

**5.1 NOS. 293 AND 295 (LOTS: 8 AND 4; D/P: 1221 AND 5184) OXFORD STREET, LEEDERVILLE - PROPOSED GROUPED DWELLINGS (6)**

**Ward:** North

**Attachments:**

1. Consultation and Location Map
2. Development Plans
3. Applicant Supporting Information
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5. Summary of Submissions - Applicant Response
6. Determination Advice Notes

**RECOMMENDATION:**

That Council, in accordance with the provisions of the City of Vincent Local Planning Scheme No. 2 and the Metropolitan Region Scheme, **APPROVES** the application for Grouped Dwellings (6) at Nos. 293 and 295 (Lots: 8 and 4; D/P: 1221 and 5184) Oxford Street, Leederville, in accordance with the plans shown in Attachment 2, subject to the following conditions, with the associated determination advice notes in Attachment 6:

**1. Development Plans**

This approval is for Grouped Dwellings (6) as shown on the approved plans dated 26 June 2024. No other development forms part of this approval;

**2. Boundary Walls**

The surface finish of boundary walls facing an adjoining property shall be of a good and clean condition, prior to the occupation or use of the development, and thereafter maintained, to the satisfaction of the City. The finish of boundary walls is to be fully rendered or face brick, or material as otherwise approved, to the satisfaction of the City;

**3. External Fixtures**

All external fixtures, such as television antennas (of a non-standard type), radio and other antennas, satellite dishes, solar panels, external hot water heaters, air conditioners, and the like, shall not be visible from the street, are designed integrally with the building, and be located so as not to be visually obtrusive to the satisfaction of the City;

**4. Colours and Materials**

**4.1** The colours, materials and finishes of the development shall be in accordance with the details and annotations as indicated on the approved plans which forms part of this approval. The development must be finished, and thereafter maintained, in accordance with the schedule provided to and approved by the City, prior to occupation of the development;

**4.2** The distribution board and metre boxes shall be painted the same colour as the wall they are attached or adjacent to, so as to not be visually obtrusive, to the satisfaction of the City;

**5. Landscaping**

**5.1** All landscaping works shall be undertaken in accordance with the approved plans dated 26 June 2024, prior to the occupancy or use of the development and maintained thereafter to the satisfaction of the City;

**5.2** The existing trees identified for relocation shall be protected and replanted in the locations shown on the approved landscaping plan dated 26 June 2024, to the satisfaction of the City. Each existing tree that does not survive the relocation shall be replaced with a new mature tree, provided at the below mentioned pot sizes and with a species approved by the City's Parks team, which shall be thereafter maintained, to the satisfaction of the City:

- The existing tree located on Lot 8 would require a replacement tree with a minimum 200 litre pot size tree;
- The existing trees located on Lot 4 would require a replacement tree/s with a minimum 500 litre pot size tree;

**5.3** No verge trees shall be removed without the prior written approval of the City. Verge trees shall be retained and protected from damage including unauthorised pruning to the satisfaction of the City. Prior to any pruning of verge trees, an arborist report shall be prepared by the landowner and submitted to the City;

## **6. Visual Privacy**

Prior to occupancy or use of the development, all obscured windows shown on the approved plans shall be installed to be permanently fixed and a minimum of 75 percent obscure, to comply with the Visual Privacy requirements of the Residential Design Codes – Part C, to the satisfaction of the City;

## **7. Car Parking and Access**

**7.1** The layout and dimensions of all driveways and parking areas shall be in accordance with AS2890.1;

**7.2** All driveways, car parking and manoeuvring areas which form part of this approval shall be sealed, drained and paved in accordance with the approved plans prior to the first occupation of the development and maintained thereafter by the owner/occupier, to the satisfaction of the City;

**7.3** No goods or materials being stored, either temporarily or permanently, in the parking or landscape areas or within the access driveways. All goods and materials are to be stored within the buildings or storage areas, to the satisfaction of the City;

**7.4** Prior to the first occupation of the development, the redundant crossover fronting No. 293 Oxford Street shall be removed, the verge area landscaped, and the kerb made good to the City's specifications and to the satisfaction of the City, at the applicant/owner's full expense;

**7.5** Prior to occupation or use of the development, lighting shall be installed throughout the pedestrian pathways, communal street and car parking areas in accordance with the Residential Design Codes, to the satisfaction of the City;

## **8. Amalgamation**

Prior to occupation of the development, the subject land (Lots 8 and 4) shall be amalgamated into a single lot on the Certificate of Title, to the satisfaction of the City;

## **9. Construction Management Plan**

A Construction Management Plan shall be lodged with and approved by the City prior to the issue of a building permit. This plan is to detail how construction (including demolition and/or forward works) will be managed to minimise disruption in the area and shall include:

- Storage of materials and equipment on site;
- Parking arrangements for contractors and sub-contractors;
- Notification to affected landowners;
- Construction times;

- **Impact on traffic movement; and**
- **Dilapidation reports of adjacent properties, including but not limited to, Nos. 291 and 297 Oxford Street.**

**The approved management plan shall be complied with for the duration of the construction of the development; and**

#### **10. Stormwater**

**Stormwater from all roofed and paved areas shall be collected and contained on site. Stormwater must not affect or be allowed to flow onto or into any other property or road reserve.**

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

The purpose of this report is to consider an application for development approval for six two-storey grouped dwellings at Nos. 293 and 295 Oxford Street, Leederville (the subject site).

The subject site includes two R100 coded lots, with a total site area of 1,024 square metres. The subject site is bound by Oxford Street to the east, single-storey houses to the north and south, and two-storey dwellings to the west. The subject site and properties along Oxford Street to the north, south, and east are zoned Mixed Use R100 under the City's Local Planning Scheme No. 2 (LPS2) and are within the Activity Corridor that provides a four-storey building height standard under the City's Policy No. 7.1.1 – Built Form (Built Form Policy).

The elements of the proposal that require a design principles assessment and the exercise of discretion include the proposed design of the private open space, solar access and natural ventilation to habitable rooms and primary living spaces, and a visitor car parking shortfall.

The private open space and primary living spaces of the dwellings would provide an appropriate level of amenity to the future occupants. All private open spaces are of a functional and usable size, provide weather protection, are integrated with landscaping, and can be used in conjunction with the primary living area of dwellings. Smaller secondary outdoor areas are provided to each unit that allow additional space for outdoor pursuits.

Dwellings optimise solar access and ventilation through the inclusion of ground floor north-facing skylights and operable windows to allow cross ventilation. The provision of solar access to habitable rooms has been balanced with the provision of obscure glazing to portions of windows, balancing the need to provide privacy protection to adjacent properties.

The proposed development would provide adequate car parking onsite. The visitor parking shortfall of one bay is appropriate due to the availability of off-site car parking in the surrounding area, given sufficient on-site resident parking is accommodated and given one additional on street parking bay is created through the removal of one existing crossover. Due to the proposal's location on Oxford Street, alternative transport options are available with the site being in proximity to high frequency bus route and Leederville train station.

The proposed landscaping prioritises planting areas across the site and the retention of healthy trees, creating greater landscaping amenity for residents. This has been achieved through the proposed retention and relocation of three mature trees as well as the provision of a total of 14 trees across the site. The planting proposed would soften the appearance of the development, while providing increased amenity to communal areas and private outdoor spaces.

