged breach or a default notice will result in a fee payable even if the number of inspections nominated in paragraph 2 (a) has not been exceeded.

(d) For the purposes of 2 (a) and 2 (b), above, one year is defined as the period from 1 July to 30 June the following year.

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3. CHARGES FOR ADMINISTRATION OF TRADE WASTE CONSENT

A consent fee per quarter is payable from 1 March 2019.

4. CHARGES FOR VARIATION OR RENEWAL OF TRADE WASTE CONSENT

Where a Variation is made to the Consent a fee will be payable. There will be no charge for renewal.

5. CHARGES FOR GREASE TRAPS

Wastesafe administration charges are levied per pit per year.

6. PAYMENT OF FEES AND CHARGES

An account will be issued for all fees and charges. Any fees or charges payable by the Customer must be paid by the Customer within 30 days of the receipt by the Customer of the account detailing those fees and charges.

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SCHEDULE 4
ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. EFFLUENT IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

N/A

2. WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN

The existing pre-treatment will result in the generation of 26 tonne per annum of waste substances in the form of a sludge containing generally solids. The waste substances are, and will continue to be disposed of, in compliance with the requirements of The Environment Protection Authority.

3. OTHER REQUIREMENTS

(a) A Backflow Containment Device must be installed and maintained at the water meter outlet/property boundary in line with Sydney Water's Responsibilities Of Connected Customers Policy.

(b) Backflow individual/zone protection is required on any tap located within 5m of the trade waste apparatus.

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SCHEDULE 5
APPARATUS, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

EXISTING:
1 X 7,500L screening tank
5 X 20,000L settling tank
1 X SEPA DAF 5 kL/hr
1 X pH correction & control system
1 X Siemens Magflow 5000
1 X sample point
2 X charcoal filters for air scrubbing

PROPOSED: N/A

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SCHEDULE 6
SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. DANGEROUS DISCHARGES

In this Schedule, the term "may pose a danger to the environment, the Sewer or workers at a sewage treatment plant";

(a) means an occurrence whereby matter is discharged to the Sewer which either alone or in conjunction with other matter discharged cannot be adequately treated or may cause corrosion or a blockage, explosion or the production of dangerous gases in the Sewer or may adversely affect the operation of a sewer or sewage treatment plant; and

(b) includes, but not so as to restrict the generality of paragraph (a), matter or substances, which is or are;

(i) toxic or corrosive;
(ii) petroleum hydrocarbons;
(iii) heavy metals;
(iv) volatile solvents;
(v) phenolic compounds;
(vi) organic compounds.

2. UNINTENDED DISCHARGES

(a) For purposes of avoiding unintended discharges to the Sewer or the stormwater drainage system, all matter and substances on the Premises must be processed, handled, moved and stored in a proper and efficient manner.

(b) Any substance on the Premises which, if discharged to the Sewer, may pose a danger to the environment, the Sewer or workers at a sewage treatment plant or may harm any sewage treatment process must be handled, moved and stored in areas where leaks, spillages or overflows cannot drain by gravity or by automated or other mechanical means to the Sewer or the stormwater drainage system

3. NOTIFICATION

In the event of a discharge of matter to the sewer that poses or may pose a danger to the environment, the Sewer or workers at a sewage treatment plant the Customer must immediately notify:

(a) MALABAR STP CONTROL ROOM TEL: (02) 9931 8319 FAX: (02) 9931 8366

(b) BUSINESS CUSTOMER SERVICES (8AM TO 5PM MON TO FRI) TEL: 1300 985 227

(c) BUSINESS CUSTOMER SERVICES EMERGENCY CONTACT (24 HOURS) TEL: (02) 8849 5029

4. PROVISION OF SAFE ACCESS

The Customer shall provide safe access to Sydney Water employees visiting the site. In the event that unsafe conditions are identified the Customer must take reasonable steps to correct unsafe conditions and create safe access.

Sydney Water employees must also comply with the Customer's safety policies and procedures and any directions from the Customer's staff while on the Customer's site.

5. ELECTRONIC REPORTING OF SAMPLE ANALYSIS RESULTS

Sydney Water reserves the right to vary this consent to specify the option of reporting by electronic mail as outlined in Schedule 2, 2 (d).

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SCHEDULE 7

1. Premises for which Consent is granted
   14 KIORA CRES, YENNORA NSW 2161

2. Industrial or other commercial activities for which Consent is granted
   GREASE TRAP WASTE DISPOSAL (GE02)

3. Discharge point for which Consent is granted
   JUNCTION IN KIORA CRES

4. The date for purposes of clause 3.1 is 1 March 2019

5. The period for purposes of clause 3.2 is 24 months

6. The receiving Treatment Plant is MALABAR Wastewater Treatment Plant / Water Recycling Plant

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SCHEDULE 8
NOTICES AND COMMUNICATION ADDRESSES

SYDNEY WATER	MANAGER MAJOR CUSTOMERS PO Box 399 PARRAMATTA 2150	TEL: 1300 985 227 A.H: (02) 8849 5029
CUSTOMER:	EDWARD HAWACH DIRECTOR ENVIRO WASTE SERVICE GROUP PO BOX 706 PARRAMATTA NSW 2124	TEL: (02) 9721 2028 FAX: (02) 9721 1963

SCHEDULE 9
AUTHORISED OFFICERS

SYDNEY WATER:	MANAGER MAJOR CUSTOMERS PO Box 399 PARRAMATTA 2150	TEL: 1300 985 227 A.H: (02) 8849 5029
Email:	businesscustomers@sydneywater.com.au	
CUSTOMER:	EDWARD HAWACH DIRECTOR ENVIRO WASTE SERVICES GROUP 14 KIORA RD YENNORA NSW 2161	TEL: (02) 9721 2028 FAX: (02) 9721 1963
Email:	info@enviroblasting.com.au	

SCHEDULE 10
NOMINATED REPRESENTATIVES

SYDNEY WATER:	MANAGER MAJOR CUSTOMERS PO Box 399 PARRAMATTA 2150	TEL: 1300 985 227 A.H: (02) 8849 5029
CUSTOMER:	EDWARD HAWACH DIRECTOR ENVIRO WASTE SERVICES GROUP 14 KIORA RD YENNORA NSW 2161	TEL: 0420 511 727 FAX: (02) 9687 8389

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APPENDIX 1 (Example)
SAMPLE ANALYSIS REPORT (COMPOSITE) DISCHARGE METER

Consent Number:	36782
Company Name:	ENVIRO WASTE SERVICES GROUP PTY LTD
Company Address:	14 KIORA CRES, YENNORA NSW 2161

Sample Type:

☐ 6 (composite, manual time based)
☐ 7 (composite, manual flow proportional)
☐ 8 (composite, automatic time based)
☐ 9 (composite, automatic flow proportional)

Start date: ___/___/___
Finish date: ___/___/___
Start time: ____:____ am/pm
Finish time: ____:____ am/pm

grabs taken in sample period: _____
sample intervals min/kL _____
mL per grab: _____

Initial meter reading: _____kL
Final Meter reading: _____kL
Volume discharged: _____kL

Laboratory:

Substance	Acceptance Standard (mg/L)	Measured Concentration(mg/L)
AMMONIA (AS N)	100	
BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND		
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	600	
GREASE	110	
SULPHATE	2000	
COPPER	5	
IRON	50	
SULPHIDE	5	
ZINC	5	

COPY OF ORIGINAL ANALYTICAL LABORATORY REPORT TO BE ATTACHED
NOTE: LABORATORY REPORT MUST CERTIFY NATA REGISTRATION FOR EACH ANALYSIS

Comments: _____

Customer Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___
Designation: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Sample No: | | | | | |

EMAIL TO:
matthew.truman@sydneywater.com.au

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APPENDIX 2 (Example)
SAMPLE ANALYSIS REPORT (DISCRETE SAMPLE)

Consent Number:	36782
Company Name:	ENVIRO WASTE SERVICES GROUP PTY LTD
Company Address:	14 KIORA CRES, YENNORA NSW 2161

Sample Type: DISCRETE
Start Date: ___/___/_____ Start time: __:__ am/pm
Finish Date: ___/___/_____ Finish Time: __:__ am/pm

Laboratory:

Substance	Acceptance Standard (units or mg/L)	Measured Units or Concentration.
pH at start	7 - 10	
pH at finish	7 - 10	
Ammonia (As N)	100	

COPY OF ORIGINAL ANALYTICAL LABORATORY REPORT TO BE ATTACHED
NOTE: LABORATORY REPORT MUST CERTIFY NATA REGISTRATION FOR EACH ANALYSIS

Comments: _____

Customer Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___
Designation: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Sample No: | | | | | |

EMAIL TO:
matthew.truman@sydneywater.com.au

GENERAL CONDITIONS

Recitals:

A. Under its Operating Licence, Sydney Water provides sewerage services and treats and disposes of trade wastewater. The objectives of Sydney Water include operating as an efficient business, maximising the net worth of the State's investment and exhibiting a sense of social responsibility by having regard to the interests of the community. Sydney Water has special objectives of reducing risks to human health and preventing degradation of the environment.

B. Sydney Water is granted licences by the Environment Protection Authority, which are subject to conditions to discharge pollutants. A change to a licence condition may require that variations be made to a consent granted by Sydney Water.

C. In the conduct of its business operations, Sydney Water must comply with its obligations, duties and responsibilities under the Act and its Operating Licence and the Protection of the Environment Administration Act 1991, the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 and the Protection of the Environment Legislation Amendment Act 2011.

D. The customer requests that Sydney Water grant consent to the customer for purposes of discharge of trade wastewater from the premises to the sewer.

Sydney Water grants to the customer consent to discharge trade wastewater, subject to the terms and conditions specified in this consent. The customer accepts the consent and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of this consent:

1. Definitions and interpretation

1.1 In this consent, unless the contrary intention appears;

Acceptance standards means Sydney Water's published concentration limits for certain substances in trade wastewater.

Act means the Sydney Water Act 1994.

Business Customer Representative means an officer of Sydney Water who is authorised to enter land or buildings for purposes of carrying out his or her duties in relation to Sydney Water's trade wastewater service.

Consent means this consent together with its attached schedules and appendices. Any definitions or standards referred to in this consent but not contained in it are deemed to form a part of this consent with necessary changes being made to accommodate their inclusion.

Authorised officer means:

- with respect to Sydney Water, the person from time to time holding the position pertained in schedule 9 or such other person or position as may be nominated by Sydney Water from time to time;
- with respect to the customer, the person identified, and includes the details specified, in schedule 9 or as may be notified to Sydney Water by the customer from time to time.

Breach means any contravention of or non-compliance with a term, condition or provision of this consent or the Act.

Chargeable trade waste mass means the mass of a pollutant subject to quality or critical substance charges.

Composite sample means a sample of trade wastewater obtained by combining equal volumes at either equal time or flow intervals.

Critical mass charge means the charge applied to some critical and over capacity substances as calculated in accordance with the provisions set out in schedule 3.

Critical substance means a substance determined to be critical and notified from time to time by Sydney Water.

Customer means the party or parties (except Sydney Water) who executes or execute this consent.

Daily mass means the mass of a substance discharged during a 24-hour period.

Default notice means a notice issued in accordance with clause 8.1.

Domestic concentration means the concentration of a pollutant deemed by Sydney Water to be equivalent to that found in domestic wastewater.

Domestic wastewater means water which has in it human faecal matter, urine or refuse of any type produced in, and which is permitted to be discharged to a Sydney Water sewer from, any premises used exclusively for residential purposes.

Environment Protection Authority means the statutory authority established under section15 of the Protection of the Environment Administration Act 1991

Equivalent domestic mass means the mass of a substance that would be expected in the trade wastewater if it were at domestic concentration.

Flow weighted charge means the portion of a substance's charge for a billing period that is attributed to any sample collected in accordance with schedule 2 or, if such sample is required but is not collected, then fixed by Sydney Water in accordance with schedule 2.

Flow weighting factor means a factor used to determine charges as described in schedule 3.

Long term average daily mass means, for each pollutant, the figure listed in schedule 1 and used to determine critical mass charges as described in schedule 3.

Lower explosive limit means the minimum concentration of flammable and/or explosive substances that would result in a fire or explosion.

Mass discharged means the mass of a pollutant discharged on a sample day and is measured by

multiplying the composite sample concentration by the trade wastewater discharge for that sample day.

Maximum daily mass means the greatest mass of a substance permitted for discharge within a 24-hour period.

Over capacity means the status of a substance as determined in accordance with Sydney Water's Trade Waste Policy, 2007.

Over capacity substance means a substance determined to be over capacity and notified from time to time by Sydney Water.

Premises means the land, plant and buildings described and specified in paragraph 1 of schedule 7, on or in which the customer carries on industrial or other commercial activities specified in paragraph 2 of schedule 7.

Quality charge means a pollutant charge applied to trade waste discharges based on the mass of each pollutant discharged to sewer.

Regulator means any statutory authority, which may grant permission, authority or licence to Sydney Water to operate the sewer or treat or dispose of sewage treatment by-products.

Residual products means biosolids, re-use water or such other product intended for re-use as may be developed by Sydney Water from time to time.

Risk index means a ranking applied to the consent by Sydney Water to describe the relative risk of accepting the trade wastewater. Determination of the risk index will be based on the methodology determined from time to time by Sydney Water, or as may be necessary in the opinion of Sydney Water to take into account particular circumstances. The risk index is used to determine, among other things, the amount of self-monitoring required, the number of inspections to be performed by Sydney Water, the annual consent fee and the term of the consent.

Sewer means the sewerage service of Sydney Water, including the sewage treatment plant, discharge to which is facilitated by a discharge point situated on the premises and specified in item 3 of schedule 7.

Significant breach means any breach of a nature outlined at clause 15.2. Such breaches may result in immediate suspension or termination of the consent.

Standard mass charging rate means the charge per kilogram for substances as defined in schedule 3.

Sydney Water means Sydney Water Corporation.

Responsibilities of connected customers policy means Sydney Water's policy detailing the conditions under which Sydney Water will agree to accept trade wastewater to sewer.

Trade wastewater means any liquid and any substance in it that is produced in an industrial or commercial activity at the premises and discharged into the sewer, but does not include domestic wastewater.

Trade waste residue means any substance separated and retained, from trade wastewater being discharged into the sewer.

1.2 In this consent, unless the contrary intention appears:

(a) A reference to an Act or any delegated legislation or instrument made under an Act includes any other Act delegated legislation or instrument as may amend or replace any of them.

(b) A reference to a word or expression

(i) in the singular form includes a reference to the word or expression in the plural form; and

(ii) in the plural form includes a reference to the word or expression in the singular form.

(c) A reference to a party or a natural person includes a reference to a corporation.

(d) A word or expression that indicates one or more particular genders is taken to indicate every other gender.

(e) Headings to clauses and paragraphs are included in this consent to assist understanding of its terms and conditions but are not intended to affect the meaning or application of any term or condition.

(f) A reference to a clause, schedule or appendix is a reference to a clause of or schedule or appendix to this consent and any such schedule or appendix is a part of this consent.

1.3 Remedies available to the parties under this consent;

(a) are cumulative; and

(b) do not prejudice or affect any other remedy available to the parties.

1.4 No rule of construction applies to the disadvantage of a party because that party was responsible for the preparation of this consent or any part of it.

2. Application of certain statutes and laws

2.1 This consent is made under and is subject to the provisions of the Act.

2.2 This consent is governed by and will be performed according to the law applicable in the State of New South Wales.

2.3 Subject to the terms and conditions of this consent the customer has lawful authority to dispose of trade wastewater for purposes of;

(i) Section 115 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997; and

(ii) Section 49 of the Act; and

3. Commencement and term of consent

3.1 This consent commences on the date specified in paragraph 4 of schedule 7.

3.2 This consent will, unless terminated or renewed in accordance with this consent, continue for the period specified in item 5 of schedule 7.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

4. Discharge of trade wastewater into sewer

4.1 The customer may discharge trade wastewater from the premises into the sewer in accordance with the provisions of schedule 1 and schedule 4.

4.2 The customer must not discharge trade wastewater from the premises into the sewer contrary to the provisions of schedule 1 and schedule 4.

4.3 The customer indemnifies Sydney Water against all damages, losses, costs or expenses suffered or incurred by Sydney Water, caused by any unauthorised discharge from the premises in respect of:

(a) injury (including death) or harm to any person; or

(b) damage to property vested in Sydney Water; or

(c) contamination of residual products; or

(d) material harm to any sewage treatment process

provided that the said damages, losses, costs or expenses suffered or incurred by Sydney Water are caused by any unauthorised discharge of trade wastewater or other matter into the sewer by the customer which is in breach of this consent or by any other person from the customer's premises, except to the extent to which the damages, losses, costs or expenses (as the case may be) were caused by either the negligent or wilful act or omission of Sydney Water or a breach of this consent by Sydney Water.

4.4 The customer must take all precautions reasonably practicable to ensure that no person, other than a person acting for or on behalf of or with the consent of the customer, discharges any matter from the premises into the sewer.

4.5 For purposes of this consent, every discharge of matter from the premises into the sewer will be taken to have been a discharge by a person acting for or on behalf of, or with the consent of, the customer.

5. Charges

5.1 The customer must pay Sydney Water charges with respect to trade wastewater discharged to the sewer, the administration of this consent and, when applicable, the processing of grease trap waste determined in accordance with, and within the time and in the manner specified in schedule 3.

5.2 Sydney Water may vary the basis of charges or the charging rates in schedule 3;

(a) as and when determined by the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal of New South Wales (IPART); or

(b) by written consent with the customer.

6. Inspections

6.1 A Business Customer Representative may enter the premises at any time;

(a) for purposes of inspecting whether the activities of the customer are being conducted in accordance with this consent; or

(b) for the purposes described in Section 38 of the Act or exercising any right or function conferred on Sydney Water under this consent.

This clause does not limit Sydney Water's statutory powers of entry.

6.2 When exercising rights under clause 6.1;

(a) a Business Customer Representative must not cause any delay or inconvenience to the efficient conduct of business activities by the customer which could be reasonably avoided; and

(b) except for any relevant safety precautions, a Business Customer Representative must not be impeded or delayed by any person on the premises.

6.3 If, in the opinion of Sydney Water, it is necessary for a Business Customer Representative to exercise rights under clause 6.1, the customer will make payment in accordance with the provisions of schedule 3.

7. Inquiries

7.1 Sydney Water may convene and determine the terms of reference of a joint inquiry about the circumstances relating to an incident that may have caused a breach.

7.2 An inquiry under clause 7.1 is to be conducted informally and without legal representation for purposes of gathering information about an incident directly from any person who may be expected to know, from his or her own observations, about the circumstances relating to the incident.

7.3 An inquiry under clause 7.1 may be conducted irrespective of whether the incident, the subject of the inquiry, is also the subject of a default notice.

7.4 Before conducting an inquiry under clause 7.1, the customer and Sydney Water may agree about what action, if any (except any action pursuant to a statutory obligation), may be taken with respect to any information that may be gathered during the inquiry.

8. Default procedures

8.1 If, in the opinion of Sydney Water, the customer commits, causes or allows a breach to occur, Sydney Water may issue to the customer a default notice.

8.2 A default notice must;

(a) provide any relevant particular of the breach alleged by Sydney Water, including any particular known to Sydney Water that may assist the customer to ascertain the alleged breach; and

(b) specify that the customer must provide a response in writing to Sydney Water within seven days of receipt of the notice.

8.3 A default notice is not invalid merely because it does not provide a particular that may assist the customer to ascertain the alleged breach.

8.4 Any supply to the customer by Sydney Water of particulars under clause 8.7(a) is taken, for purposes of clause 8.5, to be a default notice under clause 8.1.

8.5 The customer must supply to Sydney Water a written response to a default notice within seven days of receipt of the default notice which must;

(a) request further particulars of the alleged breach; or

(b) describe or explain the circumstances causing;

(i) the event which appeared to Sydney Water to be a breach; or

(ii) the breach to occur; and

(c) describe any action taken with respect to the alleged breach; and

(d) provide a plan of action to be taken by the customer to avoid the occurrence of any incident similar to the alleged breach; or

(e) explain the reasons of the customer for disputing the alleged breach.

8.6 The customer may make one request only for particulars under clause 8.5(a) with respect to a default notice.

8.7 When the customer responds in writing to Sydney Water in accordance with clause 8.5, Sydney Water must within seven days of receipt of that response either;

(a) with respect to clause 8.5(a), provide in writing to the customer any further particulars that it may be able to provide in which case the customer shall be allowed a further seven days from receipt of those particulars to respond as required by clause 8.5(b)

(b) specify to what extent it accepts, rejects or disagrees with the response under 8.5(b) and provide details of any action it proposes to take (including any special requirements it may impose) to deal with the breach.

8.8 The issue by Sydney Water of a default notice is without prejudice to any right or power Sydney Water may have pursuant to this consent or conferred on it by statute or statutory rule.

9. Improvement program

9.1 The customer must, at its own expense, establish and carry out the improvement program specified in, and in accordance with the provisions of, schedule 4.

9.2 If, prior to any failure to comply, the customer notifies Sydney Water that it may not be able to comply with any obligation under clause 9.1, Sydney Water will consider any reasonable proposal of the customer to vary a term or condition of the improvement program.

10. Diligence program

10.1 Within six months of the making of this consent, the customer must give a notice to Sydney Water specifying a current diligence program.

10.2 For purposes of clause 10.1, a diligence program includes a plan, whereby the customer demonstrates that the management of the customer is exercising reasonable care in planning and taking appropriate action, to prevent or minimise the effects of any incident that may constitute a breach.

11. Suspension or termination of consent to discharge trade wastewater

11.1 Sydney Water may suspend the consent granted in clause 4.1 if;

(a) the customer does not comply with clause 8.5, 9.1, 12.1, 12.2 or notice of the suspension is given to the customer; or

(b) Sydney Water is for any reason specified in clause 11.2 unable to accept for treatment trade wastewater that may be discharged by the customer.

11.2 Sydney Water may, by a notice given to the customer, suspend the consent granted in clause 4.1 if, in the reasonable opinion of Sydney Water;

(a) an emergency prevents the sewer from accepting any or certain specified categories of trade wastewater that may be discharged by the customer; or

(b) an event has occurred, which could have an adverse effect on any employee or agent of or contractor to Sydney Water or the sewer, including any biological process.

whether the emergency or event is caused by fire, storm, tempest, flood, malicious damage, act of war, civil disobedience, explosion, earthquake or an act or omission of an employee, or agent of, or contractor to Sydney Water, or an unlawful discharge of matter into the sewer, or some other cause.

11.3 The period of any notice of suspension given under clause 11.2 will be no shorter than any period, which in the opinion of Sydney Water the circumstances dictate.

11.4 The customer must comply with any notice under clause 11.1 or 11.2 subject only to any delay that may be required to safeguard the health or life of any person.

11.5 Any suspension under clause 11.1 or 11.2 must not be for a period longer than, in the opinion of Sydney Water, the circumstances dictate.

11.6 If the customer does not cease discharging trade wastewater in accordance with a notice given under clause 11.1 or 11.2 and Sydney Water is of the opinion that the customer is not taking appropriate measures to stop the discharge, a Business Customer Representative may, with such other persons as he or she may think necessary, enter the premises and take such measures as he or she may think necessary to stop the discharge.

11.7 A suspension under clause 11.1 or 11.2 or any action that may be taken in accordance with clause 11.6 does not give rise to any remedy to the customer against Sydney Water for, or in respect of, the suspension or action.

11.8 Any costs incurred by Sydney Water with regard to taking action under clause 11.6 is a debt payable to

Sydney Water by the customer on demand made by Sydney Water.

11.9 Sydney Water may suspend the consent granted in clause 4.1 if; the discharge of trade wastewater by the customer in accordance with the consent granted under clause 4.1, by itself or in conjunction with the discharges of other persons is likely, in the opinion of Sydney Water, to cause Sydney Water to contravene any legislation, permission, authority or licence granted by a regulator, or any other regulatory authority.

11.10 Any suspension under clause 11.9 must be terminated as soon as Sydney Water is reasonably satisfied that the conditions giving rise to the suspension no longer exist.

11.11 If the customer and Sydney Water cannot agree in accordance with clause 11.10, they will initiate and attend discussions with the regulator to resolve any relevant matter.

11.12 If, after discussions under clause 11.11 the customer and Sydney Water fail to agree in accordance with clause 11.10, the consent granted in clause 4.1 may be terminated by Sydney Water.

11.13 Without limitation of the effect of any other clause in this consent, Sydney Water may terminate or suspend the customer's permission to discharge trade wastewater immediately by written notice to the customer, if in the opinion of Sydney Water the customer's discharge of trade wastewater is in breach of this consent and is likely to cause;

(a) Sydney Water's contravention of the condition of any licence issued to it by the EPA; or

(b) the failure to meet a product specification of

any of Sydney Water's residual products.

(c) Sydney Water to breach or fail to comply with any legislation.

11.14 A suspension under clause 11.9 or 11.13 in accordance with the terms of this consent or a termination under clause 11.12 or 11.13 in accordance with the terms of this consent does not give rise to any remedy to the customer against Sydney Water for or in respect of the suspension or termination.

11.15 Without limitation of the effect on any other clause in this consent, Sydney Water may terminate or suspend the customer's consent to discharge trade wastewater immediately by written notice served on the customer in accordance with Section 100 of the Act, on the occurrence of any one of the following events;

(a) The customer fails to pay to Sydney Water any amount due and payable under this consent within twenty-one days of the due date for payment and such payment is not made within fourteen days of a written request from Sydney Water to do so.

(b) The customer is in breach of the consent and is unable or unwilling to remedy the breach of consent as required by Sydney Water.

The customer acknowledges and agrees that if, following the termination of the consent, it continues to discharge trade wastewater into the sewer, a Business Customer Representative may enter the customer's premises and take all reasonable necessary steps to stop the customer's continued discharge of trade wastewater to the sewer. The right of entry conferred by this clause is in addition to, and not in substitution for, any power of entry conferred on Sydney Water by the Act.

12. Supply of information

12.1 Any information supplied by the customer to Sydney Water for purposes of making this consent or for any purpose of this consent must as far as reasonably possible be a true and complete disclosure by the customer for purposes of enabling Sydney Water to;

(a) determine whether to grant the consent in clause 4.1; and

(b) determine whether there has been any breach of this consent.

12.2 The customer must not, in or in connection with a document supplied to Sydney Water for purposes of making this consent or for any purpose of this consent, furnish information, which is false or misleading in a material particular with regard to the trade wastewater to be discharged to the sewer.

12.3 Sydney Water must not disclose any confidential information obtained in connection with the administration or execution of this consent, unless that disclosure is made;

(a) with the consent in writing of the customer

(b) with other lawful excuse.

13. Sampling

13.1 For purposes of this consent, schedule 2 specifies sampling and analysis criteria, flow rates and volume determinations of trade wastewater to be discharged or discharged under clause 4.1.

13.2 A Business Customer Representative may take as many samples of trade wastewater at any point in any production process or storage facility, or at any other point on the premises, as he or she thinks fit.

13.3 The customer must comply with the provisions of schedule 2.

14. Apparatus, plant and equipment for recording or treating trade wastewater

14.1 The customer must, at its own cost, provide, operate and maintain in an effective and efficient working order, the apparatus, plant and equipment described in schedule 5 for purposes of regulating, treating, determining and measuring the quality, quantity and

rate of discharge of trade wastewater under clause 4.1.

14.2 Sydney Water may require the customer to use its discretion to formulate and take such additional actions as may be appropriate to achieve the objects which, in the opinion of Sydney Water, are necessary for the customer to regulate, treat, determine or measure trade wastewater for purposes of discharge under clause 4.1.

14.3 The customer must, at its own costs, maintain records in such manner as may be required by Sydney Water, of all measurements, sampling and results obtained in the course of treatment and discharge of trade wastewater under clause 4.1.

14.4 The customer must submit to Sydney Water documents containing records of results specified in schedule 2.

14.5 The customer must maintain records of particulars and dates of cleaning and maintaining all apparatus, plant and equipment described in schedule 5 and particulars, dates and method of disposal of trade waste residue from such apparatus, plant and equipment.

14.6 The customer acknowledges that Sydney Water does not approve or warrant that any apparatus, plant or equipment used by the customer is sufficient for purposes of processing or treating trade wastewater for discharge under clause 4.1.

15. Variation and renewal of consent

15.1 Before varying, substituting or adding any process conducted or to be conducted on the premises that may cause the volume, rate or quality of wastewater discharged to change from that agreed under schedule 1 and schedule 4, the customer shall give Sydney Water not less than 14 days written notice of its intention. Any variation, substitution or addition shall only be conducted after receipt of written approval to same and subject to any conditions (including any requirement to vary the terms of this consent) that Sydney Water may impose.

15.2 Sydney Water may vary the terms of this consent where:

(a) Sydney Water alleges a single significant breach or three breaches of the same nature, to have occurred in a six month period; or

(b) in the opinion of Sydney Water, a substantial or material part of any plan of action under clause 8.5(d) may not be completed for a period exceeding 90 days; or

(c) the customer gives Sydney Water notice under clause 15.1.

For the purposes of this clause and without limitation, the following circumstances shall be regarded as being a single significant breach:

(i) an activity or event that could adversely affect; the health and safety of any employee, agent or contractor to Sydney Water, the integrity of Sydney Water assets or the viability of any of Sydney Water's treatment processes or products; or

(ii) failure to achieve effluent improvement program milestone; or

(iii) failure to install pre-treatment; or

(iv) by-pass pre-treatment and/or installation of equipment that facilitates by-pass of pre-treatment; or

(v) flow-meter turned off or bypassed.

15.3 A renewal of this consent may be initiated by the customer:

(a) not less than two months before the date of expiration of this consent, and

(b) not more than six months before the date of expiration of this consent.

15.4 If this consent remains current immediately prior to the expiration of the term detailed in 3.2, or any subsequent terms renewed in accordance with this clause, and:

(a) the customer has not given notice in accordance with clause 20.1 of this consent and;

(b) Sydney Water has not given to the customer at least 30 days' notice prior to the expiration of this consent, of its intention to permit the consent to expire in accordance with clause 3.2

Then this consent shall be deemed to be renewed immediately following its expiration, for a further period of six months.

15.5 Any amended schedules that Sydney Water prepares in response to a variation or renewal will be taken to be incorporated into this consent;

(a) on execution by the customer; or

(b) after 14 days of receipt by the customer of the notice of the variation or renewal.

15.6 The notification of alterations to the critical status of any pollutants does not constitute a variation.

16. Disposal of trade waste residue

The customer must not dispose of any trade waste residue, except in accordance with the requirements of the EPA.

17. Disposal of grease trap wastes

The customer must not dispose of grease trap wastes other than in accordance with Sydney Water's 'Wastesafe' Management System.

18. This consent comprises all applicable terms and conditions

18.1 The provisions of this consent comprise all of the applicable terms and conditions between the parties.

18.2 It is declared by the parties that no further or other promises or provisions are, or will be claimed to be implied, or to arise between the parties by way of collateral or other agreement by reason of any promise, representation, warranty or undertaking given or made by any party (or its agent) to another, on or prior to the

execution of this deed, and the existence of any such implication or collateral or other agreement, is hereby negated by the parties.

18.3 Clauses 18.1 and 18.2 do not prejudice the ability of the parties to vary or amend this consent in accordance with the provisions of this consent or by a further consent in writing.

19. No transfer or assignment

The customer cannot transfer or assign the consent granted in clause 4.1 nor any other right or obligation the customer has or may have under this consent, without the prior consent in writing of Sydney Water.

20. Termination of consent by customer

20.1 Termination of this consent may be effected by the customer upon the giving of at least 30 days' notice in writing to Sydney Water. The notice must state the date on which this consent terminates.

20.2 The customer is bound by the provisions of this consent with regard to any discharge of trade wastewater into the sewer from the premises, including the payment of charges under clause 5.1, from the commencement of this consent until its termination.

20.3 Notwithstanding provisions contained elsewhere in this consent the parties may terminate this consent in writing by mutual agreement provided the parties enter into a further trade waste consent immediately following termination of this consent.

21. Notices and communications

21.1 A notice or communication under this consent must be in writing.

21.2 For purposes of clause 21.1, a notice or communication may;

(a) be left at the address of the addressee; or

(b) be sent by prepaid ordinary post to the address of the addressee; or

(c) sent by facsimile transmission to the facsimile number of the addressee

(d) sent by email to the email address of the addressee

as specified in schedule 8 or such other address as may be notified by the addressee to the other party.

21.3 Unless a later time is specified in it, a notice or communication takes effect from the time it is received.

21.4 Unless the contrary is shown, for purposes of clause 21.3, if a notice or communication is;

(a) a letter sent by pre-paid post, it will be taken to have been received on the third day after posting; or

(b) a facsimile, it will be taken to have been received on receipt by the sender, of the written or oral advice of the addressee that the whole of the facsimile transmission has been received by the addressee in a form that is legible.

22. Miscellaneous

Each party must act in good faith in the implementation of this consent and, without limiting the scope of this obligation, must also seek to resolve any difference or dispute between them as to the consent in good faith.

23. Entire consent

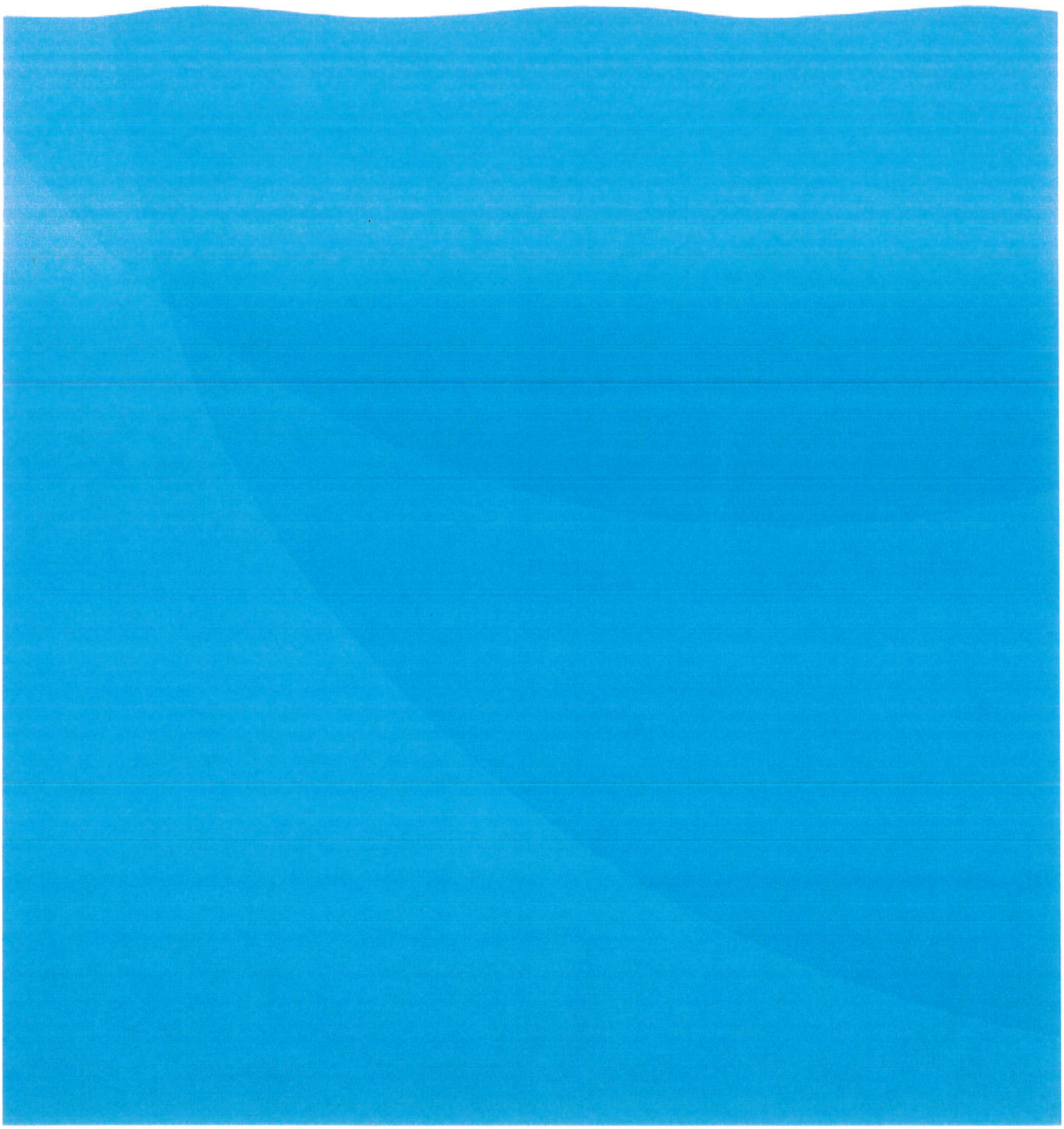
This consent constitutes the entire agreement between the parties in relation to its subject matter. No understanding, arrangement or provision not expressly set out in this consent will bind the parties. Accordingly all correspondence, negotiations and other communications between the parties in relation to the subject matter of this consent that precede this consent are superseded by and merged in it.

Note: This consent has no effect until it is executed for and on behalf of Sydney Water Corporation.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd (MCH) has been commissioned by Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent (Think Planners Pty Ltd) to prepare an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report (ACHA) for a proposed expansion of the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yenora, Cumberland Local Government Area (LGA). The proposal is for increasing the capacity of the existing liquid waste processing facility of up to 250,000 tonnes per annum of waste.

The assessment has been undertaken to meet the NSW Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water (DECCW), now known as the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH), Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (DECCW 2010), the OEH Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (OEH 2011), the DECCW Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW 2010b), The Secretary's Environmental Assessment requirements (SEARs) and the brief.

The project area is situated on the Liverpool Sub-group of the Waiiamatta Group consisting of shale with some sandstone beds, the project area is located on a disturbed landscape that included industrial and residential developments and as such none of the original landforms are present. In terms of fresh water availability, the project area is situated approximately 670 metres east of Prospect Creek (1st order) with the closest reliable water source (Georges River) located approximately 4 kilometres to the south and the Parramatta River located approximately 7.5 kilometres north east. Thus, the project area was not resourced in terms of fresh water availability nor any associated subsistence or medicinal resources. European settlers extensively cleared the original native vegetation in the 1800's and since then the project area has been subject to excavation and construction works associated with the existing facility on the property.

A search of the OEH AHIMS register has shown that 3 known Aboriginal sites are currently recorded within four kilometres of the project area and include one scar tree, one artefact site and one PAD with artefacts, all located 3.5 to 4 kilometres south of the project area. Regional based studies and local assessments provided spatial and distribution analysis of Aboriginal objects (evidence of past Aboriginal land use) in relation to fresh water sources and landform types. The results indicate similar trends throughout NSW, that there is a relationship between proximity to fresh water and landform in site location and land uses by past Aboriginal people. The broad predictions for the archaeology and past Aboriginal land use are:

- archaeological evidence of past Aboriginal peoples will be limited and will be representative of background scatter within close proximity to first order creek lines;
- archaeological evidence within close proximity of second order streams will again be representative of background scatter and will likely consist of one-off camp locations and / or isolated events;
- archaeological evidence in close proximity to third order creeks will consist of repeated occupation by small groups of people. Archaeological expressions will likely consist of knapping floors and evidence of repeated use over time; and
- archaeological evidence along major fourth order creek lines will consist of continued and repeated use by past Aboriginal peoples and may include stratified deposits.

The presence of past Aboriginal people and their use of the landscape are undeniable and evidence is seen in the cultural materials that have survived both natural and human landuses since colonisation of the area in the 1800's. Whilst the regional environment provided resources, including raw materials for tool manufacture, fauna and flora for subsistence, medicinal purposes and ceremonial practices, and water which is a survival necessity that would have allowed for sustainable occupation of the area, the project area itself comprises a landscape in which higher order water courses are absent which is likely to have been a significant factor in relation to past Aboriginal occupation of the locality. The absence of resources in the project area may have supported transitory movement such as hunting and gathering, travel and possibly camping by small numbers of people over short periods of time. Non-indigenous settlement and land uses have impacted the investigation area, most noticeably from vegetation removal and excavation works associated with the current structures at the location. Whilst it is clear Aboriginal people lived across the landscape, the evidence will have been impacted through such land uses. Based on the environmental, cultural and archaeological contexts, it was predicted that although very low density artefacts scatters and isolated finds representative of transitory movement (hunting and gathering, travel) may have been present within the project area, any such evidence was likely to have been disturbed or destroyed through past construction works for the existing buildings and associated infrastructure.

The survey confirmed that the project area had been subject to previous excavation works associated with the present buildings. As the project area had been previously cleared and excavated with the topsoils and subsurface removed during construction works for the existing facility, the usual archaeological effective coverage obtained through survey was not possible due to the project area being covered in concrete, buildings and car park. There is no remaining original landform or any cultural materials that may have been present.

No Aboriginal objects, sites or places were identified and as such there are no impacts on the archaeological record and the following recommendations are made:

1) The persons responsible for the management of onsite works will ensure that all staff, contractors and others involved in construction and maintenance related activities are made aware of the statutory legislation protecting sites and places of significance. Of particular importance is the National Parks and Wildlife Amendment (Aboriginal Objects and Aboriginal Places) Regulation 2010, under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974; and

2) Should any Aboriginal objects be uncovered during works, all work will cease in that location immediately and the Environmental Line contacted.

GLOSSARY

Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Values: traditional values of Aboriginal people, handed down in spiritual beliefs, stories and community practices and may include local plant and animal species, places that are important and ways of showing respect for other people.

Aboriginal Place: are locations that have been recognised by the Minister for Climate Change and the Environment (and gazetted under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*) as having special cultural significance to the Aboriginal community. An Aboriginal Place may or may not include archaeological materials.

Aboriginal Site: an Aboriginal site is the location of one or more Aboriginal archaeological objects, including flaked stone artefacts, midden shell, grinding grooves, archaeological deposits, scarred trees etc.

Artefact: any object that is physically modified by humans.

Assemblage: a collection of artefacts associated by a particular place or time, assumed generated by a single group of people, and can comprise different artefact types.

Axe: a stone-headed axe usually having two ground surfaces that meet at a bevel.

Backed artefact: a stone tool where the margin of a flake is retouched at a steep angle and that margin is opposite a sharp edge.

Background scatter: a term used to describe low density scatter of isolated finds that are distributed across the landscape without any obvious focal point.

Blade: a flake that is at least twice as long as it is wide.

Bondi point: a small asymmetrical backed artefact with a point at one end and backing retouch.

Core: a chunk of stone from which flakes are removed and will have one or more negative flake scars but no positive flake scars. The core itself can be shaped into a tool or used as a source of flakes to be formed into tools.

Debitage: small pieces of stone debris that break off during the manufacturing of stone tools. These are usually considered waste and are the by-product of production (also referred to as flake piece).

Flake: any piece of stone struck off a core and has a number of characteristics including ring cracks showing where the hammer hit the core and a bulb of percussion. May be used as a tool with no further working, may be retouched or serve as a platform for further reduction.

Flaked piece/waste flake: an unmodified and unused flake, usually the by-product of tool manufacture or core preparation (also referred to as debitage).

Formation processes: human caused (land uses etc) or natural processes (geological, animal, plant growth etc) by which an archaeological site is modified during or after occupation and abandonment. These processes have a large effect on the provenience of artefacts or features.

Grinding stone: an abrasive stone used to abrade another artefact or to process food.

Hammer stone: a stone that has been used to strike a core to remove a flake, often causing pitting or other wear on the stone's surface.

Harm: is defined as an act that may destroy, deface or damage an Aboriginal object or place. In relation to an object, this means the movement or removal of an object from the land in which it has been situated

Holocene: the post-glacial period, beginning about 10,000 B.P.

In situ: archaeological items are said to be "in situ" when they are found in the location where they were last deposited.

Pleistocene: the latest major geological epoch, colloquially known as the "Ice Age" due to the multiple expansion and retreat of glaciers. Ca. 3.000, 000-10,000 years B.P.

Retouched flake: a flake that has been flaked again in a manner that modified the edge for the purpose of resharpening that edge.

Stratified Archaeological Deposits: Aboriginal archaeological objects may be observed in soil deposits and within rock shelters or caves. Where layers can be detected within the soil or sediments, which are attributable to separate depositional events in the past, the deposit is said to be stratified. The integrity of sediments and soils are usually affected by 200 years of European settlement and activities such as land clearing, cultivation and construction of industrial, commercial and residential developments.

Taphonomy: the study of processes which have affected organic materials such as bone after death; it also involves the microscopic analysis of tooth-marks or cut marks to assess the effects of butchery or scavenging activities.

