



City of Parramatta Current Legal Cases & Status for the period of June 2023

Executive Summary

Advice on Council Court proceedings for the period of 1 June 2023 – 30 June 2023 inclusive, is contained in this report.

Current Legal Matter Statistics

Land and Environment Court

- 30 x Class 1 Appeals
- 1 x Class 3 Appeal

Local Court

- 11 x Council Prosecutions

Finalised Legal Matters Statistics

Land and Environment Court

- 2 x Class 1 Appeals

Local Court

- 0 x Local Court

Win/Loss Record for previous and current financial year

Note: The Win record includes appeals upheld as a result of a section 34 conciliated agreement entered into due to the Applicant amending the application to resolve issues.

Land and Environment Court

| Matter Type | Financial Year | Total Cases | Wins | Losses | Comments |
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| Inhouse | 21/22 | 11 | 9 | 2 | Four (4) of the Appeals won were subject to a section 34 conciliated agreement with amended plans that resolved the issues |
| External | 21/22 | 16 | 13 | 3 | Six (6) of the Appeals won were subject to a section 34 agreement with amended plans that resolved the issues |
| Inhouse | 22/23 | 9 | 9 | 0 | Six (6) of the Appeals won were subject to a section 34 conciliated agreement with amended plans that resolved the issues. |
| External | 22/23 | 10 | 9 | 1 | Three (3) of the Appeals won were subject to a section 34 conciliated agreement with amended plans that resolved the issues |

Local Court

| Matter Type | Financial Year | Total Cases | Wins | Losses | Comments |
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| Inhouse | 22/23 | 19 | 10 | 0 | 9 listed for hearing |
| External | 22/23 | 0 | | | |

Legal Services Status Report

As at 30 June 2023

Land and Environment Court proceedings – Class 1 Appeals

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| 1. | <p>• Property Address: 32 Honiton Avenue, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: Albert Abi-Khattar</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 182424/23</p> <p><u>New Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the deemed refusal of the PLPP of DA/900/2022 for demolition, tree removal and construction of a centre-based child care facility to accommodate 67 children with ground and basement level parking for 17 cars.</p> <p>Issues: Character/ Site selection/Bulk & Scale/ Landscape/Privacy Impacts/ Accessibility/Earthworks</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first directions hearing on 6 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Holding Redlich</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Landscape Accessibility</p> |
| 2. | <p>• Property Address: 263-273 Pennant Hills Road and 18 Shirley Street, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: Karimbla Properties (No.59) Pty Limited</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 142308/22178916/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the SCCPP refusal of Development Application no. DA/53/2022 for Construction of seven 10-13 story buildings comprising 620 residential units, child care center for 110 children, 1,735sqm of 17 neighborhood retail shops and 864 basement car parking spaces; publicly accessible open spaces and through site links; roads; landscaping; and tree removal.</p> <p>Issues: Height/FSR/Urban Design/ Visual privacy/Solar Access/Amenity/Sustainability/Transport for NSW/Traffic impacts/Water Management</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first return date on 1 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens briefed</p> <p>External Experts: Che Wall (ESD Consultant). Stephen Collier (Urban Design)</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner</p> |
| 3. | <p>• Property Address: 45-49 Asquith Street, Silverwater</p> <p>• Applicant: ACFU International Pty Limited & Ors</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 180452/23</p> <p><u>New Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the s8.3 Review of the delegated refusal of DA/159/2021 for demolition of the existing dwellings, tree removal, and construction of a multi dwelling housing development containing eleven townhouses with basement level parking for twenty-two resident vehicles and three visitor spaces.</p> <p>Issues: Stormwater</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first directions hearing on 5 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer</p> |
| 4. | <p>• Property Address: 132 Victoria Road, Rydalmere</p> <p>• Applicant: JS Architects Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 200193/23</p> <p><u>New Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/210/2023 for demolition and construction of a 7-storey mixed use development to be comprised of 3 retail tenancies and 45 residential apartments, including affordable apartments, over 3 levels of basement parking. The application is made pursuant to the State Environmental Planning Policy (Housing) 2021. The development is Nominated Integrated pursuant to the Water Management Act 2000.</p> <p>Issues: Height/FSR/Design Quality</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first directions hearing on 20 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner</p> |
| 5. | <p>• Property Address: 14 Windermere Avenue, Northmead</p> <p>• Applicant: Monique Barakat</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 107525/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against deemed refusal by the PLPP of DA/964/2022 seeking approval for the demolition of existing structures, tree removal and construction of a three-storey, 88-place Child Care Facility.</p> <p>Issues: Bulk & Scale/Height/Heritage/Solar Access/Natural Light and Ventilation/Landscape/stormwater/emergency evacuation</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for section 34 conciliation conference on 11 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |

