

# PENRITH CITY COUNCIL

## NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

### DESCRIPTION OF DEVELOPMENT

Application number:	DA15/1236
Description of development:	Demolition of Existing Garage & Fit-Out & Use of Existing Dwelling as Health Consulting Rooms
Classification of development:	Class 9a

### DETAILS OF THE LAND TO BE DEVELOPED

Legal description:	Lot 15B DP 344265
Property address:	77 Lethbridge Street, PENRITH NSW 2750

### DETAILS OF THE APPLICANT

Name & Address:	Richard Hogan & Co Pty Ltd PO Box 4365 PENRITH PLAZA NSW 2750
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### DECISION OF CONSENT AUTHORITY

In accordance with Section 81(1) (a) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, consent is granted subject to the conditions listed in attachment 1.

Please note that this consent will lapse on the expiry date unless the development has commenced in that time.

Date from which consent operates	25 January 2016
Date the consent expires	25 January 2018
Date of this decision	21 January 2016

## POINT OF CONTACT

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If you have any questions regarding this determination you should contact:

Assessing Officer:	Kate Smith
Contact telephone number:	+612 4732 7705

## NOTES

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### **Reasons**

The conditions in the attached schedule have been imposed in accordance with Section 80A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 as amended.

### **Conditions**

Your attention is drawn to the attached conditions of consent in attachment 1.

### **Certification and advisory notes**

You should also check if this type of development requires a construction certificate in addition to this development consent

It is recommended that you read any Advisory Note enclosed with this notice of determination.

### **Review of determination**

The applicant may request Council to review its determination pursuant to Section 82A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 within 6 months of receiving this Notice of Determination.

You cannot make this request if the development is Designated Development, Integrated Development or State Significant development or if the application was decided by a Joint Regional Planning Panel.

### **Appeals in the Land and Environment Court**

The applicant can appeal against this decision in the Land and Environment Court within six (6) months of receiving this Notice of Determination.

You cannot appeal if a Commission of Inquiry was held for the subject development application, or if the development is a State Significant Development.

An appeal to the Land and Environment Court is made by lodging an application to the Court in accordance with the Rules of the Court.

### **Designated development**

If the application was for designated development and a written objection was made in respect to the application, the objector can appeal against this decision to the Land and Environment Court within 28 days after the date of this notice. The objector cannot appeal if a Commission of Inquiry was held.

If the applicant appeals against this decision, objector(s) will be given a notice of the appeal and the objector(s) can apply to the Land and Environment Court within 28 days after the date of this appeal notice to attend the appeal and make submissions at that appeal.

### **Joint Regional Planning Panels**

If the application was decided by a Joint Regional Planning Panel, please refer to Section 23H of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979 (as amended) for any further regulations.

# ATTACHMENT 1: CONDITIONS OF CONSENT

## General

- 1 The development must be implemented substantially in accordance with the following plans stamped approved by Council, the application form, and any supporting information received with the application, except as may be amended in red on the attached plans and by the following conditions.

Drawing	Drawing Ref	Revision	Prepared By	Dated
Architectural Plans	01 - 10	A	Bio-Building Design Pty Ltd	29/06/2015
Landscape Plan	1614LAN1	A	Bio Engineered Solutions Pty Ltd	19/08/2015
Stormwater Drainage	102236-1	-	Kneebone, Beretta & Hall Pty Ltd	25/08/2015

- 2 **The development shall not be used or occupied until an Occupation Certificate has been issued.**

- 3 The health care consulting rooms shall not:

- involve more than one (1) health care professional operating from the site at any one time,
- provide health care services to persons other than outpatients of the health care consulting room,
- employ more than one (1) employee in connection with the health care services provided by the health care consulting room,
- involve any procedures such as x-rays, ultrasounds, cat scan, radiography, pathology tests or the like.

- 4 The approved operating hours are from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday to Friday, and 8:00 am to 12:00 pm Saturday. Delivery and service vehicles generated by the development are limited to these times.

- 5 The finishes of all structures and buildings are to be maintained at all times and any graffiti or vandalism immediately removed/repaired.

- 6 A **Construction Certificate** shall be obtained prior to commencement of any building works.

## Demolition

- 7 The existing secondary dwelling (granny flat) is to be demolished as part of the approved work.

- 8 All demolition works are to be conducted in accordance with the provisions of AS 2601-1991 "The Demolition of Structures". **Prior to demolition**, all services shall be suitably disconnected and capped off or sealed to the satisfaction of the relevant service authority requirements.