Traditional Aboriginal Owners: Aboriginal people who are listed in the Register of Aboriginal owners pursuant to Division 3 of the *Aboriginal Land Register Act (1983)*. The Registrar must give priority to registering Aboriginal people for lands listed in Schedule 14 of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* or land subject to a claim under 36A of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983*.

Traditional Knowledge: Information about the roles, responsibilities and practices set out in the cultural beliefs of the Aboriginal community. Only certain individuals have traditional knowledge and different aspects of traditional knowledge may be known by different people, e.g. information about men's initiation sites and practices, women's sites, special pathways, proper responsibilities of people fishing or gathering food for the community, ways of sharing and looking after others, etc.

Typology: the systematic organization of artefacts into types on the basis of shared attributes.

Use wear: the wear displayed on an artefact as a result of use.

ACRONYMS

ACHMP	Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Management Plan
AHIMS	Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System. Data base of recorded sites across NSW managed by OEH
BCD	Biodiversity and Conservation Division

BCD AHIMS SITE ACRONYMS

ACD	Aboriginal ceremonial and dreaming
AFT	Artefact (stone, bone, shell, glass, ceramic and metal)
ARG	Aboriginal resource and gathering
ART	Art (pigment or engraving)
BOM	Non-human bone and organic material
BUR	Burial
CFT	Conflict site
CMR	Ceremonial ring (stone or earth)
ETM	Earth mound
FSH	Fish trap
GDG	Grinding groove
HAB	Habitation structure
HTH	Hearth
OCQ	Ochre quarry
PAD	Potential archaeological Deposit. Used to define an area of the landscape that is believed to contain subsurface archaeological deposits.
SHL	Shell
STA	Stone arrangement
STQ	Stone quarry
TRE	Modified tree (carved or scarred)
WTR	Water hole

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd (MCH) has been commissioned by Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent (Think Planners Pty Ltd) to prepare an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report (ACHA) for a proposed expansion of the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yenora, Cumberland Local Government Area (LGA).

The assessment has been undertaken to meet the NSW Biodiversity and Conservation Division (BCD) formerly the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH), Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (DECCW 2010), the OEH Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (OEH 2011), the DECCW Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW 2010b), The Secretary's Environmental Assessment requirements (SEARs) and the brief.

1.2 PROPONENT DETAILS

Sydney Land Company

1.3 THE PROJECT AREA

The project area (Figure 1.1 and 1.2), 14 Kiora Crescent, Yenora, includes Lot 14 DP18211 and is an existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility).

Figure 1.1 Regional location of the project area

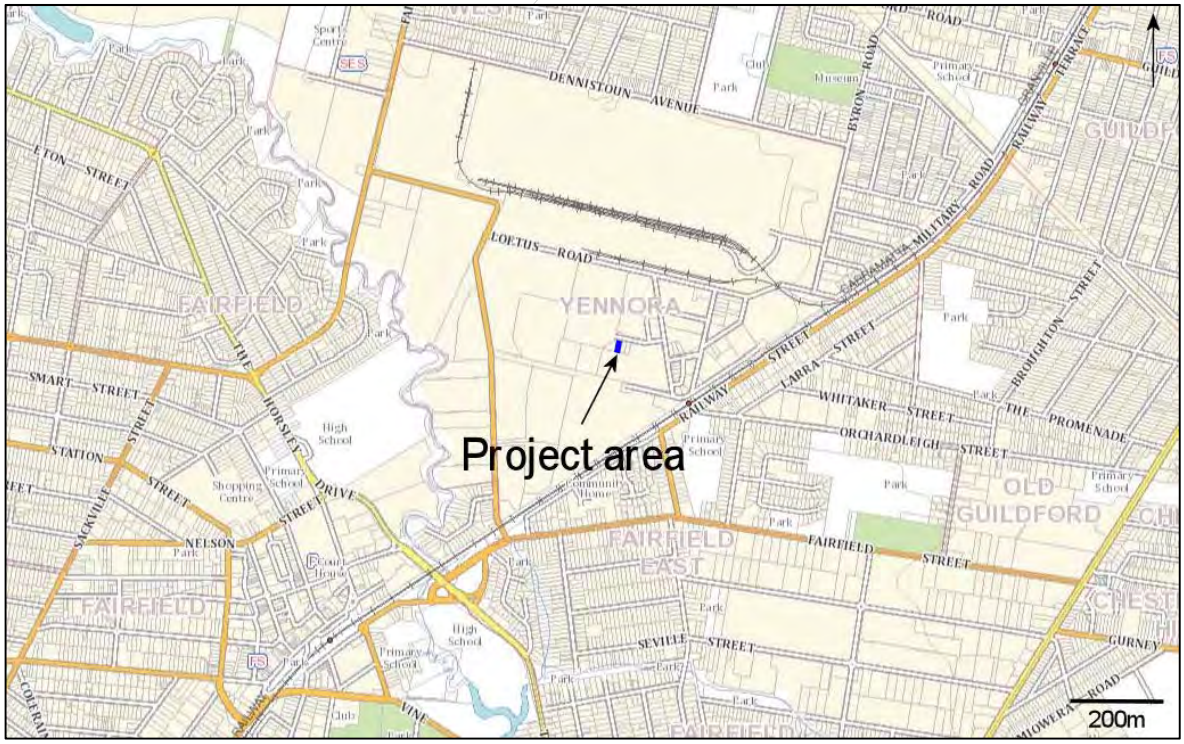


Figure 1.3 Local location of the project area



Figure 1.2 Aerial location of the project area (nearmap 7 April 2019)



1.4 DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

The proposal is for increasing the capacity of the existing liquid waste processing facility of up to 250,000 tones per annum of waste. The proponent confirms that every effort will be made with this development to avoid impacting on any Aboriginal objects. Any development or impacts occurring within the project area will have regard to and managed in accordance with the requirements and provisions of the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974.

1.5 PURPOSE OF THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT

The purpose of the assessment is to assess any archaeological constraints within the project area and to provide opportunities and options to ensure any cultural materials present are protected appropriately in consultation with the Aboriginal community, the proponent and OEH.

1.6 OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSESSMENT

The objective of the assessment is to identify areas of indigenous cultural heritage value, to determine possible impacts on any indigenous cultural heritage identified (including potential subsurface evidence) and to develop management recommendations where appropriate. The assessment employs a regional approach, taking into consideration both the landscape of the project area (landforms, water resources, soils, geology etc) and the regional archaeological patterning identified by past studies as well as considering past landuses and associated impacts on cultural materials and wider cultural landscape. The detection of surface material will drive the management recommendations and mitigation measures to ensure that any significant cultural resources are identified and protected where possible or is subject to minimal impact by the proposed development.

1.7 PROJECT BRIEF/SCOPE OF WORK

The following tasks were carried out:

- a review of relevant statutory registers and inventories for indigenous cultural heritage including the NSW BCD Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS) for known archaeological sites, the State Heritage Register, the Australian Heritage Database (includes data from the World Heritage List UNESCO, National Heritage List, Commonwealth Heritage List, Register of the National Estate) and The Hills Local Environmental Plan;
- a review of local environmental information (topographic, geological, soil, geomorphological and vegetation descriptions) to determine the likelihood of archaeological sites and specific site types, prior and existing land uses and site disturbance that may affect site integrity;
- a review of previous cultural heritage investigations to determine the extent of archaeological investigations in the area and any archaeological patterns;
- the development of a predictive archaeological statement based on the data searches and literature review;
- identification of human and natural impacts in relation to the known and any new archaeological sites archaeological potential of the project area;

- consultation with the Aboriginal stakeholders as per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010);
- undertake a site inspection and test excavation of the previously identified PAD with the participation of the registered Aboriginal stakeholders, and
- the development of mitigation and conservation measures in consultation with the registered Aboriginal stakeholders.

1.8 LEGISLATIVE CONTEXT

The following overview of the legislative framework, is provided solely for information purposes for the client, and should not be interpreted as legal advice. MCH will not be liable for any actions taken by any person, body or group as a result of this general overview and MCH recommends that specific legal advice be obtained from a qualified legal practitioner prior to any action being taken as a result of the general summary below.

Land managers are required to consider the affects of their activities or proposed development on the environment under several pieces of legislation. Although there are a number of Acts and regulations protecting Aboriginal heritage, including places, sites and objects, within NSW, the three main ones include:

- National Parks and Wildlife Act (1974, as amended)
- National Parks and Wildlife Regulation (2009)
- Environmental Planning and Assessment Act (1979)

1.8.1 NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE ACT (1974, AS AMENDED)

The National Parks and Wildlife Act (1974), Amended 2010, is the primary legislation for the protection of Aboriginal cultural heritage in New South Wales. The NPW Act protects Aboriginal heritage (places, sites and objects) within NSW and the Protection of Aboriginal heritage is outlined in s86 of the Act, as follows:

- "A person must not harm or desecrate an object that the person knows is an Aboriginal object" s86(1)
- "A person must not harm an Aboriginal object" s86(2)
- "A person must not harm or desecrate an Aboriginal place" s86(4)

Penalties apply for harming an Aboriginal object, site or place. The penalty for knowingly harming an Aboriginal object (s86[1]) and/or an Aboriginal place (s86[4]) is up to $550,000 for an individual and/or imprisonment for 2 years; and in the case of a corporation the penalty is up to $1.1 million. The penalty for a strict liability offence (s86[2]) is up to $110,000 for an individual and $220,000 for a corporation.

Harm under the National Parks and Wildlife Act (1974, as amended) is defined as any act that; destroys defaces or damages the object, moves the object from the land on which it has been situated, causes or permits the object to be harmed. However, it is a defence from prosecution if the proponent can demonstrate that;

1) harm was authorised under an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) (and the permit was properly followed), or
2) the proponent exercised due diligence in respect to Aboriginal heritage.

The 'due diligence' defence (s87[2]), states that if a person or company has applied due diligence to determine that no Aboriginal object, site or place was likely to be harmed as a result of the activities proposed for the Project Area, then liability from prosecution under the NPW Act 1974 will be removed or mitigated if it later transpires that an Aboriginal object, site or place was harmed. If any Aboriginal objects are identified during the activity, then works should cease in that area and OEH notified (DECCW 2010:13). The due diligence defence does not authorise continuing harm.

The archaeological due diligence assessment and report has been carried out in compliance with the NSW DECCW 2010 Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in NSW.

1.8.2 NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE REGULATION (2009)

The National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009 provides a framework for undertaking activities and exercising due diligence in respect to Aboriginal heritage. The Regulation (2009) recognises various due diligence codes of practice, including the Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in NSW which is pertinent to this report, but it also outlines procedures for Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) applications and Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements (ACHCRs); amongst other regulatory processes.

1.8.3 ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING & ASSESSMENT ACT 1979 (EP&A ACT)

EP&A Act establishes the statutory framework for planning and environmental assessment in NSW and the implementation of the EP&A Act is the responsibility of the Minister for Planning, statutory authorities and local councils. The EP&A Act contains three parts which impose requirements for planning approval:

- Part 3 of the EP&A Act relates to the preparation and making of Environmental Planning Instruments (EPIs), State Environmental Planning Policies (SEPPs) and Local Environmental Plans (LEPs).
- Part 4 of the EP&A Act establishes the framework for assessing development under an EPI. The consent authority for Part 4 development is generally the local council, however the consent authority may by the Minister, the Planning Assessment Commission or a joint regional planning panel depending upon the nature of the development.
- Part 4, Division 4.1 of the EP&A Act establishes the assessment pathway for State Significant Development (SSD) and Critical State Significant Infrastructure (CSSI) declared by the State Environmental Planning Policy (State and Regional Development) 2011 (NSW). Once a development is declared as SSD, Standard Sectary Environmental Assessment requirements (SEARs) outlining what issues must be considered in the EIS will be issued.
- Part 5 of the EP&A Act provides for the control of 'activities' that do not require development consent and are undertaken or approved by a determining authority. Development under Part 5 that are likely to significantly affect the environment is required to have an EIS prepared for the proposed activity.
- Part 5.1 of the EP&A Act establishes the assessment pathways for State significant infrastructure (SSI). Development applications made for SSI can only be approved by the Minister. Once a development is declared as SSI, Standard Sectary Environmental Assessment requirements (SEARs) outlining what issues must be addressed in the EIS.

The applicable approval process is determined by reference to the relevant environmental planning instruments and other controls, LEPs and State Environmental Planning Policies (SEPPs).

This project falls under Part 4. The SEARs (1283) requirements for Aboriginal cultural heritae are as follows:

1) The EIS must identify and describe the Aboriginal cultural heritage values that exist across the whole area that will be affected by the development and document these in an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report (ACHAR). This may include the need for surface survey and test excavation. The identification of cultural heritage values must be conducted in accordance with the Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigations of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (OEH 2010), and guided by the Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (DECCW 2011).

2) Consultation with Aboriginal people must be undertaken and documented in accordance with the Aboriginal Cultural heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponent 2010 (DECCW). The significance of cultural heritage values for Aboriginal people who have cultural association with the land must be documented in the ACHAR.

3) Impacts on Aboriginal cultural heritage values are to be assessed and documented in the ACHAR. The ACHAR must demonstrate attempts to avoid impact upon cultural heritage values and identify any conservation outcomes. Where impacts are unavoidable, the ACHAR must outline measures proposed to mitigate impacts. Any objects recorded as part of the assessment must be documented and notified to BCD.

The SEARs noted that a due diligence report is not acceptable, an ACHAR must be prepared.

1.9 QUALIFICATIONS OF THE INVESTIGATOR

Penny McCardle: Principal Archaeologist & Forensic Anthropologist has 18 years experience in Indigenous archaeological assessments, excavation, research, reporting, analysis and consultation. 15 years in skeletal identification, biological profiling and skeletal trauma identification.

- BA (Archaeology and Palaeoanthropology, University of New England 1999
- Hons (Archaeology and Palaeoanthropology): Physical Anthropology), University of New England 2001
- Forensic Anthropology Course, University of New England 2003
- Armed Forces Institute of Pathology Forensic Anthropology Course, Ashburn, VA 2008
- Analysis of Bone Trauma and Pseudo-Trauma in Suspected Violent Death Course, Erie College, Pennsylvania, 2009
- PhD, University of Newcastle, 2019

1.10 REPORT STRUCTURE

The report includes Section 1 which outlines the project, Section 2 provides the consultation, Section 3 presents the landscape and environmental context, Section 4 discusses the cultural context, Section 5 presents the archaeological background, Section 6 provides the survey results, Section 7 presents the impact assessment, Section 8 the mitigation strategies and Section 9 provides the management recommendations.

2 CONSULTATION

As per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (April 2010), MCH followed the four stages of consultation as set out below. All correspondences for each stage are provided in Appendix A.

In relation to cultural significance, MCH recognises and supports the indigenous system of knowledge. That is, that knowledge is not 'open' in the sense that everyone has access and an equal right to it. Knowledge is not always definitive (in the sense that there is only one right answer) and knowledge is often restricted. As access to this knowledge is power, it must be controlled by people with the appropriate qualifications (usually based on age seniority, but may be based on other factors). Thus, it is important to obtain information from the correct people: those that hold the appropriate knowledge of those sites and/or areas relevant to the project.

It is noted that only the Aboriginal community can identify and determine the accepted knowledge holder(s) may be not archaeologists or proponents. MCH understands it is the Indigenous custom to elect knowledge holders and it is traditionally the Indigenous people who nominate who speak for country. Unfortunately, some RAPs and Government Departments have placed the onus of identifying traditional knowledge holders onto proponents and archaeologists. In order to do this, MCH are guided by the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010), the Burra Charter (2013) and Ask First (2002) which provide guidelines to identify traditional knowledge holders.

If knowledge is shared, that information must be used correctly and per the wishes of the knowledge holder. Whilst an archaeologist may view this information as data, a custodian may view this information as highly sensitive, secret/sacred information and may place restrictions on its use. Thus, it is important for MCH to engage in affective and long-term consultation to ensure knowledge is shared and managed in a suitable manner that will allow for the appropriate management of that site/area.

MCH also know that archaeologists do not have the capability nor the right to adjudicate on the spirituality of a particular location or site as this is the exclusive right of the traditional owners who have the cultural and hereditary association with the land of their own ancestors. For these reasons, consultation forms an integral component of all projects and this information is sought form the registered stakeholders to be included in the report in the appropriate manner that is stipulated by those with the information.

2.1 STAGE 1: NOTIFICATION & REGISTRATION OF INTEREST

As per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010), Stage 1 (s.4.1.1 to s.4.1.2), MCH and the proponent sought community consultation with indigenous knowledge holders relevant to the project area who can determine the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places in the area of the proposed project. The aim of this stage was to identify, notify and register Aboriginal people and/or groups who hold cultural knowledge that is relevant to the project area, and who can determine the cultural significance of any Aboriginal objects and/or places within the proposed project area. In order to do this, the sources identified by OEH (2010:10; s.4.1.2) and listed in Table 2.1, to provide the names of people who may hold cultural knowledge that is relevant to determining the significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places were contacted by letter on 18th April 2019.

A reply was requested by the 10 May 2019 and it was stipulated that if no response was received, the project and consultation will proceed. Information included in the correspondence to the sources listed in Table 2.1 included the name and contact details of the proponent, an overview of the proposed project including the location and a map showing the location.

Table 2.1 Sources contacted

Organisations contacted	Response
Office of Environment and Heritage	65 groups
Gandangara LALC	no response
Cumberland Council	LALC
Registrar Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983	GLALC
National Native Title Tribunal	freehold: no claims
Native Title Services Corporation Limited	no response
Greater Sydney Local Land Services	no response

As per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010), Stage 1 (S. 4.1.3), MCH compiled a list of people/groups to contact (Refer to Appendix A) and as per Stage 1(s.40.3 to s.4.18). MCH wrote to all groups identified through Stage 1 (s.4.1.2) asking if they would like to register their interest in the project. Unfortunately some Government departments written to requesting a list of groups to consult with do not differentiate groups from different traditional boundaries and provide an exhaustive list of groups from across the region including those outside their traditional boundaries.

MCH wrote to all identified parties on 13th May 2019 and an advertisement was placed in the Fairfield Champion on 5th June 2019. The correspondence and advertisement included the required information as per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (Stage 1, s.4.1.3 to s.4.1.8) and requested to nominate the preferred option for the presentation of information about the proposed project: an information packet or a meeting and information packet (Refer to Stage 2). The closing date for registration was 19 June 2019 and Darug Land Observations, Darang Tribal Council Aboriginal Corporation and Gandangara LALC registered for the project.

2.2 STAGE 2: PRESENTATION OF INFORMATION

The aim of this stage is to provide the RAPs with information regarding the scope of the proposed project and the cultural heritage assessment process. As the RAPs did not elect their preferred method of receiving information, an information packet was sent to all RAPs and included the required information as per the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (April 2010), Stage 2 (s.4.2.1, s.4.2.2, s.4.2.3) and Stage 3 (s.4.3.1, s.4.3.2, s.4.3.3, s.4.3.4, s.4.3.5, s.4.3.6, s.4.3.7). The information packet included project outline, project area, critical timelines, impacts, brief cultural, environmental and archaeological context, proposed methods of investigation, proposed methods of gathering cultural knowledge, and maps. A written response to the proposed methods and the preferred method of sharing cultural knowledge was requested no later than due no later than 17th July 2019 (Stage 3, s4.3.2).

The information pack also stipulated that consultation was not employment, and requested that in order to assist the proponent in the engagement of field workers, that the groups provide information that will assit in the selection of field staff who may be paid on a contractual basis). This included, but was not limited to, experience in field work and in providing cultural heritage advice (asked to nominate at least two individuals who will be available and fit for work) and their relevant experience; and to provide a CV and insurance details.

The information pack also noted that failure to provide the required information by the date provided will result in a missed opportunity for the RAPs to contribute to their cultural heritage and the project will proceed.

2.3 STAGE 3: GATHERING INFORMATION ABOUT CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

The aim of this stage is to facilitate a process whereby the RAPs can contribute to culturally appropriate information gathering and the research methodology, provide information that will enable the cultural significance of any Aboriginal objects and or/places within the proposed project area to be determined and have input into the development of any cultural heritage management options and mitigation measures. In order to do his, included in the information pack sent for Stage 2, was information pertaining to the gathering of cultural knowledge. This included the following information;

- MCH noted that information provided by RAPs may be sensitive and MCH and the proponent will not share that information with all RAPs or others without the express permission of the individual. MCH and the proponent extended an invitation to develop and implement appropriate protocols for sourcing and holding cultural information including any restrictions to place on information, as well as the preferred method of providing information;
- request for traditional/cultural knowledge or information associated with ceremonial, spiritual, mythological beliefs, traditions and known sites from the pre-contact period;
- request for traditional/cultural knowledge or information regarding sites or places with historical associations and/or cultural significance which date from the post-contact period and that are remembered by people today (e.g. plant and animal resource use areas, known camp sites); and
- request for traditional/cultural knowledge or information in relation to any sites or places of contemporary cultural significance (apart from the above) which has acquired significance recently.

During this process, the RAPs did not disclose any specific traditional/cultural knowledge or information of sites or places associated with spiritual, mythological, ceremonies or beliefs from the pre-contact period within the project area or surrounding area.

2.4 FIELD WORK

All RAPs were invited to participate in the field work on 1st August 2019. Unfortunately, no RAPs attended and the survey proceeded as planned. The project area was investigated by the archaeologist in accordance with the proposed methodology provided to the stakeholders for review and approved.

2.5 STAGE 4: REVIEW OF DRAFT ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE ASSESSMENT

Copies of the DRAFT report were forwarded to all RAPs for their review and were asked to provide a written or verbal response no later than 27th September 2019. NO response to the draft report was received. The RAPs were provided a copy of the final report. All documentation regarding the consultation process is provided in Appendix A.

3 LANDSCAPE AND ENVIROMNEMATL CONTEXT

3.1 INTRODUCTION

The nature and distribution of Aboriginal cultural materials in a landscape are strongly influenced by environmental factors such as topography, geology, landforms, climate, geomorphology, hydrology and the associated soils and vegetation (Hughes and Sullivan 1984). These factors influence the availability of plants, animals, water, raw materials, the location of suitable camping places, ceremonial grounds, burials, and suitable surfaces for the application of rock art. As site locations may differ between landforms due to differing environmental constraints that result in the physical manifestation of different spatial distributions and forms of archaeological evidence, these environmental factors are used in constructing predictive models of Aboriginal site locations.

Environmental factors also effect the degree to which cultural materials have survived in the face of both natural and human influences and affect the likelihood of sites being detected during ground surface survey. Site detection is dependent on a number of environmental factors including surface visibility (which is determined by the nature and extent of ground cover including grass and leaf litter etc) and the survival of the original land surface and associated cultural materials (by flood alluvium and slope wash materials). It is also dependant on the exposure of the original landscape and associated cultural materials (by water, sheet and gully erosion, ploughing, vehicle tracks etc), (Hughes and Sullivan 1984). Combined, these processes and activities are used in determining the likelihood of both surface and subsurface cultural materials surviving and being detected.

It is therefore necessary to have an understanding of the environmental factors, processes and activities, all of which affect site location, preservation, detection during surface survey and the likelihood of in situ subsurface cultural materials being present. The environmental factors, processes and disturbances of the surrounding environment and specific project area are discussed below.

3.2 TOPOGRAPHY

The topographical context is important to identify potential factors relating to past Aboriginal land use patterns as not all landforms are suitable camping locations, suitable for the application of rock art etc. The project area is located on a disturbed landscape that included industrial and residential developments and as such none of the original landforms are present.

3.3 GEOLOGY

The geology of a region is not only reflected in the environment (landforms, topography, geomorphology, vegetation, climate etc), it also influences past occupation and its manifestation in the archaeological record. The nature of the surrounding and local geology along with the availability and distribution of stone materials has a number of implications for Aboriginal land use and archaeological implications. The implications for past Aboriginal land use mainly relate to location of stone resources or raw materials and their procurement for manufacturing and modification for stone tools. Evidence of stone extraction, and manufacture, can be predicted to be concentrated in the areas of stone availability. However, stone can be transported for manufacture and/or trading across the region.

The project area is situated on the Liverpool Sub-group of the Waiiamatta Group consisting of shale with some sandstone beds (Sydney 1:250,000 Geological Series Map 1966). Stone tools identified in

the local area were usually manufactured from mudstone/tuff and silcrete, both of which are absent from the local area and as such any stone tools within the proejct area would have been transported (possibly traded) into the area.

3.4 GEOMORPHOLOGY

Geomorphology is the study of landscapes, their evolution and the processes operating within earth systems. Cultural remains are part of these systems, having being deposited on, and in part, resulting from interactions within landscapes of the past. An understanding of geomorphological patterning and alterations is therefore essential in assess and interpreting the archaeological record.

The soils throughout the region reflect the influence of a range of factors including the parent geological material, topography, climate, organisms and length of formation time. The major group of texture contrast soils include red and brown podzolic soils on crests grading to yellow podzolic soils on lower slopes. These soils consist of an upper soil Horizon A and underlying B (referred to as duplex soils). Unit A and Unit B are interpreted as being Holocene and Pleistocene in age respectively. Within the region, sites tend to occur on or within soil Horizon A or are often present at the interface of the A and B horizons. Within the A horizon the lowermost (in terms of vertical positioning) artefact assemblages tend to contain artefacts that are typically attributed to the mid-Holocene, as characterised by an increase in the number of backed artefacts. Based on geomorphological grounds, A horizon soils in this context are generally considered as dating to the mid-late Holocene.

The natural soil profiles consist of an active biomantle over weathered rock or subsoil material derived from weathered rock. Mitchell (2007) has stressed the importance of recognizing the biomantle (the organic-rich bioturbated upper part of the soil, including the topsoil) an important profile characteristic as it has implications for the distribution of artefacts on open sites as follows (Dean-Jones and Mitchell 1993):

- Artefacts will be confined to the biomantle.
- Artefacts will have been subject to surface dispersion, limited down slope movement, and differential burial or exposure by bioturbation agents (ants, worms, termites, tree fall etc.) and they will contribute to the formation of a stone layer between the A and B-horizon where artefacts of all ages accumulate.
- In mechanically disturbed and/or sheet eroded area a lateral pattern of artefact dispersal can be expected as erosion processes strip the biomantle and incise the B-horizon. In depositional areas artefact burial is likely to be common.
- Despite the taphonomic processes affecting artefact distribution in the soil some site use patterns, such as knapping floors, may survive in attenuated plan form with an extended vertical and down-slope distribution of their components and possible mixing with artefacts from other events. For examples of the complexities of this process see Cahen and Moeyersons (1977), and Balek (2002).
- Because artefact burial is an ongoing process their surface visibility will be poor except where occasional flakes have been returned to the surface by landuses, tree fall, or where erosion rates are higher than average.
- Archaeological sites on texture contrast and fabric contrast soil profiles are unlikely to be stratified in a chronologically useful sense.

- The only means of dating any sites in this landscape will be by recognition of cultural sequences of artefacts, or from the recovery of intact 'hearths' or burials. All other dates, especially those based on detrital charcoal, and including those based on thermo-luminescence, will be spurious because artefacts can move through soil material of any age.

If any cultural materials were present within the soils of the project area, they would have occurred in the biomantle of the soil profiles. However, due to the existing development of the site, the soils would have been removed during construction works for the existing facility.

3.5 SOILS

The nature of the surrounding soil landscape also has implications for Aboriginal land use and site preservation, mainly relating to supporting vegetation and the preservation of organic materials and burials. The deposit of alluvial and aeolian sediments and colluvium movement of fine sediments (including artefacts) results in the movement and burying of archaeological materials. The increased movement in soils by this erosion is likely to impact upon cultural materials through the post-depositional movement of materials, specifically small portable materials such as stone tools, contained within the soil profiles.

The project area is situated on the Blacktown residual soil landscape that is characterised by gentl undulating rises, broad rounded crests and ridges with gently inclined slopes (Chapman and Murphy 1989:30-33). The Blacktown soil landscape typically consists gently undulating rises on Wianamatta Group shales and Hawkesbury shale. Local relief is up to 30 metres, slopes are usually <5% and include broad rounded crests and ridges with gently inclined slopes. This soil landscape consists of an A_1 horizon (up to 30 cm in depth) of friable brownish-black loam to clay loam, but can range from dark reddish-brown to dark yellowish-brown. The pH ranges from slightly acid (pH 5.5) to neutral (pH 7.0). Rounded iron indurated fine gravel-sized shale fragments and charcoal fragments are sometimes present and roots are common. This overlies the A_2 horizon (10-20 cm in depth) of hard-setting dark brown clay loam to silty clay loam that can range from dark reddish-brown to dark brown. The pH ranges from moderately acid (pH 5.0) to slightly acid (pH 6.5). Platy ironstone gravel-sized shale fragments are common and charcoal fragments and roots are rarely present. This the overlies the B horizon of mottled brown light to medium clay that ranges from reddish-brown to brown. Red, yellow or grey mottles are commonly present and often become more numerous with depth. The pH ranges from strongly acid (pH 4.5) to slightly acid (pH 6.5), (Chapman and Murphy. 1989: 22-26).

3.6 CLIMATE

Climatic conditions would also have played a part in past occupation of an area as well as impacted upon the soils and vegetation and associated cultural materials. Rainfall throughout the area is summer-autumn dominated with minimum rainfall occurring during late winter and early spring. Average annual rainfall is (1,432mm) and decreases westwards (935mm). The maximum monthly rainfall occurs along the coast during March and the average minimum occurs in July and August. Average monthly maximum temperatures are highest in the west (28^0C in December and the average minimum 16^0C in July (Chapman and Murphy 1989:2). During summer, the increased rainfall rate and reduced ground cover is reflected in a proportionately higher risk of erosion.

3.7 WATERWAYS

One of the major environmental factors influencing human behaviour is water as it is essential for survival and as such people will not travel far from reliable water sources. In those situations where people did travel far from reliable water, this indicates a different behaviour such as travelling to obtain rare or prized resources and/or trade. Proximity to water not only influences the number of sites likely to be found but also artefact densities. The highest number of sites and the highest density are usually found in close proximity to water and usually on an elevated landform. This assertion is undisputedly supported by the regional archaeological investigations carried out in the region where by such patterns are typically within 50 metres of a reliable water source.

The main types of water sources include permanent (rivers and soaks), semi-permanent (large streams, swamps and billabongs), ephemeral (small stream and creeks) and underground (artesian). Stream order assessment is one way of determining the reliability of streams as a water source. Stream order is determined by applying the Strahler method to 1:25 000 topographic maps. Based on the climatic analysis the project area will typically experience comparatively reliable rainfalls under normal conditions and thus it is assumed that any streams above a third order classification will constitute a relatively permanent water source.

The Strahler method dictates that upper tributaries do not exhibit flow permanence and are defined as first order streams. When two first order streams meet, they form a second order stream. Where two-second order streams converge, a third order stream is formed and so on. When a stream of lower order joins a stream of higher order, the downstream section of the stream will retain the order of the higher order upstream section (Anon 2003; Wheeling Jesuit University 2002).

The project area is situated approximately 670 metres east of Prospect Creek (1st order) with the closest reliable water source (Georges River) located approximately 4 kilometres to the south and the Parramatta River located approximately 7.5 kilometres north east. Thus, the project area was not resourced in terms of fresh water availability nor any associated subsistence or medicinal resources.

3.8 FLORA AND FAUNA

The availability of flora and associated water sources affect fauna resources, all of which are primary factors influencing patterns of past Aboriginal land use and occupation. The assessment of flora has two factors that assist in an assessment including a guide to the range of plant resources used for food and medicine and to manufacture objects including nets, string bags, shields and canoes which would have been available to Indigenous people in the past. The second is what it may imply about current and past land uses and to affect survey conditions such as visibility, access and disturbances.

European settlers extensively cleared the original native vegetation in the 1800's that would have included tall open bushland that would have been dominated by forest red gum, narrow-leaved ironbark and grey box (Chapman and Murphy 1989:31). The present vegetation within the investigation area is non-existent as the project area has an existing facility located on the whole property.

3.9 LAND USES AND DISTURBANCES

Based upon archaeological evidence, the occupation of Australia extends back some 40,000 years (Mulvaney and Kamminga 1999) whilst Aboriginal people have been present within the Sydney region for at least 30,000 years (McDonald 2005). Although the impact of past Aboriginal occupation on the natural landscape is thought to have been relatively minimal, it cannot be assumed that 30,000

years of land use have passed without affecting various environmental variables. The practice of 'firestick farming' whereby the cautious setting of fires served to drive game from cover, provide protection and alter vegetation communities significantly influenced seed germination, thus increasing diversity within the floral community.

European settlers extensively cleared the original native vegetation in the 1800's and since then the project area has been subject to excavation and construction works associated with the existing facility on the property. All of which would have displaced and remove any cultural materials that may have been present.

3.10 DISCUSSION

The presence of past Aboriginal people and their use of the landscape are undeniable and evidence is seen in the cultural materials that have survived both natural and human landuses since colonisation of the area in the 1800's. Whilst the regional environment provided resources, including raw materials for tool manufacture, fauna and flora for subsistence, medicinal purposes and ceremonial practices, and water which is a survival necessity that would have allowed for sustainable occupation of the area, the project area itself comprises a landscape in which higher order water courses are absent which is likely to have been a significant factor in relation to past Aboriginal occupation of the locality. The absence of resources in the project area may have supported transitory movement such as hunting and gathering, travel and possibly camping by small numbers of people over short periods of time.

Non-indigenous settlement and land uses have impacted the investigation area, most noticeably from vegetation removal and excavation works associated with the current structures at the location. Whilst it is clear Aboriginal people lived across the landscape, the evidence will have been impacted through such land uses

4 CULTURAL CONTEXT

Unfortunately, due to European settlement and associated destruction of past Aboriginal communities, their culture, social structure, activities and beliefs, little information with regards to the early traditional way of life of past Aboriginal societies remains.

4.1 USING ETHNO-HISTORIC DATA

Anthropologists and ethnographers have attempted to piece together a picture of past Aboriginal societies throughout the Hunter Valley. Although providing a glimpse into the past, one must be aware that information obtained on cultural and social practices were commonly biased and generally obtained from informants including white settlers, bureaucrats, officials and explorers. Problems encountered with such sources are well documented (e.g. Barwick 1984; L'Oste-Brown et al 1998). There is little information about who collected information or their skills. There were language barrier and interpretation issues, and the degree of interest and attitudes towards Aboriginal people varied in light of the violent settlement history. Access to view certain ceremonies was limited. Cultural practices (such as initiation ceremonies and burial practices) were commonly only viewed once by an informant who would then interpret what he saw based on his own understanding and then generalise about those practices.

4.2 DHARUG PEOPLE

The Dharug language group area included the Cumberland Plain region of NSW, their traditional country defined by Horton as spreading from the Southern Highlands to Illawarra, from Broken Bay to the Blue Mountains. The Dharug country was surrounded by other Aboriginal language groups, including the Wiradjuri to the west, Darkinung to the north, Gundungurra and Turuwal to the south, and Kuring-Gai and Eora to the east (Horton, 1996). Archaeological sites with some of the oldest dates in the Sydney region have been identified within the Dharug traditional country area (Attenbrow, 2010:18-19).

Alternate spellings are often used for this group, including Darug, Daruk, Dharruk, Dharrook, Dharung and Darrook, deriving predominantly from the variety of ethnographic accounts detailing early encounters with the various Dharug subgroups (Kohen, 1988 and 1993). Some of the subgroups that may have lived within the larger Dharug area included the Bediagal, Bidjigal, Birrabirragal, Bool-bain-ora, Boorooberongal, Borogegal-yuruey, Burramattagal, Cabrogal, Cadigal, Cammeraigal, Cannalgal, Cannemegal, Carigal, Cattai, Dural, Gommerigal-tongarra, Goorungurragal, Gorualgal, Gweagal, Kameygal, Kayimai, Kurrajong, Mulgoa, Muringong, Muru-ora-dial, Norongerragal, Ory-ang-ora, Terramerragal, Toogagal, Wandeandegal, Wangal and Wallumattagal (Kohen, 1988).

The terms tribes, clans and bands have been used in various sources to refer to Dharug social groupings. Clans or tribes have been described as the primary social group, generally consisting of 50 to 60 people. These groups were determined by totem, something inherited along the male lineage. Marriages and initiations were arranged based on affiliations to different totems (Kohen, 1993:15-35). The word band has since been used to describe a group that came together for a particular type of activity, such as hunting, and which varied in quantity as a result. Much larger groups would gather for important social activities, such as corroborees, marriages and initiations (Attenbrow, 2010:29).

The traditional language area as defined by Horton put the Dharug group inland with no direct access to the coast; the coastal area immediately adjacent to them was defined as belonging to the

Eora language group. Despite this, the name Eora has since been argued to have been given to the Aboriginal group in ethnographic accounts, rather than being a legitimate pre-contact language group area. The name Eora was introduced in sources such as Tench (1793), Hunter (1793) and Collins (1804), which has been argued as a misunderstanding for the local Aboriginal words meaning yes "e-e" and land "ora" (Kohen, 1988). This suggests that the Eora area may have been either part of the Kuring-Gai area or the Dharug area, based on the available linguistic evidence (Dawes, 1790). Some studies have argued that the Dharug territory extended to the coastline between Port Jackson and Botany Bay, with evidence for this conclusion drawn from the ethnographic observations of explorers and settlers (Attenbrow, 2010). Other texts suggest the Kuring-Gai area may have extended further south along the coast (Gunson, 1974). If the Eora area was in fact a part of the larger Dharug country, the coastal inhabitants spoke a distinctly different dialect and did not generally have a high level of contact with those from the hinterland areas (Attenbrow, 2010:34).

Early descriptions of Aboriginal people note that their cooking fires were seen from a distance, or that groups were spotted drawing their canoes up onto beaches (Griffin, 1980). Aboriginal groups across the Dharug area specialised in their use of resources depending on the specific territory in which they made their home. Although groups did not have direct access to resources outside their area, they were able to trade with the surrounding communities, thus sharing their economic resources. Generally, however, they had their own territory and relied on local resources, moving to different regions on an annual basis (Kohen, 1988). Certain groups travelled as far as 150 kilometres to take part in corroborees, which were a time of both ceremony and trade (Griffin, 1980).

If the Eora coastal group was part of the larger Dharug country, they specialised in marine resources that were not accessible for Dhurug people from the inland areas. This included a diet with fish, shellfish, crabs, crayfish, seals and whales. Tools were made using coastal resources such as shell, fish bone and shark teeth. The utilisation of shellfish and oysters is apparent in the shell middens that have been recorded. By contrast the resources inland were of possums, eels, insects and plants, kangaroos, wallabies, fruit bats, echidnas, freshwater fish, shellfish, crustaceans, tortoises, platypus and water rats. Riverine communities along the Hawkesbury and Nepean Rivers utilised plant foods as their staple diet, with an important resource being yams (Kohen, 1988). Animals observed as being used for food in lake and river areas included water birds (pelicans, ducks, teals and others). In addition to possums there is evidence that koalas, sugar gliders, snakes, goannas and wallabies were also caught and eaten (Griffin, 1980).

Stone tools were produced by the Dharug people and hafted onto wood to serve a variety of functions, such as the barbs and points of spears. Stone on the Cumberland Plain was predominantly sourced from the grave beds of the Nepean River (for chert and basalt) and along ridges associated with Eastern Creek and South Creek (for silcrete) (Kohen, 1988). Quartz was also sourced from sandstone outcrop areas, with archaeological evidence suggesting that local resources were predominantly used, rather than trading for material outside the area, with some exceptions (such as basalt for hand axes) (Kohen, 1988). Spears, nets and canoes were used for fishing, with spears also used for hunting animals and birds. Ground stone hatchets, stone pounders and wedges, wooden shields, digging sticks, bark baskets, net bags and wooden dishes were all used. Clubs, boomerangs and spear throwers were also utilised, as were (in some areas) shelters made from bark. What shelter was utilised depended on the area within Dharug country, with the coastal areas using bark huts, while sandstone areas used natural overhangs (Attenbrow, 2010:55-85).

There were a variety of traditional stories told across the country of the Dharug people, but due to loss of cultural information it is now largely fragmentary. Cultural knowledge was provided depending on the level of initiation the individual had undergone within their community. Baiame was a very important mythical character, half crystal and half human, known as the Great Shaper or

Thunder-God. He was a creation figure in stories, described as the being that shaped the world from the void that existed before (Attenbrow, 2010:128). Although there is little evidence of Dharug beliefs, some other stories told in the wider region indicate the kind of mythological figures that were likely to have been a part of the Dharug mythology. Some examples of tales include references to figures such as a wild hairy man with backward turned feet called the Gulea, a winged creature called the Dthuwangong that produced a terrible stench from its body to overpower his prey, and the Ghindaring, who dwelt in rocky areas with a body glowing like burning coals. The Gurungaty dwelt in waterholes and ate unsuspecting victims who went there and Wallanthagang stunned his prey then laid them out on an ant's nest to be stung. Dharamulan was another important Dreamtime figure, related to Baiame, drawn from the time when the animals of today were human in shape and dwelt in high places such as clouds, mountains and trees. Ethnographic recordings from 1904 relate that another creation figure was Mirrirul, who stood atop the tallest tree to receive the spirits of the dead at the end of their lives. In this story the souls of the departed took the form of children and would hover in the tops of trees, resting in the branches before ascending to the clouds (Mathews, 1904). Some of the Dharug stories are still physically present in the iconography of extant rock art.

Between 1789 and 1790 a massive smallpox epidemic killed thousands of people across the Dharug area. Exact numbers were not recorded, but descriptions of the impact that smallpox had on Aboriginal people, who had no immunity to it, are of massive changes to the social groupings in this area as a result (Kohen, 1988). The Cadigal settlement at Port Jackson was estimated to consist of between 30 and 50 people at the time of first contact. Following the smallpox epidemic there were only three who survived (Collins, 1804). When the early explorers and first settlers arrived in the Hawkesbury region, they noted the Aboriginal people there showed visible pock marks from smallpox (Hunter, 1793; Tench, 1793). The death toll was so great that survivors were forced to band together in new groups in order to survive.

5 ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT

A review of the archaeological literature of the region, and more specifically the Branxton area and the results of an BCD AHIMS search provide essential contextual information for the current assessment. Thus, it is possible to obtain a broader picture of the wider cultural landscape highlighting the range of site types throughout the region, frequency and distribution patterns and the presence of any sites within the project area. It is then possible to use the archaeological context in combination with the review of environmental conditions to establish an archaeological predictive model for the project area.

5.1 BCD ABORIGINAL HERITAGE INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

MCH note that there are many limitations with an AHIMS search. Firstly, site coordinates are not always correct due to errors and changing of computer systems at BCD over the years that failed to correctly translate old coordinate systems to new systems. Secondly, BCD will only provide up to 110 sites per search, thus limiting the search area surrounding the project area and enabling a more comprehensive analysis and finally, few sites have been updated on the BCD AHIMS register to notify if they have been subject to a s87 or s90 and as such what sites remain in the local area and what sites have been destroyed, to assist in determining the cumulative impacts, is unknown.

In addition to this, other limitations include the number of studies in the local area. Fewer studies suggest that sites have not been recorded, ground surface visibility also hinders site identification and the geomorphology of the majority of NSW soils and high levels of erosion have proven to disturb sites and site contents, and the extent of those disturbances is unknown (i.e. we do not know if a site identified at the base of an eroded slope derived from the upper crest, was washed along the bottom etc: thus altering our predictive modelling in an unknown way). Thus, the BCD AHIMS search is limited and provides a basis only that aids in predictive modelling.

The new terminology for site names including (amongst many) an 'artefact' site encompasses stone, bone, shell, glass, ceramic and/or metal and combines both open camps and isolated finds into the one site name. Unfortunately, this greatly hinders in the predictive modelling as different sites types grouped under one name provided inaccurate data.

A search of the BCD AHIMS register has shown that 3 known Aboriginal sites are currently recorded within four kilometres of the project area and include one scar tree, one artefact site and one PAD with artefacts, all located 3.5 to 4 kilometres south of the project area. The AHIMS results are provided in Appendix A.

5.2 REGIONAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT

White and McDonald (2010) undertook extensive research into past Aboriginal land uses across the Cumberland Plain. The study provided spatial and distribution analysis of Aboriginal objects (evidence of past Aboriginal land use) in relation to fresh water sources and landform types. The results indicate similar trends throughout NSW, that there is a relationship between proximity to fresh water and landform in site location and land uses by past Aboriginal people. The following broad predictions for the regional archaeology and past Aboriginal land use are provided:

- archaeological evidence of past Aboriginal peoples will be limited and will be representative of background scatter within close proximity to first order creek lines;

- archaeological evidence within close proximity of second order streams will again be representative of background scatter and will likely consist of one-off camp locations and / or isolated events;
- archaeological evidence in close proximity to third order creeks will consist of repeated occupation by small groups of people. Archaeological expressions will likely consist of knapping floors and evidence of repeated use over time; and
- archaeological evidence along major fourth order creek lines will consist of continued and repeated use by past Aboriginal peoples and may include stratified deposits.