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| 6. | <p>• Property Address: 7-7A Gaggin Street North Parramatta</p> <p>• Applicant: Albert Sahyoun</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 125558/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against refusal by Council of DA/670/2022 seeking approval for the demolition, tree removal and construction of a two (2) storey, forty-three (43) place childcare centre with basement carparking.</p> <p>Issues: Site selection/Bulk & Scale/ Landscape/Privacy Impacts/Stormwater/Accessibility/Earthworks</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for section 34 conciliation conference on 10 October 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |
| 7. | <p>• Property Address: 19 Tracey Street, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: St Joseph Company Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 61648/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the deemed refusal by the PLPP of DA/5/2023 seeking approval for the Demolition, tree removal and construction of a part one and part three storey, 42 place childcare centre with basement parking.</p> <p>Issues: Bulk & Scale/Transport & Infrastructure SEPP/stormwater/Landscape/accessibility/acoustics</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first s34 conciliation conference on 17 August 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Dan Dang (Acoustic Consultant)</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |
| 8. | <p>• Property Address: 50 Thane Street, Wentworthville</p> <p>• Applicant: Canniesburn Pty Ltd ATF Syd Recon Trust</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 44037/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal by Council of DA/1023/2021 seeking approval of a Staged development: Stage 1 - Torrens Title subdivision of existing lot into three (3) lots with retention of the existing dwelling on Lot 1, demolition of the existing swimming pool and outdoor shades, and tree removal; Stage 2 - Construction of two (2) dual occupancy developments on Lot 2 and Lot 3; Stage 3 - Torrens Title subdivision of the two (2) dual occupancies into four (4) lots.</p> <p>Issues: Permissibility, landscaping, minimum lot size, stormwater drainage, waste management</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for Section 34 Conciliation Conference on 20 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services.</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Landscape Officer Engineer Waste officer</p> |
| 9. | <p>• Property Address: 79-79A Kissing Point Road & 7 St Andrews Street Dundas</p> <p>• Applicant: HVV Investments Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 63219/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the deemed refusal by the PLPP of DA/14/2023 seeking approval for Demolition, tree removal, site consolidation and construction of two part 5 and part 6 storey residential flat buildings with 3 levels of basement carparking. The application is Nominated Integrated development pursuant to the Water Management Act 2000.</p> <p>Issues: WaterNSW and Transport for NSW concurrence, bulk and scale, height, design, waste management access, earthworks, parking, flood management</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for section 34 Conciliation Conference on 31 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal</p> <p>External experts: Matthew McCarthy - Traffic consultant</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Urban Design Engineer</p> |
| 10. | <p>• Property Address: 379 Kissing Point Road, Ermington.</p> <p>• Applicant: Ermington Projects Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 382243/2022</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal seeking to modify Development Consent DA/399/2020 granted by the Land and Environment Court on 8 June 2021, approving the demolition, tree removal and construction of a two storey 78 place childcare centre over basement parking. The modification seeks deletion of the deferred commencement conditions relating to stormwater.</p> <p>Issues: Stormwater, impact on adjoining properties and approved landscaping</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for hearing on 6 -7 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Stormwater engineer Planner Landscape (horticulturalist/arborist)</p> |