The proposal is acceptable when considered against the planning framework and is recommended for approval, subject to conditions.

**PROPOSAL:**

The application proposes six two-storey grouped dwellings on the subject site which is currently occupied by two single dwellings.

The dwellings would each contain primary living areas on the ground floor and three bedrooms on the first floor. Each dwelling includes a double garage accessed from a common property driveway. Vehicle access to the subject site would be provided from Oxford Street.

The development plans the subject of the application are included as **Attachment 2**. The applicants supporting information, including a Planning Report, Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) and Urban Design Study, is included as **Attachment 3**.

**DELEGATION:**

This application is being referred to Council for determination in accordance with the City's Register of Delegations, Authorisations and Appointments.

This is because the delegation does not extend to proposals for more than three grouped dwellings that do not meet the deemed-to-comply standards in relation to car parking of the Residential Design Codes Volume 1 – Part C (R Codes).

The application proposes six grouped dwellings and does not meet the deemed-to-comply residential car parking standards of the R Codes, with a one car parking bay shortfall proposed to the deemed-to-comply standard for visitor car parking.

**BACKGROUND:**

<b>Landowner:</b>	John Peter Saimos Lambros Thomas Saimos
<b>Applicant:</b>	Daniel Cassettai Design
<b>Client:</b>	John Peter Saimos Lambros Thomas Saimos
<b>Date of Application:</b>	8 March 2024
<b>Zoning:</b>	MRS: Urban LPS2: Zone: Mixed Use      R Code: R100
<b>Built Form Area:</b>	Activity Corridor
<b>Existing Land Use:</b>	Dwelling (Single House)
<b>Proposed Use Class:</b>	Dwelling (Grouped)
<b>Lot Area:</b>	293 Oxford Street: 430 square metres 295 Oxford Street: 594 square metres Total: 1,024 square metres
<b>Right of Way (ROW):</b>	N/A
<b>Heritage List:</b>	N/A

Site Characteristics, Context and Zoning

The subject site is bound by Oxford Street to the east, single storey single houses to the north and south, and two-storey grouped dwellings to the west. To the east of the site, across Oxford Street, includes a mix of commercial properties and single houses. A location plan is included as **Attachment 1**.

The subject site and adjoining properties to the north, south and east along Oxford Street are zoned Mixed Use R100 under the City's Local Planning Scheme No. 2 (LPS2). Adjoining properties to the west, fronting Wylie Place and Bouverie Place are zoned Residential R60 under LPS2.

The properties zoned Mixed Use along Oxford Street are within the Activity Corridor Built Form Area under the Built Form Policy. The properties zoned Residential to the west are within the Residential Built Form Area under the Built Form Policy.

The immediate streetscape of Oxford Street is characterised as a mixed-use area with a range of single houses, grouped dwellings and commercial businesses. Commercial premises are located within retrofitted dwellings or contemporary commercial style buildings.

GreenTrack Application

The proposal was lodged as a GreenTrack application, with a LCA submitted to accompany the proposal, as included in **Attachment 3**.

Consideration of the proposal against the City's Built Form Policy Environmentally Sustainable Design standards is discussed in the Comments section of this report.

The assessment of this application has been prioritised in accordance with the City's GreenTrack Assessment pathway, with all target timeframes being met as follows:

- First assessment of proposal undertaken within 10 days of lodgement; and
- Reassessment of all amended plans submitted was completed within 5 days of their submission.

The overall processing timeframe of this application is reflective of the complexity of the proposal and the time taken working with the applicant through amendments to the plans to achieve a favourable recommendation. The applicant provided agreement for the proposal to be referred to the August Ordinary Meeting of Council for determination.

**DETAILS:****Summary Assessment**

The table below summarises the planning assessment of the proposal against the provisions of the City of Vincent LPS2, R Codes and the Built Form Policy. In each instance where the proposal requires the discretion of Council, the relevant planning element is discussed in the Detailed Assessment section following from this table.

Planning Element	Deemed-to-Comply	Requires the Discretion of Council
Private Open Space		✓
Trees and Landscaping (Part C)	✓	
Water Management & Conservation	✓	
Size and Layout of Dwellings	✓	
Parking & Access		✓
Solar Access and Natural Ventilation (Internal)		✓
Waste Management	✓	
Utilities	✓	
Open Space	✓	
Building Height/Storeys	✓	
Street Setback	✓	
Lot Boundary Setbacks/Boundary Walls	✓	
Site Works/Retaining Walls	✓	
Streetscape	✓	
Front Fence	✓	
Solar Access for Adjoining Sites	✓	
Visual Privacy	✓	

**Detailed Assessment**

*R Codes Volume 1 – Part C*

The R Codes advocate for contextual and site-specific development solutions. To facilitate good design outcomes, the R Codes Volume 1 provides two pathways for development assessment and determination.

Applications for development approval need to demonstrate that the proposal achieves the objectives of the R Codes Volume 1 and the requirements of each design element through either of the following pathways:

1. **Deemed-to-comply** – deemed-to-comply provisions provide a straightforward means for the development proposal to demonstrate that it satisfies the objectives and design principles of the R Codes. They outline the expected development standards that should be met through this pathway.

If a planning element of an application meets the applicable deemed-to-comply standards then it is satisfactory and not subject to Council’s discretion for the purposes of assessment against the R Codes.

2. **Design principle** – the design principles pathway offers an alternative merit-based approach when one or more of the deemed-to-comply provisions are not satisfied. This allows for innovative design responses that may be more context and site responsive.

Where a deemed-to-comply provision is not met, the proponent should provide sufficient justification to demonstrate how they have met or exceeded the requirements of the relevant design principles when this pathway is pursued.

If a planning element of an application does not meet the applicable deemed-to-comply standards then Council’s discretion is required to decide whether this element meets the design principles.

The planning elements of the application that do not meet the applicable deemed-to-comply standards and requires the discretion of Council are provided in the below table.

Private Open Space	
Deemed-to-Comply Standard	Proposal
<p><b>R Codes Part C – Clause 1.1</b></p> <p><b>C1.1.1</b> – Primary garden areas are to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have a minimum area of 25 square metres.</li> <li>• Have no roof coverage.</li> <li>• Have a minimum dimension of 3 metres.</li> <li>• Be located behind the primary street setback.</li> </ul>	<p>Unit 1 &amp; Unit 6:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 21.6 square metres total area.</li> <li>• 6.5 square metres of covered area.</li> <li>• Located within the primary street setback area.</li> </ul> <p>Unit 2 &amp; Unit 5:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17.1 square metres total area.</li> <li>• 9 square metres of covered area.</li> <li>• Minimum dimension of 1.8 metres.</li> </ul> <p>Unit 3 &amp; Unit 4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 19.4 square metres total area.</li> <li>• 3.8 square metres of covered area.</li> </ul>

<b>Solar Access and Natural Ventilation</b>	
<b>Deemed-to-Comply Standard</b>	<b>Proposal</b>
<b>R Codes Part C – Clause 2.2</b>	
<b>C2.2.1</b> – Habitable room windows shall be a minimum of 50 per cent transparent.	Unit 3 & Unit 4: Bed 3 windows are 30 per cent transparent.
<b>C2.2.4</b> – Grouped dwellings are to include a major opening to the primary living space that is oriented between north-west and east, with an adjoining uncovered open area that has a minimum dimension 3.0 metres by 3.0 metres.	Unit 2 primary living space proposes a major opening that faces north to a covered outdoor living area.  Unit 4 primary living space proposes a major opening to a south facing uncovered open area.  Unit 5 proposes a major opening an outdoor living area with a minimum dimension of 2.3 metres.
<b>Parking</b>	
<b>Deemed-to-Comply Standard</b>	<b>Proposal</b>
<b>R Codes Part C – Clause 2.3</b>	
<b>C2.3.4</b> – 1 visitor car parking bay required.	Nil visitor car parking bays proposed.