White and McDonald found that artefacts are most likely within 50-100 metres of higher (fourth) order streams, within 50 metres of second order streams, and that artefact distribution around first order streams was not significantly affected by distance from the watercourse. White and McDonald also found that artefact densities were most likely to be greatest on terraces and lower slopes within 100 metres of freshwater resources. Ridgelines and crests located between drainage lines were identified to contain archaeological evidence though usually representative of background scatter similar to that identified for first and/or second order creek lines. White & McDonald's (2010) predictive model can be seen as indicative of the archaeology of the Cumberland Plain. However, it is important to note that conclusions based on geographical land form models only models are not concrete justifications or criteria for site distribution and characteristics (AMBS 1997). The existing distribution and characteristics of sites manifest through past Aboriginal land uses over the past 30,000 years throughout a landscape is the result of the complex interplay of numerous factors such as periods of occupation, site type, environmental impacts, erosional events and the impacts of modern activities.

5.3 LOCAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT

One archaeological assessment was identified by the AHIMS search AMBS 2008. Australian Museum Business Services (AMBS 2008) completed a cultural heritage assessment of potential impacts to the proposed Rosehill Recycled Water Scheme pipeline. The proposed route went between Fairfield and Camellia across a variety of western Sydney suburbs to a length of 20 kilometres. It was to cross through Rosehill, Granville, Guildford, Prospect Creek and Fairfield Park. The study area had previously been impacted by residential, road and industrial developments. The study area, being a linear pipeline route, crossed through multiple landforms across its 20 kilometres long extent. The study area had been modified by past impacts with extensive vegetation clearance. Prospect Creek was close to the study area, with the pipeline running adjacent to it in one section. A search of the AHIMS register identified one site within the bounds of the study area, being an isolated artefact with an associated PAD (#45-5-3272). In a search area of five kilometres by five kilometres centred on the study area there were a total of 116 previously recorded sites and consisted of 54 artefact scatters, 19 sites without specified type, 16 isolated artefacts, 10 PADs, eight modified trees, three rockshelters, two grinding groove sites, two middens and two art sites. It was predicted that artefact scatters and isolated artefacts could be present in the study area, especially in proximity to water sources. The banks of creeks and rivers were predicted to be sensitive landforms with the potential for subsurface deposits, based on the results of previous test excavations across the region. This desktop assessment identified a total of six locations within the study area that had low to medium levels of archaeological potential. It was noted that the Aboriginal cultural significance for the study area was unknown, with Aboriginal cultural significance only able to be determined through consultation. AMBS recommended that prior to the initiation of construction works, work crews should be briefed on heritage, that following the proposed works rehabilitation should be

undertaken and that a survey of the pipeline route should be undertaken in consultation with the relevant local Aboriginal community groups. Additionally, that AHIMS #45-5-3272 should be assessed, with a permit required prior to works should impacts be unavoidable and that stop work procedures should be followed if unexpected finds were located during the proposed works.

5.4 LOCAL & REGIONAL CHARACTER OF ABORIGINAL LAND USE & ITS MATERIAL TRACES

The following is a summary and discussion of previous investigations detailed in Section 5.2. It must be remembered, however, that there are various factors which will have skewed the results. These include but are not limited to:

- the landform on which a site area is observed is not necessarily its origin, for example, artefacts which would have originated on a crest may be located eroding down the slope;
- biases due to differential sampling of landforms based on decisions made by archaeologists and as a result of restrictions due to the locations of proposed development areas, levels of exposure on different landforms, and the variable level of reporting by archaeologists will affect the count of sites on each landform type. For example, the large percentage of sites found along creek lines may be, at least partially, representative of how many cultural heritage surveys focused on these landforms, and
- artefact counts can be skewed due to factors such as differing levels of fragmentation of material and levels of ground surface visibility. A very large number of sites/ artefacts were located on exposures with either no or very few artefacts visible away from the exposures.

Therefore, the following summary provides an indication of what may be expected in terms of site location and distribution. The local archaeology of the area can be summarised as follows:

- the highest concentration of sites is generally within 50 metres of reliable water;
- site numbers and density decrease with distance from water;
- artefact scatters and isolated finds are the most common sites identified followed by grinding grooves and rockshelters (with and without art);
- although modified trees have been identified they are noted to not likely to be cultural;
- stone artefacts are typically flakes, flake pieces, broken flakes, cores and tools, and
- raw materials used in the manufacture of tools is predominantly silcrete followed by indurated mudstone/tiff and in lesser quantities basalt and quartz.

Variations between archaeologists' classifications of raw material types (for example tuff and indurated mudstone) will have an effect on the results of this count. Raw material type was not indicated in most reports and as such general comments are made. Again, this information is presented merely as an indication of what may be expected.

Due to differences in recording techniques it is difficult to determine how many of each artefact type is represented across the region though types include flakes, broken flakes, retouched flakes, multi-platform cores, single platform cores, bipolar cores, flaked pieces, 'waste' pieces, 'chips', debitage, 'geometric microliths', 'backed blades', 'bondi points', 'scrapers', 'eloueras', 'burrins', 'blades', 'hatchets', 'unifacial choppers', 'bifacial choppers', 'pebble tools', a 'slice', edge-ground axes, anvils, hammer stones and heat. Due to variations in both the amount of data that is included in reports, and the terms different archaeologists used to describe artefact types, it is not practicable to provide

a count of the different artefact types. However, it is evident that flakes, broken flakes and flaked pieces are the most common artefact types recorded. These findings are consistent with models developed for the local area.

5.5 PREDICTIVE MODEL FOR THE PROJECT AREA

Due to issues surrounding ground surface visibility and the fact that the distribution of surface archaeological material does not necessarily reflect that of sub-surface deposits, it is essential to establish a predictive model.

Previous archaeological studies undertaken throughout the area provide an indication of site types and past Aboriginal land uses and site patterning in the local area. The research has shown that very limited sites are located within 4 kilometres of the project rea. Given its location form reliable fresh water supply and associated resources, archaeological evidence of the area is expected to include evidence of transitory activities such as hunting and gathering and travel to such resources. Such past Aboriginal Land uses manifest in the archaeological record as very low-density artefacts scatters and isolated finds.

However, given the works associated with the construction of the existing facility in the project area, including excavation, soil removal, fill and structure construction, if evidences of past Aboriginal land uses were present in the project area, it would have been destroyed through these activities.

5.6 ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL IN THE PROJECT AREA

Based on archaeological sites registered in the region and the results of past archaeological studies, two sites types may have occurred withihn the project area:

- **Artefact scatters**

Also described as open campsites, artefact scatters and open sites, these deposits have been defined at two or more stone artefacts within 50 metres of each other and will include archaeological remains such as stone artefacts and may be found in association with camping where other evidence may be present such as shell, hearths, stone lined fire places and/or heat treatment pits. These sites are usually identified as surface scatters of artefacts in areas where ground surface visibility is increased due to lack of vegetation. Erosion, agricultural activities (such as ploughing, grazing) and access ways can also expose surface campsites. Artefact scatters may represent evidence of;

- Large camp sites, where everyday activities such as habitation, maintenance of stone or wooden tools, manufacturing of such tools, management of raw materials, preparation and consumption of food and storage of tools has occurred;
- Medium/small camp sites, where activities such as minimal tool manufacturing occurred;
- Hunting and/or gathering events;
- Other events spatially separated from a camp site, or
- Transitory movement through the landscape.

Artefact scatters are a common site type in the locality and the broader region. There is very low to no potential for low density artefact scatters to occur within the project area given its distance form reliable water and land uses and associated impacts within the project area.

- **Isolated finds**

Isolated artefacts are usually identified in areas where ground surface visibility is increased due to lack of vegetation. Erosion, agricultural activities (such as ploughing) and access ways can also expose surface artefacts. Isolated finds may represent evidence of;

- Hunting and/or gathering events; or
- Transitory movement through the landscape.

Isolated finds are a common site type in the locality and the broader region. There is very low to no potential for isolated finds to occur within the project area given its distance form reliable water and land uses and associated impacts within the project area.

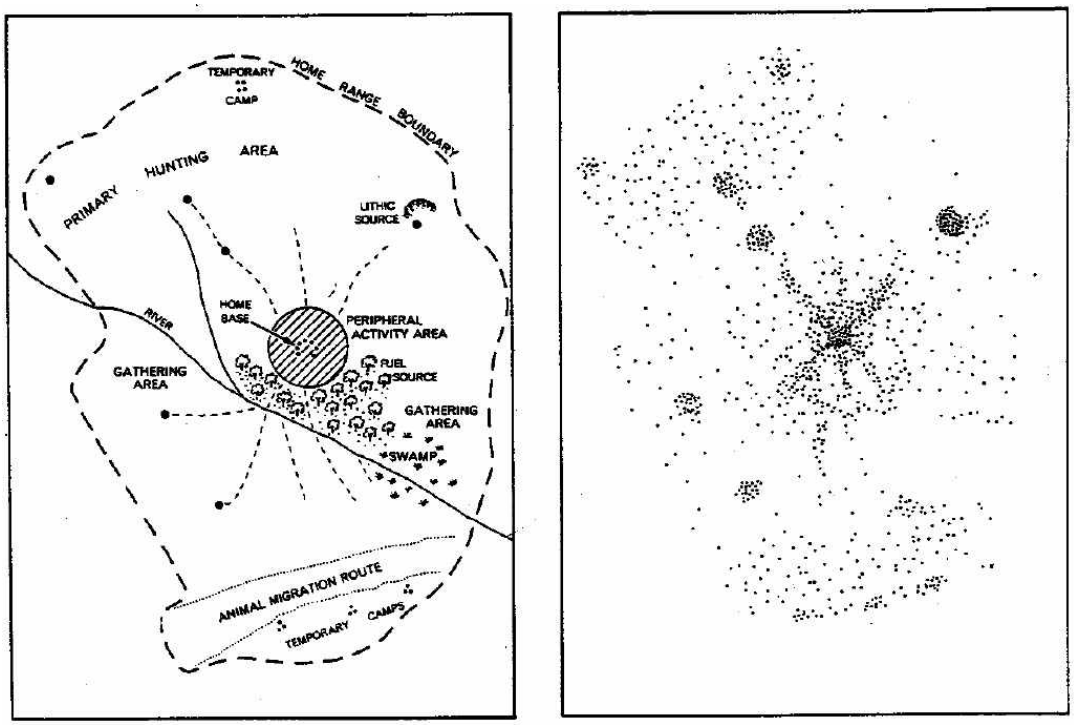
5.7 HERITAGE REGISTER LISTINGS

The State Heritage Register, the Australian Heritage Database (includes data from the World Heritage List UNESCO, National Heritage List, Commonwealth Heritage List, Register of the National Estate) and The Cumberland Council Local Environmental Plan have no sites listed. However, not all indigenous places are listed, and the Heritage Commission is consulting with Traditional Owners to gradually include indigenous information.

5.8 MODELS OF PAST ABORIGINAL LAND USE

The main aim of this project is to attempt to define both the nature and extent of occupation across the area. As a result, the nature of the analysis will focus on both the landform units and sites. The purpose of this strategy is to highlight any variations between sites and associated assemblages, landforms and resources across the area treating assemblages as a continuous scatter of cultural material across the landscape. In doing this, it is possible to identify variation across the landscape, landforms and assemblages that correspond with variation in the general patterns of landscape use and occupation. Thus, the nature of activities and occupation can be identified through the analysis of stone artefact distributions across a landscape. A general model of forager settlement patterning in the archaeological record has been established by Foley (1981). This model distinguishes the residential 'home base' site with peripheral 'activity locations'. Basically, the home base is the focus of attention and many activities and the activity locations are situated away from the home base and are the focus of specific activities (such as tool manufacturing). This pattern is illustrated in Figure 5.1. Home base sites generally occur in areas with good access to a wide range of resources (reliable water, raw materials etc). The degree of environmental reliability, such as reliable water and subsistence resources, may influence the rate of return to sites and hence the complexity of evidence. Home base sites generally show a greater diversity of artefacts and raw material types (which represent a greater array of activities performed at the site and immediate area). Activity locations occur within the foraging radius of a home base camp (approximately 10 km); (Renfrew and Bahn 1991). Based on the premise that these sites served as a focus of a specific activity, they will show a low diversity in artefacts and are not likely to contain features reflecting a base camp (such as hearths). However, it is also possible that the location of certain activities cannot be predicted or identified, adding to the increased dispersal of cultural material across the landscape. If people were opting to carry stone tools during hunting and gathering journeys throughout the area rather than manufacturing tools at task locations, an increased number of used tools should be recovered from low density and dispersed assemblages.

Figure 5.1 Foley's model (L) and its manifestation in the archaeological record (R), (Foley 1981).



5.8.1 MODEL OF OCCUPATION FOR THE LOCAL AREA

Occupation models often aim to identify and explain archaeological patterning in site type, content and distribution. General theories have been developed outlining the relationship between land use patterns and the resulting archaeological evidence. A number of models developed and reviewed and the most commonly accepted model is summarised and adapted to for the present project area. Kuskie and Kamminga (2000) established a general model of occupation strategies based primarily upon ethnographic research. Used as a starting point, it makes a general set of factors that are consistent with other studies (e.g. White and McDonald 2010, Nelson 1991). The model distinguishes between short-term or extended long-term occupation and makes some predictions about the likely location of different foraging and settlement activities. Combining this information with a general review of assemblage contents from a sample of excavated sites within the Hunter Valley, a baseline of settlement activities may be determined (Barton 2001).

The model provides a number of archaeological expectations that may be tested. For example, the presence of features requiring a considerable labour investment such as stone-lined ovens or heat-treatment pits are likely to occur at places where occupation occurred for extended periods of time. The presence of grindstones is also a reliable indicator of low mobility and extended occupation. Seed grinding requires a large investment of time and effort (Cane 1989). In most ethnographic examples, seed grinding is an activity that takes place over an entire day to provide adequate energetic returns (Cane 1989; Edwards and O'Connell 1995).

Where group mobility was high and campsites frequently shifted throughout the landscape, artefact assemblages are not expected to contain elements such as grindstones, heat-treatment pits, ovens and the diversity of implements frequently discarded at places of extended residential occupation. It may also have been the case that the location of particular activities could not be predicted by tool users, adding to the increased low-density scattering of artefacts over the landscape. Also, if

individuals were opting to carry a number of stone tools during hunting and gathering activities and maintaining these tools rather than manufacturing new tools at each task location, the ratio of used tools to unworn flakes in these assemblages should be high. Table 5.1 has been adapted from Kuskie and Kamminga (2000).

To identify the specific activity areas through analysis of the composition of patterning of lithic assemblages, is utilised. However, this is applied to excavated materials as they provide more realistic data due to the lesser degree of disturbances, removal and breakages.

Table 5.1 Site descriptions (Kuskie & Kamminga 2000).

Occupation Pattern	Activity Location	Proximity to water	Proximity to food	Archaeological expectations
Transitory movement	all landscape zones	not important	not important	• assemblages of low density & diversity • evidence of tool maintenance & repair • evidence for stone knapping
Hunting &/or gathering without camping	all landscape zones	not important	near food resources	• assemblages of low density & diversity • evidence of tool maintenance & repair • evidence for stone knapping • high frequency of used tools
Camping by small groups	associated with permanent & temporary water	near (within 100m)	near food resources	• assemblages of moderate density & diversity • evidence of tool maintenance & repair • evidence for stone knapping & hearths
Nuclear family base camp	level or gently undulating ground	near reliable source (within 50m)	near food resources	• assemblages of high density &diversity • evidence of tool maintenance & repair & casual knapping • evidence for stone knapping • heat treatment pits, stone lined ovens • grindstones
Community base camp	level or gently undulating ground	near reliable source (within 50m)	near food resources	• assemblages of high density & diversity • evidence of tool maintenance & repair & casual knapping • evidence for stone knapping • heat treatment pits, stone lined ovens • grindstones & ochre • large area >100sqm with isolated camp sites

6 SURVEY RESULTS

6.1 METHODOLOGY

The survey areas were surveyed on foot by the archaeologist and registered Aboriginal stakeholder representatives in accordance with the proposed methodology provided to the stakeholders for review and approved. The survey included transects at approximately 1 metres apart walked in a north/south direction across the entire project area and focused on areas of high ground surface visibility and exposures (erosional features).

6.2 LANDFORMS

McDonald et al (1998) describes the categories of landform divisions. This is a two layered division involving treating the landscape as a series of 'mosaics'. The mosaics are described as two distinct sizes: the larger categories are referred to as landform patterns and the smaller being landform elements within these patterns. Landform patterns are large-scale landscape units, and landform elements are the individual features contained within these broader landscape patterns. There are forty landform pattern units and over seventy landform elements. However, of all the landform element units, ten are morphological types. For archaeological investigations they divide the landscape into standardised elements that can be used for comparative purposes and predictive modelling. As outlined in Section 3, the project area includes a disturbed landscape with none of the original landform remaining.

6.3 SURVEY UNITS

For ease of management, the project area was surveyed as one unit based on the disturbed landform. Consisting of a highly disturbed landscape with none of the original landform present, the project area contains an existing processing facility and is surrounded by industrial and residential development. Figures 6.1 and 6.2 provide examples of the project area.

Figure 6.1 Front of project area



Figure 6.2 Inside the project



6.4 EFFECTIVE COVERAGE

Effective coverage is an estimate of the amount of ground observed taking into account local constraints on site discovery such as vegetation and soil cover. There are two components to determining the effective coverage: visibility and exposure. Visibility is the amount of bare ground on the exposures which may reveal artefacts or other cultural materials, or visibility refers to 'what conceals'. Visibility is hampered by vegetation, plant or leaf litter, loose sand, stony ground or introduced materials (such as rubbish) On its own, visibility is not a reliable factor in determining the detectability of subsurface cultural materials (DECCW 2010/783:39). The second component in establishing effective coverage is exposure. Exposure refers to 'what reveals'. It estimates the area with a likelihood of revealing subsurface cultural materials rather than just an observation of the amount of bare ground. Exposure is the percentage of land for which erosion and exposure is sufficient to reveal cultural materials on the surface (DECCW 2010/783:37).

As the project area has been previously cleared and excavated with the topsoils and subsurface removed during construction works for the existing facility, the usual archaeological effective coverage obtained through survey is not possible due to the project area being covered in concrete, buildings and car park. There is no remaining original landform or any cultural materials that may have been present.

The level and nature of the effective survey coverage is considered satisfactory to provide an effective assessment of the Aboriginal sites identified and those potentially present within the investigation area. The coverage was comprehensive for obtrusive site types (e.g. grinding grooves and scarred trees) but somewhat limited for the less obtrusive surface stone artefact sites by surface visibility constraints that included vegetation cover and minimal exposures.

6.5 ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES

Due to the location of the project area at a great distance form reliable fresh water and associated resources and the significant impacts form past land uses which has resulted in the removal of the original landform and any cultural materials that may have been present, no sites were are identified.

6.6 POTENTIAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL DEPOSIT (PAD)

The terms 'Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD)' and 'area(s) of archaeological sensitivity' are used to describe areas that are likely to contain sub-surface cultural deposits. These sensitive landforms or areas are identified based upon the results of fieldwork, the knowledge gained from previous studies in or around the subject area and the resultant predictive models. Any or all of these attributes may be used in combination to define a PAD. The likelihood of a landscape having been used by past Aboriginal societies and hence containing archaeologically sensitive areas is primarily based on the availability of local natural resources for subsistence, artefact manufacture and ceremonial purposes. The likelihood of surface and subsurface cultural materials surviving in the landscape is primarily based on past land uses and preservation factors.

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7 ASSESSMENT OF IMPACTS

The archaeological record is a non-renewable resource that is affected by many processes and activities. As outlined in Section 3 and 6, the various natural processes and human activities would have impacted on archaeological deposits through both site formation and taphonomic processes. Chapter 4 describes the impacts within the project area, showing how these processes and activities have disturbed the landscape and associated cultural materials in varying degrees.

7.1 IMPACTS

Detailed descriptions of the impacts are provided in Section 1.5 and the results of the survey in Section 6. The OEH Code of Practice for the Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (2010:21) describes impacts to be rated as follows:

1) Type of harm: is either direct, indirect or none

2) Degree of harm is defined as either total, partial or none

3) Consequence of harm is defined as either total loss, partial loss, or no loss of value

As no sites or PADs were identified in the project area, there are no impacts to the archaeological record.

8 MITIGATION AND MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES

Specific strategies, as outlined through the DECCW (2010b) Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW 2010b), the Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (OEH 2011), and the Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (DECCW 2010c), are considered below for the management of the identified site within the project area.

One of the most important considerations in selecting the most suitable and appropriate strategy is the recognition that Aboriginal cultural heritage is very important to the local Aboriginal community. Decisions about the management of the identified site has been made in consultation with the RAPs.

8.1 CONSERVATION/PROTECTION

The BCD is responsible for the conservation/protection of Indigenous sites and they therefore require good reason for any impact on an indigenous site. Conservation is the first avenue and is suitable for all sites, especially those considered high archaeological significance and/or cultural significance. Conservation includes the processes of looking after an indigenous site or place so as to retain its cultural significance and are managed in a way that is consistent with the nature of peoples' attachment to them.

As no sites were identified conservation/protection is not required.

8.2 FURTHER INVESTIGATION

An Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) is no longer required to undertake test excavations (providing the excavations are in accordance with the Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigations in NSW). Subsurface testing is appropriate when a Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) has been identified, and it can be demonstrated that sub-surface Aboriginal objects with potential conservation value have a high probability of being present, and that the area cannot be substantially avoided by the proposed activity. However, testing may only be undertaken as per the Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (DECCW 2011) and discussions/consultation with the local Aboriginal community.

As no sites or PADs were identified and the project area has been significantly disturbed through excavation and construction works associated with the existing facility, further investigations are not justified.

8.3 AHIP

If harm will occur to an Aboriginal object or Place, then an AHIP is required form the OEH. If a systematic excavation of the known site could provide benefits and information for the Aboriginal community and/or archaeological study of past Aboriginal occupation, a salvage program may be an appropriate strategy to enable the salvage of cultural objects. The AHIP may also include surface collection of artefacts.

As no sites were identified an AHIP is not required.

9 RECOMMENDATIONS

9.1 GENERAL

1) The persons responsible for the management of onsite works will ensure that all staff, contractors and others involved in construction and maintenance related activities are made aware of the statutory legislation protecting sites and places of significance. Of particular importance is the National Parks and Wildlife Amendment (Aboriginal Objects and Aboriginal Places) Regulation 2010, under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974; and

2) Should any Aboriginal objects be uncovered during works, all work will cease in that location immediately and the Environmental Line contacted.

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APPENDIX A

Aboriginal Stakeholder Consultation

Date	Consultation type	OEH requirement	Consult stage	RAP/Agency	Contact person	Description
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Office of Environment & Heritage (OEH)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council (GLALC)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Registrar of Aboriginal Owners (RAO)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Cumberland Council (CC)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Native Title Tribunal (NNTT)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted NTSCORP Ltd		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
18/4/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	MCH contacted Greater Sydney Land Services (GSLS)		Letter to identify Aboriginal parties. Requested response no later C.O.B. 10/5/2019
1/5/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	OEH contacted MCH		Identified Aboriginal parties: 65
	e-mail	4.1.2	1	GLALC		No response
3/5/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	RAO contacted MCH		Identified Aboriginal parties: Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council
18/4/109	Letter/e-mail	4.1.2	1	NNTT contacted MCH		freehold, and freehold tenure extinguishes native title
7/5/19	Letter	4.1.2	1	CC contacted MCH		Identified Aboriginal parties: Local Aboriginal Land Council
	e-mail & letter	4.1.2	1	CC contacted MCH		
NA		4.1.2	1	NTSCORP	Do not provide lists of possible stakeholders	
NA		4.1.2	1	GSLS	Do not provide lists of possible stakeholders	
10 May 2019 C.O.B. Request for groups to consult with closed						
10/5/19		4.1.7, 4.1.8	1	Darug Land Observations Pty Ltd		Registered for the project
13/5/19	Letter & email	4.1.3, 4.1.4, 4.1.5, 4.2.1	1	All RAPs	those provided from sources above	Formal letter to identified RAPs. Letter requested registration of interest in the project, project outline, maps and asking for the preferred method to receive information (meeting/mail/email).
5/6/19	Public notice	4.1.3	1	All registered Aboriginal parties (RAPs)		Public notice in the Fairfield Champion and requested registration no later than 19/6/2019

Date	Consultation type	OEH requirement	Consult stage	RAP/Agency	Contact person	Description
7/5/19		4.1.7, 4.1.8	1	Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council	Darren Duncan	Registered for the project
22/5/19		4.1.7, 4.1.8	1	Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation		Registered for the project
19 June 2019 C.O.B. Registration for project closed						
20/6/19	letter	4.2.1, 4.2.2, 4.2.3, 4.3.1, 4.3.2, 4.3.3, 4.3.4, 4.3.5, 4.3.6, 4.3.7	2 & 3	All RAPs		Formal letter and information packet sent to the identified RAPs. Information packet included project outline, project area, critical timelines, impacts, brief cultural, environmental and archaeological context, proposed methods of investigation, proposed methods of gathering cultural knowledge, and maps. A response the proposed methodology was required registration by C.O.B. 17 July 2019
24/6/19				Darug Custodial Aboriginal Corp.		Letter to register
24/6/19				MCH		Notified Darug Custodial Aboriginal Corp, that registration closed on 19/6/2019 but would send a copy of the final report if requested.
17 July 2019 C.O.B. Response to information packet closed						
16/7/19	email		3	All RAPs		All RAPs sent a letter of invitation to attend and participate in the survey and test excavation if required on 1/8/19
16/7/19	email	4.2.1, 4.2.2, 4.2.3, 4.3.1, 4.3.2, 4.3.3, 4.3.4, 4.3.5, 4.3.6, 4.3.7	2 & 3	Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council	Darren Duncan	Confirmed their attendance for the survey
1 August 2019 Field work						
26/8/19		4.3.5; 4.3.6; 4.3.7 4.4.1; 4.4.2; 4.4.3	3 & 4	All RAPs		Draft report sent to all RAPs for review
27 September 2019 C.O.B. Response to Draft Report Closed						
28/9/19		4..4.4; 4.4.5	4	All RAPs		Final report, sent to all RAPs
28 September 2019 C.O.B. Assessment Complete						

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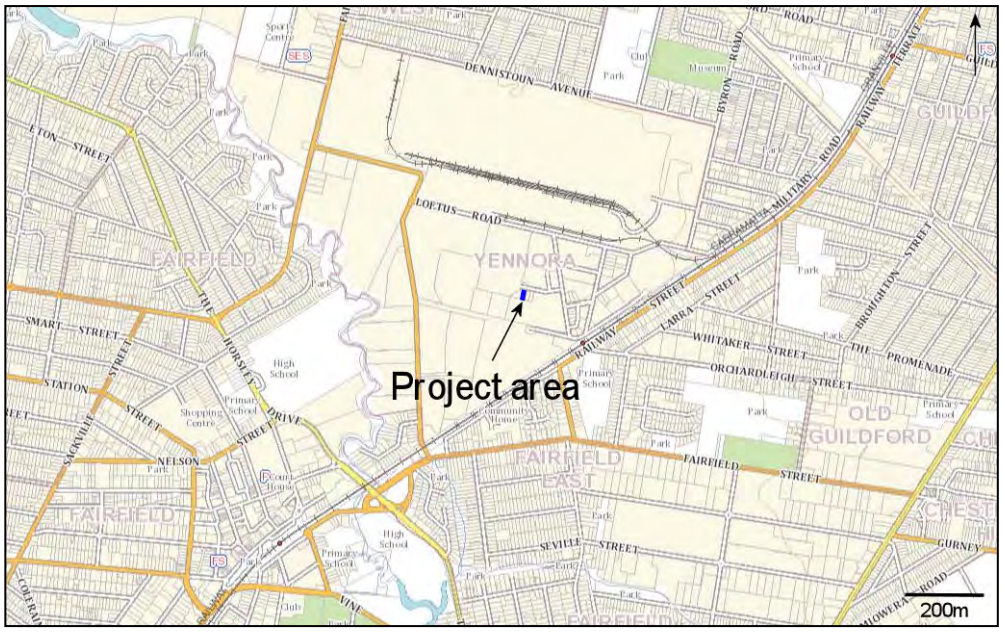
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Location of the project area



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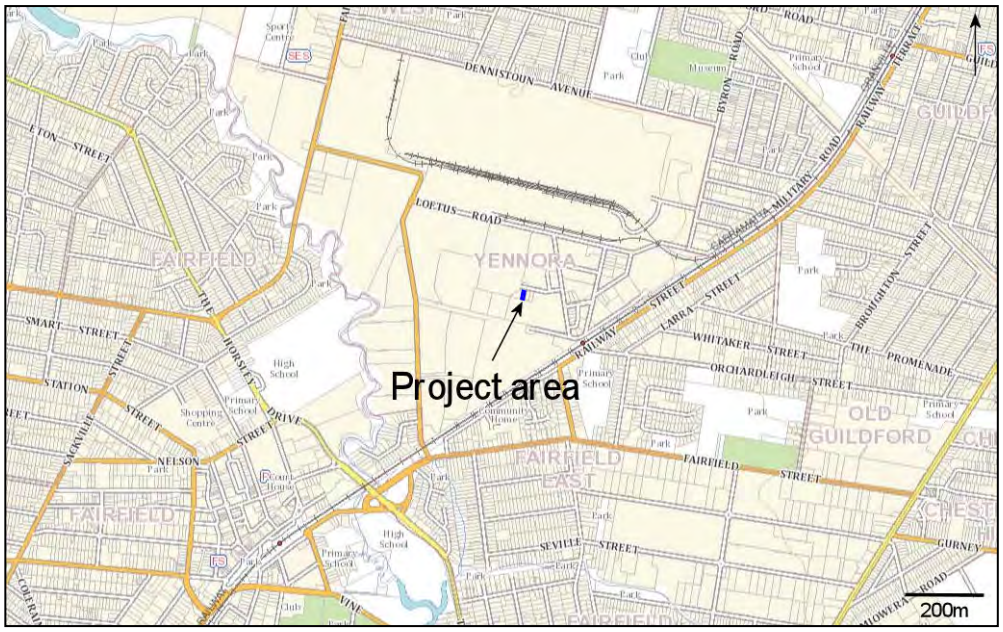
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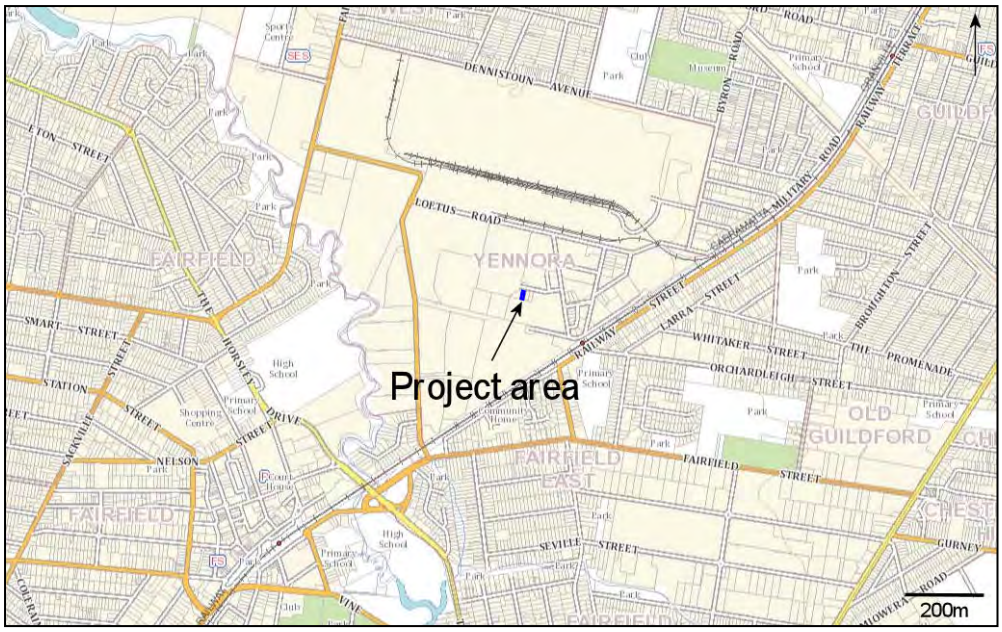
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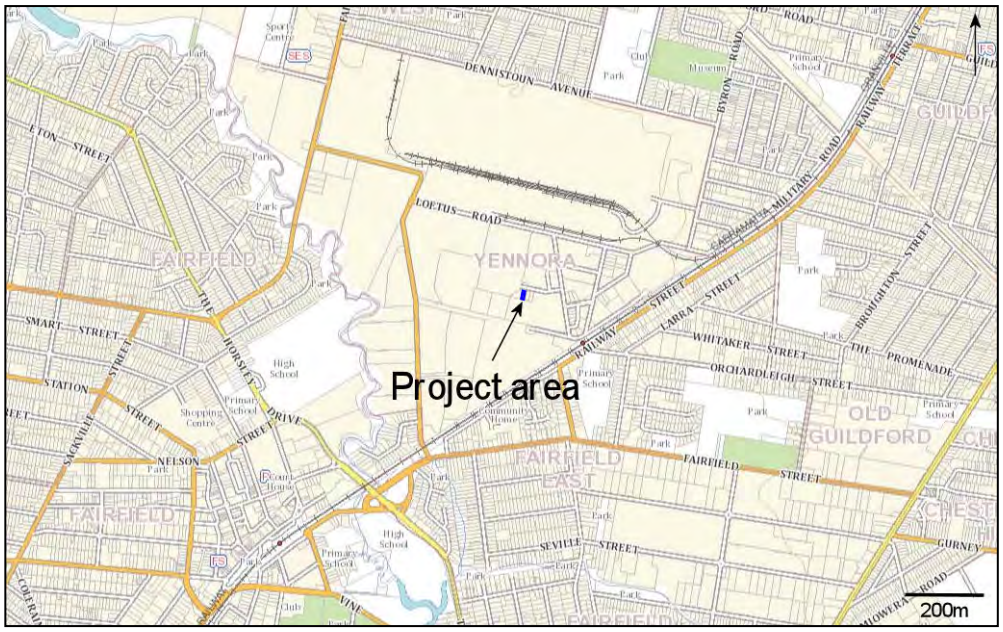
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National Native Title Tribunal

Request for Search of Tribunal Registers

Search for overlapping interests i.e.: Is there a native title claim, determination or land use agreement over this land?
Please note: the NNTT cannot search over freehold land.
For further information on freehold land: Click Here (NNTT website)

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2. Reason for your request

Are you a party to a native title proceeding? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please provide Federal Court/Tribunal file number/or application name: _____

OR

Do you need to identify existing native title interests to comply with the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth) or other State/Territory legislation? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please provide brief details of these obligations here: OEH requirements

3. Identify the area to be searched

If there is insufficient room below, please send more information on a Word or Excel document.

Mining tenure

State/Territory: NSW

Tenement ref/s: _____

OR

Crown land / non-freehold tenure

Tenure type: ☐ Lease ☐ Reserve or other Crown land

State/Territory: _____

Lot and plan details: _____

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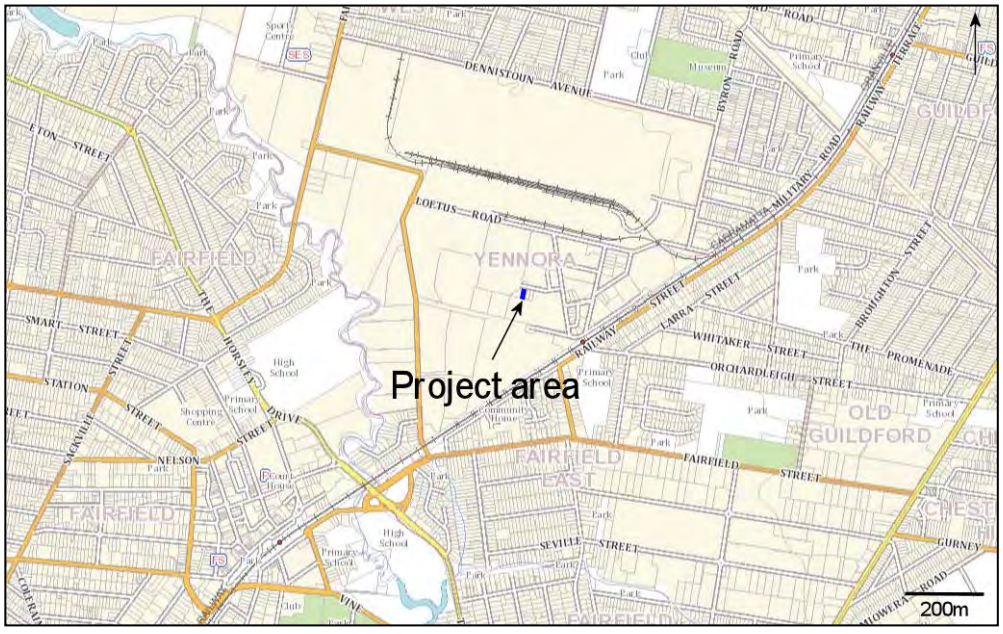
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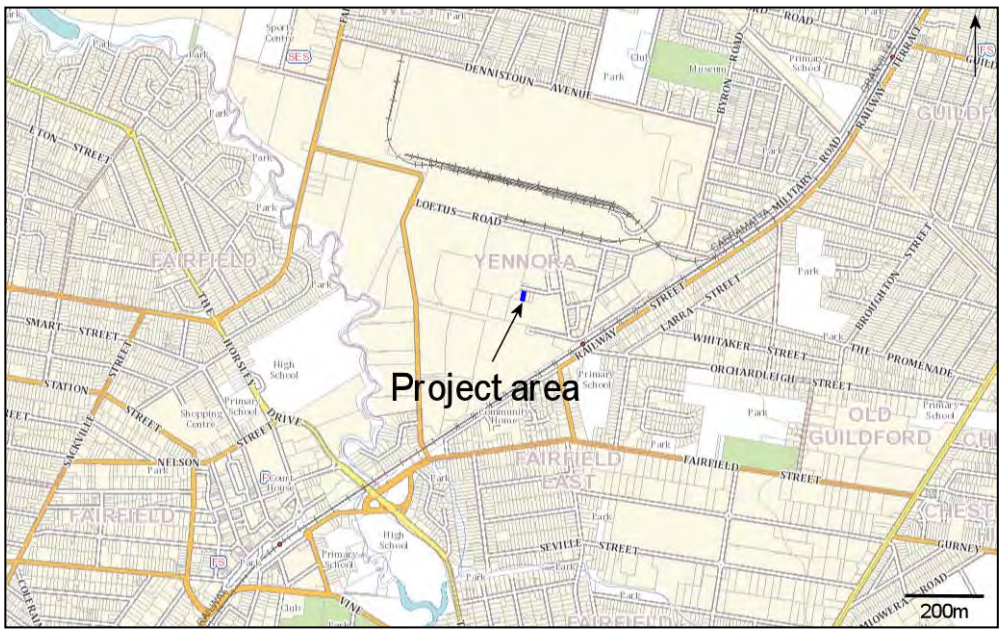
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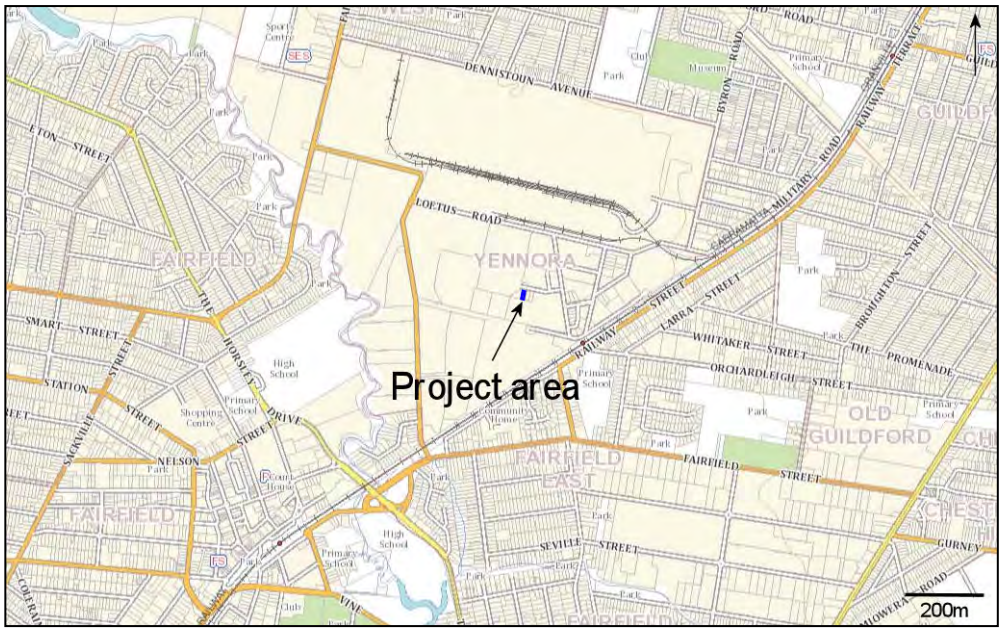
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From: Geospatial Search Requests <GeospatialSearch@NNTT.gov.au>
Sent: Thursday, 18 April 2019 2:46 PM
To: Penny McCardle
Subject: RE: SR5742 - search - SR5742

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Native title search – *NSW Parcel – 15 Kiora Crescent, Yennora*
Your ref: *Yenora* - **Our ref:** *SR5742*

Dear Penny McCardle,

Thank you for your search request received on 18 April 2019 in relation to the above area.

Please note: Records held by the National Native Title Tribunal as at 18 April 2019 indicate that the identified parcels appear to be freehold, and freehold tenure extinguishes native title.
The National Native Title Tribunal does not hold data sets for freehold tenure; consequently, we **cannot** conduct searches over freehold. For confirmation of freehold data, please contact the NSW Land and Property Information office or seek independent legal advice.

For further information, please visit our website.

Cultural Heritage Searches in NSW
The National Native Title Tribunal (the Tribunal) has undertaken steps to remove itself from the formal list of sources for information about indigenous groups in development areas. The existence or otherwise of native title is quite separate to any matters relating to Aboriginal cultural heritage. Information on native title claims, native title determinations and Indigenous Land Use Agreements is available on the Tribunal's website.

Interested parties are invited to use Native Title Vision (NTV) the Tribunal's online mapping system to discover native title matters in their area of interest. Access to NTV is available at
http://www.nntt.gov.au/assistance/Geospatial/Pages/NTV.aspx
Training and self-help documents are available on the NTV web page under "Training and help documents". For additional assistance or general advice on NTV please contact GeospatialSearch@NNTT.gov.au

Additional information can be extracted from the Registers available at
http://www.nntt.gov.au/searchRegApps/Pages/default.aspx

If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us on the free call number 1800 640 501.

Regards,

Geospatial Searches
National Native Title Tribunal | Perth
Email: GeospatialSearch@nntt.gov.au | **www.nntt.gov.au**

Office of Environment & Heritage

Our reference: Doc19/358334

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Dear Penny,

Thank you for your letter dated 18th April 2019 to the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) regarding obtaining a list of the Aboriginal stakeholders that may have an interest in an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment for a proposed development to the existing Resource Processing Facility at 14 Kiora Cresent, Yennora NSW.

Before making an application for the issue of an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit, the applicant must carry out an Aboriginal community consultation process in accordance with the National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009 and completed to the stage described in subclause 80C.

Please find attached the list of Aboriginal stakeholders known to OEH that may have an interest in the project. OEH's list of regional stakeholders is a list of groups, organisations or individuals who may hold cultural knowledge relevant to a proposal in a region. You should contact the stakeholders who have indicated an interest in the Local Government Area (LGA) relevant to your project. Contact details are correct as at the time of registration. Consultation with Aboriginal people should not be confused with employment. Inclusion on the OEH's list is not an automatic right to employment. It is the decision of a proponent on who they choose to engage to deliver services based on a range of considerations including skills, relevant experience, and WHS considerations. To be clear, the proponent is under no obligation to employ Aboriginal people registered for consultation.