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| 11. | <p>• Property Address: Shop 1/109 – 113 George St Parramatta</p> <p>• Applicant: Soumaya Trad t/as All Grit Crossfit</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 362499/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against a Noise Prevention Notice issued by City of Parramatta Council pursuant to s96 of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997.</p> <p>Issues: Noise</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for Hearing on 25 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Acoustic expert</p> <p>Internal experts: Health Officer</p> |
| 12. | <p>• Property Address: 18 Burke Street, Telopea.</p> <p>• Applicant: A & A Australian Investments Pty Ltd.</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 378493/22.</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the Part Approval of a Building Information Certificate - BC/42/ 2022 - for pergola and deck to the side of the existing dwelling only – BIC excluding any portion of the works that encroach within 900mm to the private property boundary.</p> <p>Issues: Planning, deep soil planting and non-compliance with landscaping requirements</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for Directions Hearing on 11 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-house Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner</p> |
| 13. | <p>• Property Address: 441-443 Wentworth Avenue, Toongabbie</p> <p>• Applicant: JS Architects Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 286544/2022</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/145/2022 seeking approval for demolition of existing structures, tree removal and construction of a multi housing development consisting of 12 x 2 storey plus attic dwellings (4 of which are to be used as ‘affordable housing’)</p> <p>Issues: Bulk and Scale, Privacy, Overshadowing, Building Separation, Solar Access and Accessibility</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for hearing on 10-12 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal Services</p> <p>External Experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal Experts: Planner Urban Designer Stormwater engineer Landscape (horticulturalist/arborist) Environmental expert (biodiversity) Accessibility expert</p> |
| 14. | <p>• Property Address: 14 Cunningham Road, Telopea</p> <p>• Applicant: Tham Wan Wong</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 229334/2022</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/968/2021 seeking approval for the demolition, tree removal and construction of a five storey boarding house comprising of 26 rooms with at-grade parking and 2 levels of basement parking. The application is Nominated Integrated Development under the Water Management Act 2000.</p> <p>Issues: State Infrastructure contributions, Character, Design Excellence, Deep Soil/Landscaping, Bulk and Scale, Setbacks, Room sizes, parking</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for hearing on 13-15 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal</p> <p>External Experts: Brendan Randall (Urban Design Expert)</p> <p>Internal Experts: Planner Traffic engineer Stormwater engineer Accessibility expert</p> |
| 15. | <p>• Property Address: 188-190 Junction Road, Winston Hills</p> <p>• Applicant: MNM Brothers Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 82808/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/13/2023 seeking approval for demolition, tree removal and construction of a two (2) storey, one-hundred (100) place childcare centre with basement carparking.</p> <p>Issues: Bulk and Scale/unencumbered outdoor play area/air pollution/parking/centre facilities</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for s34 conciliation conference on 25 July 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Health Officer Accessibility Officer Traffic Engineer</p> |

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| 16. | <p>• Property Address: 51 Railway Street, Granville</p> <p>• Applicant: Railway 51 Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 87203/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/880/2021 seeking approval for Demolition and construction of a 5 storey residential flat building containing 4 units and basement parking.</p> <p>Issues: Bulk and Scale/flood/height/design</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for s34 conciliation conference on 24 August 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Urban Design Officer Senior Catchment and Development Engineer</p> |
| 17. | <p>• Property Address: 52 Essex Street, Granville</p> <p>• Applicant: Archian Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 96466/2023</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against refusal by PLPP of DA/416/2022 seeking approval for tree removal and construction of an 80 place child care centre with basement car parking. The development proposal has been re-notified in relation to modification to the site layout and external changes to the building and reduction in number of children from 88 places to 80 places.</p> <p>Issues: Heritage Conservation/Traffic/Bulk and scale/design</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for section 34 conciliation conference on 19 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: In-House Legal Services</p> <p>External experts: Ken Hollyoak – Traffic Engineer</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner</p> |
| 18. | <p>• Property Address: 73 Murray Farm Road, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: Joshua Glanville</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 115894/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Delegated refusal of DA/116/2023 seeking approval for the demolition of existing structures and construction of a two storey 65 place childcare centre with 16 basement car parking spaces.</p> <p>Issues: Bulk & Scale/Non-compliance with Education and Childcare Regulations/Traffic and Parking/Landscaping/stormwater</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first s34 conciliation conference on 7 September 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Bartier Perry</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |
| 19. | <p>• Property Address: 378-380 Church Street, Parramatta</p> <p>• Applicant: APPWAN Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 57580/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Delegated refusal of DA/878/2021 seeking approval for the demolition of the existing building and construction of an 8 storey mixed used building consisting of a boarding house development with ground floor commercial/retail space over 1 level of basement parking.</p> <p>Issues: Inadequate information regarding BCA compliance/streetscape/public domain</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first s34 conciliation conference on 28 June 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Bartier Perry</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner</p> |
| 20. | <p>• Property Address: 9 Mars Street, Epping</p> <p>• Applicant: Hilton Thomas Brown</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 69039/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Delegated refusal of DA/648/2021 seeking approval for Demolition of the existing structures, tree removal, and construction of a dual occupancy with Torrens Title subdivision into 2 lots.</p> <p>Issues: Flooding, Aims of the LEP</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for s34AA conciliation conference and hearing on 15-16 August 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Bartier Perry</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Senior Catchment and Development Engineer</p> |