The above elements of the proposal do not meet the specified deemed-to-comply standards and are discussed in the Comments section below.

#### **CONSULTATION AND REFERRALS:**

##### **Community Consultation:**

Community consultation was undertaken in accordance with the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015* for a period of 14 days between 9 April 2024 and 22 April 2024. The method of consultation included a notice on the City's website and 36 letters being sent to the adjoining and adjacent landowners and occupiers, as shown in **Attachment 1** in accordance with the City's Community and Stakeholder Engagement Policy.

At the conclusion of the consultation period a total of three submissions were received. This included one submission in support and two submissions neither supporting nor objecting but raised some concerns.

The submission of support did not provide any accompanying comments.

Concerns raised in the submissions are summarised as follows:

- Concerns regarding the impact that the construction of the proposed development will have on adjoining older properties.
- Concerns regarding overshadowing to the adjoining properties landscaped areas and active habitable spaces.
- Concerns regarding the proposed extent of boundary walls, resulting in a reduced solar access and ventilation, increased overlooking, loss of street character and loss of financial value of the impacted adjoining dwellings.
- Concerns regarding the proposed development of a visitor parking bay shortfall, resulting in a reduced availability of street parking.

A summary of submissions received along with Administration's responses are provided in **Attachment 4**. The applicant's response to the submissions received are provided as **Attachment 5**.

Following the community consultation period, amended plans were submitted on 26 June 2024 and the key changes made are summarised as follows:

- The applicant provided consent to undertake dilapidation reports for the northern and southern adjoining properties. Administration have recommended a condition of approval to secure this requirement at the time of building permit, as part of the construction management plan.
- Amended plans provided that meet deemed-to-comply standards relating to overshadowing. Reduced overshadowing was provided to the southern property through a decrease in the proposed finished floor level, changes to the roof eaves and modification of the roof pitch.
- Amended plans provided that meet deemed-to-comply standards relevant to boundary walls. Changes included a reduction to the proposed boundary wall length to the northern and southern boundaries.
- Incorporation of an 8.1 metre by 1.6 metre recess to the northern and southern lot boundary to break up the boundary wall lengths proposed and reduce shadowing to the southern property.

The final set of development plans to be considered by Council are included within **Attachment 2**.

In accordance with the City’s Community and Stakeholder Engagement Policy, the plans were not readvertised as the amended plans reduced/removed deemed-to-comply departures and do not propose new or greater departures to the deemed-to-comply standards. Previous submitters have instead been notified of the changes made to the plans following community consultation.

**Design Review Panel (DRP):**

Referred to DRP: Yes

The proposal was referred on three occasions to the City’s DRP Chairperson for comment as considered against the 10 principles of good design.

The table below provides a summary of this application’s design review assessment progress.

<b>Design Review Progress Report</b>			
	<i>Supported</i>		
	<i>Pending further attention</i>		
	<i>Not supported</i>		
	<i>No comment provided/Insufficient information</i>		
	<i>Referral 1 – Plans dated 8 March 2024</i>	<i>Referral 2 – Plans dated 22 May 2024</i>	<i>Referral 3 – Plans dated 26 June 2024</i>
Principle 1 – <b>Context &amp; Character</b>			
Principle 2 – <b>Landscape Quality</b>			
Principle 3 – <b>Built Form and Scale</b>			
Principle 4 – <b>Functionality &amp; Built Quality</b>			
Principle 5 – <b>Sustainability</b>			
Principle 6 – <b>Amenity</b>			
Principle 7 – <b>Legibility</b>			
Principle 8 – <b>Safety</b>			
Principle 9 – <b>Community</b>			
Principle 10 – <b>Aesthetics</b>			

A summary of all the DRP Chair’s comments that were provided during the design review process that required review and further attention are included below:

- Recommendation to reorientate the two front units to have the front door entrances directly accessed from the streetscape to increase the interactivity of the streetscape interface, increase the level of passive surveillance of the streetscape and generate greater accessibility as well as amenity for residents.
- It is recommended to retain as many mature trees as possible.
- A number of trees are positioned in a locations where they will be restricted from reaching maturity the planting location being within close proximity of the dwelling.
- It is recommended to increase the extent of permeable paving in the central driveway area.

- Further consideration is recommended to be given to the impact of overshadowing to the adjoining southern dwelling.
- The living spaces to Units 4, 5 and 6 receive limited north light access as they are positioned on the southern side of the site.
- Recommendation to incorporate major openings to Bed 3's of Units 2, 3, 4 and 5 in lieu of frosted, high level or screened windows.
- Consideration to be given to additional renewable technologies such as rainwater re-use, EV charging, heat pump HWS's, and double glazing.
- Recommendation to the introduce a greater diversity of materiality and texture to the proposed elevation to improve the level of visual interest for adjoining neighbours.
- Consideration to be given regarding the increase in size of the paved usable areas within the outdoor living spaces.
- The bins are encouraged to be relocated from outdoor living areas.

In response to comments and recommendations received from the DRP Chair, Administration and community consultation comments, and following two meetings between the applicant and Administration, the applicant made the following key changes over the course of the application process:

- Unit 1 and Unit 6 were reorientated to directly address Oxford Street.
- Three existing trees are proposed to be retained and replanted on site.
- Proposed trees have been relocated to allow for greater room for trees to achieve maximum canopy coverage.
- Additional permeable paving areas added within the driveway space.
- Overshadowing reduced through the reduction of the finished floor level, removal of roof eaves and modification of the roof pitch and overhang.
- Introduction of north facing skylights to all dwellings on the northern side of the site and increased ventilation via the inclusion of operable windows over the stairwells.
- Inclusion of an additional window to Bed 3 of Units 3 and 4.
- Provision for EV chargers in the garages of all dwellings and solar panels on all roofs.
- Reduce proposed extent of boundary wall via the reduction of boundary wall length and the consolidation of boundary walls and incorporation of an 8.1 metre by 1.6 metre recess to the northern and southern lot boundary.
- Increase in the extent of upper floor setbacks to the northern and southern adjoining dwellings and the increase in setback between the upper floor of each dwelling to include a 3 metre wall break within.
- Increase the primary garden areas to all Units and reduction of covered area to Unit 2 and Unit 5.
- Bins relocated to storerooms, making space for clothes drying and air conditioner units.

The DRP Chair reviewed the final set of amended plans dated 26 June 2024. The table below provides a summary of the DRP Chair's comments which have not been addressed. This is in respect to their last referral response based on amended plans dated 26 June 2024, included as **Attachment 2**, along with Administration's response.