Further, receipt of this information does not remove the requirement of a proponent/consultant to advertise in local print media and contact other bodies seeking interested Aboriginal parties. Consultation with Aboriginal stakeholders must be in accordance with the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* which can be found on the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) public website by accessing the following link:

http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/resources/cultureheritage/commconsultation/09781ACHconsultreq.pdf

If you wish to discuss any of the above matters further please email gs.ach@environment.nsw.gov.au.

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PO Box 644, Parramatta NSW 2124
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Please note that subclause 80C(4) of the NPW Reg 2009 requires that the notification of potential stakeholders by letter and newspaper **must include the name and contact details of the proponent.** Any consultation undertaken that does not comply with the consultation requirements may not be considered sufficient to support an application for an AHIP. In this case OEH may require a new consultation process be undertaken in accordance with the consultation requirements before issuing an AHIP.

Yours sincerely

S. Harrison 29/04/19

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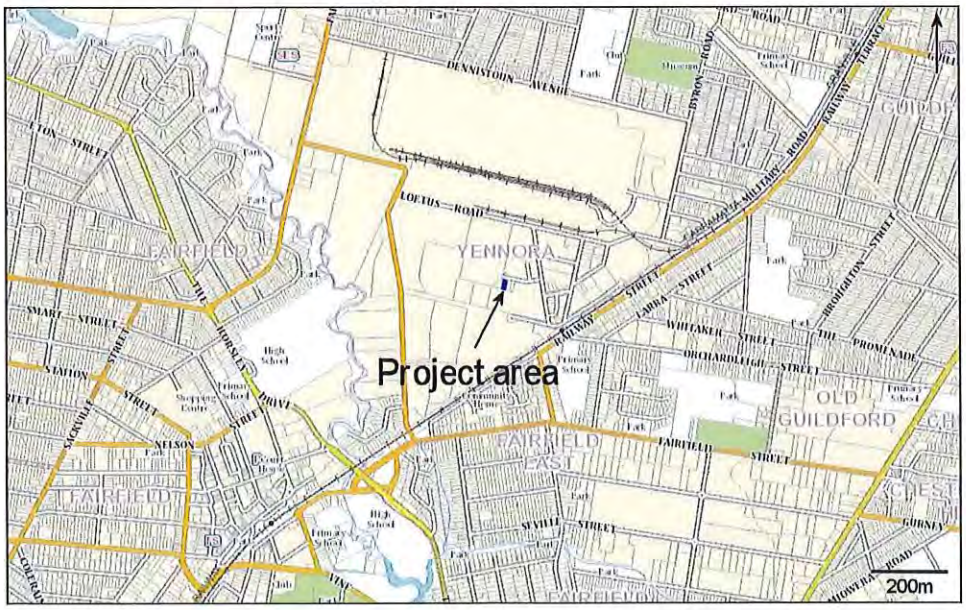
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LIST OF ABORIGINAL STAKEHOLDERS FOR THE GREATER SYDNEY BRANCH HELD BY OEH FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE *ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE CONSULTATION REQUIREMENTS FOR PROPONENTS 2010*

These lists are provided to proponents in accordance with section 4.1.2 of the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* (the "Consultation Requirements") which commenced on 12 April 2010.

The consultation process involves getting the views of, and information from, Aboriginal people and reporting on these. It is not to be confused with other field assessment processes involved in preparing a proposal and an application. Consultation does not include the employment of Aboriginal people to assist in field assessment and/or site monitoring. Aboriginal people may provide services to proponents through a contractual arrangement however, this is separate from consultation. The proponent is not obliged to employ those Aboriginal people registered for consultation. Consultation as per these requirements will continue irrespective of potential or actual employment opportunities for Aboriginal people.

A copy of the Consultation Requirements can be found on the OEH website at: http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/resources/cultureheritage/commconsultation/09781ACHconsultreq.pdf.

Under the Consultation Requirements; a proponent is required to provide Aboriginal people who hold cultural knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places as relevant to the proposed project area, with an opportunity to be involved in consultation. Section 3.3.1 of the Consultation Requirements states that Aboriginal people who can provide this information are, based on Aboriginal lore and custom, the traditional owners or custodians of the land that is the subject of the proposed project.

The Consultation Requirements also state that:

Traditional owners or custodians with appropriate cultural heritage knowledge to inform decision making who seek to register their interest as an Aboriginal party are those people who:

- *continue to maintain a deep respect for their ancestral belief system, traditional lore and custom*
- *recognise their responsibilities and obligations to protect and conserve their culture and heritage and care for their traditional lands or Country*
- *have the trust of their community, knowledge and understanding of their culture, and permission to speak about it.*

Please note: the placement of an organisation's name on any OEH Aboriginal stakeholder list for the Consultation Requirements does not override a proponent's requirement to also advertise in the local newspaper and to seek from other sources the names of any other Aboriginal people who may hold cultural knowledge as required under clause 80C of the National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2009.

How to use this list

1. **Determine which Local Government Area/s (LGA/s) your project area falls into**
2. **Identify which organisations and individuals on the list have an interest in the LGA/s relevant to your project – identified in column 6 of the list**
3. **Contact the organisations/individuals who have indicated an interest in the relevant LGA/s and invite them to register an interest in your project**

Do not reproduce the attached list in publicly available reports and other documents. Your report should only contain the names of the organisations and individuals who you have invited to register an interest in your project and those who have registered as stakeholders for your project.

PLEASE NOTE: THE STAKEHOLDER LIST HAS NOT BEEN UPDATED TO INCLUDE THE RECENT COUNCIL MERGERS AND NAME CHANGES. PLEASE CONSIDER THE PRE-MERGER COUNCIL BOUNDARIES WHEN DETERMINING WHO SHOULD BE INVITED TO REGISTER FOR YOUR PROJECT. Last update is 25th March 2019

Organisation/ Individual	Contact Name	Phone Number	Email Address/ Fax	Postal Address	LGA's		Additional information
Deerubbin Local Aboriginal Land Council	Kevin Cavanagh	(02) 4724 5600	Not provided	2/9 Tindale St, Penrith NSW 2750	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Blue Mountains The Hills Shire Parramatta	
Tharawal Local Aboriginal Land Council	Rebecca Ede (CEO)	(02) 46810059	ceo@tharawal.com.au reception@tharawal.com.au	PO Box 245 Thirlmere NSW 2572	Camden Campbelltown Wollondilly	Sutherland Liverpool	
Metropolitan Local Aboriginal Land Council	Nathan Moran	(02) 83949666	Not provided	PO Box 1103 Strawberry Hills NSW 2016	The Hills Shire Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay	Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	
Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council	Not provided	(02) 96025280	Not provided	PO Box 1038 Liverpool NSW 2170	Liverpool Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta	Auburn Bankstown Sutherland	
La Perouse Local Aboriginal Land Council	Chris Ingrey	(02) 9311 4282	Not provided	PO Box 365 Matraville NSW 2036	Sutherland Randwick Botany Bay Waverly	Woollahra Sydney Rockdale	
Parramatta City Council Aboriginal Advisory Committee	Parramatta City Council	(02)9806 5050	Not provided	PO Box 32, Parramatta, NSW, 2124	Parramatta		
Holroyd City Council Advisory Committee	Holroyd City Council	(02) 9840 9840	Not provided	P.O. Box 42, Merrylands, NSW 2160	Holroyd		
Darug Custodian Aboriginal Corporation	Justine Coplin	0414 962 766	justinecoplin@optusnet.com.au	PO Box 81, Windsor NSW 2756	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Blue Mountains	Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire Liverpool Parramatta	
Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation	Not provided	02 9622 4081	Not provided	PO Box 441, Blacktown NSW 2148	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Blue Mountains	Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire Liverpool Parramatta	
Darug Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessments	Gordon Morton	02 9410 3665 or 0422 865 831	Not provided	Unit 9, 6 Chapman Avenue, Chatswood, NSW 2067	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Blue Mountains Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire	Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	

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Darug Land Observations	Jamie Workman and Anna Workman	0418 494 951 0413 687 279	daruglandobservations@gmail.com	PO Box 173, Ulladulla, NSW 2539	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd Hornsby Hunter's Hill Hurstville Kogarah Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove	Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale Ryde Strathfield Sutherland Sydney Warringah Waverley Willoughby Woollahra Wollondilly	
Des Dyer		0408 360 814	Not provided	18a Perigee Close, Doonside 2767	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd	Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire Liverpool Parramatta	
Ken Foster		0411 818 091	Not provided	68 Australia St Matraville	Sutherland		
La Perouse Botany Bay Corporation	Yvonne Simms	04660 94491	Fax (02) 9311 3440	10 Murrong Place, La Perouse NSW 2036	Sutherland		
Norma Simms		04660 94491	Not provided	10 Murrong Place, La Perouse NSW 2036	Sutherland		
Matthew and Andrew Coe		(08)83442196	Not provided	37 Derlanger Avenue, Collingswood, South Australia 5081	Sutherland		
Gundungurra Aboriginal Heritage Association Inc	Merl Williams	02 4757 3223	Not provided	PO Box 31, Lawson NSW 2783	Blue Mountains		
Gundungurra Tribal Council Aboriginal Corporation	Sharon Brown	02 4729 3713	Not provided	PO Box 7244, Leura NSW 2780	Blue Mountains		
Trevor Robinson		Not provided	Not provided	PO Box 73, Peak Hill, NSW 2869	Blue Mountains		

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Tania Matthews		0409 193 612/ (02) 67924038	aboriginalhistoryhunter@gmail.com	U2 11 Walowa Street, Narrabri, NSW 2390	Blue Mountains	
A1 Indigenous Services	Carolyn Hickey	0411 650 057	cazadirect@live.com	10 Marie Pitt Place Glenmore Park 2745 NSW.	Blue Mountains Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd Hornsby Hunter's Hill Hurstville Kogarah Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale Ryde Strathfield Sutherland Sydney Warringah Waverley Willoughby Woollahra Wollondilly	Carolyn is Wonnarua
Cubbitch Barta	Glenda Chalker	0427 218 425	Not provided	55 Nightingale Rd, Pheasants Nest NSW 2574	Camden Liverpool Campbelltown Wollondilly	
	Rebecca Chalker	Not Provided	Not provided	99 Menangle street, Picton 2571		

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Eric Keidge		04311 66423	Not provided	11 Olsson Close Hornsby Heights NSW 2077	The Hills Shire Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay	Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	
Gunjeewong Cultural Heritage Aboriginal Corporation	Cherie Carroll Turrise	(02) 6355 4110 0456 116 408	cheriecarroll68@yahoo.com	1 Bellvue Place, Portland NSW, 2847	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Parramatta	Cherie is a Ngunnawal Elder however lived in the Western Sydney area during her childhood. She recognises she is not from the area but has associations
	Contact details have changed as the above contact details have been hacked as of January 2018	0438 428 805 or 0409 558 846	Gunjeewong53@hotmail.com				
Merrigarn Indigenous Corporation	Shaun Carroll	0435 040 842	Not provided	GPO Box 158, Canberra City, ACT, 2601	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Parramatta	Shaun is Ngunnawal and is Cherie's brother. **NOTE:** It has been reported to OEH that the contact details for this group are incorrect; however, OEH has not been provided with revised contact details.
Corroboree Aboriginal Corporation	Marilyn Carroll-Johnson	0415911159	corroboreecorp@bigpond.com	PO Box 3340, Rouse Hill, NSW 2155	Western Sydney Camden	Campbelltown Parramatta	Ngunnawal and lives in Western Sydney
Murra Bidgee Mullangari Aboriginal Corporation	Darleen Johnson	0490 051 102	Not provided	PO Box 246, Seven Hills, NSW, 2147	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Parramatta	Ngunnawal and lives in Western Sydney
Muragadi Heritage Indigenous Corporation	Jesse Johnson	0447 970 049	Not provided	5 Hession Road, Nelson, NSW 2765	Western Sydney Camden	Campbelltown Parramatta	Ngunnawal and lives in Western Sydney
Bidjawong Aboriginal Corporation	James Carroll	0433 224 324	Not provided	PO Box 124, Round Corner, NSW 2158	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Parramatta	
Phil Kahn		0434 545 982	Not provided	78 Forbes Street, Emu Plains, NSW 2750	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd	Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta	
Wurrumay Consultancy	Kerrie Slater	0423 935 556	wurrumay@hotmail.com; Vicki.slater@hotmail.com	89 Pyramid street, Emu Plains NSW	Hawkesbury Blacktown	Camden Campbelltown	

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					Penrith Fairfield Holroyd	Liverpool Parramatta Wollondilly	
Warragil Cultural Services	Aaron Slater (Manager)	0481 280 067	Warragil_c.s@hotmail.com		Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield	Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta	
Kawul Cultural Services	Vicky Slater (Manager)	0431 720 887	Vicki.slater@hotmail.com	PO Box 414 Emu Plains NSW 2750	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Blue Mountains Sutherland Liverpool	Camden Campbelltown Parramatta Wollondilly The Hills Shire Auburn Bankstown	
Tocomwall	Scott Franks	0404 171 544	Not provided	PO Box 76, Caringbah NSW 1495	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown	Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	
D'harawal Mens Aboriginal Corporation	Elwyn Brown	0401920982	Not provided	187 Riverside Drive, Airds NSW 2560	Camden Campbelltown	Wollondilly	
Amanda Hickey Cultural Services	Amanda Hickey	0434 480 588	amandahickey@live.com.au	57 Gough st emu plains 2750	Blue Mountains Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd	Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Liverpool Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay	Amanda is Wonnarua

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Widescope Indigenous Group	Steven Hickey and Donna Hickey	0425 230 693 (Steven) 0425 232 056 (Donna)	Not provided	73 Russell Street, Emu Plains, NSW 2750	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith	Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta Blue Mountains	
HSB Consultants	Patricia Hampton	0424 142 216	Not provided	62 Ropes Crossing Boulevard, Ropes Crossing 2760	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith	Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta	
Rane Consulting	Tony Williams	02 88246991	ajw1901@bigpond.com	1 Pyrenees Way Beaumont Hills NSW 2155	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith	Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta	
Anthony Williams		0456 399 687	Not provided	Unit 2 / 24 Goodwin Street Narrabeen NSW 2101	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith	Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta	
Dhinawan-Dhigaraa Culture & Heritage Pty Ltd	Ricky Fields	0402 942 572	dhinawan.fields@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith	Fairfield Holroyd Parramatta	
	Athol Smith	0449 665 715	Not provided	16 Yantara Place, Woodcroft, NSW, 2767			
Gunyuu	Kylie Ann Bell	Not provided	gunyuuchts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River.
Walbunja	Hika Te Kowhai	0402 730 612	walbunja@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River

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Badu	Karia Lea Bond	0476 381 207	Not provided	11 Jeffery Place, Moruya, NSW 2537	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Goobah Developments	Basil Smith	0405 995 725	Not provided	66 Grantham Road, Batehaven NSW, 2536	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Wullung	Lee-Roy James Boota	0403 703 942	Not provided	54 Blackwood Street, Gerringong, NSW, 2534	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River

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Yerramurra	Robert Parson	Not provided	yerramurra@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Nundagurri	Newton Carriage	Not Provided	nundagurri@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Murrumbul	Mark Henry	Not provided	murrumbul@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River.

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Jerringong	Joanne Anne Stewart	0422 800 184	jerringong@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Pemulwuy CHTS	Pemulwuy Johnson	0425 066 100	pemulwuyd@gmail.com	14 Top Place, Mt Annan	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown The Hills Shire Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown	Strathfield Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Bilinga	Simalene Carriage	Not provided	bilingachts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River.

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Munyunga	Kaya Dawn Bell	Not provided	munyungachts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River.
Wingikara	Hayley Bell	Not provided	wingikarachts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River.
Minnamunnung	Aaron Broad	0402 526 888	Not provided	1 Waratah Avenue, Albion Park Rail NSW 2527	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool	Burwood Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney	

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Walgalu	Ronald Stewart	Not provided	walgaluchts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Thauaira	Shane Carriage	Not provided	thauairachts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Dharug	Andrew Bond	Not provided	dharugchts@gmail.com	Not provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Ashfield Auburn	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin

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Bilinga Cultural Heritage Technical Services	Robert Brown	Not Provided	bilinga@mirramajah.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group is a member of the Mirramajah Group of RAPs
Gunyuu Cultural Heritage Technical Services	Darlene Hoskins-McKenzie	Not Provided	gunyuu@mirramajah.com management@mirramajah.com (management & administrative email address for the Mirramajah Group of RAPs).	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde	This group is a member of the Mirramajah Group of RAPs

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					Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	
Munyunga Cultural Heritage Technical Services	Suzannah McKenzie	Not Provided	munyunga@mirrmajah.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group is a member of the Mirramajah Group of RAPs
Murrumbul Cultural Heritage Technical Services	Levi McKenzie-Kirkbright	Not Provided	murrumbul@mirramajah.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group is a member of the Mirramajah Group of RAPs
Wingikara Cultural Heritage Technical Services	Wandai Kirkbright	Not Provided	wingikara@mirramajah.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly	This group is a member of the Mirramajah Group of RAPs

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Gulaga	Wendy Smith	Not Provided	gulagachts@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Biamanga	Seli Storer	Not Provided	biamangachts@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River

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					Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	
Callendulla	Corey Smith	Not Provided	cullendullachts@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
Murramarang	Roxanne Smith	Not Provided	murramarangchts@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	This group states that their boundaries (Murrin Peoples) extend from the Hawkesbury River to the Snowy River
DJMD Consultancy	Darren Duncan	0410 510 397	darrenjohnduncan@gmail.com	Not Provided	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Parramatta Sydney Marrickville Strathfield Warringah	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove	Darren is associated with Metro and Deerubbin LALCs

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					Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Ryde	Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater	
Butucarbin Aboriginal Corporation	Jennifer Beale	(02)9832 7167	koori@ozemail.com.au	PO Box E18, Emerton, NSW 2770	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	Preferred contact via email
Didge Ngunawal Clan	Lillie Carroll Paul Boyd	0426 823 944	didgengunawalclan@yahoo.com.au	33 Carlyle Crescent Cambridge Gardens NSW 2747	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	
Ginninderra Aboriginal Corporation	Steven Johnson and Krystle Carroll	0406991221	Ginninderra.corp@gmail.com	PO BOX 3143 Grose Vale NSW 2754	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly	

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Garrara Aboriginal Corporation	Raymond Ingrey		raymond@bariyu.org.au		Sutherland Liverpool Camden Campbelltown Wollondilly	
Nerrigundah	Newton Carriage	0421 253 677	nerrigundachts@gmail.com		Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly	
Duncan Falk Consultancy	Duncan Falk	0406 610 644	duncanfalk@hotmail.com	34 Robinia Drive, Bowral NSW 2576	Camden Campbelltown	
Sharon Hodgetts		0405288814	sharonhodgetts@hotmail.com	21/29 Central Coast Hwy West Gosford 2250	Hawkesbury	
Wailwan Aboriginal Group	Philip Boney	0436 483 210	waarlan12@outlook.com		Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove	

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Guntawang Aboriginal Resources Incorporated	Wendy Morgan	0414 964 657 9601 7183	Wenlissa01@hotmail.com	113 Reservoir Road Mt Pritchard NSW 2170	Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Fairfield Holroyd Wollondilly Blue Mountains		
Barking Owl Aboriginal Corporation	Mrs Jody Kulakowski (Director)	0426 242 015	barkingowlcorp@gmail.com	2-65/69 Wehlow St. Mt Druitt	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	
Yulay Cultural Services	Arika Jalomaki (Manager)	0411 048 794	yulayculturalservices@gmail.com	15 Rowley Place, Airds NSW 2560	Deerubbin LALC Tharawal LALC Gandangarra LALC		LGAs of interest not specified, rather, LALC boundaries within which the organisation wish to be consulted
Thoorga Nura	John Carriage (Chief Executive Officer)	0401 641 299	thoorganura@gmail.com	50B Hilltop Crescent, Surf Beach, 2536, NSW	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden	Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith	

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Barraby Cultural Services	Lee Field (Manager)	0423 906 606	barrabyculturalservices@gmail.com	6 Macgibbon Parade, Old Erowal Bay, NSW 2540	Tharawal LALC Gandagarra LALC	LGAs of interest not specified, rather, LALC boundaries within which the organisation wish to be consulted
Yurrandaali Cultural Services	Bo Field (Manager)	0457 546 643	yurrandaali_cs@hotmail.com	3 Sheeran Street, Old Erowal Bay NSW 2540	Tharawal LALC Gandagarra LALC	LGAs of interest not specified, rather, LALC boundaries within which the organisation wish to be consulted
Darug Boorooberongal Elders Aboriginal Corporation	Gordon Workman	0415 663 763	fax 02 9831 8868 boorooberongal@outlook.com	73 Judith Anderson Drive, Doonside NSW 2767	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd Hornsby Hunter's Hill Hurstville Kogarah Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale Ryde Strathfield Sutherland Sydney Warringah Waverley Willoughby Woollahra Wollondilly	

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B.H. Heritage Consultants	Ralph Hampton Nola Hampton	0435 785 138 0401 663 531	hamptonralph46@gmail.com nhampton77@gmail.com	184 Captain Cook Drive Willmot 2770 NSW 95 Mount Ettalong Road Umina Beach 2257 NSW	Hawkesbury Blacktown Penrith Fairfield Holroyd Camden Campbelltown Liverpool Parramatta Sutherland Sydney Kogarah Hurstville Rockdale Canterbury Marrickville Bankstown Strathfield Randwick Woollahra	Ashfield Auburn Canada Bay Leichhardt Manly Mosman North Sydney Lane Cove Hunters Hill Hornsby Ku-Ring-Gai Pittwater Botany Bay Ryde Warringah Willoughby Blue Mountains Burwood The Hills Waverly Wollondilly	Nola and Ralph would BOTH like to be notified of all projects
Ngambaa Cultural Connections	Kaarina Slater	0417861882	ngambaaculturalconnections@hotmail.com	6 Natchez Cresent, Greenfield Park NSW 2167	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd Hornsby Hunter's Hill Hurstville Kogarah Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove	Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale Ryde Strathfield Sutherland Sydney Warringah Waverley Willoughby Woollahra Wollondilly	LALC boundaries within which the organisation wish to be consulted: Deerubbin LALC Gandangarra LALC Tharawal LALC
Goodradigbee Cultural & Heritage Aboriginal Corporation,	Caine Carroll	0410974236	goodradigbee1@outlook.com	1 Morilla Road, East Kurrajong NSW 2758	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay	Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale	

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Mura Indigenous Corporation,	Phillip Carroll	0448824188	mura.indigenous.com.bigpond.com	11 Nargal Street Flinders NSW 2529	Ashfield Auburn Bankstown Blacktown Blue Mountains Botany Bay Burwood Camden Campbelltown Canada Bay Canterbury Fairfield Hawkesbury The Hills Holroyd Hornsby Hunter's Hill Hurstville Kogarah Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Leichhardt Liverpool Manly Marrickville Mosman North Sydney Parramatta Penrith Pittwater Randwick Rockdale Ryde Strathfield Sutherland Sydney Warringah Waverley Willoughby Woollahra Wollondilly	

Appendix B

Summary of the consultation process

Stage 1

Notification of project proposal and registration of interest

Proponents must compile a list of Aboriginal people who may have an interest in the proposed project area and hold knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal *objects* and/or *places* from reasonable sources of information, which include writing to:

a. the relevant DECCW EPRG regional office
b. the relevant Local Aboriginal Land Council(s) (LALC)
c. the Registrar, *Aboriginal Land Rights Act*
d. the National Native Title Tribunal
e. Native Title Services Corporation (NTSCorp)
f. relevant local council(s)
g. relevant catchment management authorities.

Proponent writes to the Aboriginal people whose names were provided by organisations **a** to **g** and LALC(s) to notify them of the proposed project and opportunity to be involved in consultation and places notification in the local newspaper.

The notification by letter and in the newspaper must include:

a. the name and contact details of the proponent
b. a brief overview of the proposed project that may be the subject of an application for an AHIP, including the location of the proposed project
c. a statement that the purpose of community consultation with Aboriginal people is to assist the proposed applicant in preparing an application for an AHIP and to assist the Director General of DECCW in his or her consideration and determination of the application
d. an invitation for Aboriginal people who hold knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal object(s) and/or place(s) in the area of the proposed project to register an interest in a process of community consultation with the proposed applicant regarding the proposed activity
e. a closing date for the registration of interests.

Aboriginal people have a minimum of 14 days after the letter was sent or the notice was published in the newspaper to register an interest.

Proponent records names of Aboriginal people who have registered an interest in being involved in consultation – the 'registered Aboriginal parties'.

Stage 2

Presentation of information about the proposed project

Proponent presents and/or provides proposed project information to registered Aboriginal parties.

Proponent may create an opportunity for registered Aboriginal parties to visit the proposed project site.

Proponent provides a copy of the notification and record of the registered Aboriginal parties to DECCW and relevant LALC within 28 days of the closing date for registering an interest.

Proponent records or documents that information on the proposed project has been presented. This record or documentation should include any agreed outcomes and/or contentious issues that may require further discussion (where applicable).

Proponent should provide a copy of this record or documentation to registered Aboriginal parties.

Stage 3

Gathering information about cultural significance

Proponent presents and/or provides the proposed methodology(s) for the cultural heritage assessment to the registered Aboriginal parties for comment.

Registered Aboriginal parties have a minimum of 28 days after the proponent provides the methodology(s) to provide written or oral comment.

Proponent considers input provided by registered Aboriginal parties and finalises methodology for implementation. Proponent documents how the input has been considered.

Proponent seeks information from registered Aboriginal parties to identify:

a. whether there are any Aboriginal objects of cultural value
b. whether there are places of cultural value (whether or not they are Aboriginal places declared under Section 84 of the NPW Act).

Proponent seeks input from registered Aboriginal parties on potential management options.

Stage 4

Review of draft cultural heritage assessment report

Proponent prepares draft cultural heritage assessment report and provides it to the registered Aboriginal parties for review and comment.

Registered Aboriginal parties have a minimum of 28 days after the proponent provides the draft report to review and provide written or oral comment.

Proponent finalises cultural heritage assessment report. The final report is submitted to DECCW for consideration with the proponent's AHIP application.

Proponent provides/makes available the final cultural heritage assessment report and AHIP application to the registered Aboriginal parties and relevant LALCs within 14 days of an AHIP application being made to DECCW.

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3 May 2019

By email: mcheritage@iprimus.com.au

Penny McCardle
Principal Archaeologist
Forensic Anthropologist
PO Box 166
ADAMSTOWN NSW 2289

Dear Ms McCardle,

Request - Search for Registered Aboriginal Owners

We refer to your letter dated 18 April 2019 ("Letter") regarding an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment for the proposed development at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora, NSW as indicated on the map attached to the Letter.

Under Section 170 of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983* the Office of the Registrar is required to maintain the Register of Aboriginal Owners (RAO). A search of the RAO has shown that there are not currently any Registered Aboriginal Owners in the project area.

We suggest you contact Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council on 02 9602 5280 as they may be able to assist you in identifying Aboriginal stakeholders who wish to participate.

Yours sincerely

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Elizabeth Loane
Project Officer, Aboriginal Owners
Office of the Registrar, ALRA

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From: Joanne Buckskin <Joanne.Buckskin@cumberland.nsw.gov.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 7 May 2019 3:23 PM
To: Penny McCardle; Records Department
Subject: RE: Consultation

Dear Penny

Thank you for your Inquiry regarding the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment on the proposed Yennora site.

I would advise you to work with your Local Aboriginal Lands Councils that the site boundary is within.

Please consult with the NSW Aboriginal Lands Councils and you can form their identify the appropriate Cultural Knowledge holders.
http://alc.org.au/land-councils/lalc-boundaries--contact-details.aspx

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From: Darren Duncan <DDuncan@glalc.org.au>
Sent: Tuesday, 7 May 2019 2:57 PM
To: mcheritage@iprimus.com.au
Cc: Ruth Sheridan; Melissa Williams
Subject: liquid waste processing facility

Hi Penny

My name is Darren and I work for Gandangara local Aboriginal land council I am the culture and heritage officer here.
We would like to be involved in the up and coming project so we will hear from you soon

Regards,

Darren Duncan

Culture and Heritage Officer

Gandangara Local Aboriginal Land Council

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Gandangara LALC acknowledges the Cabrogal Clan and the Darug Nation as the traditional custodians of the land and as such pays deep respect to the Elders past and present. We also acknowledge that the Dhurawal and Darug Nations continue to have a long standing relationship with this country and its people.

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Notification and Registration of ALL Aboriginal Interests

RE: PROPOSED INCREASE TO THE EXISTING RESOURCE PROCESSING FACILITY (LIQUID WASTE PROCESSING FACILITY), 14 KIORA CRESCENT, YENORA
Aboriginal Archaeological & Cultural Heritage Assessment

Dear Penny,

Please be advised that Darug Land Observations Pty Ltd is seeking to be involved in any and all consultation meetings and fieldwork.

This office specialises in Aboriginal and community consultations, and has a membership that comprises of Traditional owners from the area in question. Those retain strong story, song lines, oral history and continued contact.

We would also like to state that we do not accept or support any person or organisation that are NOT from the DARUG Nation that comments regarding the said area.

Please also be advised that this Aboriginal organisation does not do volunteer work or attend unpaid meetings. I hope that you advise your client of this so that, 'This Group', will not be discriminated against and refused paid fieldwork. DLO's rate is $440 half day (less than 4 hours) and $880 per day (flat rate), including GST.

All correspondence should be emailed to: daruglandobservations@gmail.com and any further consultation during this project can be directed to Anna O'Hara on mobile 0413 687 279.