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| 21. | <p>• Property Address: 14-16 Hill Road, Wentworth Point</p> <p>• Applicant: SH Hill Road Development Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 15776/23</p> <p><u>New Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the delegated deemed refusal of DA/597/2021 seeking approval of a Section 4.55(1A) modification to an approved residential flat building development seeking additional windows to apartments on Levels 03 to 08 of Building J, correction to the lot numbering in the plan of subdivision, the deletion of Conditions 14, 15 and 66 (TfNSW conditions), deletion of Condition 54 requiring a tanked basement and amending Condition 12 to reflect the current long service levy requirements.</p> <p>Issues: Transport for NSW conditions/Groundwater</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first directions hearing on 15 June 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens Law Group</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Catchment and Development Engineer</p> |
| 22. | <p>• Property Address: 32 Moses Way, Winston Hills</p> <p>• Applicant: Murphy Moses and Betty Moses</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 150924/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against a Development Control Order requiring demolition of unlawful works.</p> <p>Issues: No development consent</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for section 34 conciliation conference on 19 October 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens Law Group</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Development Control Officer</p> |
| 23. | <p>• Property Address: 14-20 Lake Street and 55 – 57 Pennant Hills Road, North Parramatta</p> <p>• Applicant: Malouf & Malouf</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 72317/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Delegated refusal of DA/221/2022 seeking approval for demolition of existing structures, removal of trees, reconfiguration of subdivision creating 9 lots, construction of 7x two storey dual occupancies and 1x dwelling house, retention of existing dwelling house on proposed Lot 9 and a new road. The proposal is Integrated Development under the Rural Fires Act 1997.</p> <p>Issues: Bushfire Prone Land, Transport for NSW Concurrence, stormwater</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for s34 conciliation conference on 23 August 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens Law Group</p> <p>External experts: Grahame Swain (Bushfire Consultant)</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer</p> |
| 24. | <p>• Property Address: 94 Bettington Road, Telopea</p> <p>• Applicant: Mirvac (Residential) NSW Developments Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 99224/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: SCCPP deemed refusal of DA/1001/2022 seeking approval for Demolition of existing buildings and structures, tree removal and remediation works and construction of a temporary club house and associated temporary car parking spaces. Construction of seven (7) buildings (3 to 8 storeys) containing 155 independent living units for the purposes of seniors housing (including people with a disability); construction and operation of a new registered club (Oatlands Golf Club); and 405 car parking spaces over 2 basement levels (200 club and 205 residential spaces); and landscaping and ancillary facilities. Torrens title subdivision into 2 lots (to separate the site from the golf course land) and further, subdivision of one of the subject lot into 17 lots in a community scheme and strata subdivision of the independent living units. The application is Integrated Development under the Rural Fires Act 1997 and Nominated Integrated Development under the Water Management Act 2000.</p> <p>Issues: Site Compatibility Certificate/Heritage/Impact on Vineyard Creek/Non-compliance with SEPP Seniors/Design Quality/Solar Access/Building Orientation, Public Domain Interface and Overshadowing/ Communal Open Space/ Visual Privacy/Pedestrian and Vehicle Access/Water Management/Landscape</p> <p>Prospects: TBA</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for s34 conciliation conference on 7 July 2023 and for hearing on 27 November 2023 to 1 December 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens Law Group</p> <p>Counsel: Nick Eastman</p> <p>External experts: Brendan Randall – Urban Design Vanessa Hotham - Heritage</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Senior Catchment Engineer</p> |
| 25. | <p>• Property Address: 37-41 Oxford Street Epping</p> <p>• Applicant: Karimbla Properties (No.59) Pty Limited</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 142281/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the deemed refusal of Development Application no. DA/1128/2021 seeking approval for Early site works (earthworks, excavation, tree removal, shoring, retaining walls and drainage works) associated with construction of a mixed-use tower (which requires separate consent)</p> <p>Issues: Excessive depth of basement, tree removal, stormwater</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Decision Reserved. The Appeal was listed Hearing on 19-21 April 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens briefed</p> <p>External Experts: John Brad - Hydrologist</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Accessibility expert Landscape (horticulturalist/arborist) Stormwater engineer</p> |