All demolition and excavated material shall be disposed of at a Council approved site or waste facility. Details of the proposed disposal location(s) of all excavated material from the development site shall be provided to the Principal Certifying Authority **prior to commencement of demolition**.

- 9 You should read Council's Fact Sheet titled "Handling and Disposal of Fibrous Cement Products" **before any demolition works commence on the site**.

**Prior to commencement of demolition works on site**, a portaloos with appropriate washing facilities shall be located on the site and the Principal Certifying Authority is to be satisfied that:

- Measures are in place so as to comply with the WorkCover Authority's "Short Guide to Working with Asbestos Cement" and
- The person employed to undertake the works is a licensed asbestos removal contractor and is holder of a current WorkCover Asbestos Licence.

Any demolition works involving the removal of all asbestos shall only be carried out by a licensed asbestos removal contractor who has a current WorkCover Asbestos Licence.

All asbestos laden waste, including asbestos cement flat and corrugated sheeting must be disposed of at a tipping facility licensed by the Environmental Protection Authority to receive asbestos wastes.

- 10 Dust suppression techniques are to be employed during demolition to reduce any potential nuisances to surrounding properties.
- 11 Mud and soil from vehicular movements to and from the site must not be deposited on the road.
- 12 Demolition works will be restricted to the following hours in accordance with the NSW Environment Protection Authority Noise Control Guidelines:
  - Mondays to Fridays, 7am to 6pm
  - Saturdays, 7am to 1pm (if inaudible on neighbouring residential premises), otherwise 8am to 1pm
  - No demolition work is permitted on Sundays and Public Holidays.

In the event that the demolition relates to works inside the building and do not involve external walls or the roof, and do not involve the use of equipment that emits noise then the demolition works are not restricted to the hours stated above.

The provisions of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997 in regulating offensive noise also apply to all construction works.

## Environmental Matters

- 13 Erosion and sediment control measures shall be installed **prior to the commencement of works on site** including approved clearing of site vegetation. The erosion and sediment control measures are to be maintained in accordance with the approved erosion and sediment control plan(s) for the development and the Department of Housing's "Managing Urban Stormwater: Soils and Construction" 2004.

(Note: To obtain a copy of the publication, you should contact Landcom on (02) 98418600).

- 14 No fill material is to be imported to the site without the prior approval of Penrith City Council in accordance with Sydney Regional Environmental Plan No.20 (Hawkesbury- Nepean River) (No.2-1997). No recycling of material for use as fill material shall be carried out on the site without the prior approval of Council.
- 15 All waste materials stored on-site are to be contained within a designated area such as a waste bay or bin to ensure that no waste materials are allowed to enter the stormwater system or neighbouring properties. The designated waste storage areas shall provide at least two waste bays / bins so as to allow for the separation of wastes, and are to be fully enclosed when the site is unattended.

- 16 All excavated material and other wastes generated as a result of the development are to be re-used, recycled or disposed of in accordance with the approved waste management plan.

Waste materials not specified in the approved waste management plan are to be disposed of at a lawful waste management facility. Where the disposal location or waste materials have not been identified in the waste management plan, details shall be provided to the Certifying Authority as part of the waste management documentation accompanying the Construction Certificate application.

All receipts and supporting documentation must be retained in order to verify lawful disposal of materials and are to be made available to Penrith City Council on request.

- 17 The operating noise level of plant and equipment shall not exceed 5dB(A) above the background noise level when measured at the boundaries of the premises. The provisions of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 apply to the development, in terms of regulating offensive noise.
- 18 Only clean and unpolluted water is to be discharged into Penrith City Council's stormwater drainage system. Liquid wastes suitable for discharge to the mains sewer are to be discharged in accordance with Sydney Water requirements.

If mains sewer is not available or if Sydney Water will not allow disposal to the sewer then a licensed waste contractor is to remove the liquid waste from the premises to an appropriate waste facility.

The waste contractor and waste facility are to hold the relevant licenses issued by the NSW Environment Protection Authority.

## **BCA Issues**

- 19 All aspects of the building design shall comply with the applicable performance requirements of the Building Code of Australia so as to achieve and maintain acceptable standards of structural sufficiency, safety (including fire safety), health and amenity for the on-going benefit of the community. Compliance with the performance requirements can only be achieved by:

(a) complying with the deemed to satisfy provisions, or

(b) formulating an alternative solution which:

- complies with the performance requirements, or
- is shown to be at least equivalent to the deemed to satisfy provision, or

(c) a combination of (a) and (b).

- 20 Access and sanitary facilities for persons with disabilities are to be provided and maintained in accordance with the requirements of the Building Code of Australia and AS 1428 "Design for Access and Mobility".