Yours sincerely,

Jamie Workman
Darug Land Observations Pty Ltd

Uncle Gordon Workman
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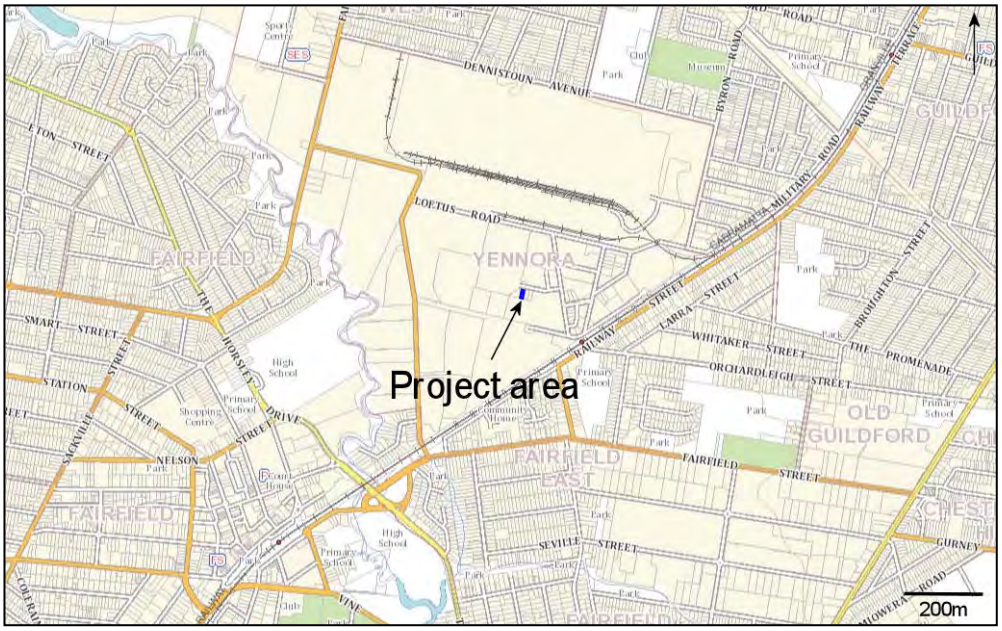
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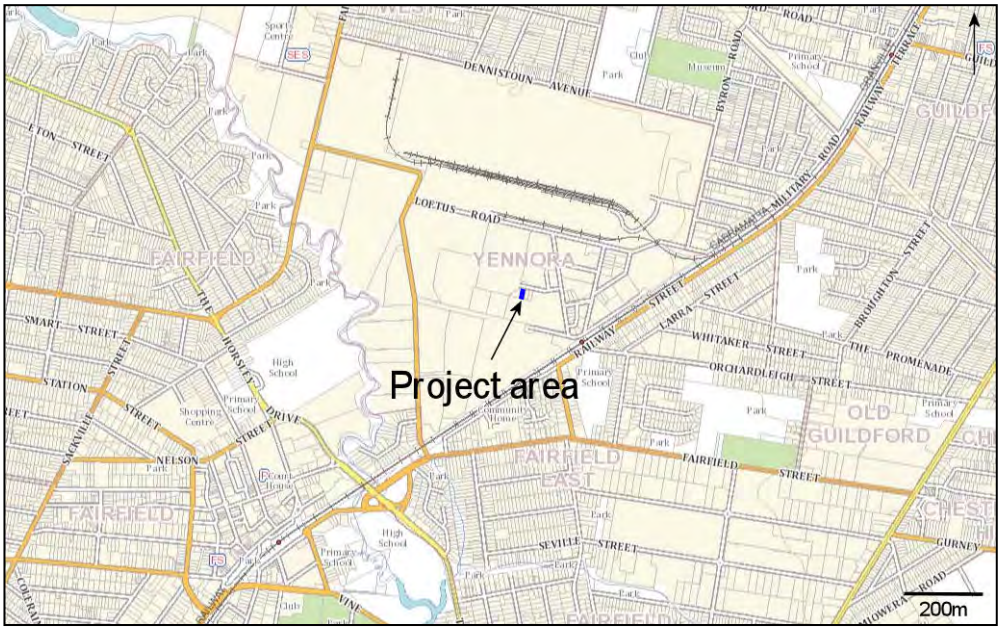
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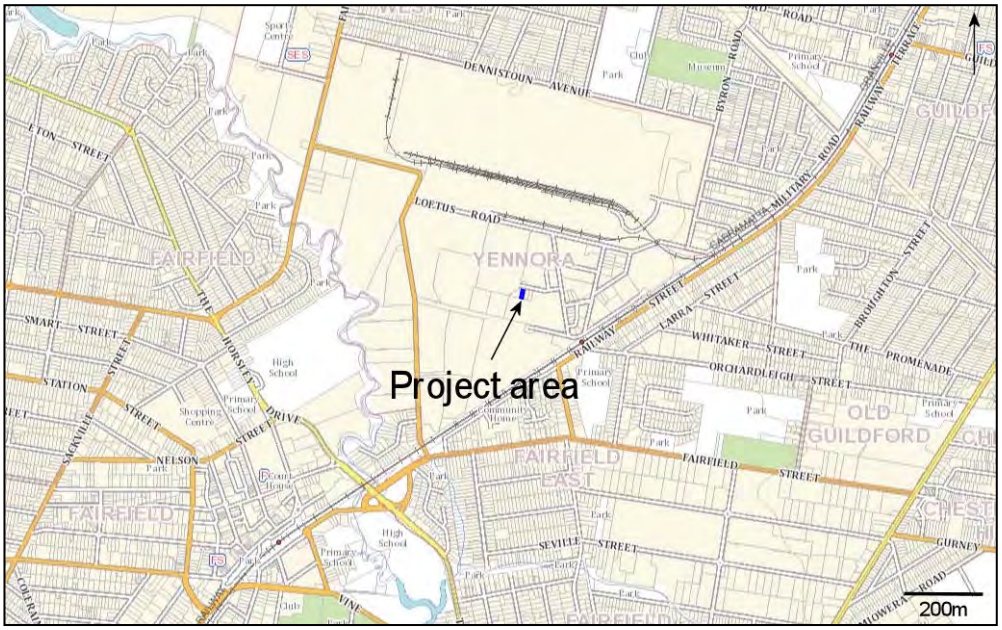
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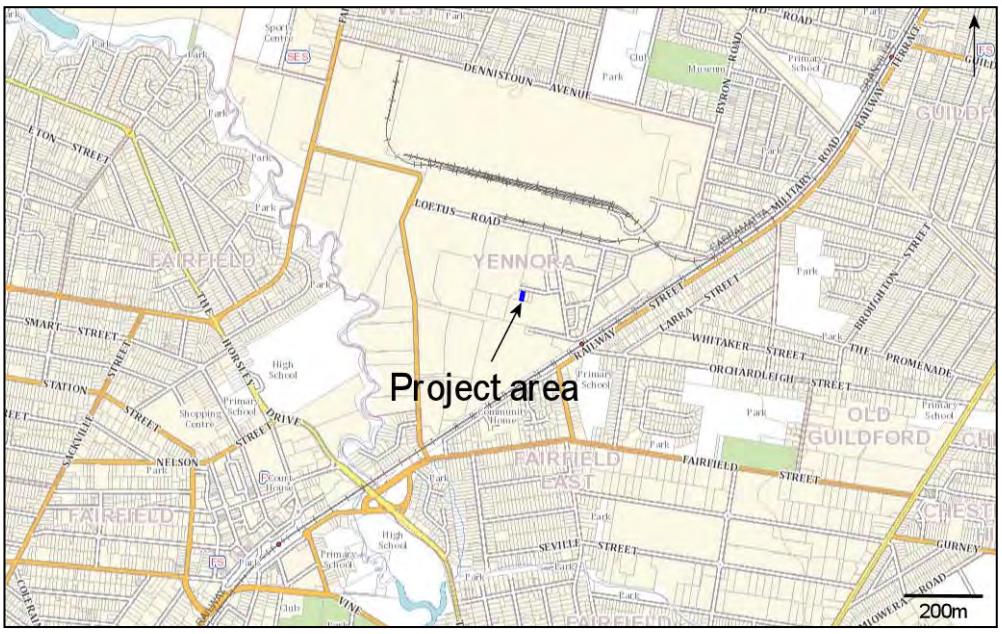
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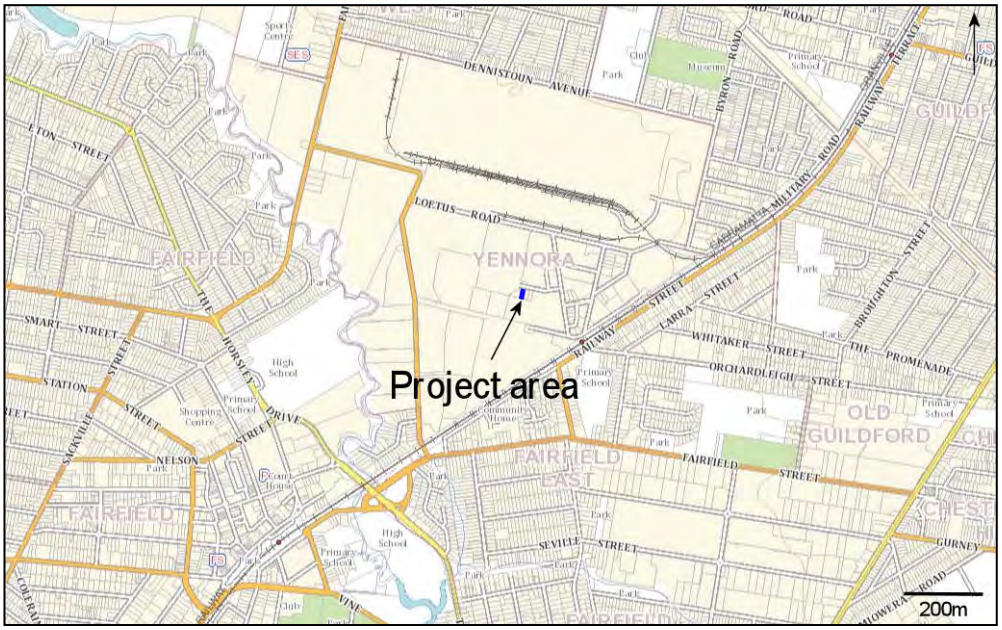
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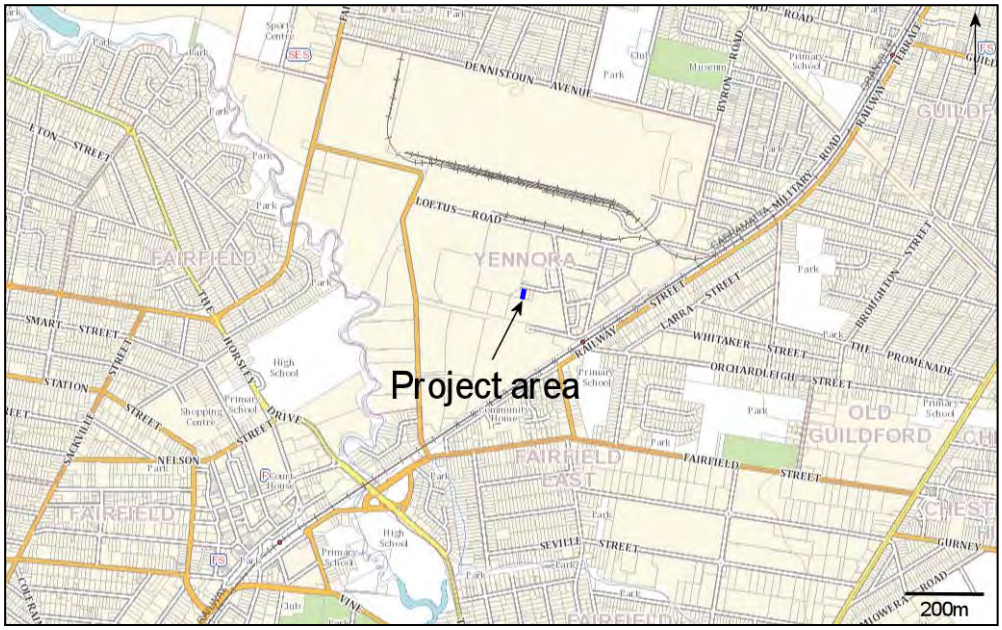
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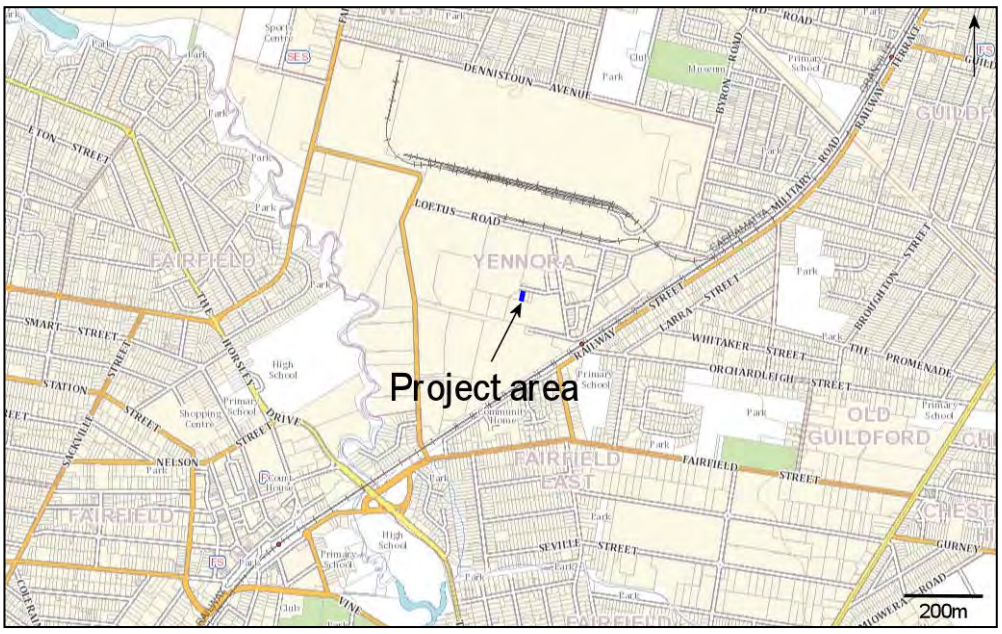
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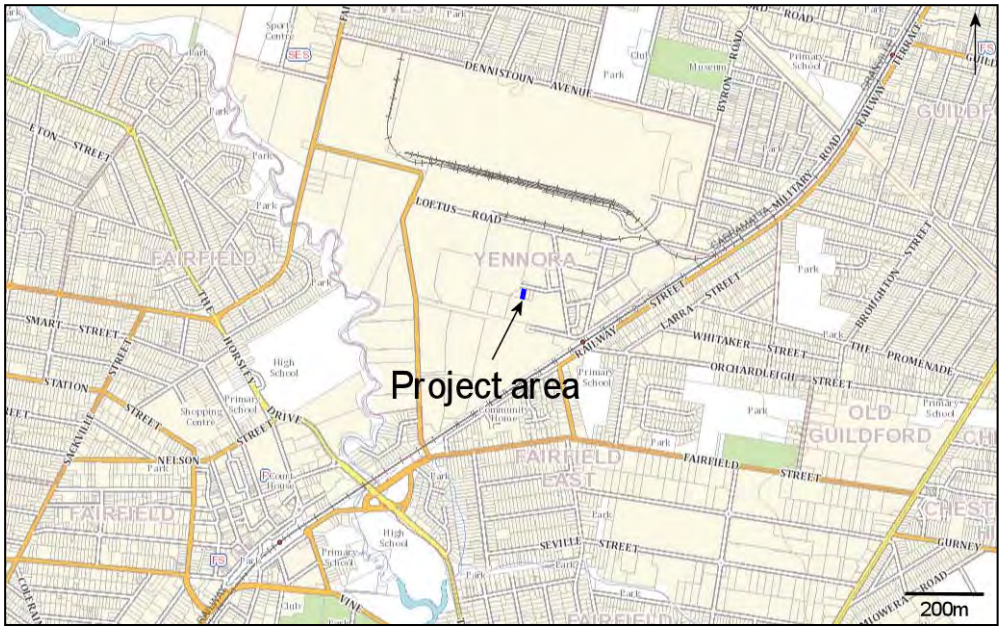
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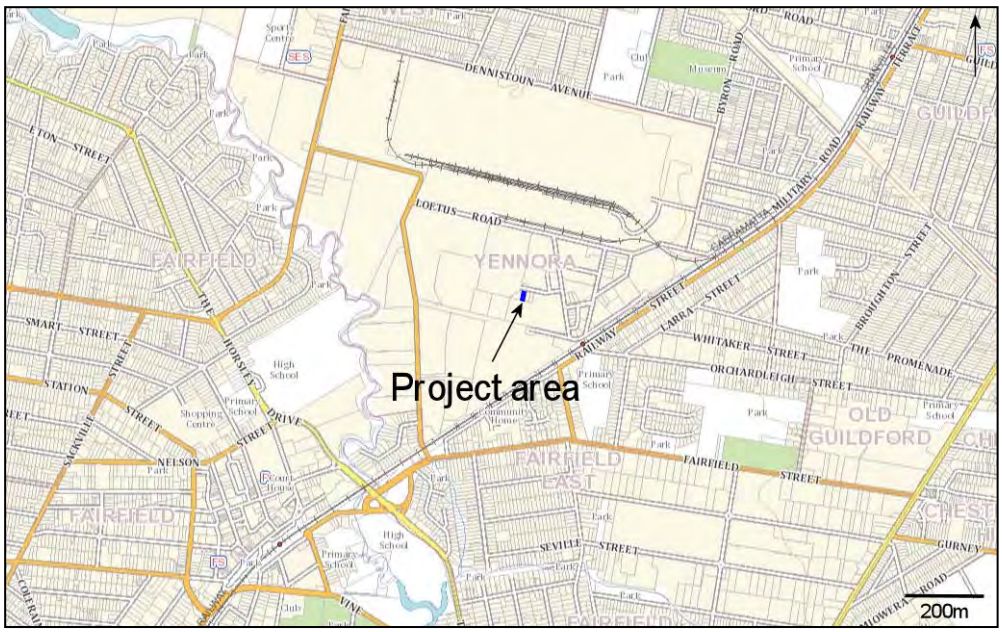
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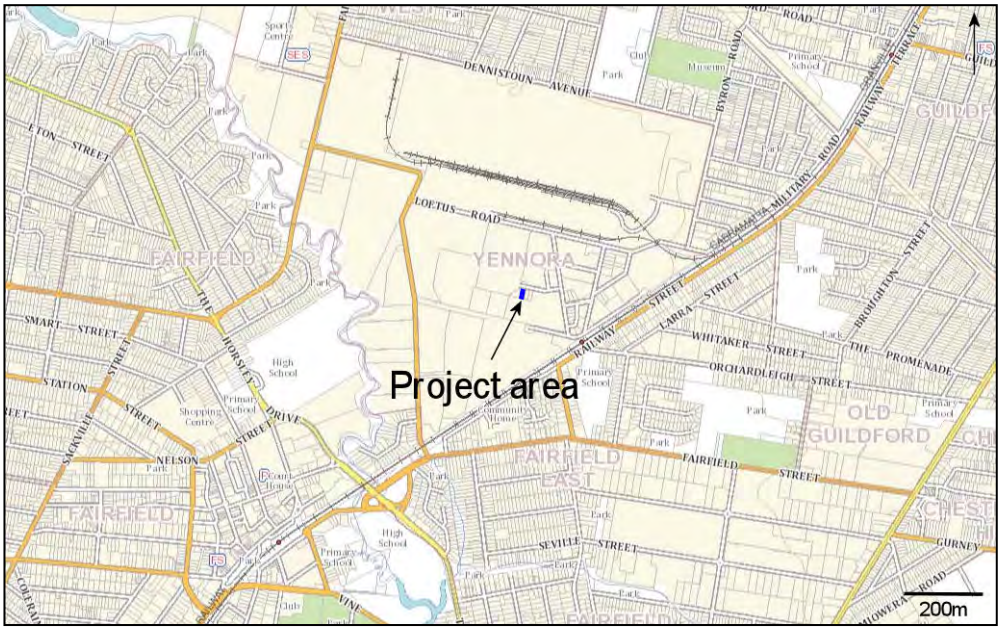
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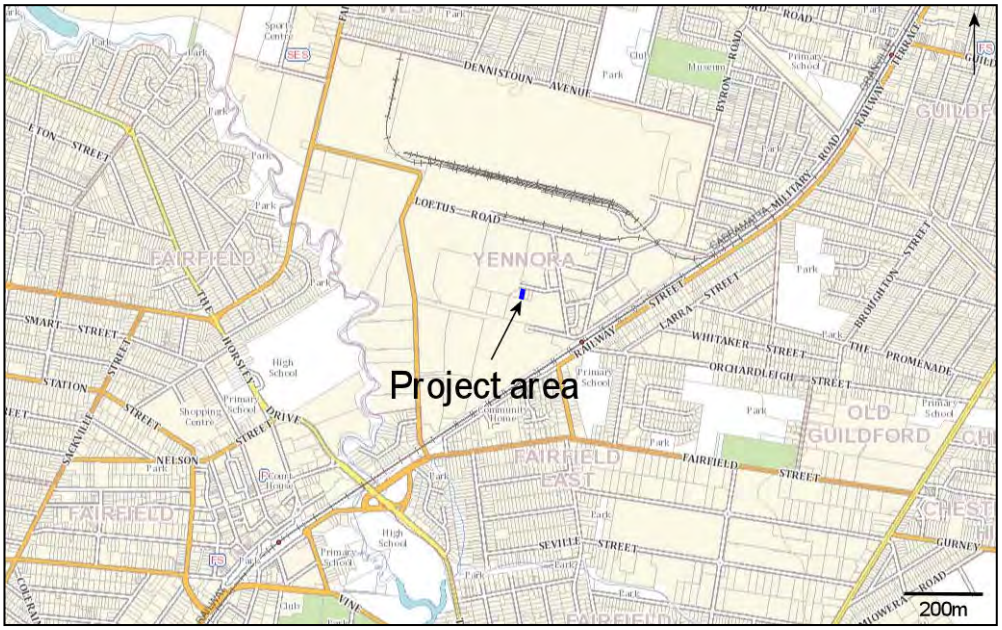
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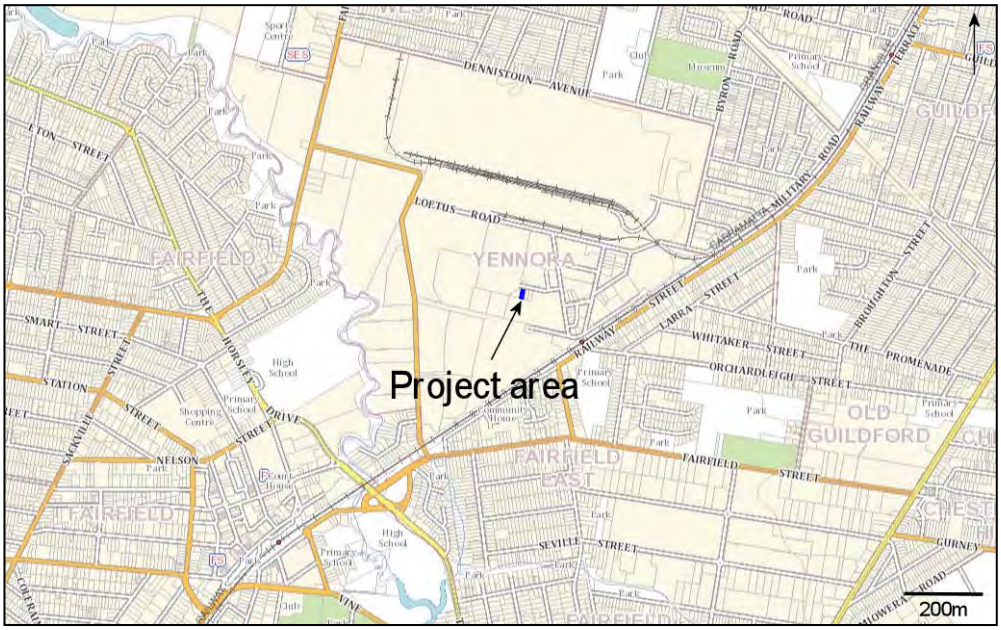
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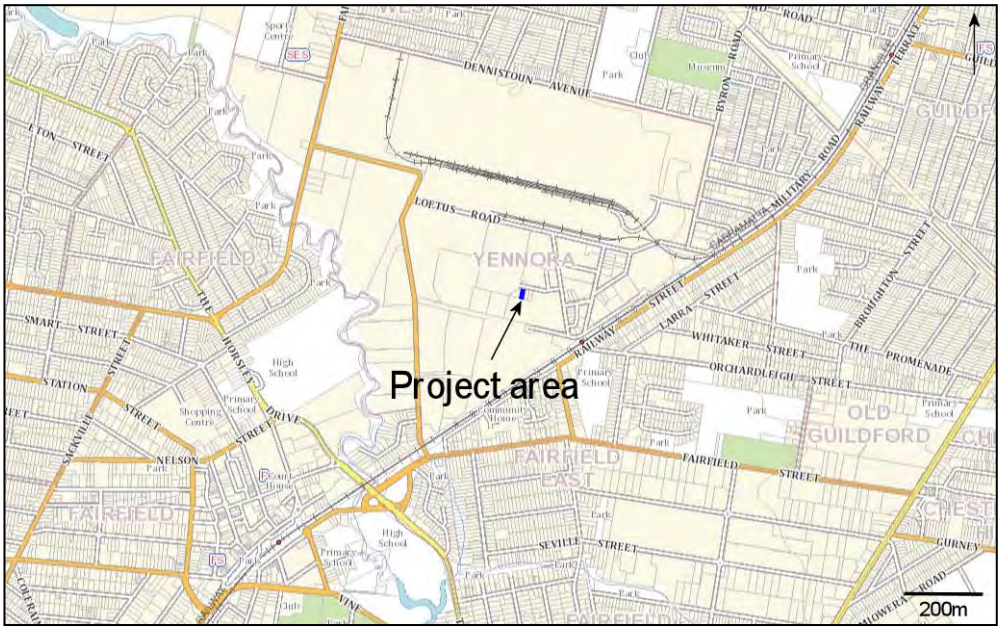
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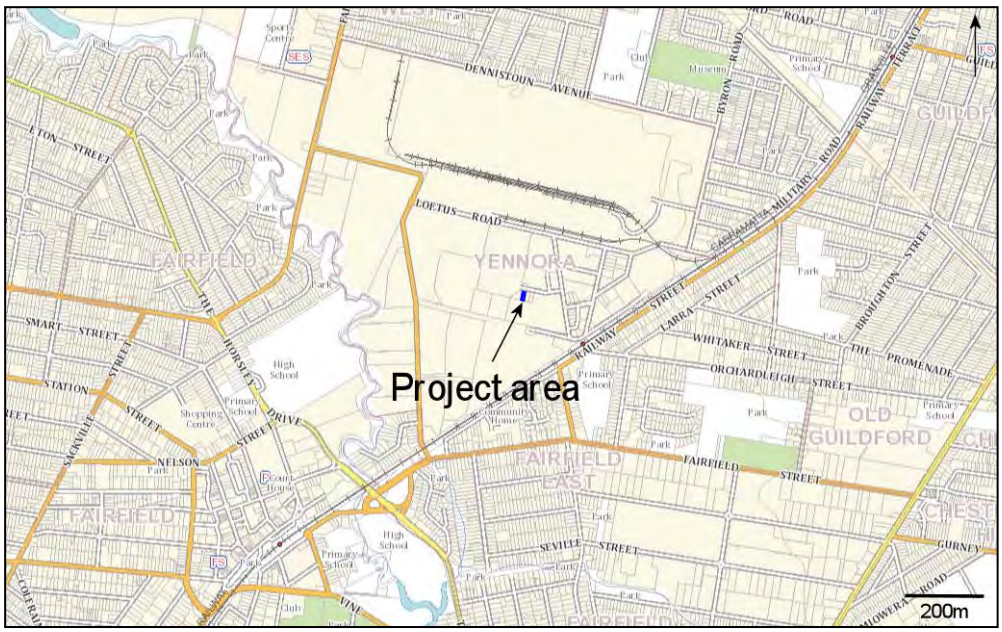
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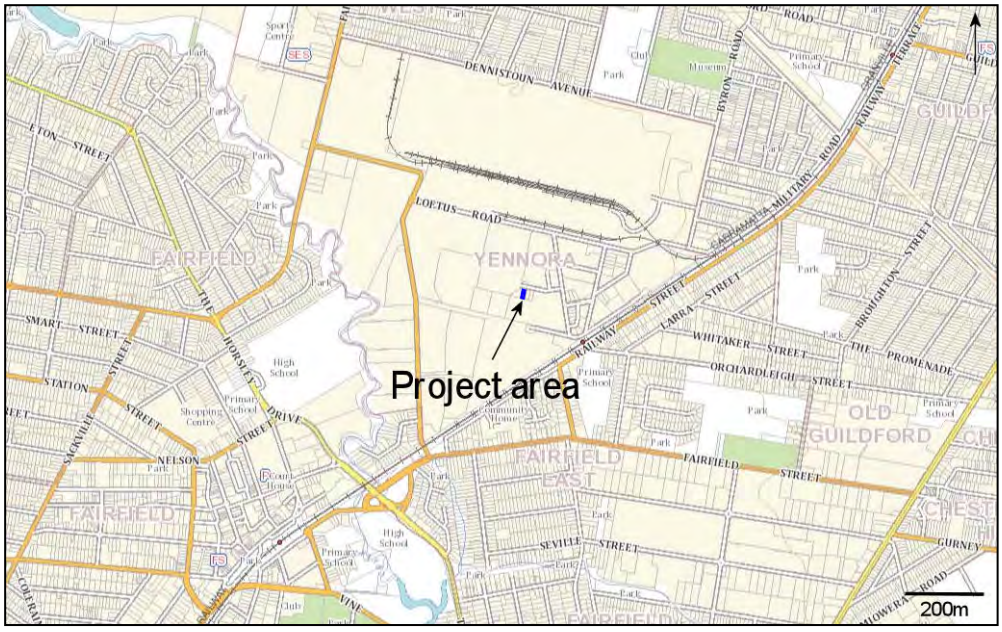
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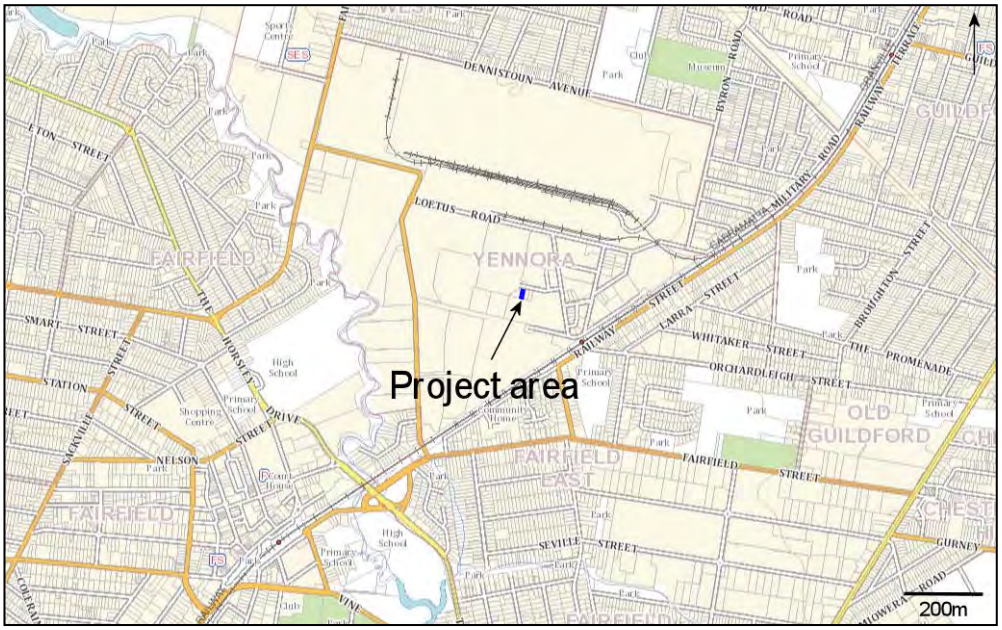
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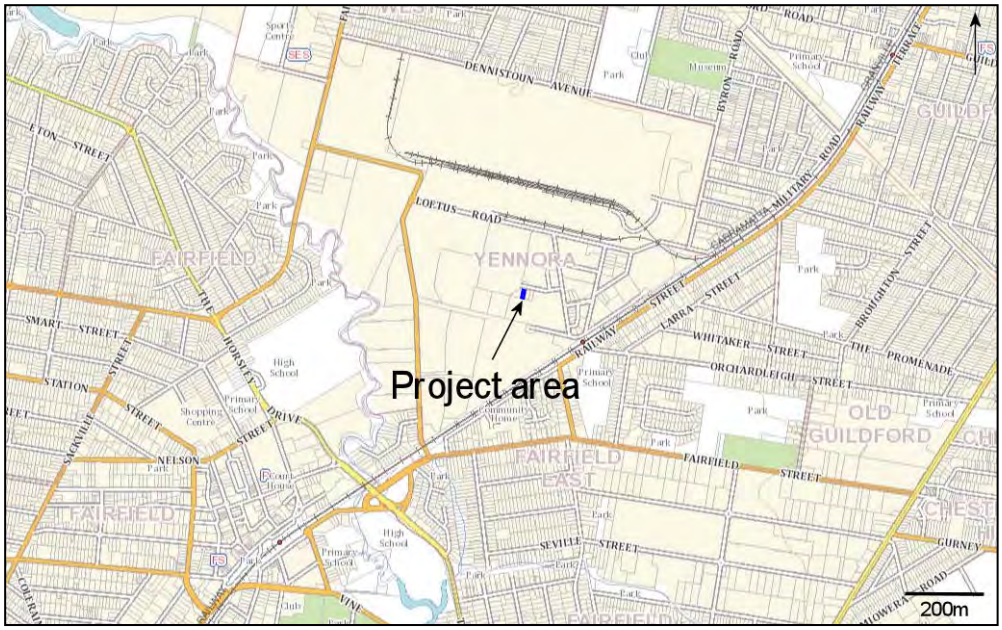
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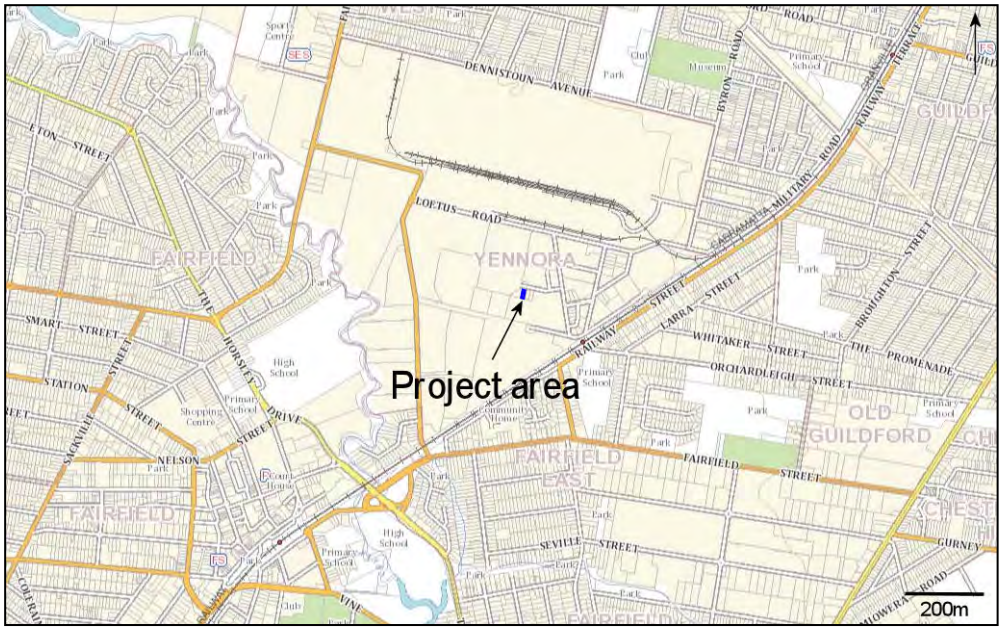
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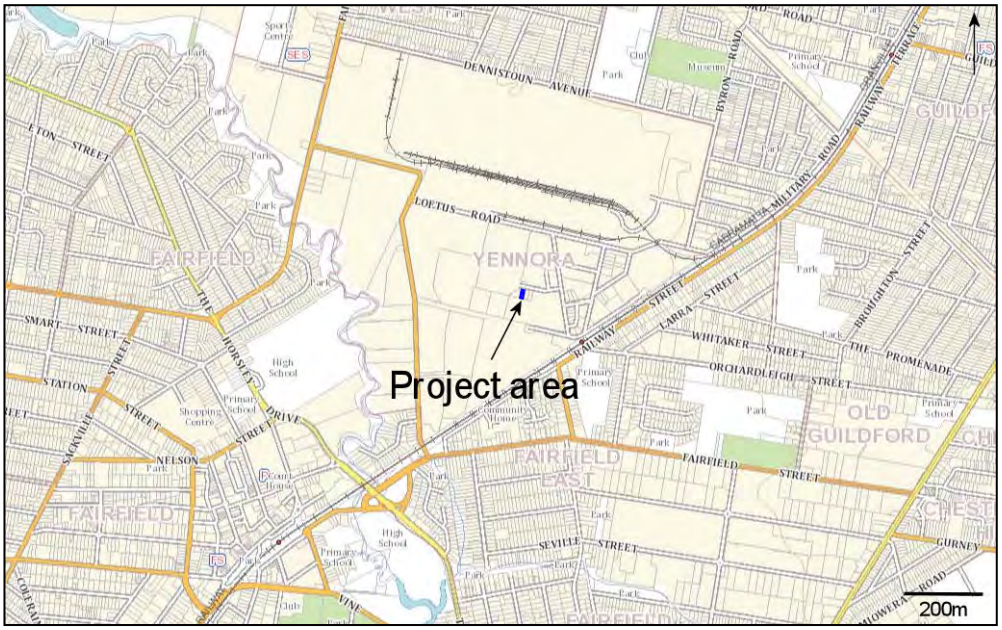
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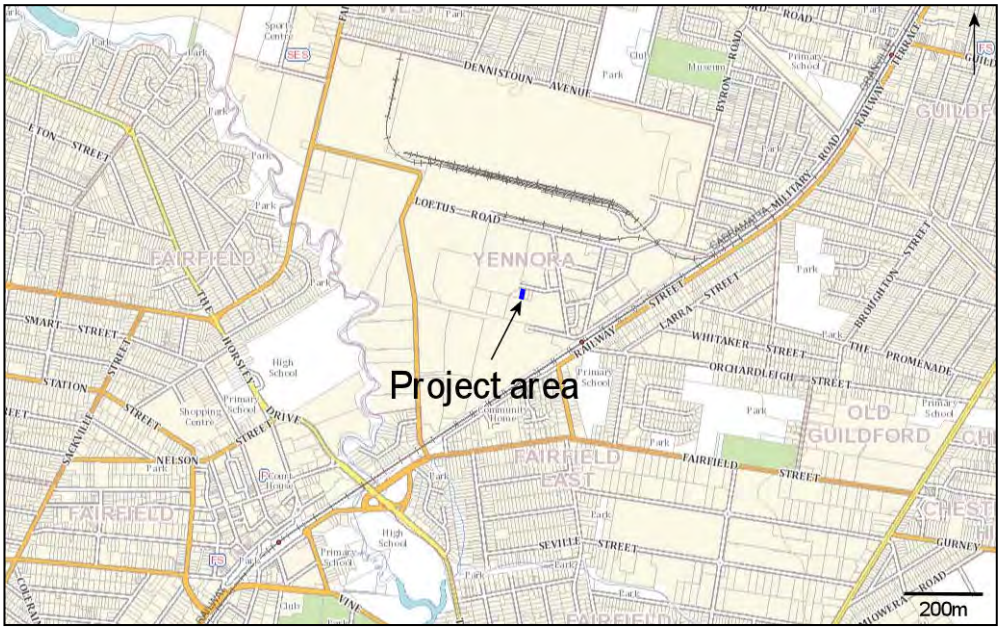
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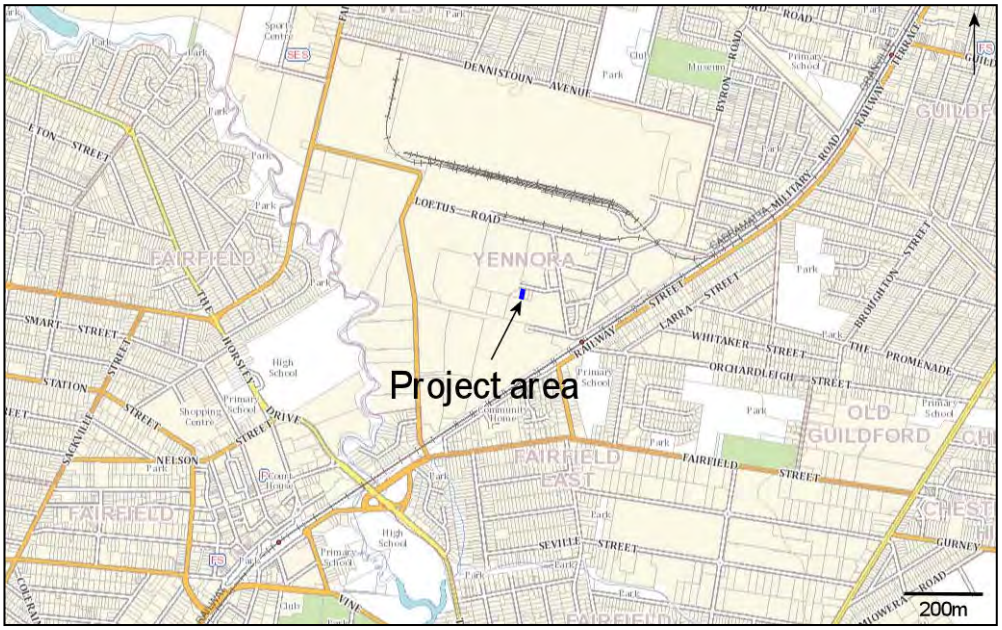
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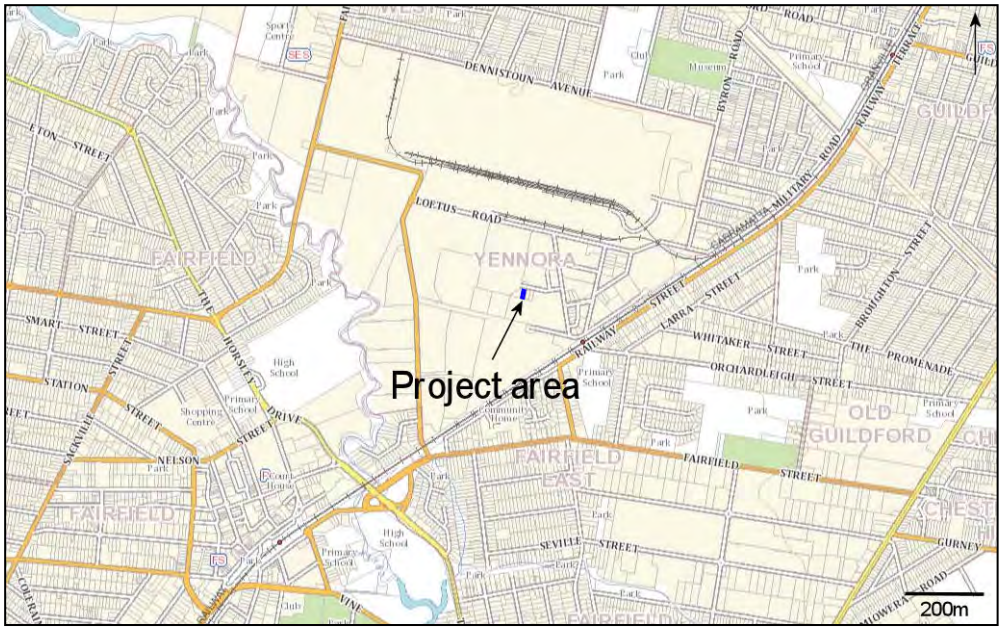
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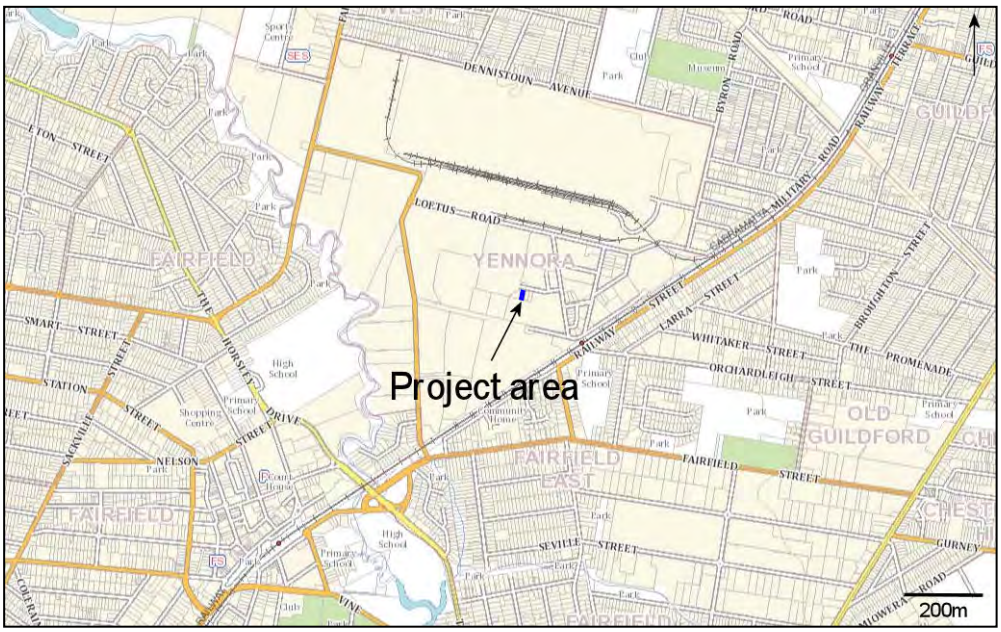
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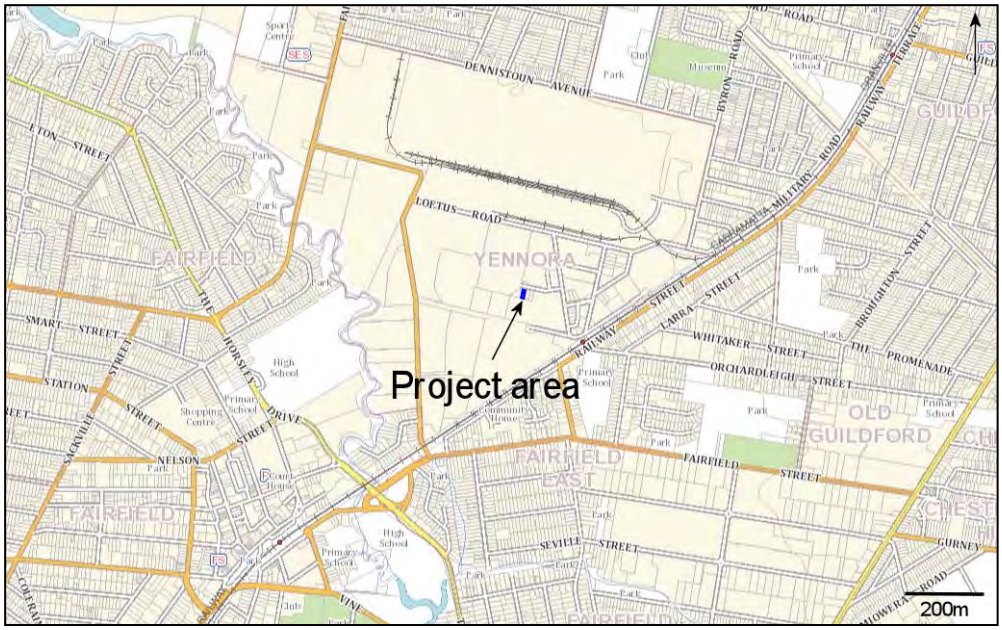
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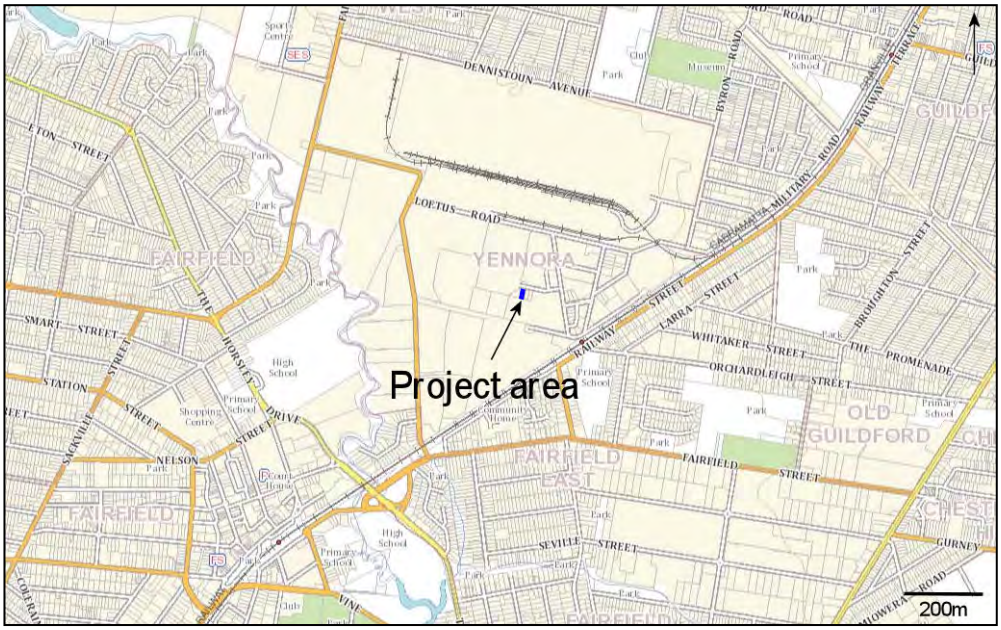
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REGISTRATION OF INTEREST: Yenora Facility