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| 26. | <p>• Property Address: 37-41 Oxford Street Epping</p> <p>• Applicant: Karimbla Properties (No.59) Pty Limited</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 142290/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the SCCPP refusal of Development Application no. DA/314/2017/A for a Section 4.55(2) modification to approved mixed use tower concept, specifically changes to building envelope, landscaping and conditions of consent</p> <p>Issues: Height, parking, Urban Design, Landscaping and Design Excellence</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Decision Reserved The Appeal was listed Hearing on 19-21 April 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens briefed</p> <p>External Experts: Gabriel Morrish (Urban Design)</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Accessibility expert Landscape (horticulturalist/arborist) Stormwater engineer</p> |
| 27. | <p>• Property Address: 37-41 Oxford Street Epping</p> <p>• Applicant: Karimbla Properties (No.59) Pty Limited</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 142308/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the SCCPP deemed refusal of Development Application no. DA/1/2022 for Stage 2 detailed design concept plan approval DA/314/20187 for a 30 storey mixed use building comprising 2 storey commercial podium (retail unit, 60 children centre-based child care facility and commercial office space) and a shop-top housing tower above comprising 211 apartments, 6 basement levels providing 317 car parking spaces, landscaping and public domain works. The proposal constitutes stage 2 detailed design of concept plan approval DA/314/2017.</p> <p>Issues: Height, FSR, Parking, Traffic/Access, Urban Design, Landscaping, Wind, Reflectivity</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Decision Reserved The Appeal was listed Hearing on 19-21 April 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens briefed</p> <p>External Experts: Che Wall (ESD Consultant). Gabriel Morrish (Urban Design)</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Accessibility expert Landscape (horticulturalist/arborist) Stormwater engineer</p> |
| 28. | <p>• Property Address: 11-17 Shirley Street, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: Shirley Street Projects Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 127732/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: SCCPP deemed refusal of DA/843/2022 seeking approval for Demolition of existing buildings, tree removal and construction of a 12 storey mixed use development consisting of a future 76 place centre based childcare centre with 87 residential units above 3 levels of basement parking. The proposal is a Nominated Integrated development pursuant to the Water Management</p> <p>Issues: Minimum Site Area/Height/Floor Space Ratio/Earthworks/Site Compatibility/Natural Ventilation/Character/Building Orientation, Envelope & Design/ Landscaping/Traffic & Parking/Design Quality/stormwater/Accessibility</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first s34 conciliation conference on 3 October 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Sparke Helmore</p> <p>External experts: Stephen Collier</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |
| 29. | <p>• Property Address: 9-11 Thallon Street, Carlingford</p> <p>• Applicant: Carlingford Projects Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 13483/23</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> <p>•</p> | <p>Description: SCCPP deemed refusal of DA/845/2022 seeking approval for demolition of existing buildings, tree removal and construction of a 12 storey mixed use building comprising retail and restaurant on the ground floor, 91 apartments above and 4 levels of basement parking for 134 vehicles. The proposal is a Nominated Integrated development pursuant to the Water Management Act 2000.</p> <p>Issues: WaterNSW Concurrence/Height/Floor Space ratio/ Natural Ventilation/Character/Building Orientation, Envelope & Design/Water Management</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for first s34 conciliation conference on 3 October 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Sparke Helmore</p> <p>External experts: Stephen Collier</p> <p>Internal experts: Planner Development Engineer Landscape Officer Accessibility Officer</p> |
| 30. | <p>• Property Address: 189 Macquarie St Parramatta.</p> <p>• Applicant: JKN Parra P/L and Toplace Pty Ltd</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 286544/22</p> <p>• <u>Existing Matter</u></p> <p>•</p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the against the SCCPP refusal of a Section 8.3 Review, of the decision to refuse DA/493/2020, which sought approval for the construction of two residential towers comprising 708 apartments above the existing seven storey podium (total of 54 storeys and 45 storeys), the use of existing basement levels 1-5 for residential parking and various adjustments to the existing building to allow for the integration of those towers.</p> <p>Issues: Design excellence under the LEP, Height, FSR, SEPP 65 – design quality, Wind shear impacts, Environmental Sensitive Design including: reflectivity, BASIX and ventilation</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal is listed for Section 34 Conciliation Conference on 13 June 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Sparke Helmore</p> <p>External experts: Stuart MacDonald (Planner) Stephen Collier (Urban Design) Che Wall (Environment Sensitive Design) Michael Eaddy (Wind)</p> <p>Internal experts: Nil</p> |