DRP Comments Received	Administration Comment:
<p><b><u>Principle 4 – Functionality &amp; Build Quality</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The bins being located within the garage stores reduces the size and usability of the stores.</li> <li>• Open mesh or slotted garage doors would provide improved ventilation for the FOGO bins.</li> </ul>	<p>In addition to the garage storerooms, each unit also provides alternate outdoor service areas that can be used to store bins, which are screened from the street, that are not active outdoor living spaces and would provide for enhanced ventilation.</p> <p>Each dwelling also provides for additional internal storage locations that could be used as secondary storage spaces for bulky goods.</p>

DRP Comments Received	Administration Comment:
<p><b><u>Principle 6 – Amenity</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bed 3, within in Unit 3 and Unit 4, prioritise compliant visual privacy as opposed to providing full size openings.</li>   <li>• The size of the paved usable areas within the outdoor living spaces are small in proportion to the sizes of the units.</li> </ul>	<p>The windows have been designed to balance the protection of privacy of adjoining properties, while ensuring the Bed 3’s receive sunlight and ventilation.</p> <p>This has been achieved through the provision of two windows. One highlight window provides transparent glass, while the other larger window provides obscured glazing below the 1.6 metre sill height. The combination of obscured and transparent glazing allows the bedrooms to receive sufficient sunlight, improving the resident amenity, whilst maintaining visual privacy to adjoining properties.</p> <p>To all dwellings, habitable rooms include sufficient glazing, in terms of size and operability, to ensure adequate solar access in accordance with the R Codes.</p> <p>The proposed private open spaces are functional and could accommodate a dining table and/or lounge space, as indicatively shown on the plans. These covered areas allow for year-round use, with design considerations for sunlight and ventilation, and ensuring sufficient space for deep soil areas and tree planting.</p>

**Internal Referrals:**

A large Ficus Tree is located on the adjoining southern lot at No. 291 Oxford Street, Leederville. The tree is located within the southern properties rear garden, approximately 2.8 metres from the shared boundary. The tree canopy spreads approximately 16 metres in diameter, with 6.5 metres of the canopy extending into the subject site. The tree is not listed on the City’s Trees of Significance Inventory.

The tree will require pruning during construction of the proposed development as Unit 3 would be in close proximity to the tree.

The proposal was referred to the City’s DRP Member specialising in Landscape Architecture and the City’s Park’s Team for comment. Comments were sought on the overall impact the proposed development may have on the tree and the impact required pruning may have on the viability on the tree. A summary of the comments received is as follows:

- Commentary confirmed that the tree could be retained through considerate planning and pruning.
- The tree is a Ficus Hillii (Ficus sp.). The tree was observed in being in generally good health and is generally considered a good specimen of the species.
- This species of tree is typically noted as a highly vigorous species to be able to tolerate pruning of limbs and roots.

An advice note is included in the Officer recommendation advising the applicant to liaise with the City’s Parks Department at the time of construction to assist in providing advice during the pruning of the tree.

**LEGAL/POLICY:**

- *Planning and Development Act 2005;*
- *Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015;*
- City of Vincent Local Planning Scheme No. 2;
- Residential Design Codes Volume 1 - Part C;
- Community and Stakeholder Engagement Policy; and
- Policy No. 7.1.1 – Built Form Policy.

Planning and Development Act 2005

In accordance with Schedule 2, Clause 76(2) of the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015* and Part 14 of the *Planning and Development Act 2005*, the applicant would have the right to apply to the State Administrative Tribunal for a review of Council's determination.

Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015

In accordance with [Clause 67\(2\)](#) of the Deemed Provisions in the *Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015* (Planning Regulations) and in determining a development application, Council is to have due regard to a range of matters to the extent that these are relevant to the development application.

The matters for consideration relevant to this application relate to the compatibility of the development within its setting, amenity and character of the locality, consistency with planning policies and advice from the DRP.

Residential Design Codes Volume 1 - Part C

The Residential Design Codes were gazetted on 10 April 2024. The changes to R Codes Volume 1 resulted in a split Volume 1 of the R Codes into Part B and Part C, as follows:

- Part B applies to all single houses R40 and below, grouped dwellings R25 and below, and multiple dwellings in areas coded R10-R25.
- Part C applies to all single houses R50 and above, grouped dwellings in areas coded R30 and above, and multiple dwellings in areas coded R30 to R60.

This proposal has been assessed against Part C of the R Codes. This is because the proposal relates to a Grouped Dwelling development on property coded Mixed Use R100.

**RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS:**

There are minimal risks to Council and the City's business function when Council exercises its discretionary power to determine a planning application.

**STRATEGIC IMPLICATIONS:**

This is in keeping with the City's Strategic Community Plan 2022-2032:

Innovative and Accountable

*Our decision-making process is consistent and transparent, and decisions are aligned to our strategic direction.*

**SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS:**

The City has assessed the application against the environmentally sustainable design provisions of the City's Built Form Policy. These provisions are informed by the key sustainability outcomes of the City's Sustainable Environment Strategy 2019-2024, which requires new developments to demonstrate best practice in respect to reductions in energy, water and waste and improving urban greening.

Administration's assessment has identified that the proposed development would satisfy the [Local Housing Objectives](#) of the Built Form Policy in respect to environmentally sustainable design, having regard to the Applicant's Target Setting Report including in **Attachment 3**.

The development has been planned to optimise solar passive design opportunities, to facilitate natural ventilation and includes openable windows in habitable room and living spaces. The design also features design measures to manage solar gain and has integrated renewable energy sources to optimise energy use.

**PUBLIC HEALTH IMPLICATIONS:**

There are no impacts on the priority health outcomes of the City's *Public Health Plan 2020-2025* from this report.

**FINANCIAL/BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:**

There are no financial or budget implications from this report.

**COMMENTS:**Private Open Space and Solar Access and Natural Ventilation

The proposed [Private Open Space](#) and [Solar Access and Natural Ventilation](#) would satisfy the Design Principles of the R Codes for the following reasons:

- Location: The proposed private open spaces are designed to provide for entertaining and leisure opportunities, while facilitating good indoor/outdoor connection. All private open spaces are directly accessible from and capable of use in conjunction with the primary living spaces of each dwelling.
- Functionality, Size & Landscaping: The size and dimension of private open space areas ensure that they can each accommodate a dining table located under an alfresco roof, providing weather protection for all year use. The outdoor dining spaces are co-located with uncovered landscaped areas, which contribute to an attractive setting for private open space.
- Secondary Private Open Space Areas: Dwellings that have a reduced private open space area are provided with a smaller secondary outdoor area. These areas are all unroofed, provide landscaping opportunities, and for the three northern dwellings, would be open to northern light and ventilation. This would provide additional usable space for the occupant's external amenity in conjunction with the ground floor primary living spaces. For Units, 2-5, clothes drying areas are de-coupled from these areas, ensuring that servicing would not impede on areas for outdoor living.
- Solar Access and Natural Ventilation: The proposed private open spaces are oriented and designed for occupant amenity and to facilitate solar access and natural ventilation. All alfresco areas are open in design on more than two sides, permitting sunlight and ventilation into the spaces. The covered portion of private open space supports year-round usability of these spaces, allowing for extended use of these areas, whilst also accommodating areas of uncovered space for landscaping.
- Privacy: All internal private open spaces are fenced, ensuring sufficient privacy between the communal area and private spaces, increasing the functionality and usability of the private open spaces and maintaining privacy to adjoining private open spaces. For Units 1 and 6, front fencing is provided to ensure a balance between provision of privacy to the front private open space areas and surveillance to the street.
- Solar Gain to Primary Living Spaces: The primary living spaces of all dwellings include sufficient glazing to optimise winter solar gain and natural light. Unit's 4-6 all include two northern orientated skylights directly above each primary living space; Units 4 and 5 include transparent doors orienting west and east, respectively, to uncovered outdoor areas; and Unit 5 includes a large north-facing window that would receive sunlight to the primary living space. These design features ensure solar access would be provided to primary living spaces, enhancing natural light and solar gain into the dwellings.
- Solar Gain to Habitable Rooms: All habitable rooms receive sufficient solar access and ventilation through operable windows that are of an appropriate size. This has been achieved through the inclusion of transparent hi-lite windows to Bed 3 of Units 3 and 4. The proposal then also includes an additional large, obscured window to these rooms to further improve the access to natural light and solar gain. The combination of obscured and transparent glazing ensures the bedrooms receive sunlight, while maintaining visual privacy to adjoining dwellings.
- DRP Support: The City's DRP Chair supports the design of the private open space areas as well as the design of windows throughout the dwellings.

## Parking

The proposed parking arrangements would satisfy the [Design Principles](#) of the R Codes for the following reasons:

- **Additional Street Parking Capacity:** The proposal includes the removal of an existing 4.3-metre-wide redundant crossover to the eastern boundary of the site, which reduces the number vehicle access points to the streetscape. This would result in the introduction of one additional on-street parking bay to Oxford Street. A condition of approval has been recommended for the crossover to be removed to allow for an additional on-street bay to be provided.
- **Availability of Off-Site Car Parking:** The R Codes design principles for the provision of car parking requires the consideration of the availability of off-site car parking. A desktop analysis and parking data indicates that there is capacity in on-street parking in the immediate area:
  - Within the immediate vicinity of the subject site there are a total of 30 on-street parking bays located on Oxford Street, located within 200 metres of the subject site, between Bourke Street and Bennelong Place. Of these:
    - There are 18 car bays along the western side of Oxford Street, with no time restrictions and no fee payable; and
    - There are 12 car bays along the eastern side of Oxford Street, with no time restrictions and no fee payable;
  - The City's parking data, undertaken in June 2024, demonstrates that the occupancy of these on-street car bays averaged 32.5 percent on weekdays with a peak of 77 percent within the early afternoon. Occupancy of these on-street car bays averaged 18.35 percent on the weekend with a peak of 53 percent within the early afternoon.
- **Alternative Transport Options:** The R Codes design principles states that adequate car parking shall be provided on-site in accordance with the projected need. This includes having regard to the proximity of the development to public transport and other facilities. Bus stops are provided directly adjacent to the subject site on Oxford Street, which is a high frequency bus route providing connections to Leederville, Glendalough Station and Perth CBD. The site is also located approximately 1.0 kilometre from the Leederville Train Station. The site location provides a practical alternate means of transport that would support a reduction in one visitor parking bay for the development.
- **Parking Permits:** An advice note is recommended for inclusion to advise that in accordance with the City's Parking Permits Policy, the City will not issue residential parking permits to residents of this development.

## Landscaping

In addition to the deemed-to-comply standards of the R Codes, the application has also been assessed against the landscaping provisions of the Built Form Policy. The deemed-to-comply landscaping standards set out in the Built Form Policy have not been approved by the WAPC. As such, these provisions are given regard only in the assessment of the application and do not have the same weight as other policy provisions.

The development proposes the removal of existing trees on site and proposes 43.8 percent canopy coverage within lot boundary setback areas, in lieu of 80 percent canopy coverage required.

The proposed landscaping would satisfy the [Design Principles](#) of the R Codes and the [Local Housing Objectives](#) of the Built Form Policy for the following reasons:

- **Retention and Relocation of Existing Trees:** The development proposes the retention and relocation of three established mature trees. The trees are currently located in the street setback area but require relocation due to the location of Unit 1 and the communal street. Two trees are proposed to be bagged and replanted within the front setback area and the third tree would be replanted within the private garden area and rear setback area of Unit 3. Based on preliminary review, the City's Parks team considered the trees could be transferred. A condition of approval has been recommended to secure this outcome, noting that if the trees do not survive the transfer, they would need to be replaced with new trees of a similar maturity of the existing trees.
- **Location of Planting:** The development provides landscaping across the subject site, including the front setback area, along the communal access way, to lot boundaries and within private open space areas. The location of landscaping would positively contribute to the public realm, would provide improved amenity for future residents, and would assist in softening the built form when viewed from adjoining properties.

- Permeable Paving: Approximately 85 square metres of permeable paving is proposed to driveway areas adjacent to each garage, adjacent to the communal access way. This would reduce the amount of hard stand areas and assist in water infiltration and support the growth of the trees that are proposed to be planted adjacent to these areas.
- Environmental Benefits: The proposed plantings and deep soil areas would contribute towards increased urban air quality, tree and vegetation coverage, and a sense of open space between the subject site and adjoining properties. A total of 14 trees and a number of other plantings would be provided across the site of varying species and sizes, providing a total site canopy coverage of 25.4 percent. This ensures landscaping amenity for residents and would make an effective contribution to the City's green canopy to assist in reducing the impact of the urban heat island effect.
- Front Setback: Landscaping within the front setback area of Units 1 and 6, includes the provision of two trees assists with reducing the overall impact of building bulk and scale when viewed from Oxford Street. This is achieved through the provision of 39.2 square metres of soft landscaping area provided between the front of the dwellings and the street boundary, equivalent to 51.2 percent of this setback area.

#### Environmentally Sustainable Design

Clause 1.8 of the Built Form Policy relating to environmentally sustainable design sets out local housing objectives to be achieved and does not prescribe deemed-to-comply standards.

The applicant has submitted a LCA report which is included in **Attachment 3**. The report and development plans identify the following built form and site planning measures that would be implemented to satisfy the local housing objectives of the Built Form Policy:

- The proposed design would achieve a 54.23 percent global warming potential saving against a benchmark design, achieved through the sustainable design measures.
- Solar PV panels to each dwelling.
- Deciduous trees to be provided for natural shading during summer months, and to allow for low winter sun to penetrate and heat internal spaces in the winter months.
- Openable windows on opposing walls to facilitate cross ventilation.
- Roof overhangs to minimise excess solar gains in summer.
- North facing habitable rooms and outdoor spaces for access to natural sunlight.

Administration has reviewed the proposal against the Built Form Policy local housing objectives and are satisfied that the development has incorporated environmentally sustainable design features to meet the intended built form outcomes of development within the City.