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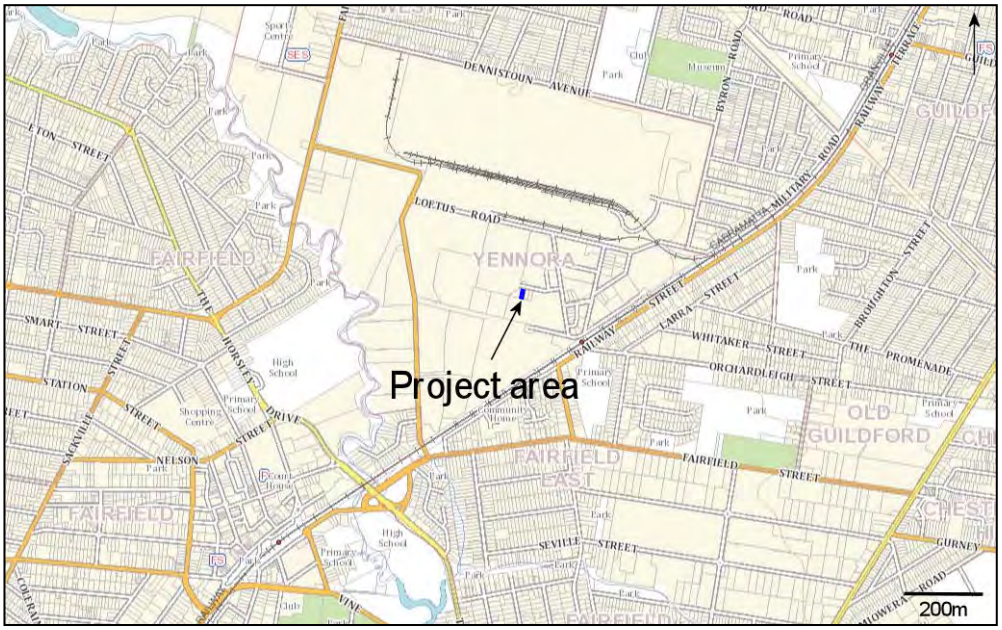
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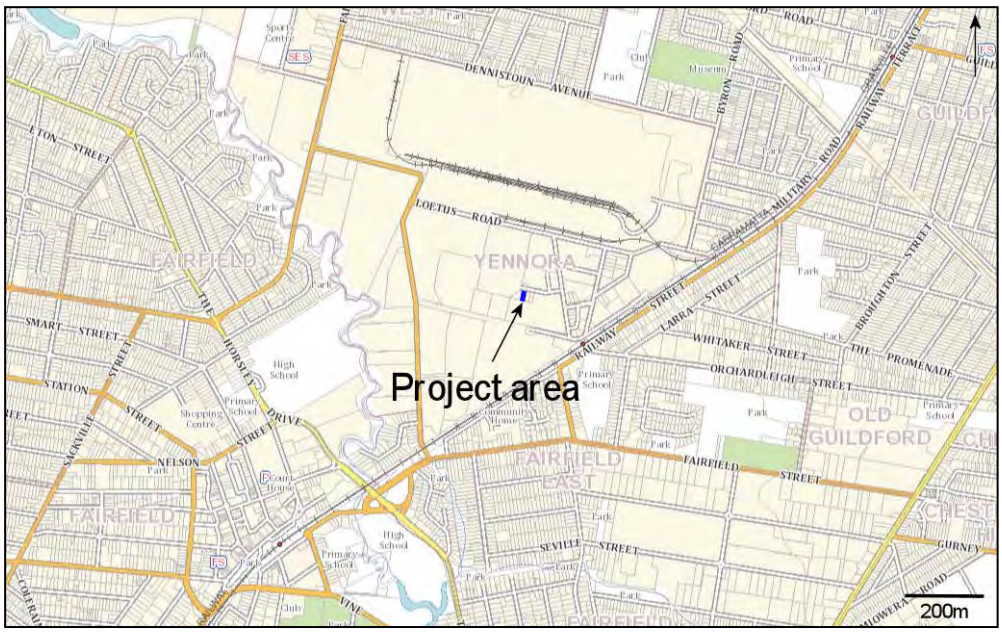
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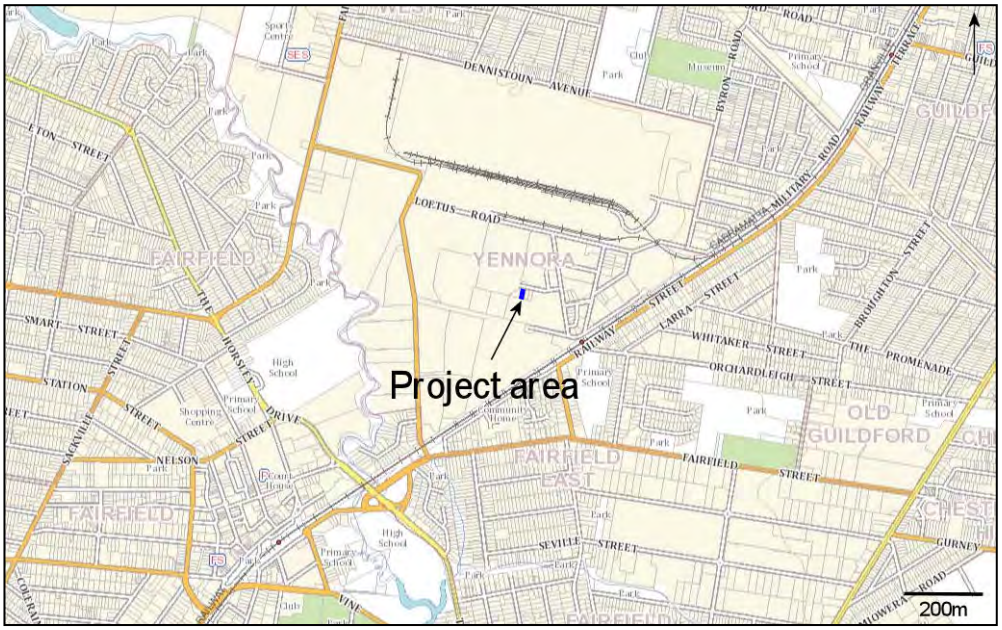
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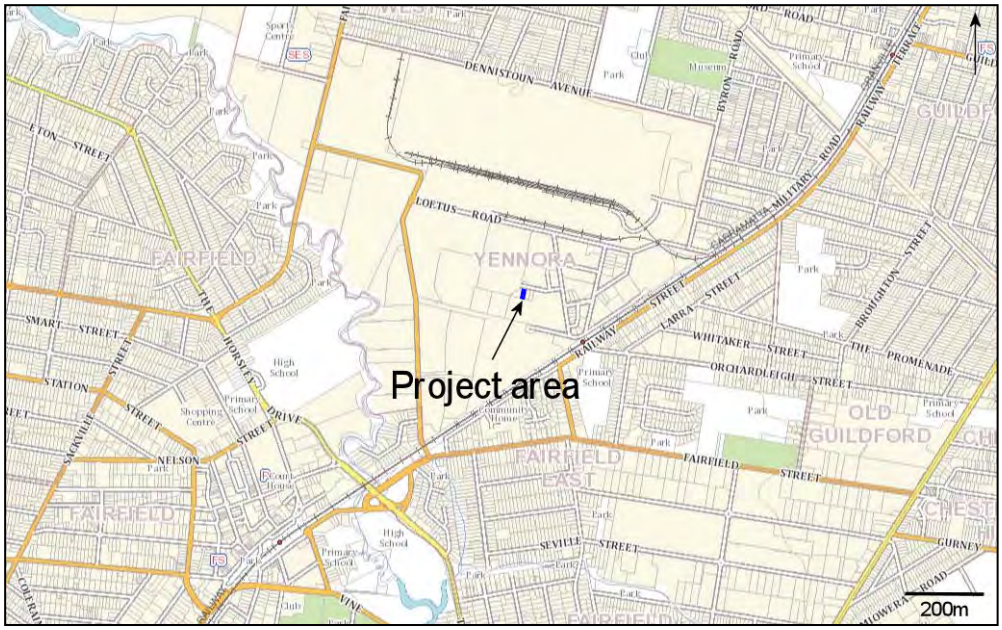
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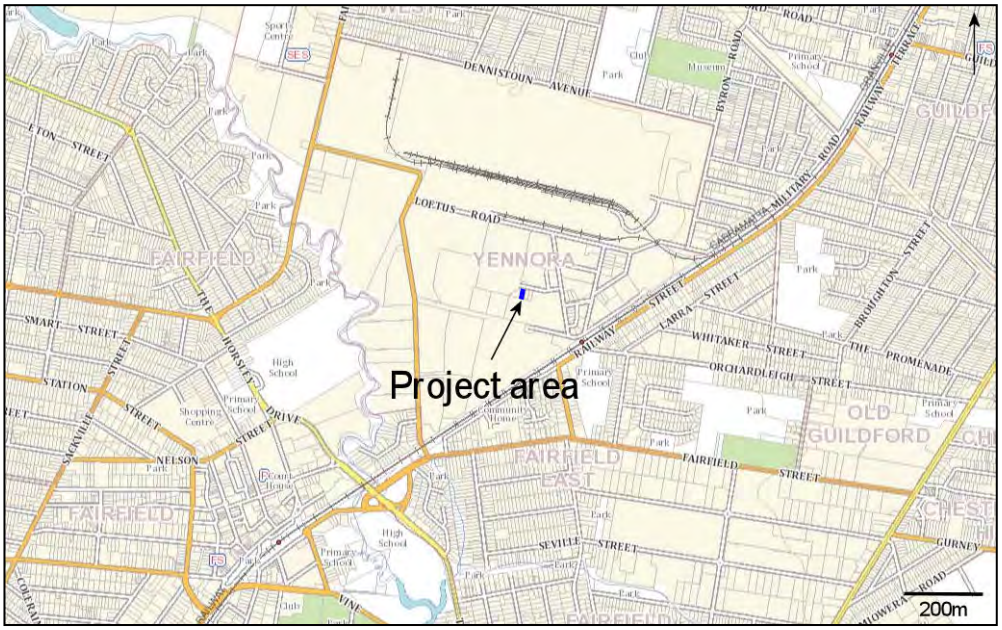
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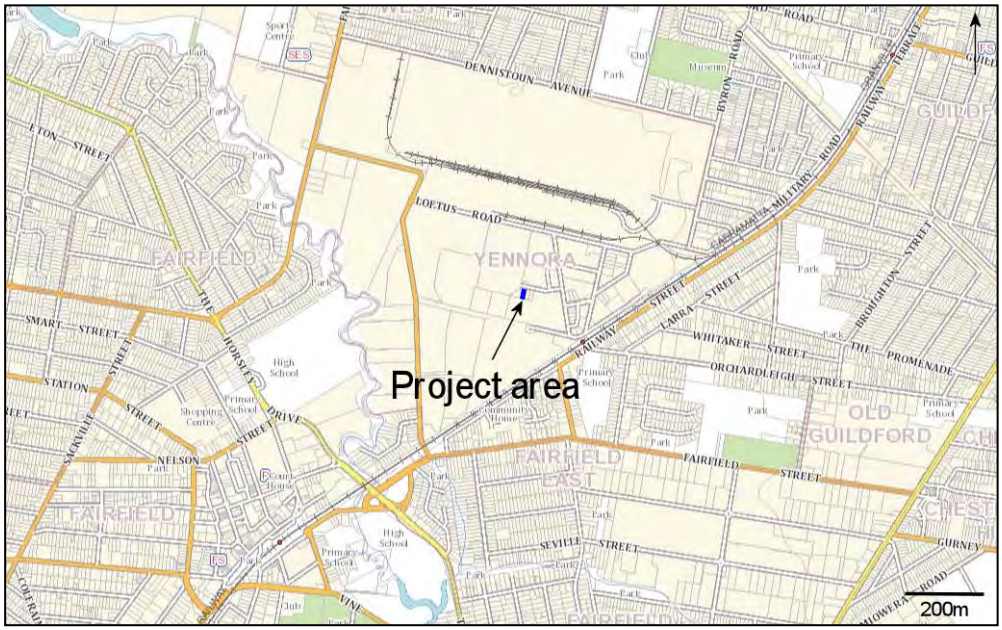
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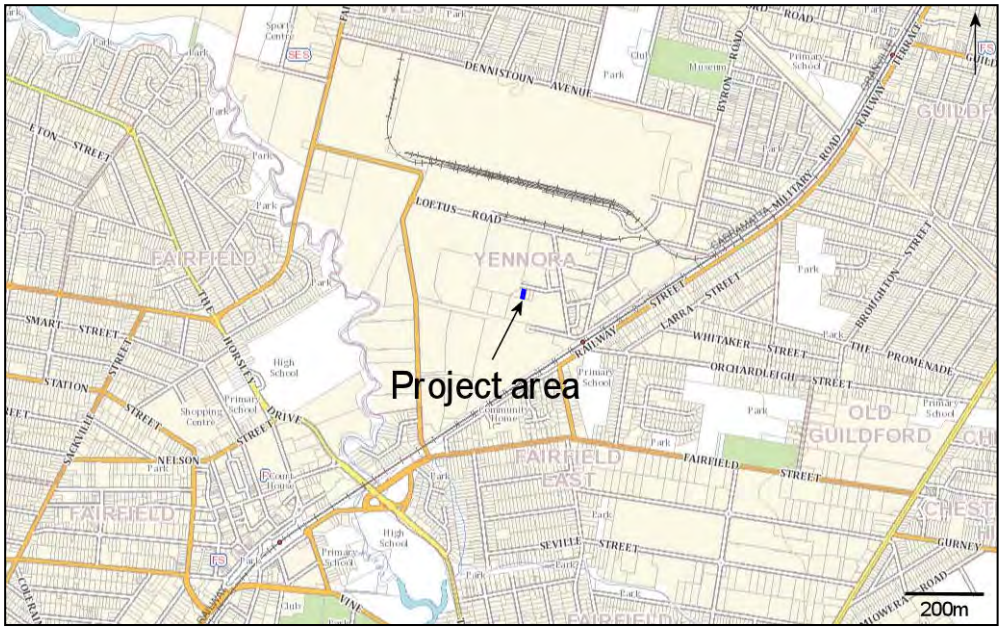
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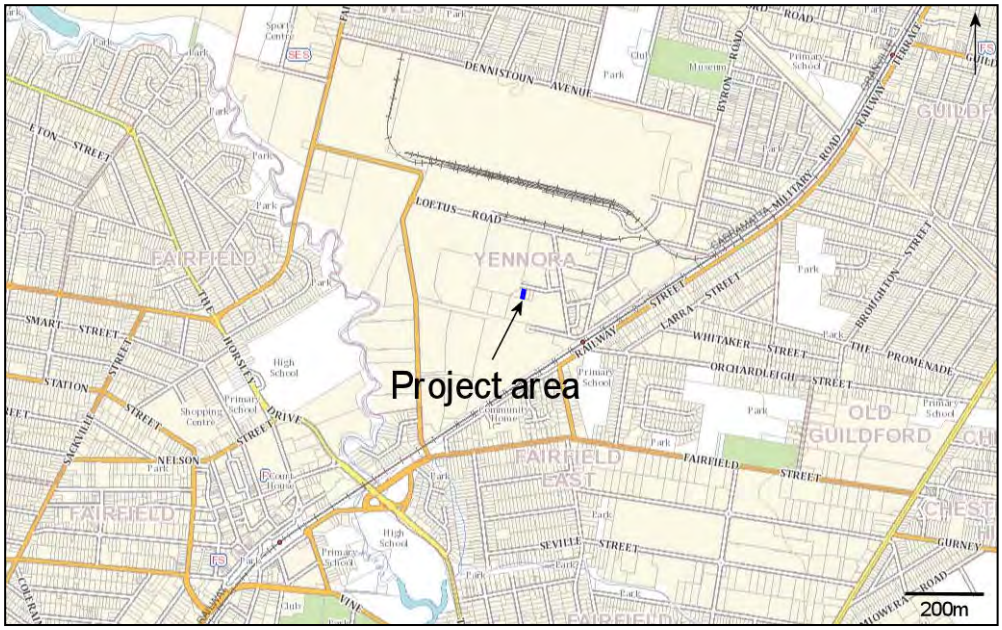
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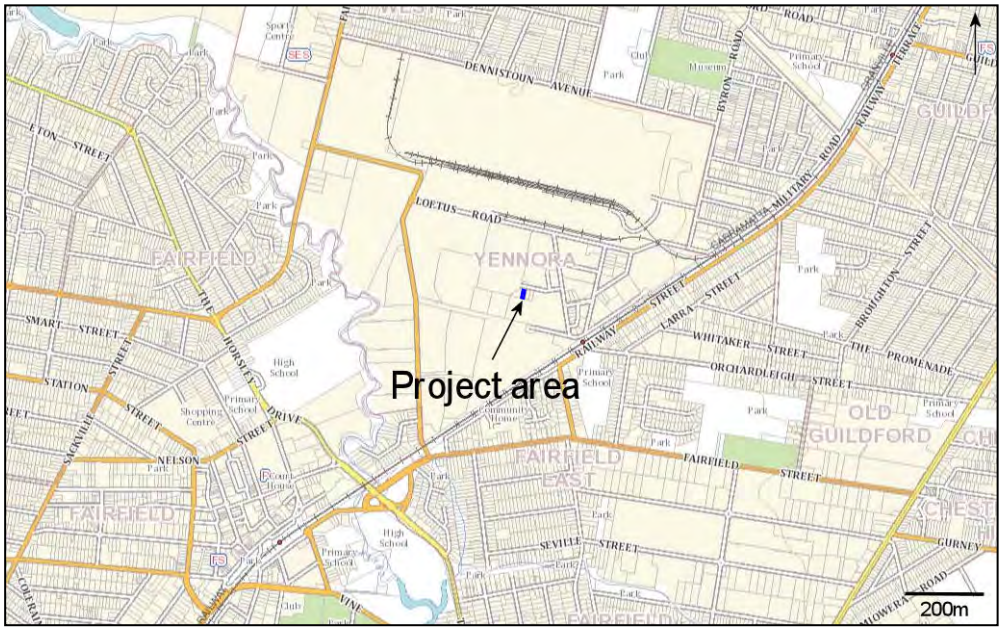
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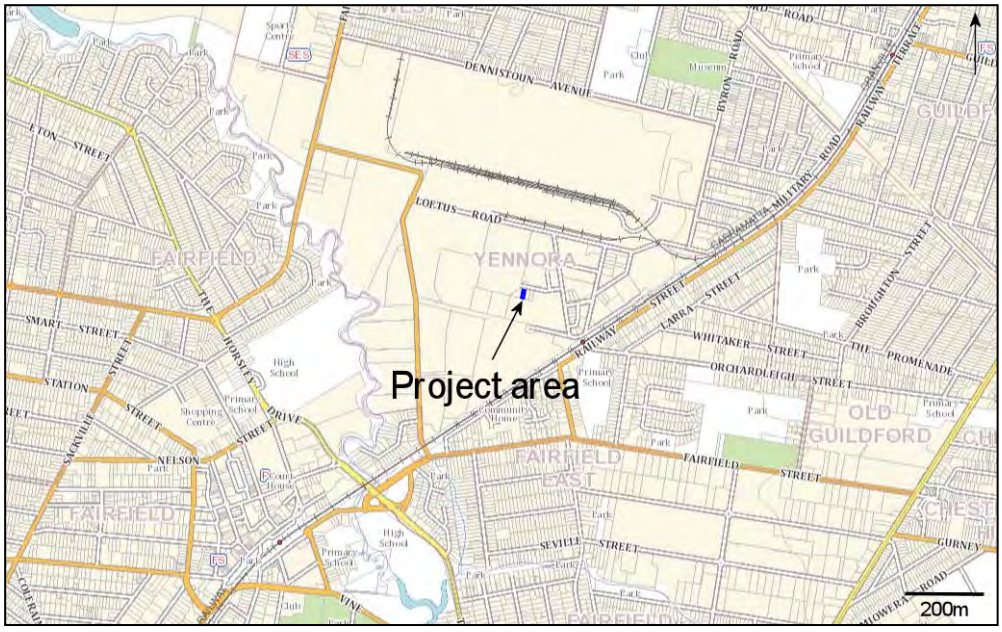
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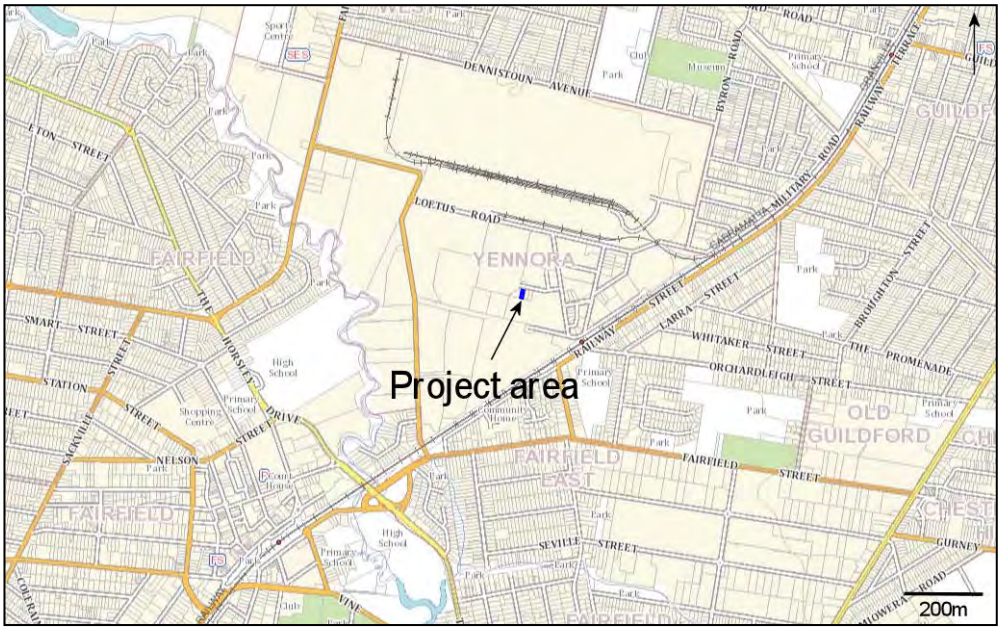
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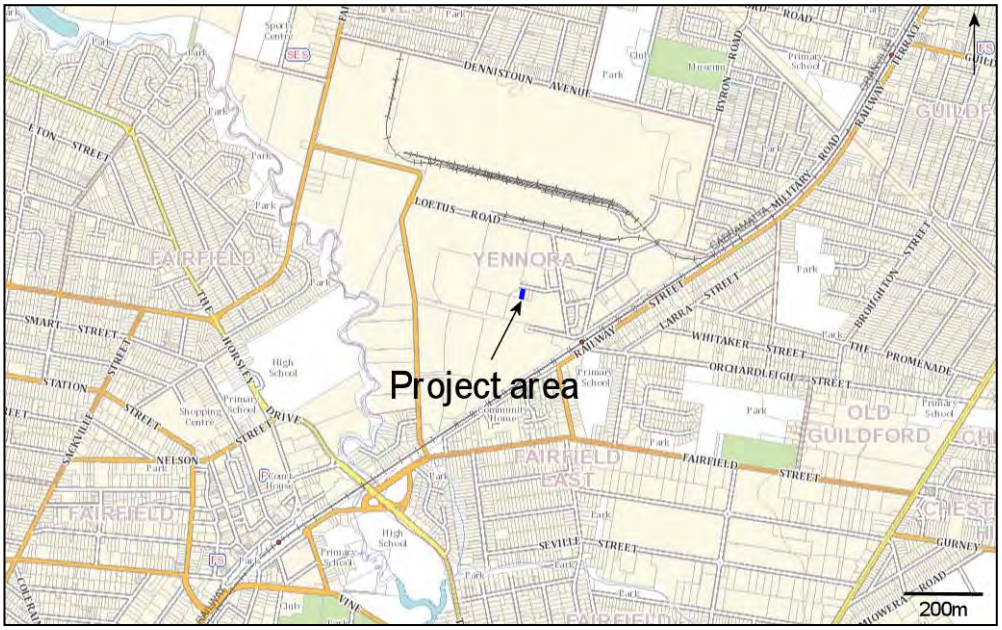
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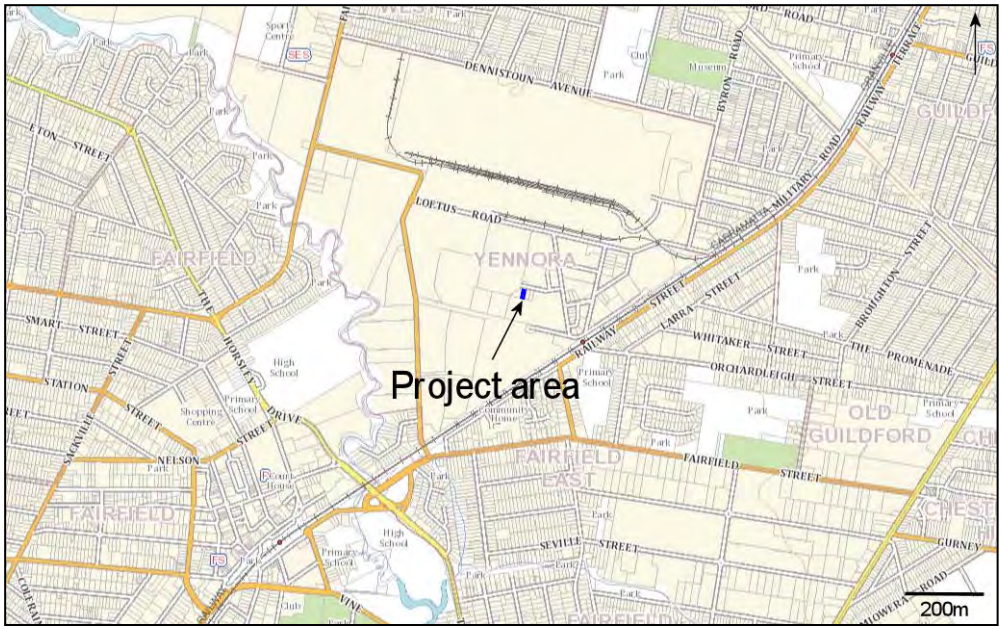
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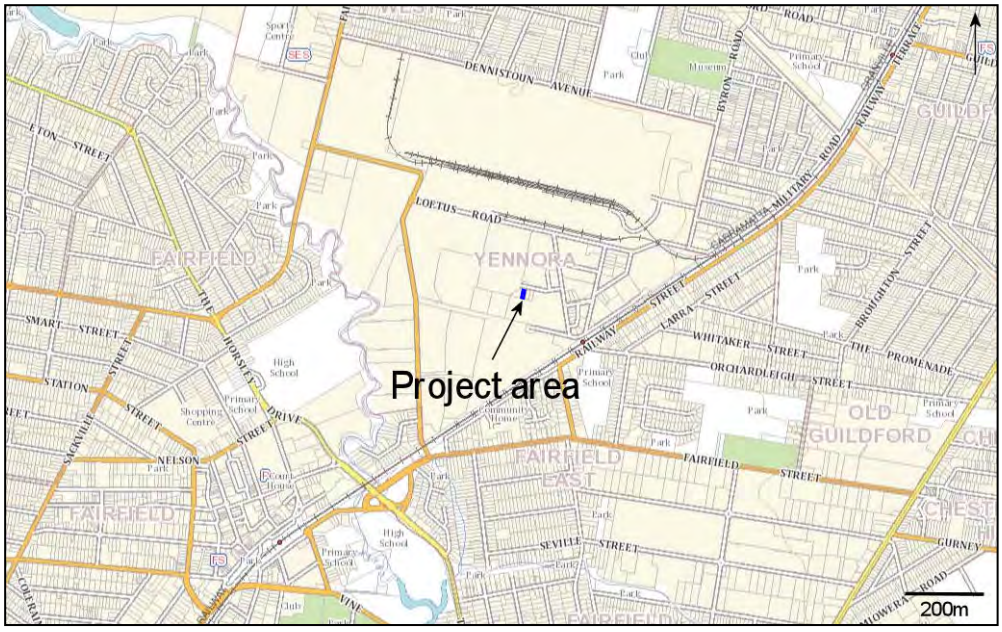
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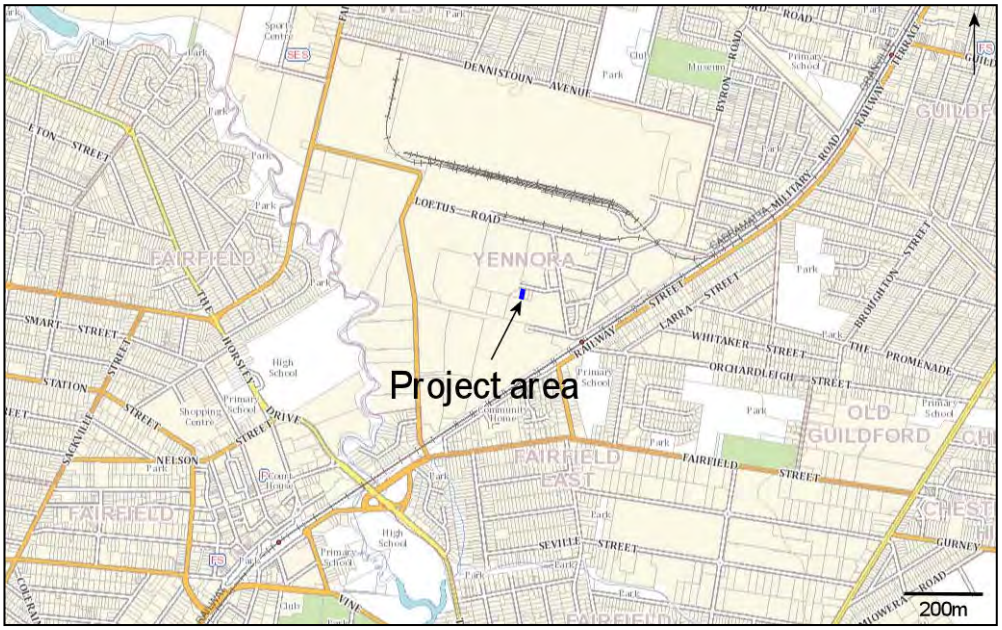
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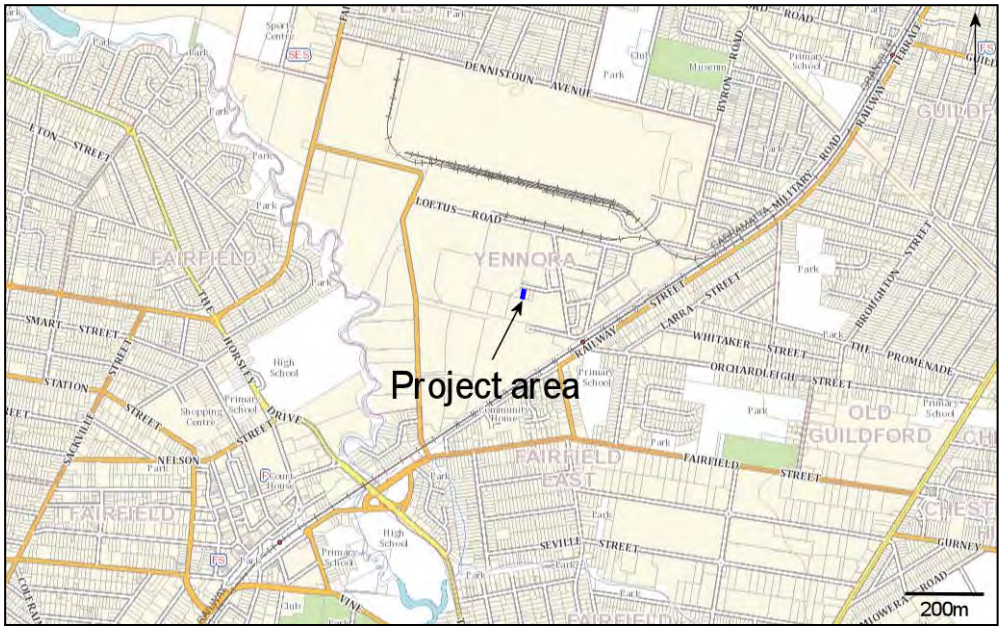
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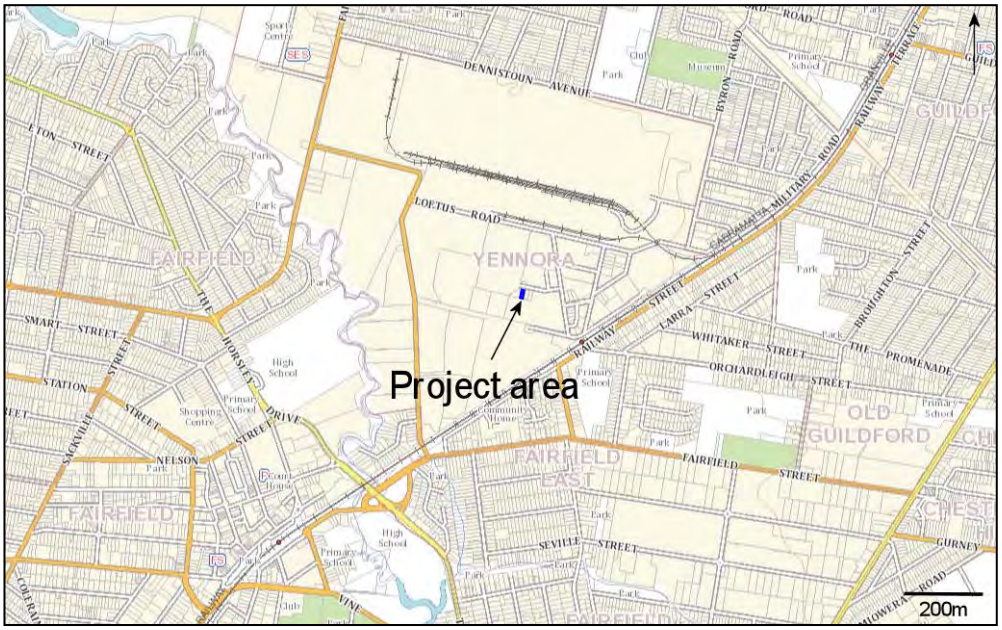
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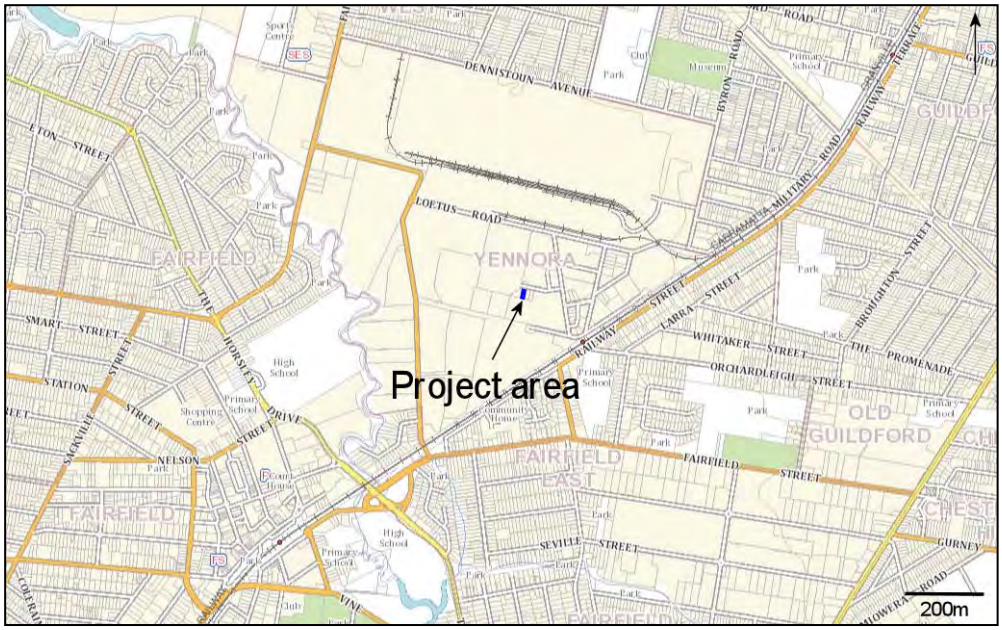
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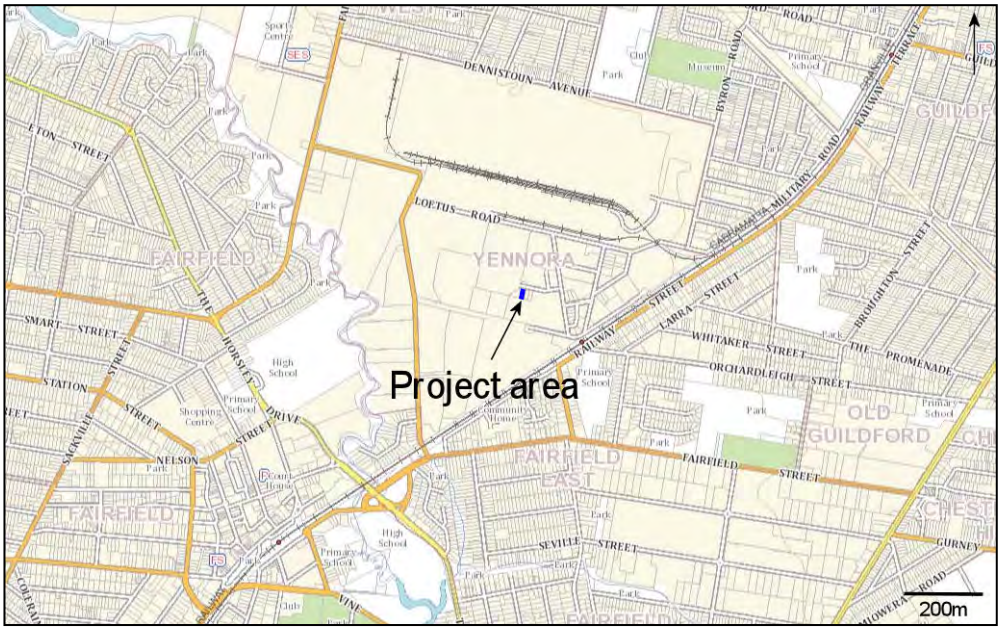
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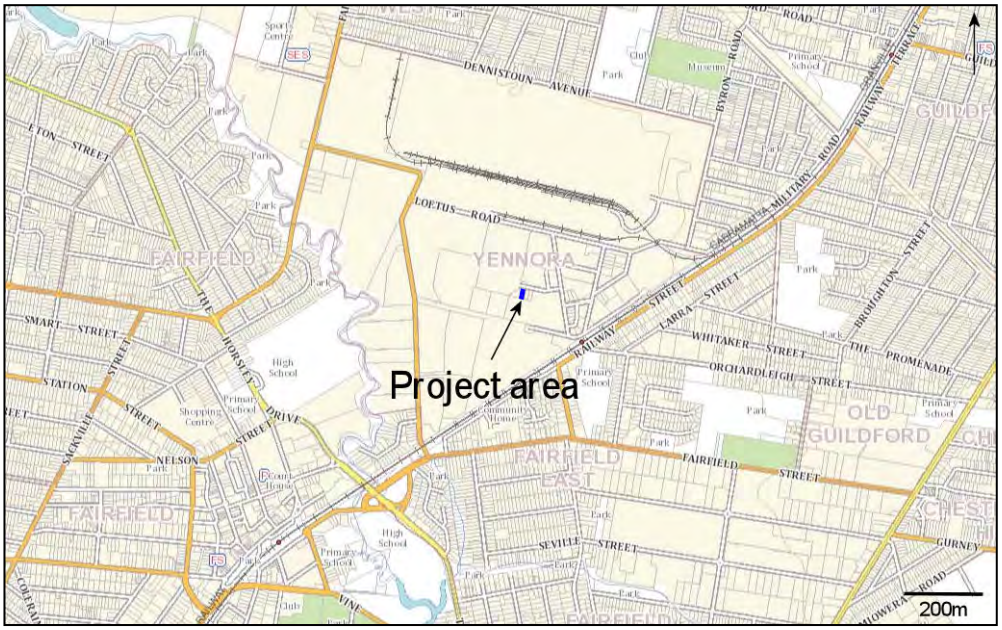
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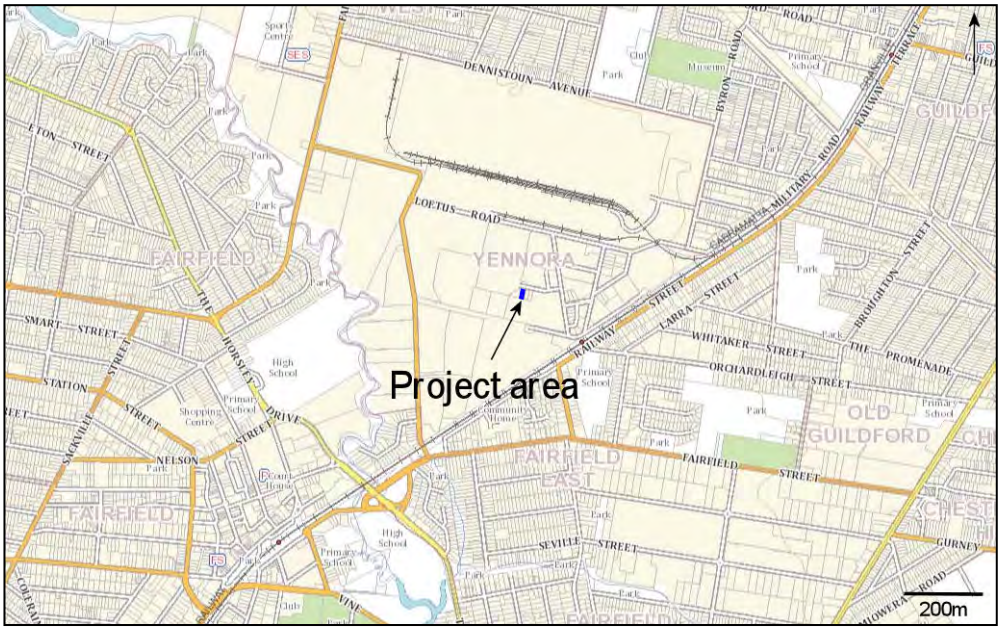
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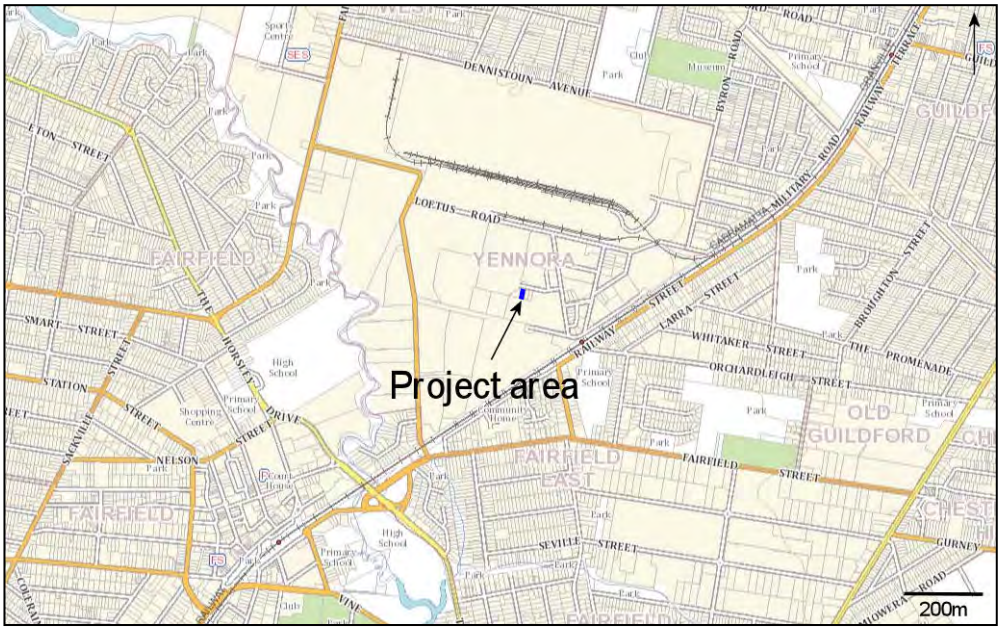
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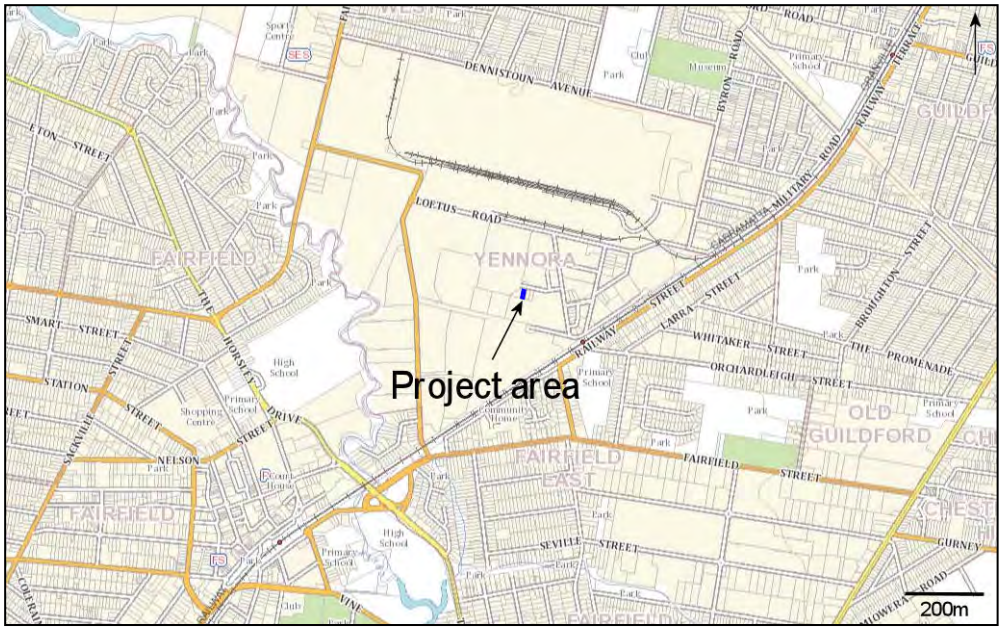
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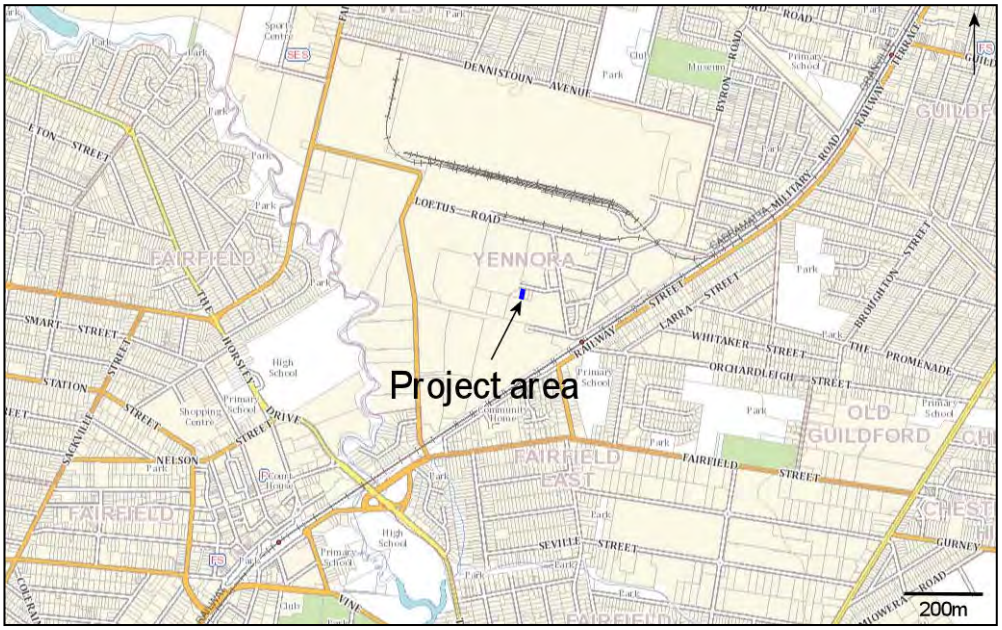
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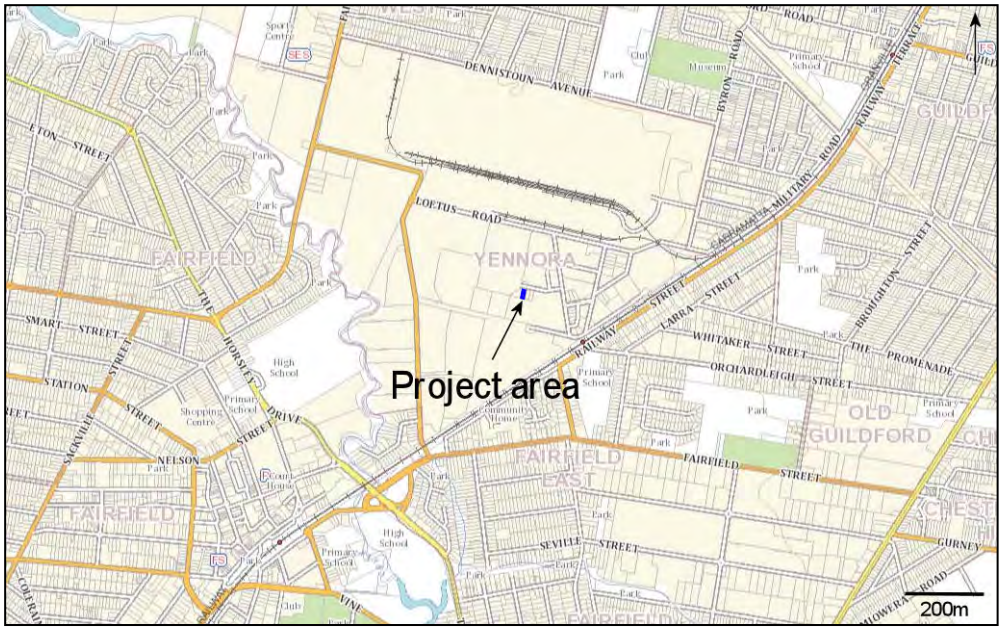
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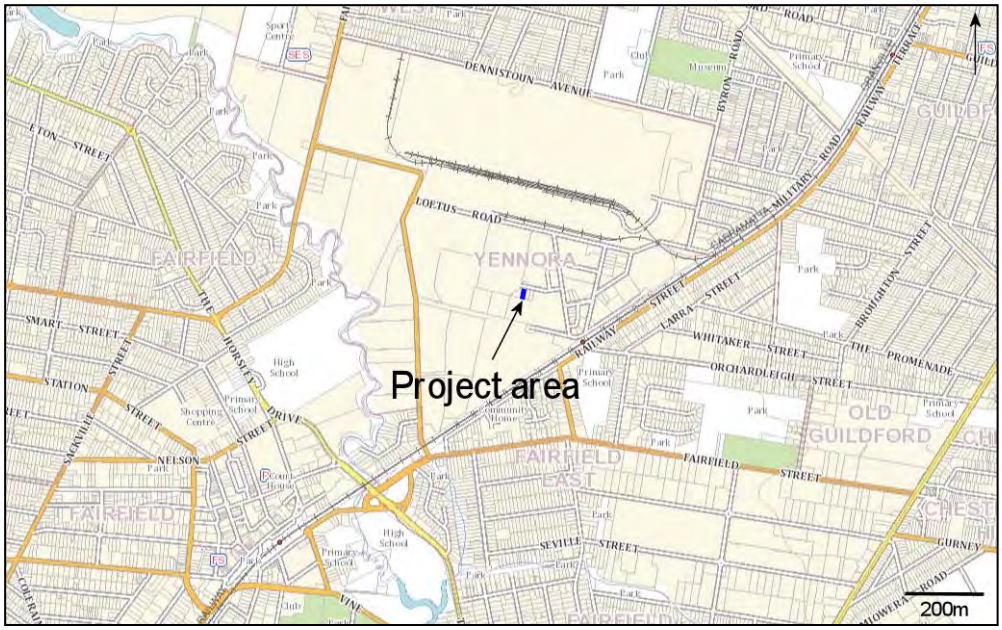
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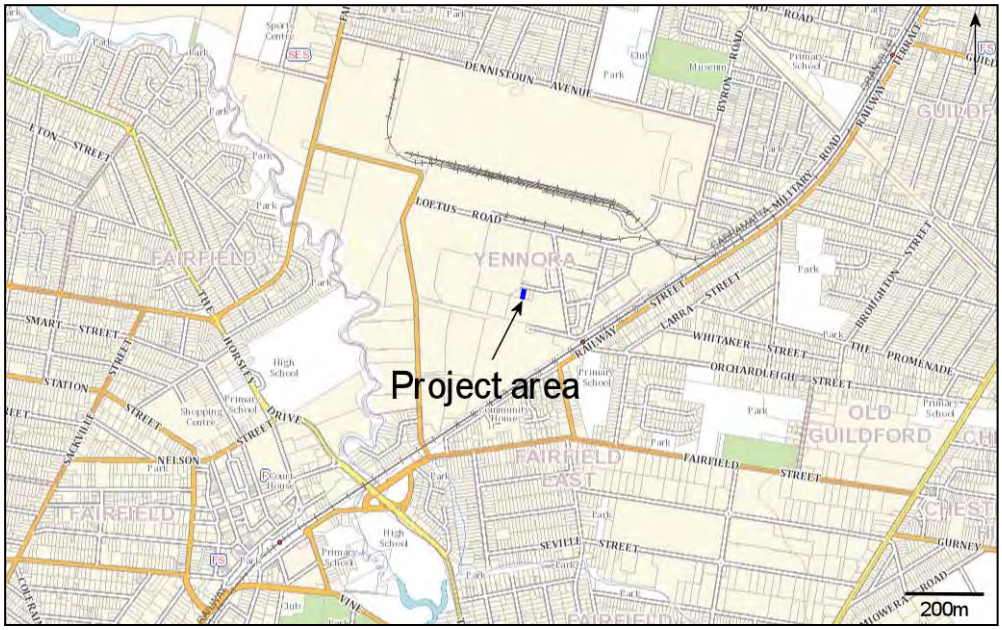
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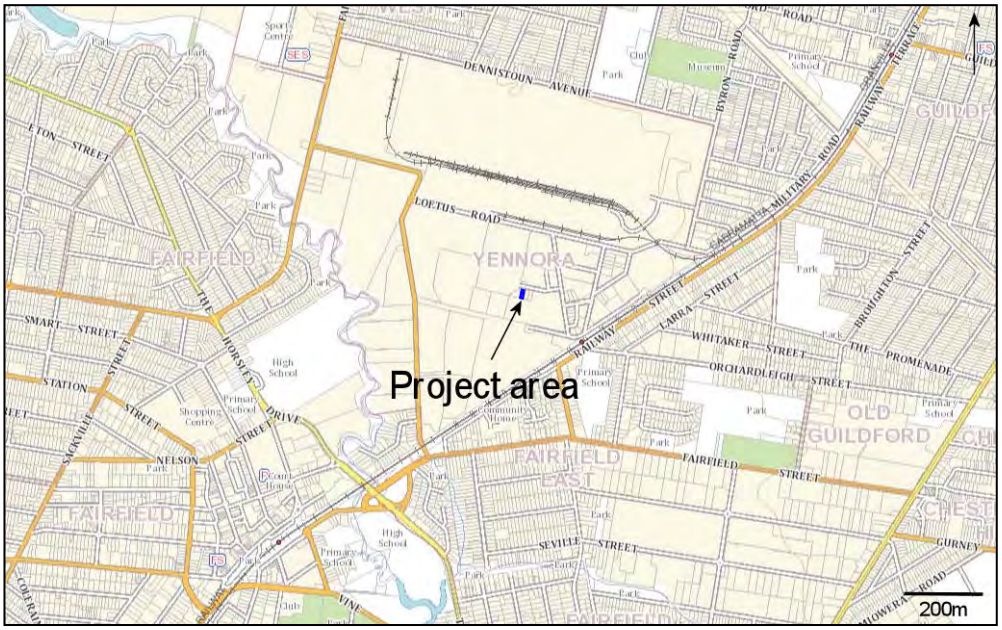
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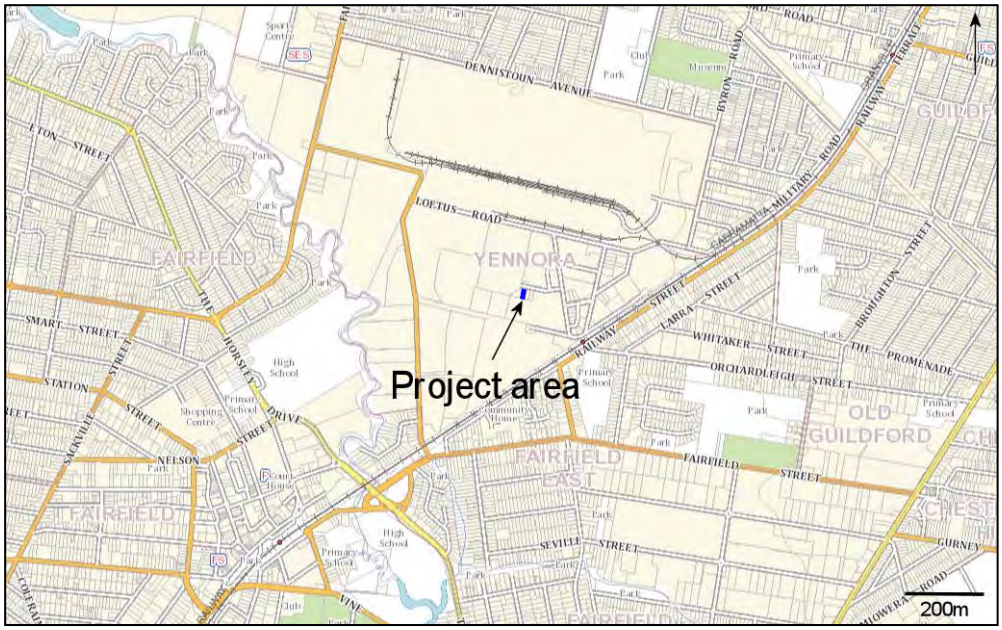
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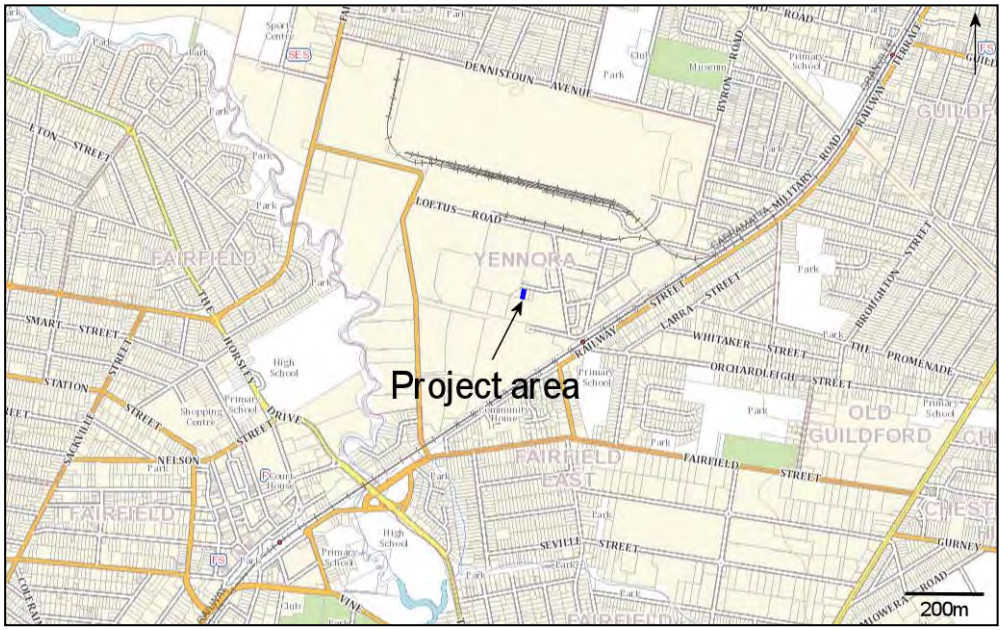
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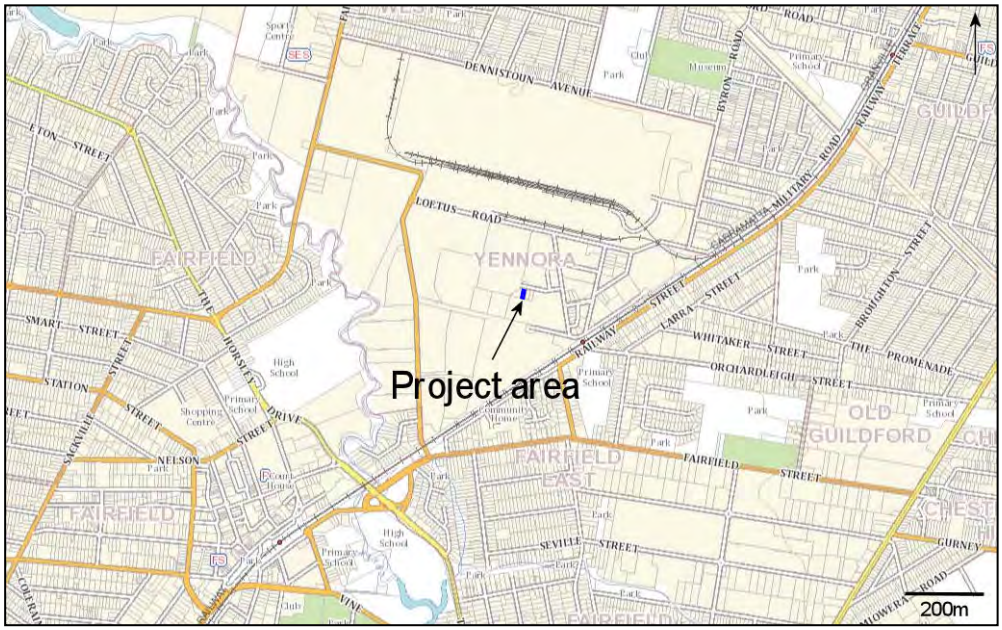
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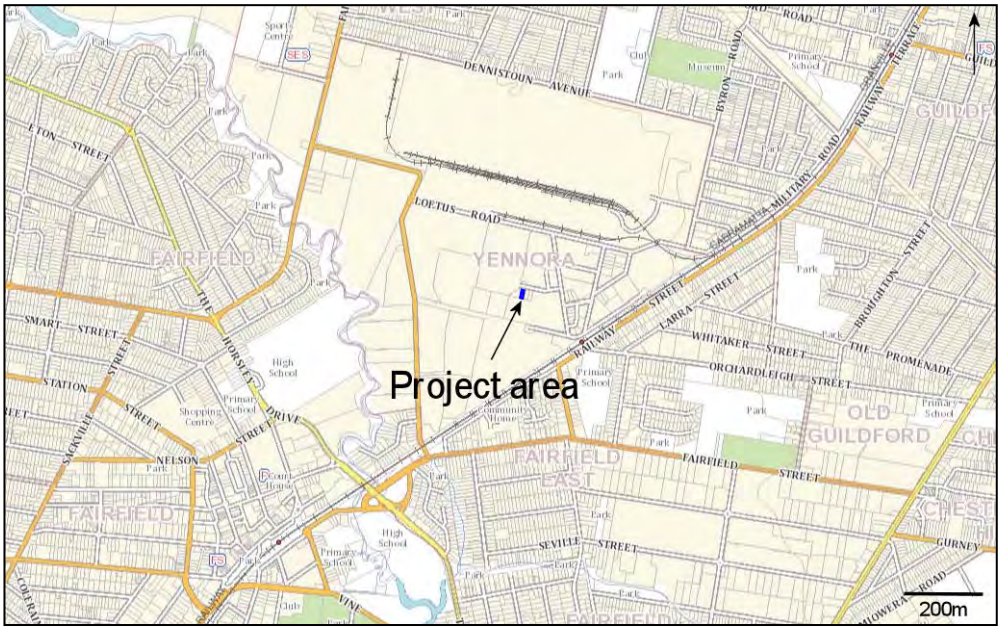
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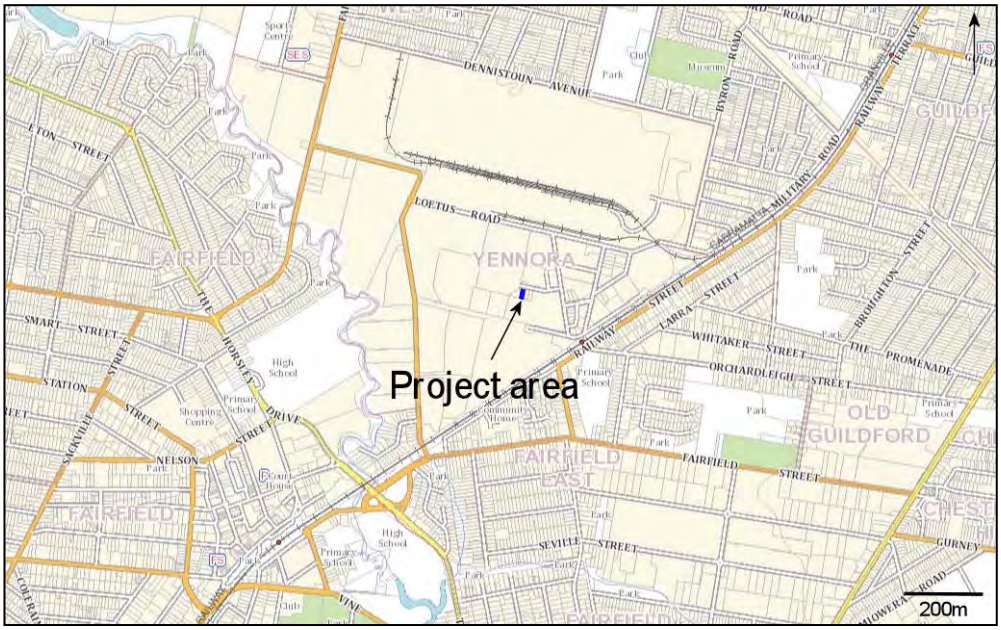
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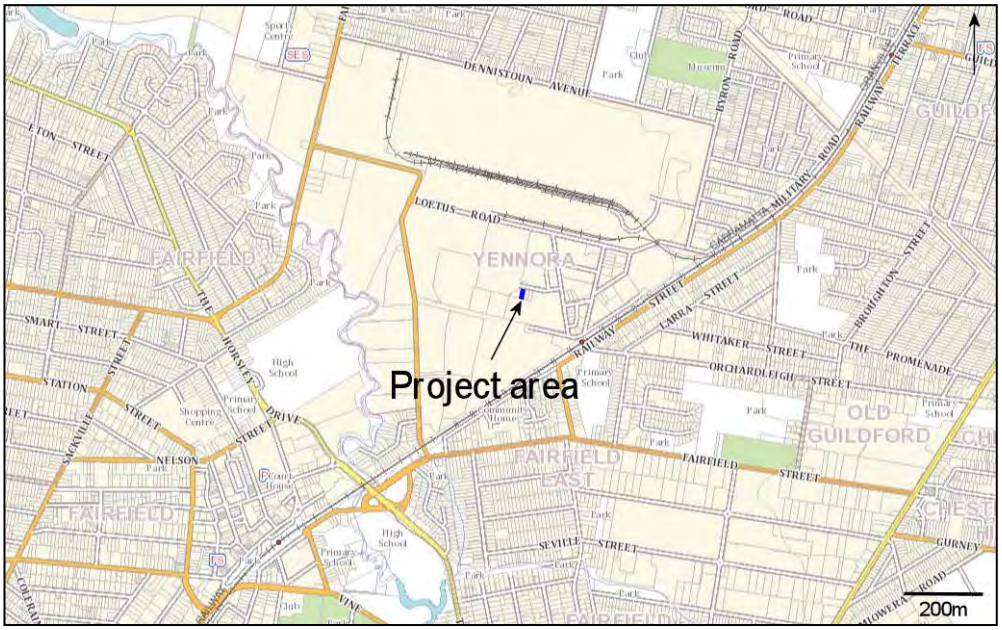
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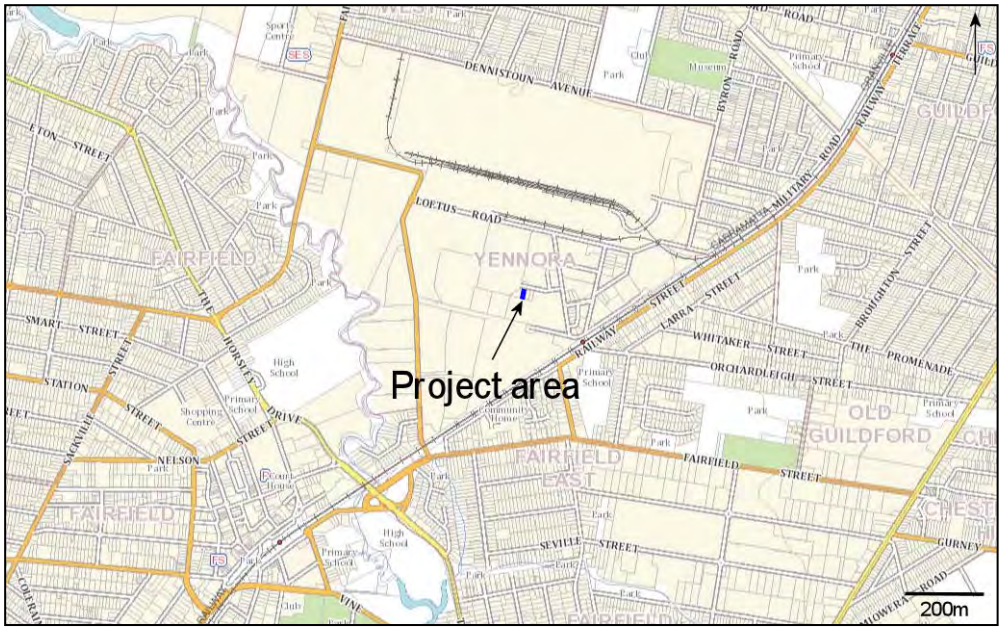
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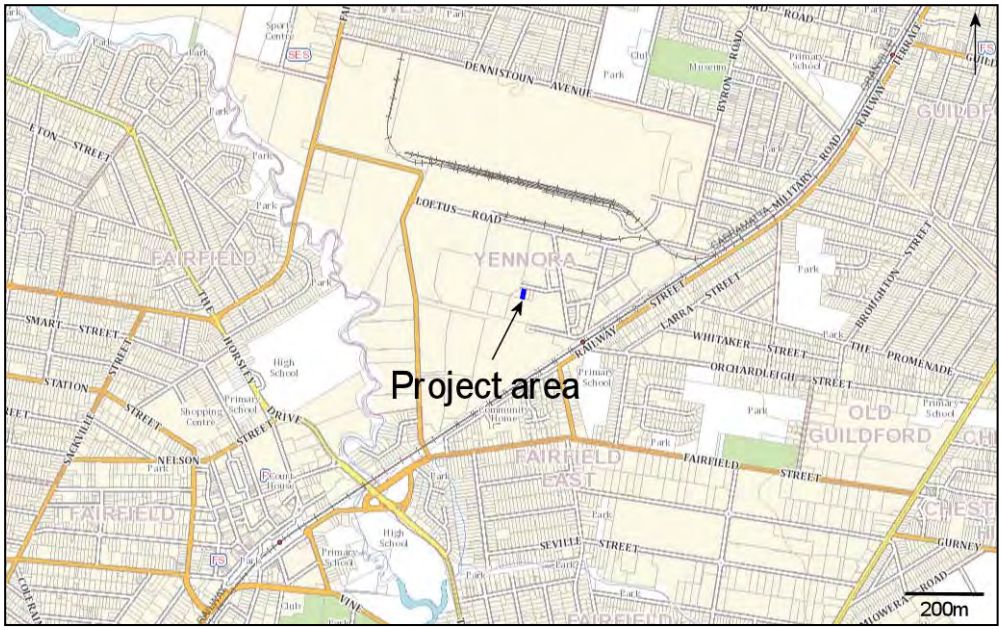
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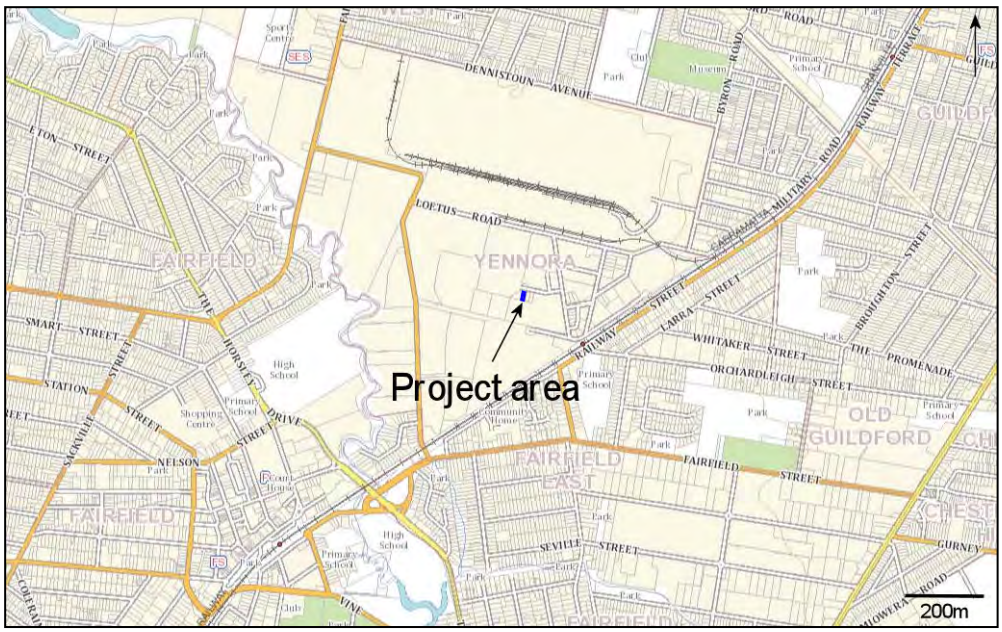
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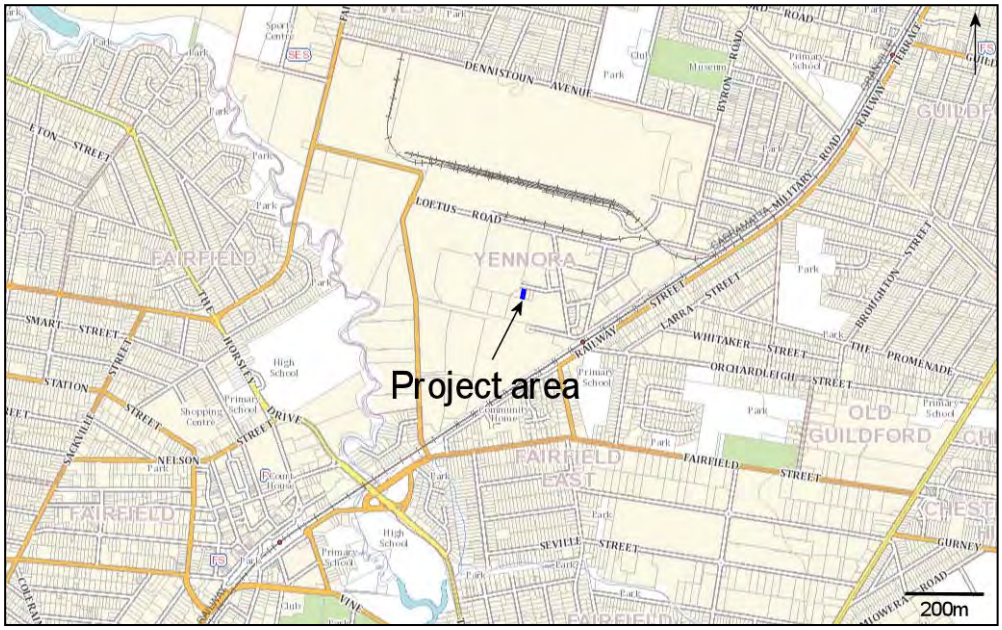
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REGISTRATION OF INTEREST: Yenora Facility