- 21 The owner of a building, to which an essential fire safety measure is applicable, shall provide Penrith City Council with an annual fire safety statement for the building. The annual fire safety statement for a building must:

(a) deal with each essential fire safety measure in the building premises, and

(b) be given:

- within 12 months after the last such statement was given, or
- if no such statement has previously been given, within 12 months after a final fire safety certificate was

first issued for the building.

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As soon as practicable after the annual fire safety statement is issued, the owner of the building to which the statement relates:

- must also provide a copy of the statement (together with a copy of the current fire safety schedule) to the Commissioner of New South Wales Fire Brigades, and
- prominently display a copy of the statement (together with a copy of the current fire safety schedule) in the building.

22 A portable fire extinguisher is to be installed and an installation certificate obtained prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate.

## **Health Matters and OSSM installations**

23 Public waiting areas and toilets in the premises shall be maintained in a clean and hygienic condition free from a build up of waste at all times.

24 Suitably constructed waste disposal containers with securely fitting lids must be kept on the property for the storage of any clinical, contaminated waste or related waste prior to final disposal of the material at a facility approved by the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage. A licensed clinical waste contractor must be engaged to collect and dispose of all clinical waste generated on site and produced to Council upon request. Receipts of service must be kept on site specifying the volume collected and the dates of service.

25 The use of the premises must not give rise to the emission of gases, vapours, dusts or other impurities which are a nuisance, injurious or prejudicial to health or the environment. The operation of the premises must be in accordance with the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997* and associated Regulations.

## Construction

26 Prior to the commencement of construction works:

(a) Toilet facilities at or in the vicinity of the work site shall be provided at the rate of one toilet for every 20 persons or part of 20 persons employed at the site. Each toilet provided must be:

- a standard flushing toilet connected to a public sewer, or
- if that is not practicable, an accredited sewage management facility approved by the council, or
- alternatively, any other sewage management facility approved by council.

(b) All excavations and backfilling associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be executed safely and in accordance with the appropriate professional standards. All excavations associated with the erection or demolition of a building must be properly guarded and protected to prevent them from being dangerous to life or property.

(c) If an excavation associated with the erection or demolition of a building extends below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment of land, the person causing the excavation to be made:

- must preserve and protect the building from damage, and
- if necessary, must underpin and support the building in an approved manner, and
- must, at least 7 days before excavating below the level of the base of the footings of a building on an adjoining allotment of land, give notice of intention to do so to the owner of the adjoining allotment of land and furnish particulars of the excavation to the owner of the building being erected or demolished. The owner of the adjoining allotment of land is not liable for any part of the cost of work carried out for the purposes of this condition, whether carried out on the allotment of land being excavated or on the adjoining allotment of land, (includes a public road and any other public place).

(d) If the work involved in the erection or demolition of a building is likely to cause pedestrian or vehicular traffic in a public place to be obstructed or rendered inconvenient, or involves the enclosure of a public place, a hoarding or fence must be erected between the work site and the public place:

- if necessary, an awning is to be erected, sufficient to prevent any substance from, or in connection with, the work falling into the public place,
- the work site must be kept lit between sunset and sunrise if it is likely to be hazardous to persons in the public place, and
- any such hoarding, fence or awning is to be removed when the work has been completed.

27 Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, the building is to be painted internally and externally in a colour scheme that complements surrounding residential developments.

28 Works that are carried out in accordance with an approved consent that involve the use of heavy vehicles, heavy machinery and other equipment likely to cause offence to adjoining properties shall be restricted to the following hours in accordance with the NSW Environment Protection Authority Noise Control Guidelines:

- Mondays to Fridays, 7am to 6pm
- Saturdays, 7am to 1pm (if inaudible on neighbouring residential premises), otherwise 8am to 1pm
- No work is permitted on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Other construction works carried out inside a building/tenancy and do not involve the use of equipment that emits noise are not restricted to the construction hours stated above.



The provisions of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997 in regulating offensive noise also apply to all construction works.

29 Construction and demolition works that are carried out in accordance with an approved consent that involve the use of heavy vehicles, heavy machinery and other equipment likely to cause offence to adjoining properties shall be restricted to the following hours in accordance with the NSW Environment Protection Authority Noise Control Guidelines:

- Mondays to Fridays, 7am to 6pm
- Saturdays, 7am to 1pm (if inaudible on neighbouring residential premises), otherwise 8am to 1pm
- No work is permitted on Sundays and Public Holidays.