**CITY OF VINCENT  
LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME NO. 2  
SCHEME MAP 1 - LEEDERVILLE**

**LEGEND**

**METROPOLITAN REGION SCHEME RESERVES**

*Note: The Western Australian Planning Commission care of the Department of Planning should be consulted for full information on the actual land requirements for all Metropolitan Region Scheme Reserves.*

-  PARKS AND RECREATION
-  R Restricted Public Access
-  PRIMARY REGIONAL ROADS RESERVATION
-  OTHER REGIONAL ROADS RESERVATION
-  RAILWAYS
-  PUBLIC PURPOSES  
Particular use denoted as follows:
-  H Hospital
-  HS High School
-  TS Technical School
-  CP Car Park
-  U University
-  CG Commonwealth Government
-  SU Special Use
-  WSD Water Authority of Western Australia
-  P Prison

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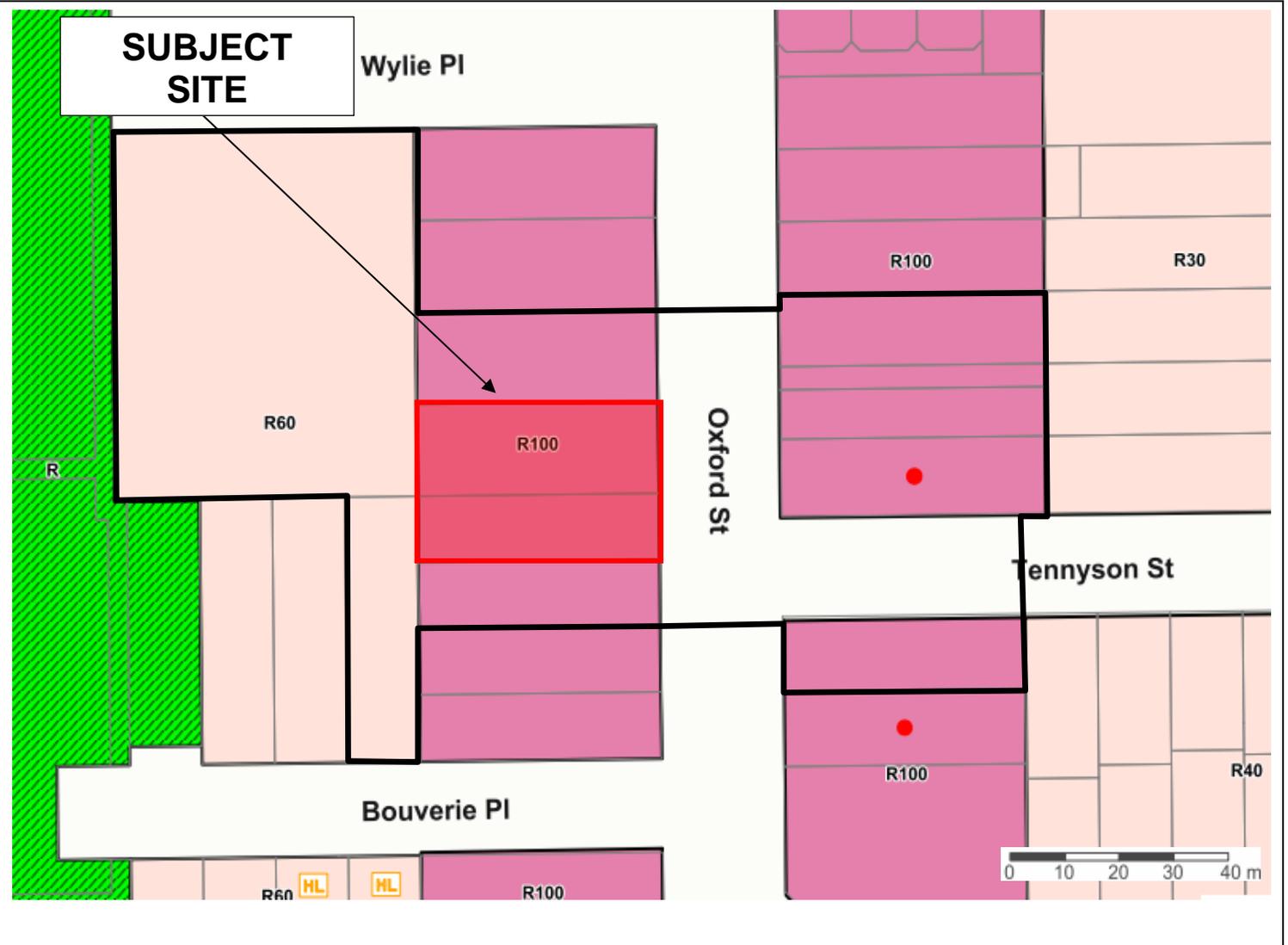
-  PUBLIC OPEN SPACE
-  R Restricted
-  PUBLIC PURPOSES  
Particular use denoted as follows:
-  PS Primary School
-  CP Car Park
-  CU Civic Uses
-  HS High School
-  I Institute for the Deaf
-  W Water Supply Sewerage and Drainage
-  TS Technical School

**CITY OF VINCENT SCHEME ZONES**

-  RESIDENTIAL
-  MIXED USE
-  COMMERCIAL
-  LOCAL CENTRE
-  DISTRICT CENTRE
-  REGIONAL CENTRE
-  SPECIAL USE  
Particular use denoted as follows:
-  CP Car Park
-  CU Community Use
-  FC Function Centre
-  HC Hall and Non Residential Club
-  H Hotel
-  PW Place of Worship
-  S Service Station

**ADDITIONAL USE**

-  ADDITIONAL USE
- ADDITIONAL INFORMATION & RESIDENTIAL PLANNING CODES**
-  CODE AREA BOUNDARY
-  SCHEME AREA BOUNDARY
-  DENSITY CODE