| Land and Environment Court proceedings – Class 3 Appeal | | | |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Property address: Horwood Place, Parramatta (land) Description: Acquisition of Council land by Sydney Metro. Council has appealed the amount of compensation the Valuer General has estimated Sydney Metro is to pay Council for the land. Issue: How much compensation Council should be paid by Sydney Metro to Council for the land acquisition. Status: The appeal is listed for hearing during 2023. | | | |
| Local Court | | | |
| 1. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 138 Bungaree Road, Pendle Hill Defendant: PHBS Pty Ltd New Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Fail to comply with development control order Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing 1 December 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 2. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 138 Bungaree Road, Pendle Hill Defendant: PHBS Pty Ltd New Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Fail to comply with development control order Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing 1 December 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 3. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 18 Kent Street Epping Defendant: Liu Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Development without development consent Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing on 7 August 2022 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 4. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 18 Kent Street Epping Defendant: Zhang Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Development without development consent Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing on 7 August 2022 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 5. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 18 Kent Street Epping Defendant: Liu Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Development without development consent Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing on 7 August 2022 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 6. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 8/24-26 Clyde Street, Rydalmere Defendant: JJJ Invest Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Pollute Waters Prospects: Good | Matter is part heard. Defendant to make submission by 7 July 2023, Council to respond by 19 July 2023 Judgment to be handed on 28 July 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 7. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 255 Victoria Road, Rydalmere Defendant: Franz Boench Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Park continuously for longer than indicated (9 Matters) Prospects: Good | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing on 7 September 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 8. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 11 Warwick Road, Dundas Valley Defendant: Peter Leitmann Existing Matter | Description: Penalty Notice – Court Elected – Dog attack Legal yet to be provided with the information and are yet to provide a prospects advice Prospects: TBA | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing 27 November 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |
| 9. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Property Address: 55 George Street, Clyde Defendant: Joa Management Pty Ltd New Matter | Description: Fail to comply with terms of Development Control Order Prospects: TBA | Matter is listed before Parramatta Local Court for hearing 27 July 2023 Solicitors: In-house Legal |

Finalised Matters

| Land and Environment Court proceedings – Class 1 Appeal | | | |
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| 1. | <p>• Property Address: 71-73 Thomas Street, Parramatta</p> <p>• Applicant: Ausino Group</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 192691/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of DA/10362021 seeking approval for demolition of existing dwellings and construction of new boarding house development with basement parking and associated landscaping.</p> <p>Issues: Character, Bulk and Scale, Height, FSR, stormwater, traffic and accessibility</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal upheld in line with section 34 conciliated agreement on 8 June 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Bartier Perry briefed.</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Accessibility expert Traffic Engineer Stormwater engineer</p> |
| 2. | <p>• Property Address: 8 Melville Street, Parramatta.</p> <p>• Applicant: DJCN Pty Ltd and Sarkis.</p> <p>• Proceedings No.: 24656/22</p> <p><u>Existing Matter</u></p> | <p>Description: Appeal against the refusal of a Building Information Certificate - BC/63/2022 -for Family and dining area, Bedroom 4, deck, garage and carport.</p> <p>Issues: Insufficient certificates to a BIC being issued</p> <p>Prospects: Good</p> | <p>Status: Appeal discontinued by Applicant on 22 June 2023</p> <p>Solicitors: Marsdens Law Group. Anne Hemmings -Counsel</p> <p>External experts: Nil</p> <p>Internal experts: Building Surveyor</p> |

Finalised Matters

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Definitions:

- A section 34 conciliation conference is presided over by a Commissioner of the Land & Environment Court and explores options for the parties to resolve the appeal or narrow the issues.
- Section 34AA proceedings provides a fast appeal system for a limited range of residential development, which is presided over by a Commissioner of the Land & Environmental Court. If the parties do not reach an agreement onsite, the Commissioner will make a determination.
- A section 56A appeal may be made to a judge against a Commissioner's decision - only on a point of law and not the merits of the development.
- PN stands for a Penalty Notice issued by Council officers for a breach of the law and the imposition of a fine.
- Court elected means that the recipient of a PN, chooses to elect that the Local Court determine the alleged offence and the amount of fine, if any.