Other construction works carried out inside a building/tenancy and do not involve the use of equipment that emits noise are not restricted to the construction hours stated above.

The provisions of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997 in regulating offensive noise also apply to all construction works.

## Engineering

30 An Infrastructure Restoration Bond is to be lodged with Penrith City Council for development involving works around Penrith City Council's Public Infrastructure Assets. The bond is to be lodged with Penrith City Council prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate. The bond and applicable fees are in accordance with Councils adopted fees and charges.

An application form together with an information sheet and conditions are available on Councils website.

Contact Penrith City Council's City Works Department on 4732 7777 or visit Penrith City Councils website for more information.

31 **Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate**, a S138 Roads Act application/s, including payment of fees shall be lodged with Penrith City Council. Penrith City Council is the Roads Authority for any works required in a public road.

These works may include but are not limited to the following:

- Vehicular crossings (including kerb reinstatement of redundant vehicular crossings)
- Opening of road reserve for the provision of stormwater drainage.

All works shall be carried out in accordance with the Roads Act approval, the development consent including the stamped approved plans, and Penrith City Council's specifications, Guidelines and best engineering practice.

Contact Penrith City Council's City Works Department on 4732 7777 or visit Penrith City Councils website for more information.

Note: Where Penrith City Council is the Certifying Authority for the development the Roads Act approval for the above works may be issued concurrently with the Construction Certificate. All works associated with the Roads Act approval must be completed prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate or Subdivision Certificate as applicable.

32 Stormwater drainage from the site shall be discharged to the:

- a) Street drainage system

The proposed development and stormwater drainage system shall be designed to ensure no adverse impact on adjoining properties by the diversion, damming or concentration of stormwater flows.

The proposed method of stormwater discharge shall be detailed in the Construction Certificate issued by the Certifying Authority.

33 Prior to the issue of any Construction Certificate the Certifying Authority shall ensure that vehicular access, circulation, manoeuvring, pedestrian and parking areas associated with the subject development are in accordance with AS 2890.1, AS2890.2, AS2890.6 and Penrith Development Control Plan 2014.

34 Prior to the issue of an Occupation Certificate, the vehicular crossing shall be reconstructed to have minimum width of 5.5m

## **Landscaping**

35 All landscape works are to be constructed in accordance with the stamped approved plan and Chapter C6 Landscape Design of Penrith Development Control Plan 2014.

Landscaping shall be maintained:

- in accordance with the approved plan, and
- in a healthy state, and in perpetuity by the existing or future owners and occupiers of the property.

If any of the vegetation comprising that landscaping dies or is removed, it is to be replaced with vegetation of the same species and, to the greatest extent practicable, the same maturity as the vegetation which died or was removed.

36 The approved landscaping for the site must be constructed by a suitably qualified landscape professional.

37 All landscape works are to meet industry best practice and the following relevant Australian Standards:

- AS 4419 Soils for Landscaping and Garden Use,
- AS 4454 Composts, Soil Conditioners and Mulches, and
- AS 4373 Pruning of Amenity Trees.

38 The existing landscaping as shown on the approved landscape plan shall be retained and maintained at all times.

## **Payment of Fees**

39 Prior to the commencement of any works on site, all fees associated with Penrith City Council-owned land and infrastructure shall be paid to Council. These fees include Road Opening fees and Infrastructure Restoration fees.

## Certification

- 40 Prior to the commencement of any earthworks or construction works on site, the proponent is to:
- (a) employ a Principal Certifying Authority to oversee that the said works carried out on the site are in accordance with the development consent and related Construction Certificate issued for the approved development, and with the relevant provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act and accompanying Regulation, and
  - (b) submit a Notice of Commencement to Penrith City Council.

The Principal Certifying Authority shall submit to Council an "Appointment of Principal Certifying Authority" in accordance with Section 81A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

### Information to accompany the Notice of Commencement

Two (2) days before any earthworks or construction/demolition works are to commence on site (including the clearing site vegetation), the proponent shall submit a "Notice of Commencement" to Council in accordance with Section 81A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

- 41 An Occupation Certificate is to be obtained from the Principal Certifying Authority on completion of all works and prior to the use of the building as health consulting rooms.

The Certificate shall not be issued if any conditions of this consent, but not the conditions relating to the operation of the development, are outstanding.

A copy of the Occupation Certificate and all necessary documentation supporting the issue of the Certificate is to be submitted to Penrith City Council, if Council is not the Principal Certifying Authority.

## SIGNATURE

Name:	Kate Smith
Signature:	

For the Development Services Manager