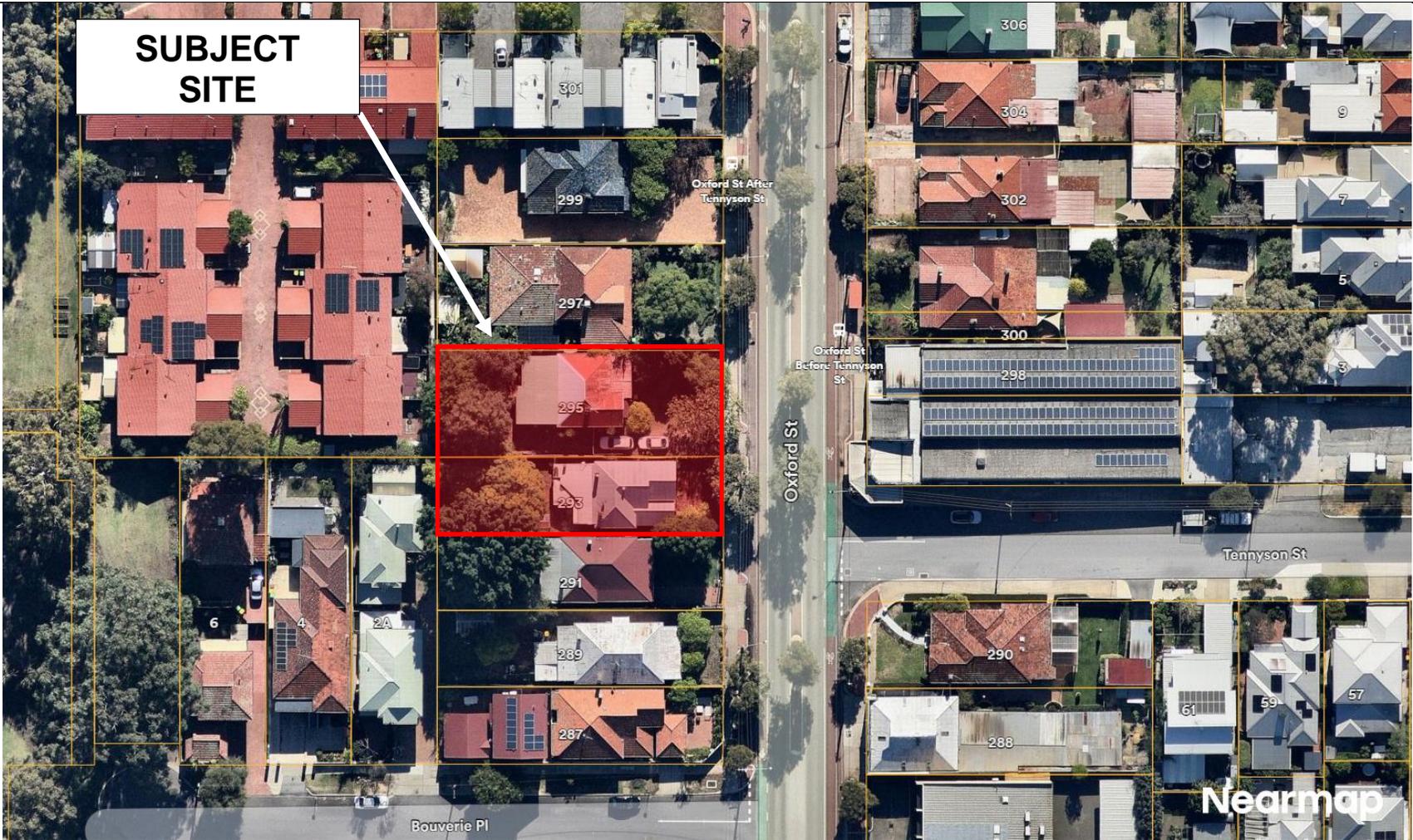
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**Consultation and Location Map**  
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Extent of Consultation





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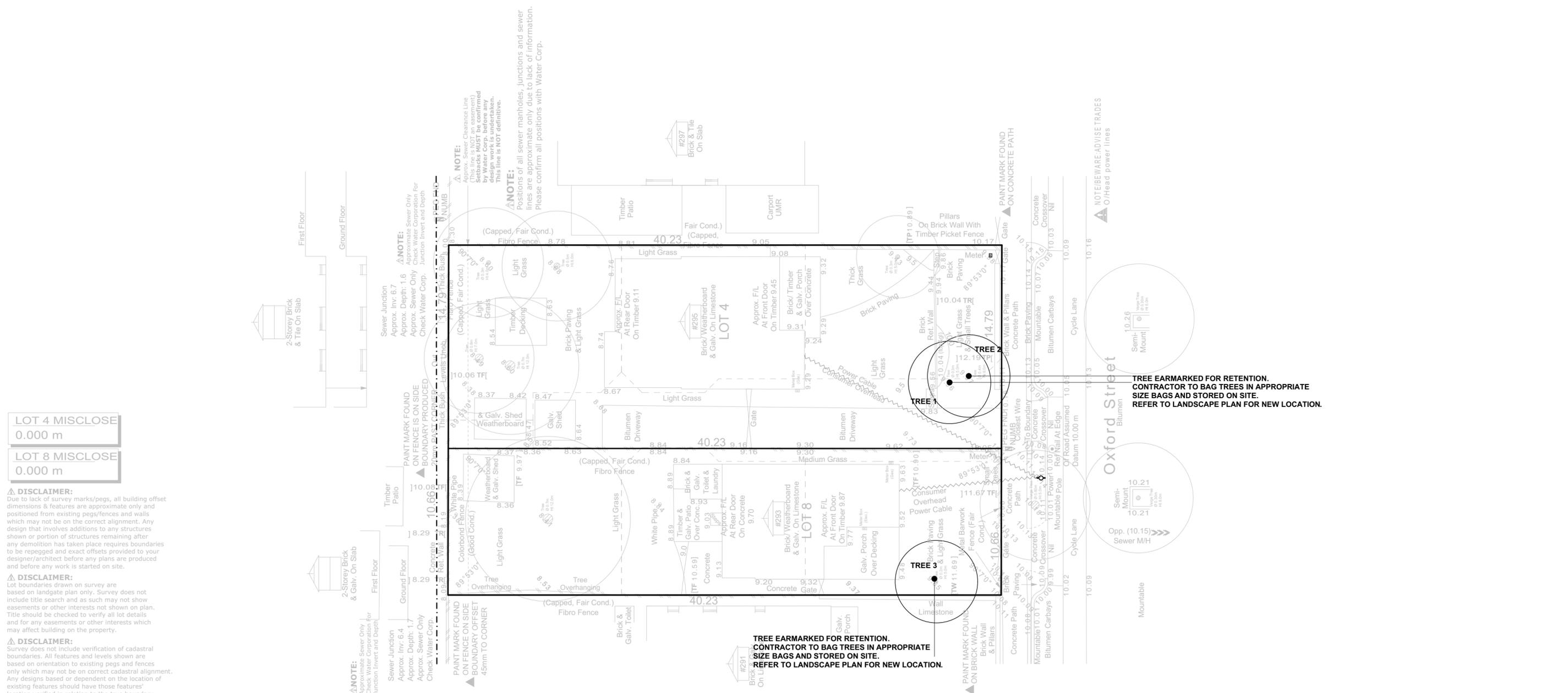
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4	1424	481
8	1599	123

LEGEND	
⊕	Power Dome
⊖	Power Pole
⊙	Phone Pits
⊚	Water Conn.
⊛	Top Pillar/Post
⊜	Top Wall
⊝	Top Retaining
⊞	Top Fence



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<b>KERBS</b>	Mountable	<b>COMMS.</b>	Yes
<b>FOOTPATH</b>	Concrete	<b>WATER</b>	Yes
<b>SOIL</b>	Sand	<b>GAS</b>	Check Alinta
<b>DRAINAGE</b>	Good	<b>SEWER</b>	Yes
<b>VEGETATION</b>	Refer to Survey	<b>COASTAL</b>	No