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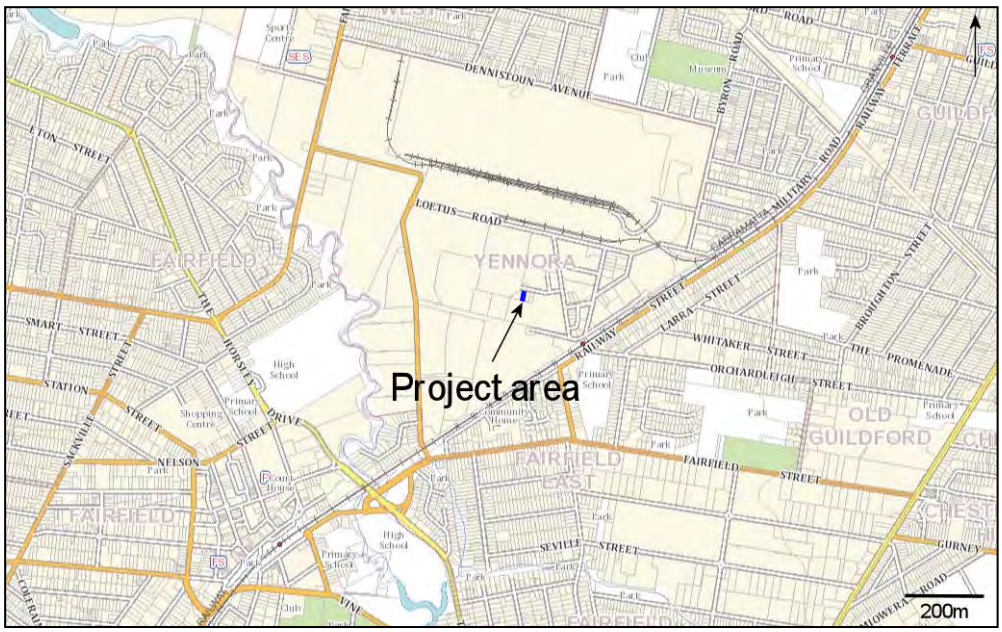
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Location of the study area



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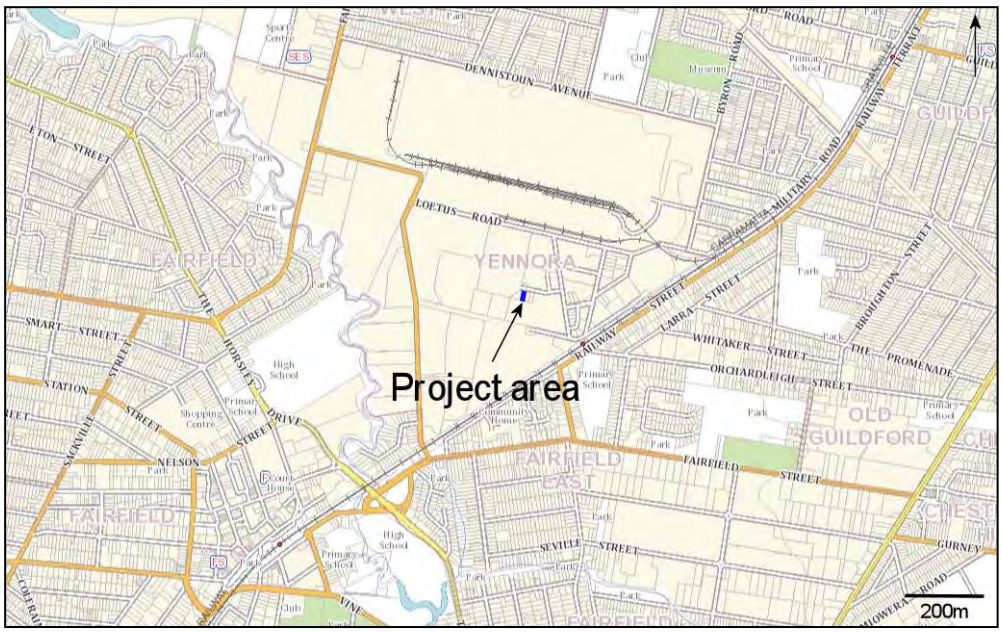
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RE – 2010 (Stage 1) – proposed increase to the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at Yennora.

Dear Penny,

On behalf of the Board of Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation, I would like to thank you for the invitation to consult in the above-mentioned project.

The Darug Tribal Aboriginal Corporation, on behalf the Board and its Members, do hereby request to be included in all activities regarding this project, including any future correspondence there from arising.

Correspondence arising should be addressed to the Archaeological Coordinator, Mr. John Reilly and may be provided by post to the above PO Box address, or via e-mail to the above e-mail address. John may be contacted directly via Mobile at: (04) 0233-4123 or a message may be left on the answering machine in the DTAC Office via (02) 9622-4081.

On site consulting, and other services can be provided as required. The standard rate for such services is $100 excluding GST per hour ($110 per hour including GST).

The Corporation is a Not for Profit entity, and as such, all net income, following payment of wages to archaeological workers, derived from our participation in any project, goes toward supporting our Members, being the Traditional Owners of Darug land, the protection and preservation of Darug places and sites, the education of the wider community about the Darug people, their history, heritage and culture, and the functioning of the Corporation and its' services.

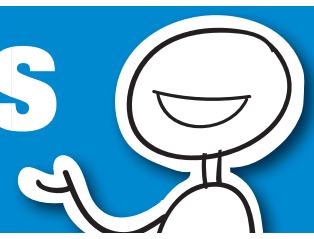
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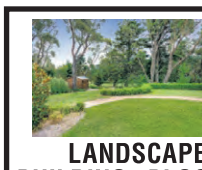
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Notification of project proposal and registration of interest under OEH Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (Stage Proposed Waste Management Facility at (14 Kiora Cres, Yennora, 49/-/DP18211)

McCardle Cultural heritage (MCH) have been engaged by Baini Design, on behalf of EnviroWaste (0420 511 727 - Eddy) to prepare an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) and Section 90 Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIOP) application, if required, for the proposed Waste Management Facility at (14 Kiora Cres, Yennora, 49/-/DP18211)

The purpose of community consultation with Aboriginal people is to assist the proposed applicant in the preparation of the AHIP application if required and to assist the Director General of OEH in his or her consideration and determination of the application should an AHIP be required.

In compliance with the OEH policy - Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010, MCH would like to extend an invitation to Aboriginal people who hold cultural knowledge relevant to the proposed project area and who can determine the significance of Aboriginal object(s) and/or place(s) in the area of the proposed project to register an interest in the consultation process for this project.

Written registrations must be forward to MCH, P.O. Box 166 Adamstown, NSW, 2289; E:mcheritage@iprimus.com.au; Fax 02 4950 5501, no later than Wednesday 19th June, 2019 C.O.B.

All registered parties will then be contacted to discuss the project in compliance with the OEH policy. If you register your interest in this project, please also nominate your preferred option to receive the initial information. You may wish to attend a non paid meeting and receive an information pack, or receive an information packet through the mail, fax or e-mail.

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Darren Duncan
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Dear Darren,

RE: OEH Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (Stage 2 & 3) – Presentation of information about the proposed project and request for comment on the proposed methods of investigation - Proposed increase to the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at Yenora

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GLOSSARY

Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Values: traditional values of Aboriginal people, handed down in spiritual beliefs, stories and community practices and may include local plant and animal species, places that are important and ways of showing respect for other people.

Aboriginal Place: are locations that have been recognised by the Minister for Climate Change and the Environment (and gazetted under the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*) as having special cultural significance to the Aboriginal community. An Aboriginal Place may or may not include archaeological materials.

Aboriginal Site: an Aboriginal site is the location of one or more Aboriginal archaeological objects, including flaked stone artefacts, midden shell, grinding grooves, archaeological deposits, scarred trees etc.

Harm: is defined as an act that may destroy, deface or damage an Aboriginal object or place. In relation to an object, this means the movement or removal of an object from the land in which it has been situated

Traditional Aboriginal Owners: Aboriginal people who are listed in the Register of Aboriginal owners pursuant to Division 3 of the *Aboriginal Land Register Act (1983)*. The Registrar must give priority to registering Aboriginal people for lands listed in Schedule 14 of the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974* or land subject to a claim under 36A of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983*.

Traditional Knowledge: Information about the roles, responsibilities and practices set out in the cultural beliefs of the Aboriginal community. Only certain individuals have traditional knowledge and different aspects of traditional knowledge may be known by different people, e.g. information about men's initiation sites and practices, women's sites, special pathways, proper responsibilities of people fishing or gathering food for the community, ways of sharing and looking after others, etc.

1 INTRODUCTION

McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd (MCH) has been commissioned by Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent (Think Planners Pty Ltd) to prepare an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report (ACHA) for a proposed expansion of the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yenora, Cumberland Local Government Area (LGA).

The assessment will determine the potential impacts upon the indigenous cultural heritage within the development area. It is intended that any areas of indigenous cultural heritage value will be identified and appropriate management recommendations will be established through consultation with the registered Aboriginal parties.

In compliance with the OEH policy - *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* (Stage 2, s4.21 to 4.2.4 and Stage 3 s4.3.1 to 4.3.7), this Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Information Packet provides information about the proposed project including, but not limited to, details of the proposed the project including maps indicating the impact areas , an outline of the impact assessment process, cultural context, summary of the environmental and archaeological contexts, a site specific predictive model, details of the proposed methodology the roles and responsibilities of all parties, and provide an opportunity for you to identify and raise any cultural concerns, perspectives and assessment requirements you may have.

The assessment has been undertaken to meet the Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010a,* the *OEH Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW 2011,* the *OEH Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales 2010b,* and the brief.

1.1 CONSULTATION

Consultation will be undertaken as per the OEH *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* and will be detailed in the Aboriginal Cultural heritage Assessment report.

1.2 PROJECT AREA

The project area (Figure 1.1 to 1.3), 14 Kiora Crescent, Yenora, includes Lot 14 DP18211 and is an existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility).

Figure 1.1Location of the project area

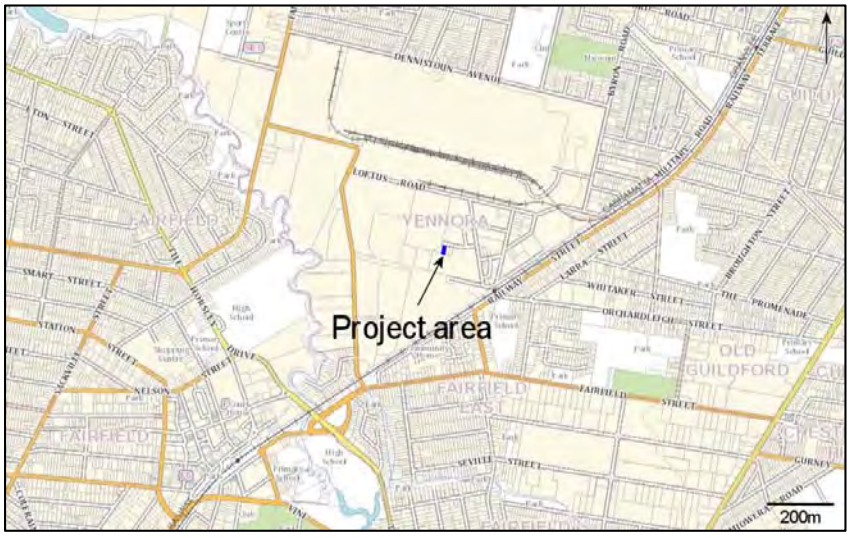


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Figure 1.3 Aerial location of the project area (nearmap 7 April 2019)



1.3 PROJECT OUTLINE AND IMPACTS

The proposed is increasing the capacity of the existing liquid waste processing facility of up to 25,000 tones per annum of waste.

1.4 CRITICAL DEVELOPMENT TIME LINES

The proponent wishes to commence works as soon as possible but also acknowledges the need to undertake indigenous cultural heritage investigations on the site. Ideally these would be undertaken prior to any works commencing on the site, however, it would be possible to stage the development to exclude areas identified for investigation until the investigations are complete.

1.5 CRITICAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL TIMELINE

The following Table indicates the timelines critical for the archaeological assessment. However, please note that consultation may be increased or decreased depending on response times and knowledge sharing.

1.1 Archaeological timeline

Stages	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Stage 1: consult.										
Stage 2: survey										
Stage 3: reporting										
Stage 4: finalisation										

2 ENVIRONMENTAL CONTEXT

The environmental context provides a background to the landforms and potential resources that may have been available in the past. The land uses also assists in an understanding of potential impacts they would have had on the landscape and associated cultural materials. This information is utilised with the archaeological context in order to ascertain a reliable predictive model of not only sit location and site type, but also the likelihood of survivability within that landscape.

The project area is situated on the Liverpool Sub-group of the Waiiamatta Group consisting of shale with some sandstone beds (Sydney 1:250,000 Geological Series Map 1966). Stone tools identified in the local area were usually manufactured from mudstone/tuff and silcrete, both of which are absent from the local area and as such any stone tools within the proejct area would have been transported (possibly traded) into the area. Situated on the Blacktown residual soil landscape, the project area is located approximately 670 metres east of Prospect Creek (1st order) with the closest reliable water source (Georges River) located approximately 4 kilometres to the south and the Parramatta River located approximately 7.5 kilometres north east. Thus, the project area was not resourced in terms of fresh water availability nor any associated subsistence or medicinal resources. European settlers extensively cleared the original native vegetation in the 1800's and since then the project area has been subject to excavation and construction works associated with the existing facility on the property. The project area, located on a highly disturbed landscape that included industrial and residential developments resulting in none of the original landforms are present, would have displaced and remove any cultural materials that may have been present.

3 ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTEXT

The archaeological background provides context to the project area and wider cultural landscape in which the project area is situated. It identifies known sites, their landform location and proximity to subsistence resources. It also provides the nature and extent of known sites as well as their distribution across the landscape, thereby enabling a site specific predictive model to be developed.

A search of the OEH AHIMS register has shown that 3 known Aboriginal sites are currently recorded within four kilometres of the project area and include one scar tree, one artefact site and one PAD with artefacts, all located 3.5 to 4 kilometres south of the project area. Researching both the regional and local archaeological contexts, the following archaeological patterning is evident:

- the majority of sites are located on elevated landforms within 50 metres of a reliable water source with a drop of site number and densities from 50 metres of water;
- the likelihood of finding sites of any size increases with proximity to water and the likelihood of finding large artefact scatters also increases markedly with proximity to water;
- the main site types are artefact scatters and isolated finds;
- the data suggests that slopes were the preferred location, however, this does not account for vertical movement of artefacts or sites being moved from flooding, flowing creeks etc.;
- mudstone, silcrete and tuff are by far the most common raw material types represented at sites in the region. Quartz and chert are the next most frequently in artefact assemblages followed by volcanic materials, porphyry and petrified wood. Siltstone, rhyolite and porcellanite are relatively rare;
- flakes, broken flakes and flaked pieces are the most common artefact types recorded;
- the stone artefacts are usually relatively dated to within the last 5,000 years; and

- the vast majority of artefactual material in the region was observed on exposures with good to excellent ground surface visibility.

3.1.1 PREDICTIVE MODEL

Just as the environmental context and the results of the regional and local archaeological contexts have assisted in formulating a predictive model, the predictive modeling has assisted in formulating the field investigation methodology (Section 4).

The AHIMS search and both the regional and local archaeological contexts, have shown that very limited sites are located within 4 kilometres of the project rea. Given its location from reliable fresh water supply and associated resources, archaeological evidence of the area is expected to include evidence of transitory activities such as hunting and gathering and travel to such resources. Such past Aboriginal Land uses manifest in the archaeological record as very low-density artefacts scatters and isolated finds. However, given the works associated with the construction of the existing facility in the project area, including excavation, soil removal, fill and structure construction, if evidences of past Aboriginal land uses were present in the project area, it would have been destroyed through these activities.

4 METHODS OF INVESTIGATION

There are two methods of investigation including the gathering of cultural significance knowledge and archaeological assessment. These are briefly outlined below.

4.1 GATHERING OF INFORMATION OF CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

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Proposed methods of gathering information of cultural significance are provided in the Cultural Heritage information packet.

All responses to the cultural information packet will be considered in the final methods which will adapt accordingly. Any other changes to the methods may occur on site in order adapt to unforseen field conditions.

4.2 ARCHAEOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT

This entails an archaeological assessment of the proposed project area. It includes the gathering of both environmental and archaeological information to gain an understanding of the environment, disturbances and provide a predictive model for the proposed project area.

Following the completion of the survey, a report that includes detailed environmental and archaeological background, results, discussion, the cultural significance as determined by the registered Aboriginal parties and mitigation measures will be provide to all registered parties for their review. This will also include opportunities for the registered Aboriginal parties to provide feedback on any management or mitigation recommendations. All registered parties will also be required to provide their own report/letter within a specified time and a copy of the final report will be provided to all parties. A summary of the regional and local archaeological contexts ism provided in order to assist in the development of a predictive model for the project area that will in turn assist in determining the survey methodology/strategy.

5 PROPOSED METHODS OF GATHERING INFORMATION ABOUT CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

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5.1 GATHERING OF INFORMATION OF CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

The aim of the cultural heritage assessment is to facilitate a process whereby RAPs can;

1) Contribute culturally appropriate information
2) Contribute to the proposed methodology
3) Provide information that will enable the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places within the project area to be determined.

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In some cases the information provided may be sensitive and MCH and the proponent will not share that information with all registered Aboriginal parties or others without the express permission of the individual. MCH and the proponent would like to develop and implement appropriate protocols for sourcing and holding cultural information.

5.2 IDENTIFYING KNOWLEDGE HOLDERS

The aim is to identify Traditional Owners/traditional knowledge holders who have knowledge that is relevant to the project area so that any potential effects of the project or activity on the Indigenous heritage values of objects and/or places can be identified.

It also aims to identify Indigenous people who may not necessarily be Traditional Owners/traditional knowledge holders but who do have interests in the area so that any effects of the project or activity on the Indigenous heritage values of objects and/or places, such as mission stations and historic buildings, will be identified.

MCH understands it is the Indigenous custom to elect knowledge holders and it is traditionally the Indigenous people who nominate who speak for country. Unfortunately, some RAPs and Government Departments have placed the onus of identifying traditional knowledge holders onto proponents and archaeologists. In order to do this, MCH are guided by the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW 2010), the Burra Charter (2013) and Ask First (2002) which provide guidelines to identify traditional knowledge holders.

Knowledge holders are defined as follows:

a) Traditional knowledge holder of specific, details knowledge pass directly by a traditional knowledge holder in a traditional manner YES/NO

b) Traditional knowledge holder of general knowledge pass directly by a traditional knowledge holder in a traditional manner YES/NO

c) Knowledge holder of recent information obtained through other means (such as, but not limited to, ethnographic sources, internet searches, assessment reports, personal experience etc). YES/NO

Knowledge holders have been initially identified through the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW 2010), Stage 1 (S. 4.1.1 to 4.1.2) that seeks to identify, notify and register Aboriginal people who hold cultural knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places in the area of the proposed project.

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Native Title Claimant Groups/individuals are acknowledged as knowledge holders due to the requirements through the Native Title Registration process. Native Title Claimant groups/individuals are also asked to further define the knowledge holder using the above defined knowledge holder criteria.

This process ensures consistent consultation for all RAPs and adheres to the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW 2010).

5.3 IDENTIFYING CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

Cultural significance is embodied in the place—in its fabric, setting, use, associations and meanings. It may exist in: objects at the place or associated with it; in other places that have some relationship to the place; and in the activities and traditional and customary practices that may occur at the place or that are dependent on the place. A place may be of cultural significance if it satisfies one or more of these criteria. Satisfying more criteria does not mean a place is necessarily more significant.

Only Aboriginal people who are descendants of the people from the traditional lands in which the project is situated can identify the cultural significance of their own cultural heritage.

The cultural significance of a place is assessed by analysing evidence gathered through the physical investigation of the place, research and consultation for this project in line with the Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (DECCW 2010), Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigations of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales (DECCW 2010) and the ICOMS Burra Charter (2013).

Part of the process is to evaluate its qualities against a set of criteria that are established for this purpose. The criteria used include those set out by the Burra Charter (see below).

5.4 VALUES AND QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER

The following values and questions are derived from the Burra Charter (2913) to facilitate your consideration when providing information on the cultural significance of any Aboriginal objects(s) and/or place(s). The criteria discussed below are a means to assess cultural significance in order to meet the

Government Departmental requirements. MCH understands that the method of assessing cultural significance presented may not be culturally appropriate and considered offensive to some; it is not intended to be so.

There are five terms or values, which are listed alphabetically in the Burra Charter, and are often included in Australian heritage legislation. Criteria are also used to help define cultural and natural significance, and there is now a nationally agreed set of heritage assessment criteria and each of these criteria may have tangible and intangible aspects and it is essential that both are acknowledged.

The five criteria include Aesthetic value, Historic value, Scientific value, Social value and Spiritual value. These are discussed below along with some questions for consideration when you consider reporting on the cultural significance.

5.4.1 AESTHETIC SIGNIFICANCE

Aesthetic value includes aspects of sensory perception for which criteria can and should be stated. It is how we respond to visual and non-visual aspects such as sounds, smells and other factors that can have a strong impact on your thoughts, feelings and attitudes. It may also include consideration of the form, scale, colour, texture and material and its beauty (Australia ICOMOS 2013).

When considering the aesthetic value and significance of a site and/or PAD, some questions to consider may include:

- Does the object or place have special compositional or uncommonly attractive qualities involving combinations of colour, textures, spaces, massing, detail, movement, unity, sounds, scents?
- Is the object or place distinctive within the setting or a prominent visual landmark?
- Does the object or place have qualities which are inspirational or which evoke strong feelings or special meanings?
- Is the object or place symbolic for its aesthetic qualities: for example, does it inspire artistic or cultural response, is it represented in art, photography, literature, folk art, folk lore, mythology or other imagery or cultural arts?
- Does the object or place display particular aesthetic characteristics of an identified style or fashion?
- Does the object or place show a high degree of creative or technical achievement?

5.4.2 HISTORIC SIGNIFICANCE

The historic value encompasses all aspects of history. For example it may include the history of aesthetics, art, science, society and spirituality. A place may have historic value because it has influenced, or has been influenced by, an historic figure, event, phase or activity. It may also have historic value as the site of an important event. For any given place the significance will be greater where evidence of the association or event survives in situ, or where the settings are substantially intact, than where it has been changed or evidence does not survive. However, some events or associations may be so important that the place retains significance regardless of subsequent treatment (Australia ICOMOS 2013).

When considering the historic value and significance of a site and/or PAD, some questions to consider may include:

- Is the object or place associated with an important event or theme in Awabakal and/or your history?
- Is the object or place important in showing patterns in the development of Awabakal and/or your history locally, in a region, or on a state-wide, or national or global basis?
- Does the object or place show a high degree of creative or technical achievement for a particular period?

- Is the object or place associated with a particular person or cultural group important in the history of the local area, state, nationally or globally?

5.4.3 SCIENTIFIC SIGNIFICANCE

The scientific value refers to the information content of a place and its ability to reveal more about an aspect of the past through examination or investigation of the place, including the use of archaeological techniques. The relative scientific value of a place is likely to depend on the importance of the information or data involved, on its rarity, quality or representativeness, and its potential to contribute further important information about the place itself or a type or class of place or to address important research questions (Australia ICOMOS 2013). Whilst the scientific value and significance will be discussed in detail in the Archaeological Heritage Impact Assessment report, it is important to consider this value when assessing the cultural values and significance of an object and/or place.

When considering the scientific value and significance of a site and/or PAD, you may consider:

- Would further investigation of the place have the potential to reveal substantial new information and new understandings about people, places, processes or practices which are not available from other sources?

5.4.4 SOCIAL VALUE

Social value refers to the associations a place has for a particular community or cultural group and the cultural or social meaning it has for that community or cultural group (Australia ICOMOS 2013).

When considering the social value and significance of a site and/or PAD, some questions to consider may include:

- Is the object or place important as a local marker or symbol?
- Is the object or place important as part of Awabakal community identity or the identity of another particular cultural group?
- Is the object or place important to the Awabakal people, community or other cultural group because of associations and meanings developed from long use and association?

5.4.5 SPIRITUAL VALUE

Spiritual value embraces the intangible values and meanings embodied in or evoked by a place which gives importance to the spiritual identity, or traditional knowledge, art and practices of a cultural group. Spiritual value may also be reflected in the intensity of aesthetic and emotional responses or community associations, and be expressed through cultural practices and related places (Australia ICOMOS 2013). The qualities of the place may inspire a strong and/or spontaneous emotional or metaphysical response in people, expanding their understanding of their place, purpose and obligations in the world, particularly in relation to the spiritual realm (Australia ICOMOS 2013).

When considering the spiritual value and significance of a site and/or PAD, some questions to consider may include:

- Does the object or place contribute to the spiritual identity or belief system of the Awabakal or another cultural group?
- Is the place a repository of knowledge, traditional art or lore related to spiritual practice of the Awabakal people or another a cultural group?

- Is the object or place important in maintaining the spiritual health and wellbeing of Awabakal people or another culture or group?
- Do the physical attributes of the object or place play a role in recalling or awakening an understanding of an individual or a group's relationship with the spiritual realm?
- Do the spiritual values of the object or place find expression in Awabakal cultural practices or human-made structures, or inspire creative works?

5.5 PROVIDING YOUR KKNOWLEDGE AND CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE INFORMATION

It is difficult to provide options that will ensure every individuals needs are met. In light of this, the following proposed options are provided are in no way the only options available. If you have alternative ways of providing your knowledge and cultural significance information please notify MCH to ensure we can facilitate your requirements where appropriate.

It is acknowledged and understands that the methods and options discussed are not traditional customs and some may take offence. MCH sincerely apologise for any offence taken as none is intended.

1) Discussion in the field during the survey
2) Written documentation (letter, e-mail, fax)
3) Meeting to discuss and/or provide written documentation
4) Formal interview with specific questions/answers and/or discussions
5) Phone conversation
6) Skype conversation
7) Using the attached form/questioner

5.6 PROPOSED CULTURAL HERITAGE ASSESSMENT REPORT

MCH will undertake the cultural heritage assessment as traditional knowledge holders/Traditional Owners and contemporary knowledge holders will be identified as set out above. The cultural heritage assessment will include, but not be limited to:

- Background ethnographic, historic and contemporary research of the Aboriginal people of the area, including but not limited to, past land uses, resources, customs and traditions where the information is available to examine connection to country throughout the past and into the future;
- Discussions with knowledge holders and those who identify themselves as having an interest in the project, taking into account that Indigenous people may have differing degrees of knowledge about heritage places and their importance;
- Discussion will also take place during the survey (as well as throughout the project) as requested by some knowledge holders;
- An additional focused field survey if required to identify, locate and record any Indigenous heritage values of objects and/or places in a manner that is appropriate;
- The writing of a cultural heritage assessment report with the knowledge holders and RAPs ensuring the content is appropriate and sensitive to the knowledge holders; and
- All detailed information provided will be confidential unless otherwise stipulated by the knowledge holders, however, in order to protect any Indigenous heritage values of objects and/or places, their location must be known (not necessarily documented in detail or mapped) in order to discuss the appropriate mitigation and management options and recommendations.

5.7 FORMS

You will find forms attached for your connivance. However, if you prefer to use your own please feel free to do so. Please ensure that these are either filled out in full or your own forms/letters answer the questions and return to MCH no later than 17 July 2019.

6 ARCHAEOLOGICAL INVESTIGATION METHODS

6.1.1 OBJECTIVES

The objective of the investigation is to determine whether subsurface cultural material exists in the areas identified as having archaeological potential. The detection of surface material will drive the management recommendations and mitigation measures to ensure that any significant cultural resources are identified and protected where possible or is subject to minimal impact by the proposed development.

The Archaeological investigation will be carried out in accordance with the OEH policy - *2010*, Section 2 and the OEH policy - *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010*.

6.1.2 ARCHAEOLOGICAL HERITAGE ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY & REPORT

Overall, the assessment will include, but not limited to, the following;

The provision of an Archaeological Heritage Impact Assessment Report that will include:

- Project background, including project description, detailed maps, legislative context, qualifications of the investigator
- Consultation outlining the process as per the OEH Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010
- Landscape context including, landforms, soils, geology, geomorphology, water sources, fauna and flora, history of land use and impacts and, natural impacts
- Archaeological context including review of previous regional and local work in the area, AHIMS search, summary and discussion of the local and regional character of Aboriginal land use and its material traces, occupation model and site specific predictive model
- Results that will include the survey results (see below for proposed survey methodology), detailed descriptions of landforms (survey units), vegetation cover, exposures, land uses and disturbances, site(s) and PAD(s). It will also include any analysis and discussion
- An assessment of scientific values and significance assessment
- An impact assessment
- Management and mitigation measures
- Recommendations
- References
- Appendices will include the AHIMS results and community consultation log and communications

6.1.3 PROPOSED SURVEY METHODOLOGY

The survey methodology is in accordance with the OEH policy - *Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigations of Aboriginal Objects in New South Wales 2010*, Section 2.2. This proposed methodology is subject to variation due to unforseen field conditions/constraints.

- Survey units identified based on landforms

- Transects will be via foot with the survey team spaced at 5-10 metres apart across the entire investigation area of impact
- Ground surface visibility recorded for each survey unit and given a % rating of vegetation cover
- Exposures recorded for each survey unit given a % rating of exposure and exposure type
- Using the effective coverage and exposure information, calculate the effective survey coverage for each survey unit and the entire investigation area
- Disturbances recorded for each survey unit
- Take representative photographs of survey units
- All sites and/or PADs recorded in each survey unit and accurately mapped

Sites and their boundaries will be defined as;

- The spatial extent of the visible objects or direct evidence of their location
- Obvious physical boundaries where present such as, but not limited to, mound sites, middens, ceremonial grounds, disturbances (i.e. road, building)
- Identification by the Aboriginal community on the basis of cultural information

All sites and PADs will include, but not limited to, the following:

- Site type and content
- Survey unit (landform)
- Distance from water sources
- Vegetation cover (if any)
- Exposure (if any)
- Disturbances (if any)
- GPS co-ordinates
- Identified site boundaries
- Potential for in situ deposits
- Photographs (with a metric scale)

6.1.4 RESEARCH QUESTIONS

The assessment is designed to address a number of research hypothesis. The research questions listed below derive from Kuskies (2005) detailed work in the region and are used here for consistency in analysis and discussions as well as local and regional comparative research.

- What past Aboriginal activities occurred within the project area?
- What types of past Aboriginal occupation occurred within the project area (e.g. transitory movement, hunting, gathering, camping etc)?
- Were the types of activity and nature of occupation related to environmental factors (e.g. landforms, proximity to reliable water)?
- Does spatial patterning of activity areas occur within the project area?
- Did single or multiple episodes of occupation occur within the project area?

- Did episodes of occupation occur at different times over the whole time-span of occupation in the region within the project area?
- Is there potential for older evidence of occupation (i.e. early Holocene)?
- How intensive was occupation of the sites, in both a local and regional context?
- Did microblade and microlith production occur on the sites?
- Were other tools manufactured on the sites?
- Was maintenance of tools conducted on site?
- Was knapping of flakes largely casual and opportunistic, meeting requirements on 'as needed' basis?
- What raw materials were favoured for use on site within the project area and why?
- Did thermal alteration of raw materials occur within the project area?
- How does the evidence and inferred human behaviour represented within the project area compare with evidence from other locations in the region?
- How does the evidence relate to the regional and local models of occupation?

7 ROLES, RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNCTIONS OF PARTIES

The roles, responsibilities and functions of all parties are outlined below and is taken from DECCW (2010).

7.1 OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENT AND HERITAGE (OEH)

The Director General of OEH is the decision-maker who decides to grant or refuse an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP) application. If an AHIP is issued, conditions are usually attached and OEH is responsible for ensuring the AHIP holder complies with those conditions. When considering an application under Part 6 of the NPW Act, the Director General will review the information provided by proponents in line with its internal policies and procedures to assess potential or actual harm to Aboriginal objects or places (DECCW, 2009).

The Environment Protection and Regulation Group (EPRG) of OEH is responsible for administering the regulatory functions under Part 6 of the NPW Act. OEH expects that proponents and Aboriginal people should:

- be aware that Part 6 of the NPW Act establishes the Director General or delegate of OEH as the decision-maker; and
- recognise that the Director General's (or delegates) decisions may not be consistent with the views of the Aboriginal community and/or the proponent. However, OEH will consider all relevant information it receives as part of its decision-making process.

7.2 PROPONENT

All proponents operate within a commercial environment which includes:

- strict financial and management issues, priorities and deadlines;
- the need to gain community support in order to secure any necessary approval/consent/ licence/permit to operate;
- the need for clearer processes and certainty of outcomes;
- the need for suitable access to land for the purpose of their development project;
- the need to work efficiently within the project's time, quality and cost planning and management parameters; and
- the need for culturally appropriate assessment findings relevant to their project.

Under these requirements, proponents should undertake the following:

- bring the registered Aboriginal parties or their nominated representatives together and be responsible for ensuring appropriate administration and management of the consultation process;
- consider the cultural perspectives, views, knowledge and advice of the registered Aboriginal parties involved in the consultation process in assessing cultural significance and developing any heritage management outcomes for Aboriginal object(s) and/or place(s);
- provide evidence to OEH of consultation by including information relevant to the cultural perspectives, views, knowledge and advice provided by the registered Aboriginal parties; and
- accurately record and clearly articulate all consultation findings in the final cultural heritage assessment report.

7.3 REGISTERED ABORIGINAL STAKEHOLDERS

The interests and obligations of Aboriginal people relate to the protection of Aboriginal cultural heritage. It is only Aboriginal people who can determine who is accepted by their community as being authorised to speak for Country and its associated cultural heritage. Where there is a dispute about who speaks for Country, it is appropriate for Aboriginal people, not OEH or the proponent, to resolve this dispute in a timely manner to enable effective consultation to proceed.

Aboriginal people who can provide information about cultural significance are, based on Aboriginal lore and customs, the traditional owners or custodians of the land that is the subject of the proposed project area. Traditional owners or custodians with appropriate cultural heritage knowledge necessary to make informed decisions who wish to register as an Aboriginal party are those people who:

- continue to maintain a deep respect for their ancestral belief system, traditional lore and customs;
- recognise their responsibilities of their community, knowledge and obligations to protect and conserve their culture and heritage and to care for their traditional lands or country; and
- have the trust of their community, knowledge and understanding of their culture and permission to speak about it.

The registered Aboriginal parties should undertake the following;

- ensure the appropriate cultural knowledge holder is providing the appropriate information;
- uphold and respect the traditional rights, obligations and responsibilities of Aboriginal people within their own boundaries and not to infringe in other areas or Aboriginal people outside their own boundaries;
- consider and provide the proponent the cultural perspectives, views, knowledge and advice during the consultation process, assessing cultural significance and developing any heritage management outcomes for Aboriginal object(s) and/or place(s); and
- need to work efficiently within the project's time and provide feedback in a timely manner.

7.4 LOCAL ABORIGINAL LAND COUNCILS

The NSW Aboriginal Land Council (NSWALC) and Local Aboriginal Land Councils (LALCs) have statutory functions relevant to the protection of Aboriginal culture and heritage under the NSW Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983. These requirements do not extend the role of NSWALC and LALCs in the significance assessment process. That is, these requirements do not provide NSWALC and/or LALCs any additional or specific decision-making role in the assessment of significance of Aboriginal object(s) and/or place(s) that are subject to an AHIP application under Part 6 of the NPW Act.

LALCs may choose to register an interest to be involved in the consultation process, or may assist registered Aboriginal parties to participate in the consultation process established by these requirements. In order to ensure effective consultation and the subsequent informed heritage assessment, LALCs are encouraged to identify and make contact with Aboriginal people who hold cultural knowledge in their area.

7.5 EMPLOYMENT

The proponent may engage a number of Aboriginal representatives from the registered parties (based on the size and nature of the project) to participate and assist in the fieldwork component of this project. If you would like to be considered for paid field work please answer the selection criteria attached and ensure you attach certificates of currency for the relevant insurances, CV(s), any certificates and references. MCH will then pass this information onto the proponent for their consideration to make the selection for

fieldwork participants should they wish to do so. MCH will ensure all Aboriginal parties are invited to participate in fieldwork; however paid participation is determined by the proponent.

7.6 FORMS

You will find forms attached for your connivance. However, if you prefer to use your own please feel free to do so. Please ensure that these are either filled out in full or your own forms/letters answer the questions and return to MCH no later than 17 July 2019.

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Appendix A

MCH would like to clearly state that, should you wish to provide feedback in another form, you are encouraged to do so. You are under no obligation to complete the current form.

However, should you wish to use this form, please complete, sign and return to MCH using one of the following;

Fax: 4952 5501

e-mail: mcheritage@iprimus.com.au

Postal address: MCH

PO Box 166

Adamstown, NSW 2289

ABORIGINAL STAKEHOLDER SITE OFFICER APPLICATION

Position description

A site officer must demonstrate that they have satisfactorily participated in previous archaeological fieldwork with an archaeologist. A trainee site officer does not need to demonstrate previous archaeological experience. Site officers must be able to:

- undertake direction from the project archaeologist
- work in a range of climates wearing protective clothing
- work in teams with a wide range of people
- identify a broad range of Aboriginal objects across the landscape

To qualify as a site officer, appropriate training in identifying Aboriginal objects must have been undertaken (such as the Office of Environment and Heritage's (OEH) sites awareness training course, or other relevant secondary or tertiary studies) or equivalent knowledge or experience must be demonstrated.

The duties of the site officer under the direction of the project archaeologist may include, but not limited to:

- walking the project area
- meeting general and site-specific Occupational Health and Safety requirements

Selection criteria

The proponent will offer positions based on the following key selection criteria:

- an individual's ability to undertake the tasks specified above
- an individual's availability to undertake the activity (physically able to undertake field work)
- an individual's experience in undertaking similar activities. Applications may be subject to a reference check
- individuals with demonstrated cultural knowledge relevant to the local area
- individuals who can demonstrate they can communicate the results of the field work back to their managers and RAPs
- In addition to a consideration of the key selection criteria, the Proponent may give preference to applicants who live locally.

The proponent is under no obligation to offer site officer positions based on an individual's association with a cultural group or area. The proponent makes no guarantee that registered parties will be engaged to undertake archaeological field activities. The number of site officer positions available will be based on need as described in the archaeological methodology. However, MCH will ensure all registered stakeholders are invited to participate in the survey regardless of engagement arrangements between the stakeholder(s) and the proponent. Applicants will be notified whether they have been successful or unsuccessful in their application.

Engagement

The Proponent selects and has final approval on who will be engaged as a site officer. Successful applicants will be engaged to provide the services through a written contract that will be provided at a later date. The proponent will only engage Service Providers with NSW workers compensation insurance, public liability insurance, and comprehensive motor vehicle insurance or third party property damage insurance.

Payment

The proponent will pay the Service Provider at a rate that will be based on the project budget. The quoted rate is the rate to be paid by the Proponent to the Service Provider - not to the individual site officer/trainee site officer. The site officer/trainee site officer will be paid by the Service Provider at a rate agreed to by the Service Provider and the site officer/trainee site officer. Payment will only be made for the provision of the services (actual hours worked), and not for the time spent travelling to and from site. Payment will be made upon the receipt of a cultural heritage report and receipt of your response to the draft report.

ABORIGINAL SITE OFFICER APPLICATION FORM

Yennora resource processing facility

An Aboriginal site officer application form must be filled out for each individual seeking engagement as a site officer.	
Name of organisation (if relevant)	
Name	
Contact number	
Mailing address	
Email address	
Fax	
Position applied for	Site officer ☐ Trainee Site Officer ☐
Please list any formal qualifications or relevant experience to the position applied for (attach documentation as required)	
Please list any previous archaeological, sites, survey, excavation or other relevant experience (attach additional sheets as required)	
Please provide the contact details of at least one archaeologist (other than the project archaeologist) who can be contacted as a referee	

INSURANCES		
Public Liability	Expiry date:	(attach certificate of currency)
Worker Compensation	Expiry date: :	(attach certificate of currency)
Comprehensive Motor Vehicle	Expiry date: :	(attach certificate of currency)

Failure to provide up to date Certificate of Currencies will prevent you participating in any fieldwork. MCH may have received copies previously, however, they must be provided for each project.

OCCUPATIONAL Health & SAFETY (OH&S)

All participants are required to comply with MCH and the proponents OH&S requirements.

This includes high visibility clothing, hat, sunscreen and steel caped boots. You will be advised of any additional requirements.

This also includes appropriate and acceptable behaviour at all times.

Failure to comply will prevent you from participating in the field work.

COMMENTS ON PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

Yennora resource processing facility

I, _____ (*please insert your name*) of _____ (*please insert the name of your group*), **agree to the methodology** outlined by MCH in relation to gathering information about cultural significance:

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Signed: _____ Date: _____

Position within organisation: _____

I, _____ (*please insert your name*) of _____ (*please insert the name of your group*), **do not agree to the methodology** outlined by MCH in relation to gathering information about cultural significance for the following reasons (*please explain your reasons for disagreeing):*

_____

_____

I would like to suggest the following (please provide your reasoning):_____

_____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Position within organisation: _____

PROVIDING KNOWLEDGE ABOUT CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE

Yennora resource processing facility

Company Name):_____

Contact:_____

Postal address:_____

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Mobile No:_____

E-Mail:_____

Date:_____

I would like to provide knowledge about cultural significance using the following method(s). Please tick your preferred method(s):

1) Discussion in the field during the survey
2) Written documentation (letter, e-mail, fax)
3) Meeting to discuss and/or provide written documentation
4) Formal interview with specific questions/answers and/or discussions
5) Phone conversation
6) Skype conversation
7) Using the attached form/questioner

Other: Please provide details:

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Attention McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd **Date:**

Subject: 14 Kiora Crescent Yennora

Dear Penny

Our group is a non- profit organisation that has been active for over forty years in Western Sydney, we are a Darug community group with over three hundred members. The main aim in our constitution is the care of Darug sites, places, wildlife and to promote our culture and provide education on the Darug history.

The Yennora area is an area that our group has a vast knowledge of, we have worked and lived in for many years, this area is significant to the Darug people due to the connection of sites and the continued occupation. Our group has been involved in all previous assessments and works in this area as a traditional owner Darug group for the past 40 plus years.

Therefore we would like to register our interest for full consultation and involvement in the above project area.

Please contact us with all further enquiries on the above contacts.

Regards



Justine Coplin

Penny McCardle

From: Penny McCardle <mcheritage@iprimus.com.au>
Sent: Monday, 24 June 2019 11:25 AM
To: 'justinecoplin@optusnet.com.au'
Subject: RE: reg of interest Yennora

HI Justine,

Unfortunately the closing date for registration was the 19th. I can send you a copy of the final report if you like?

Kind regards,

Dr. Penny McCardle
Archaeologist
Forensic Anthropologist

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14 July 2019

Darren Duncan
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Dear Darren,

RE: OEH Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (Stage 3) – Survey invitation and letter of engagement- Proposed increase to the existing Resource Processing Facility (liquid waste processing facility) at Yenora

The proponent (Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent Think Planners Pty Ltd) has received a number of applications and after careful consideration has selected whom they wish to engage in a paid capacity. The proponent and MCH would like to advise that your application for paid participation has been successful. MCH would like to organise the survey for the above-named project for the 1st August 2019starting at 10am on site. We anticipate work will be complete within half an hour, however, please be advised this time may change.

As part of the assessment process the proponent require an appropriate person from your organisation to participate in the survey of the study area to identify known or potential cultural heritage features. A cultural heritage report must be prepared following the survey and receipt of the draft archaeological report within the required 28 days review period. The cultural heritage report will identify known or potential Aboriginal objects or places and/or any other cultural heritage matters that may be affected by the project.

Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent Think Planners Pty Ltd and MCH wishes to reiterate our intent to positively engaging with the local Aboriginal community. In this spirit an invitation has been extended to all registered applicants to attend the survey. If you accept the terms outlined in the Letter of Engagement (attached) please sign the Letter of Engagement and return to McCardle Cultural Heritage. Participation in the program is dependent on the receipt of the Letter of engagement and insurance certificate of currencies.

As all communications, including phone calls, faxes, letters, and e-mails must be included in the consultation component of the report as per the OEH requirements, please ensure that any items that you or your group deem confidential are made apparent to your field representative prior to field work to ensure that information remains confidential if required. Failure to disclose that information is confidential may result in the information being included in the report.

Should you have any questions regarding these terms and conditions or the project please contact myself on 0412 702 396.

Yours sincerely,
for McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd



Penny McCardle
Principal Archaeologist
Forensic Anthropologist

Aboriginal Site Officer/Trainee Site Officer

Letter of Engagement

Baini Design on behalf of the Proponent Think Planners Pty Ltd wishes to engage Gandangara LALC (Service Provider) to provide one Site Officer to undertake an archaeological survey of the proposed development at Yenora.

The proponent and Service Provider agree to the terms and conditions of the engagement as follows:

Services
The Service Provider will engage the one Site Officer to undertake the following:

- Archaeological survey of the project area
- a cultural heritage report and invoice within 28 days of receiving the draft report from MCH

Fees
The proponent will pay the following Fees to the Service Provider for Services:

- $75.00 + GST per person per hour for work undertaken by a Site Officer

Payment will be within 28 days of receipt of a correct invoice and cultural heritage report. Invoices are to be provided at the end of the month.

Invoices are to be addressed to:
Proponent Think Planners Pty Ltd
C/o MCH
mcheritage@iprimus.com.au

Time sheets
The Service provider must ensure that the Site Officers sign a time sheet at the start and finish of each day the Services are provided. Fees will not be paid unless time sheets for each Site Officer has been completed. The archaeologist will have a time sheet that may be used.

Work performance
The Service Provider must ensure that the Site Officers are fit for work, undertake the Services in a timely manner, with reasonable care, skill and professionalism and in accordance with all applicable laws and any reasonable directions or requirements made by the proponent and/or MCH.

Absences
All field staff must call MCH the evening before work to notify their absence for the following day and organise for a replacement. If no notice is provided, that staff members place in the field team will be suspended until MCH are notified they will be back at work. It is the responsibility of the Service Provider to organise a replacement site officer from the list of persons provided to MCH at the start of the project.

Proponent and MCH property
All materials and equipment provided by MCH or the proponent during the term of engagement remain the property of MCH or the proponent and must be returned upon completion of the Services or termination of the agreement.

Confidentially
All information provided by MCH or the proponent to the Service Provider and/or Site Officer in relation to the services or the business or operations of the proponent and MCH are confidential. The Service Provider will ensure it and the Site Officer keep such information confidential at all times (including after the completion of the Services) and must not disclose it to any other person without the prior written consent from the proponent and/or MCH.

OH&S Requirements
Before commencement of work you must provide MCH with certificate of currencies for Workers Comp and Public Liability. Field representatives participating in the survey will be required to wear steel cap boots, long pants and long shirt (hi-visibility) with appropriate sun protection including a hat. It is recommended that participants bring adequate amounts of food and water for the day.

Early termination
The proponent reserves the right to terminate this agreement at any time by giving 1 week written notice to the Service Provider. If the proponent terminates this agreement under this clause, then, subject to satisfactory performance of the Services, the proponent will pay the Service provider a proportionate part of the Fee according to the amount or proportion of Services supplied up to the date of termination.

No subcontracting
The Service Provider must not subcontract the provision of the Services without the proponent's prior written consent.

Insurances
The Service Provider must provide certificates of currency for Workers Comp, Public Liability and Comprehensive Motor vehicle insurances prior to the Services being provided.

Indemnity and release
The Service Provider undertakes the Services at its sole risk and the proponent and MCH will not be liable for any loss, damage, injury or death sustained by any person as a result of the Services being provided.

The Service provider indemnifies and releases the proponent and MCH against any loss the proponent or MCH suffers or any claims made against the proponent or MCH by any person arising out of the provisions of the Services except to the extent that nay loss or claims arise from any negligence by the proponent or MCH.

Variations
No changes to these terms can be made without the prior written agreement with the proponent.

Exclusion of other terms
This letter contains the sole agreement of the parties and all other terms are excluded.

If you agree that the contents of this letter correctly set out the terms of engagement between the proponent and your organisation then please sign both copies, keep one for yourself, and return the other signed copy to MCH within 10 days.

Acceptance (Yennora)

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Sent: Tuesday, 16 July 2019 2:40 PM
To: Penny McCardle
Cc: Ruth Sheridan; Melissa Williams
Subject: RE: Yenora Survey

Hi Penny

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Regards,

Darren Duncan

Culture and Heritage Officer

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Gandangara LALC acknowledges the Cabrogal Clan and the Darug Nation as the traditional custodians of the land and as such pays deep respect to the Elders past and present. We also acknowledge that the Dhurawal and Darug Nations continue to have a long standing relationship with this country and its people.

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AHIMS Web Services (AWS)
Search Result

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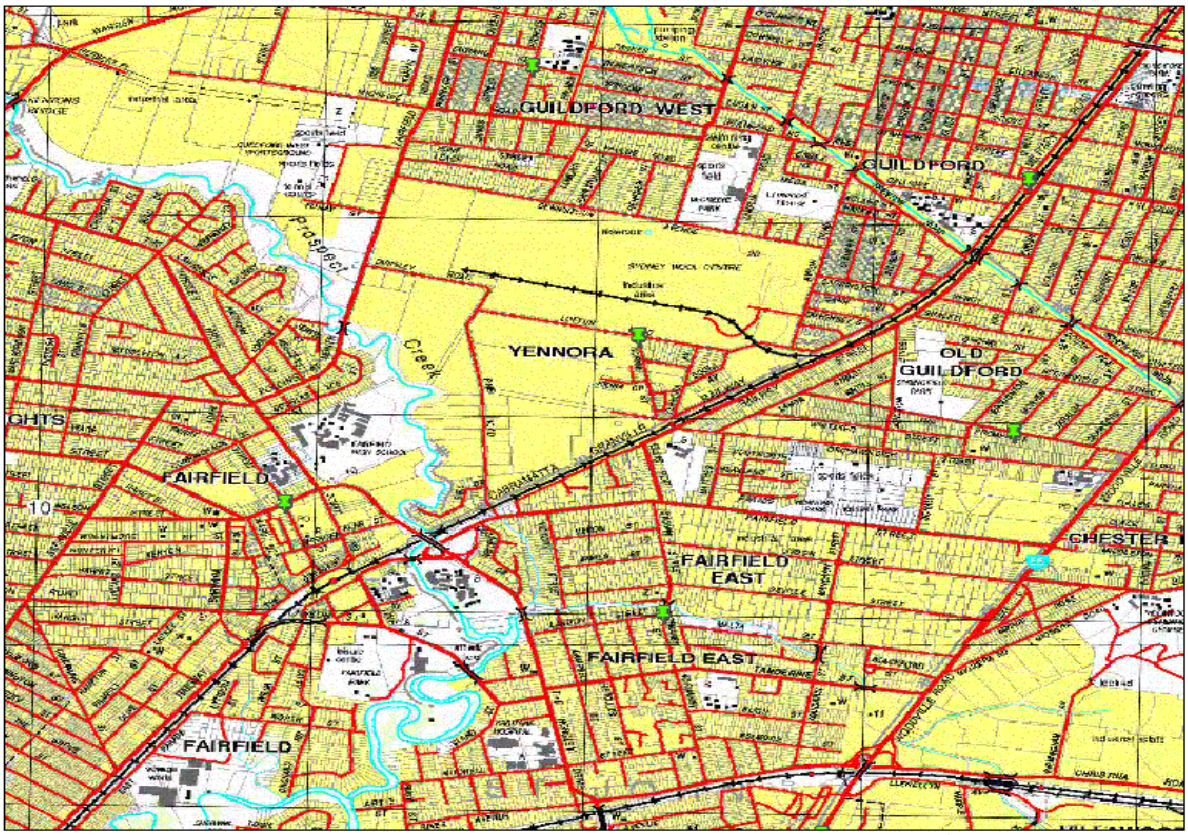
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Extensive search - Site list report

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SiteID	SiteName	Datum	Zone	Easting	Northing	Context	Site Status	SiteFeatures	SiteTypes	Reports
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Attachment 4: Biodiversity Development Assessment Report Waiver (Ecological Consultants Australia Pty Ltd)

Biodiversity Development Assessment Report Wavier

Liquid waste treatment facility at 14 Kiora Crescent Yennora

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Executive Summary

This Biodiversity Development Assessment Report Wavier has been prepared for Benbow Environmental. It relates to the proposed modification of a Liquid waste treatment facility at 14 Kiora Crescent Yennora. The site is currently owned by the proponent (Enviro Waste Services Group Pty Ltd) and operates as a Liquid waste treatment facility.

Actions of the proposed development include an increase in processing capabilities of the liquid waste Facility onsite. There will be no major changes to the building design and form. Minimal construction works are required for the proposed development. The proposed modifications will not result in removal of existing vegetation or a change to landscaping of the site as the site is already developed. The site is not in close proximity to any critical habitats. The flora and fauna impacts are considered negligible.

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1 Admin

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Project ID	N/A (Pre SSD application)
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2 Site Details

Street address - 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora NSW 2161.

Lot/ DP - Lot 49 / DP18211

Local Government area - Cumberland local government area

2.1 Description of existing development site

The site is currently owned by the proponent, Enviro Waste, and is already operating as a liquid waste treatment facility. The facility consists of a tank farm, filtration equipment, processing tanks, bunded areas, sump collection pits, odour control devices, unloading and loading areas, office and amenities.

2.2 Site map and landscape

The site is located approximately 6.9km south-west of Parramatta CBD (figure 1.0)

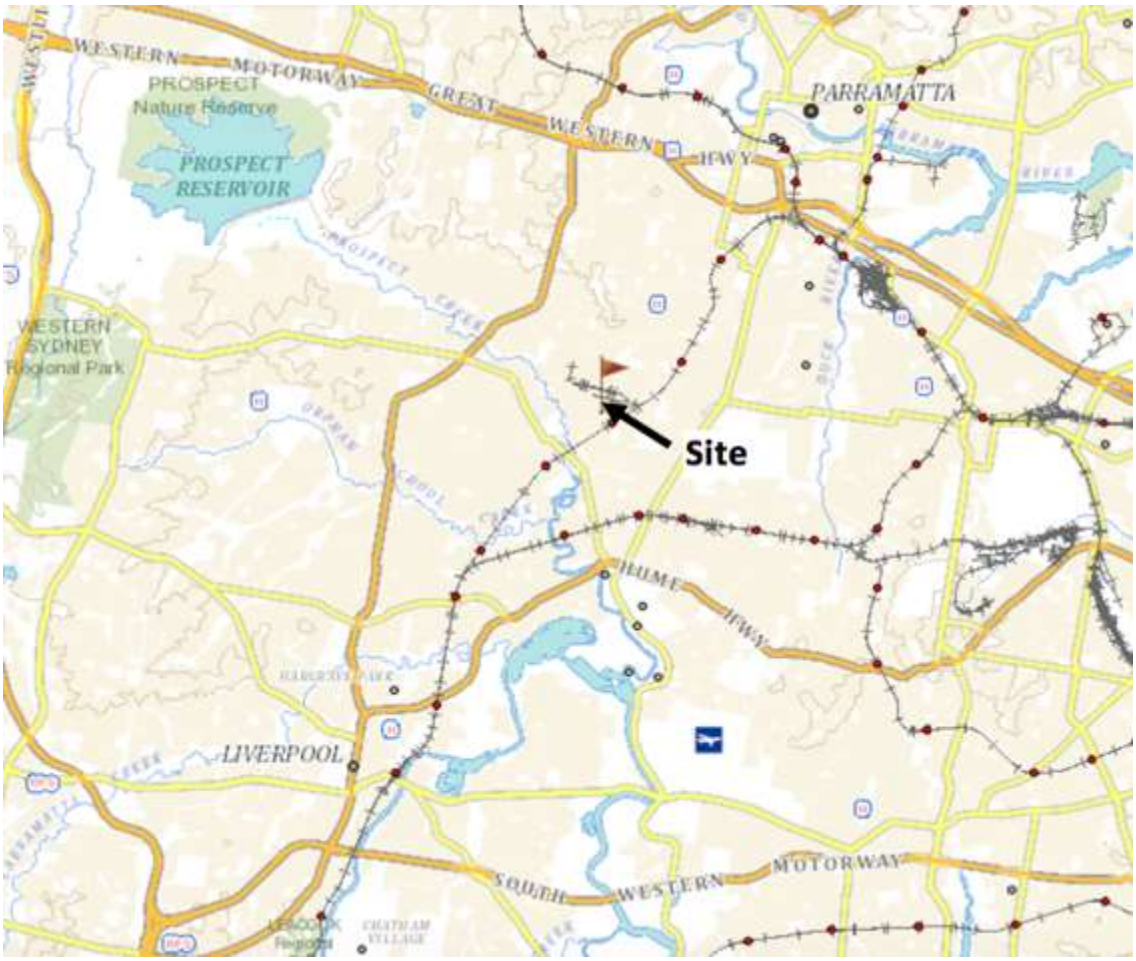


Figure 1.0. Location of the site, landscape perspective.

Source: NSW Six maps

The site is located approximately 1.4km north-east of Fairfield CBD (figure 1.1)



Figure 1.1. Location of the site, local perspective.

Source: NSW Six maps

The site does not impact any PCT or ecological community. The following figures 1.2 and 1.3 display the site and surrounding PCTs identified by NSW SEED mapping.





Figure 1.2. A landscape perspective of vegetation cover and mapped PCTs. Site does not impact any PCT.

Source: NSW Six maps





Figure 1.3. A local perspective of the site, landscaped vegetation in the immediate surrounding area.

Source: NSW Six maps

3 Proposed Development

3.1 Project Description

The proposed development involves increasing processing capabilities of the liquid waste recycling facility located at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora. The proposed development seeks approval to increase the processing quantities from 900 tonnes per annum to 100,000 tonnes per annum, and increase the maximum quantity to be stored at any one time from 110 tonnes to 200 tonnes. There will be no major changes to the building design and form. Minimal construction works are required for the proposed development. All construction activities will take place within the existing building footprint.

3.1.1 Proposed site use

The facility would receive an increased quantity of liquid wastes that it is already licenced to receive including:

- Residues from industrial waste treatment/disposal operations – landfill leachates (N205);
- Liquid waste material in glass, plastic or aluminium containers;
- Surface active agents (surfactants) containing principally organic constituents and which may contain metals and inorganic materials (M250);
- Waste oil/hydrocarbons mixtures/emulsions in water (J120);
- Sewage sludge & residues (K130); and
- Grease trap waste (K110).

The operation of the facility involves the following activities to be undertaken on site:

- Unloading and loading of liquid waste from tanker trucks;
- Filtration of solid debris;
- Separation of solids;
- Separation of oils and sludge; and
- Separation of oil and water;

The increased processes quantities would utilise the existing equipment onsite.

3.1.2 Proposed activities onsite

The purpose of the facility is to receive waste liquids and process the liquid so suitably cleaned water is removed for discharge to tradewaste and remaining sludges are sent on by a licenced waste contractor to be further processed, predominantly as grease trap waste.

The processes involved in the site operations are as follows:

- Waste liquids are collected from sites throughout the Sydney Metropolitan Area. Most of the liquids are collected from special purpose tanks which separate the solid residues from the liquids, minimising the solids collected. The waste liquids are collected via vacuum tankers. Some of the liquids are delivered or picked up by a small truck in IBCs (1000 L containers)
- The liquids are delivered to the recycling facility. The unloading area is located inside the factory building. The waste liquids are pumped from the tankers using pumps within the facility (not the tanker pump) through filters to remove any residue fine solids and then into one of the storage tanks.
- The waste liquid is pumped from the storage tanks, into the tank adjacent to the DAF (tank 1) and then into the DAF (Dissolved air flotation) which separates the solid and oil from the water.
- Waste water from the DAF is discharged to the Sydney Water sewer under a Trade Wastewater Agreement.
- Oil and sludge is transferred from the DAF to small storage tanks.
- This oil and sludge waste is removed from site by a licenced waste contractor to be processed as grease trap waste.

3.1 Site Plan

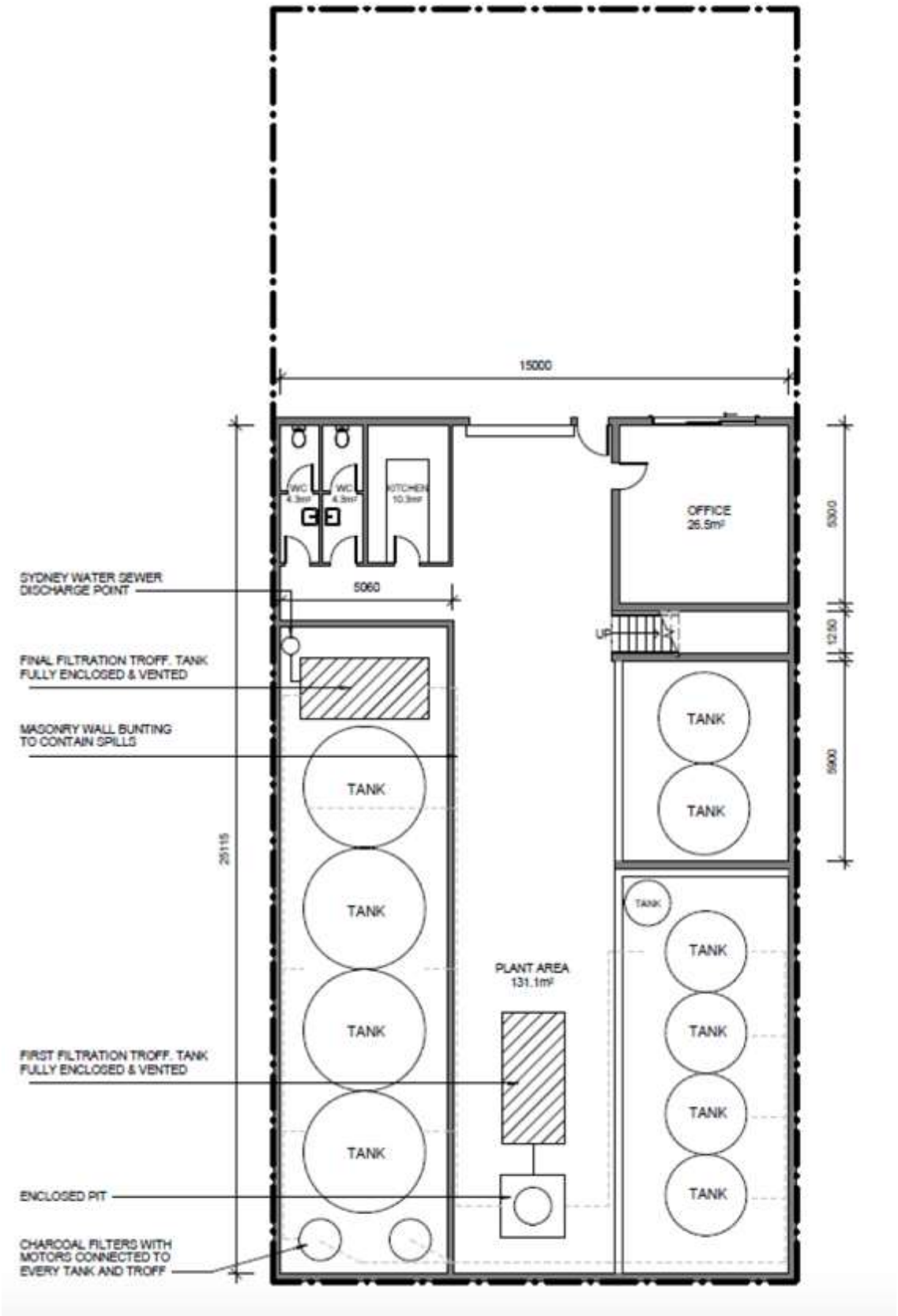


Figure 2.0. Site Plan for the proposed development at 14 Kiora Crescent, Yennora.

4 Impacts on biodiversity values

4.1 Vegetation abundance 1.4(b) BC Regulation

The proposed development will not result in removal of existing vegetation or a change to landscaping of the site as the site is already developed. The site is not in close proximity to any critical habitats. The flora and fauna impacts are considered negligible

4.2 Vegetation integrity 1.5(2)(a) BC Act

There are no habitat features for and threatened flora or fauna present onsite. Bionet species sighting accessed via the NSW SEED mapping portal has also confirmed that no threatened species or communities are present on site.

1. karst, caves, crevices, cliffs and other geological features of significance

No features present onsite.

2. rocks

No features present onsite.

3. human-made structures

There will be no major changes to the building design and form. Minimal construction works are required for the proposed development. It is expected not to be used by threatened species (i.e. mircobats) as it is not critical habitat for the species.

4. non-native vegetation (prescribed under clause 6.1(1)(a) of the BC Regulation).

Non-native vegetation will not be modified during this development. All activities will be confined to the existing building footprint.

4.3 Threatened species abundance 1.4(a) BC Regulation

The development will not modify any vegetation or features outside of the existing building footprint. No critical habitat features for threatened flora or fauna will be modified. The existing building will not be demolished, only modified. Therefore, no human-made habitat features will be lost. No waterways will be modified by this development.

Vehicle Impacts

A traffic and parking assessment will be undertaken for the proposed development. It is expected that vehicle strikes on threatened species of animals or on animals that are part of a threatened ecological community would not increase. This conclusion has been drawn as there is a lack of significant habitat features in the immediate vicinity and absence of recordings of threatened species surrounding the site.

4.4 Threatened species movement1.4(d) BC Regulation

Habitat connectivity

The proposed modifications will not result in removal of existing vegetation or a change to landscaping of the site as the site is already developed. There are no connectivity features currently onsite, thus the development will not impact landscape connectivity. The building is being modified and minimal construction activities are taking place.

4.5 Flight path integrity 1.4(e) BC Regulation

The development will not impact flight paths of protected fauna. The development will not exceed the height of the existing building and all construction activities will take place within the existing building footprint. There is a lack of habitat features in the immediate surrounds that protected fauna would access.

4.6 Water sustainability 1.4(f) BC Regulation

The development will not impact any waterbodies. There are no waterbodies or aquatic features onsite. Site runoff or other associated impacts arising from construction activities will be contained and managed onsite.