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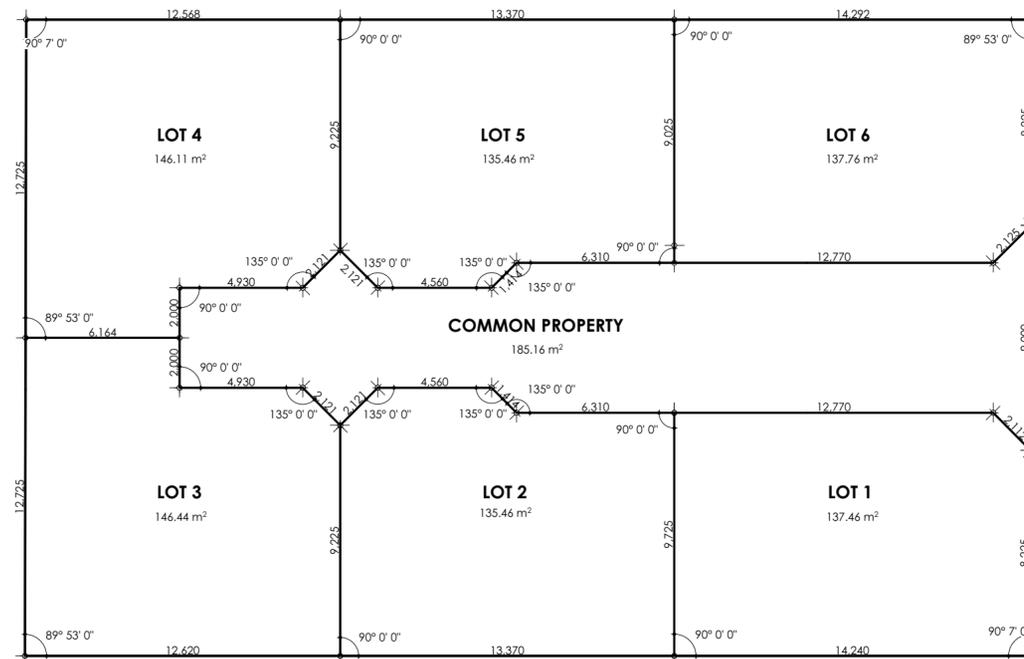
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OPEN SPACE CALC'S.	
SITE AREA	1023.85m <sup>2</sup>
TOTAL HOUSE AREA:	543.00m <sup>2</sup>
OPEN SPACE ACHIEVED:	46.96%

**NOTE:**  
REFER ELEVATIONS FOR  
BOTTOM OF RETAINING  
HEIGHTS

**PLUMBER NOTE:**  
PROVIDE REFLUX  
VALVE AS REQUIRED  
FOR HOBBLES SHOWERS

Soak Well Type	No.	Capacity
SW 1500x1500	5	13.3 m <sup>3</sup>
Total Capacity		13.3 m <sup>3</sup>
Roof Area GF		120.8 m <sup>2</sup>
Paved Area		207.6 m <sup>2</sup>
Roof Area UF		675.0 m <sup>2</sup>
Total Area		1,003.4 m <sup>2</sup>
Capacity Required (Area x 0.0125)		12.5 m <sup>3</sup>
Extra Capacity Provided		0.7 m <sup>3</sup>

NOTE: ALL DOWNPIPES  
CONNECTED TO SOAKWELLS  
WITH PVC STORMWATER PIPE

LOT 4 MISCLOSE  
0.000 m

LOT 8 MISCLOSE  
0.000 m

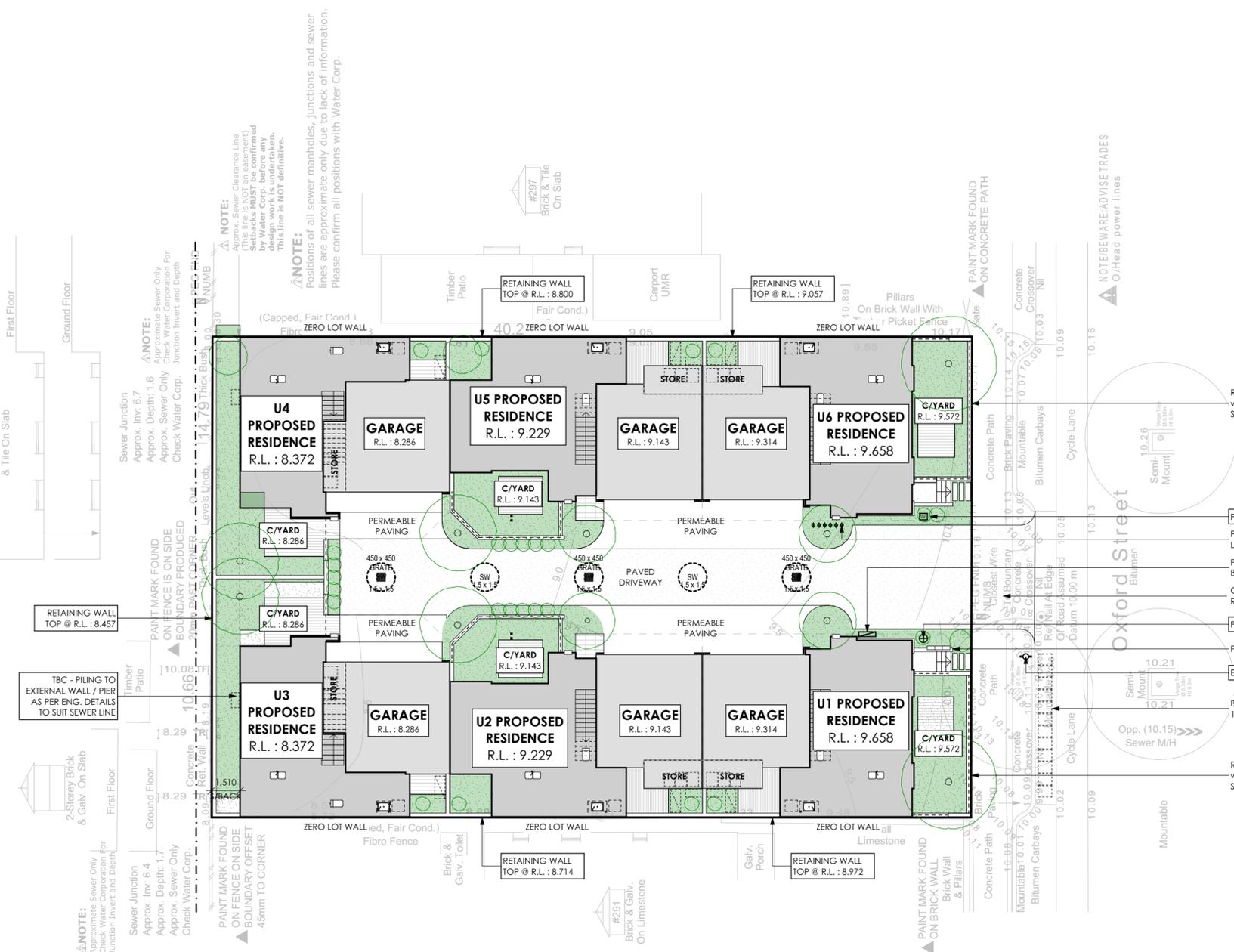
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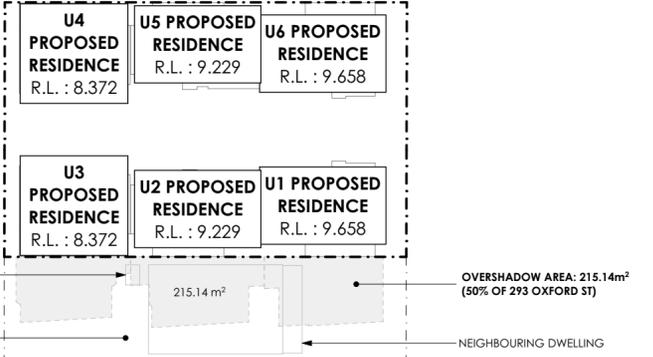
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**OVERSHADOWING DIAGRAM**  
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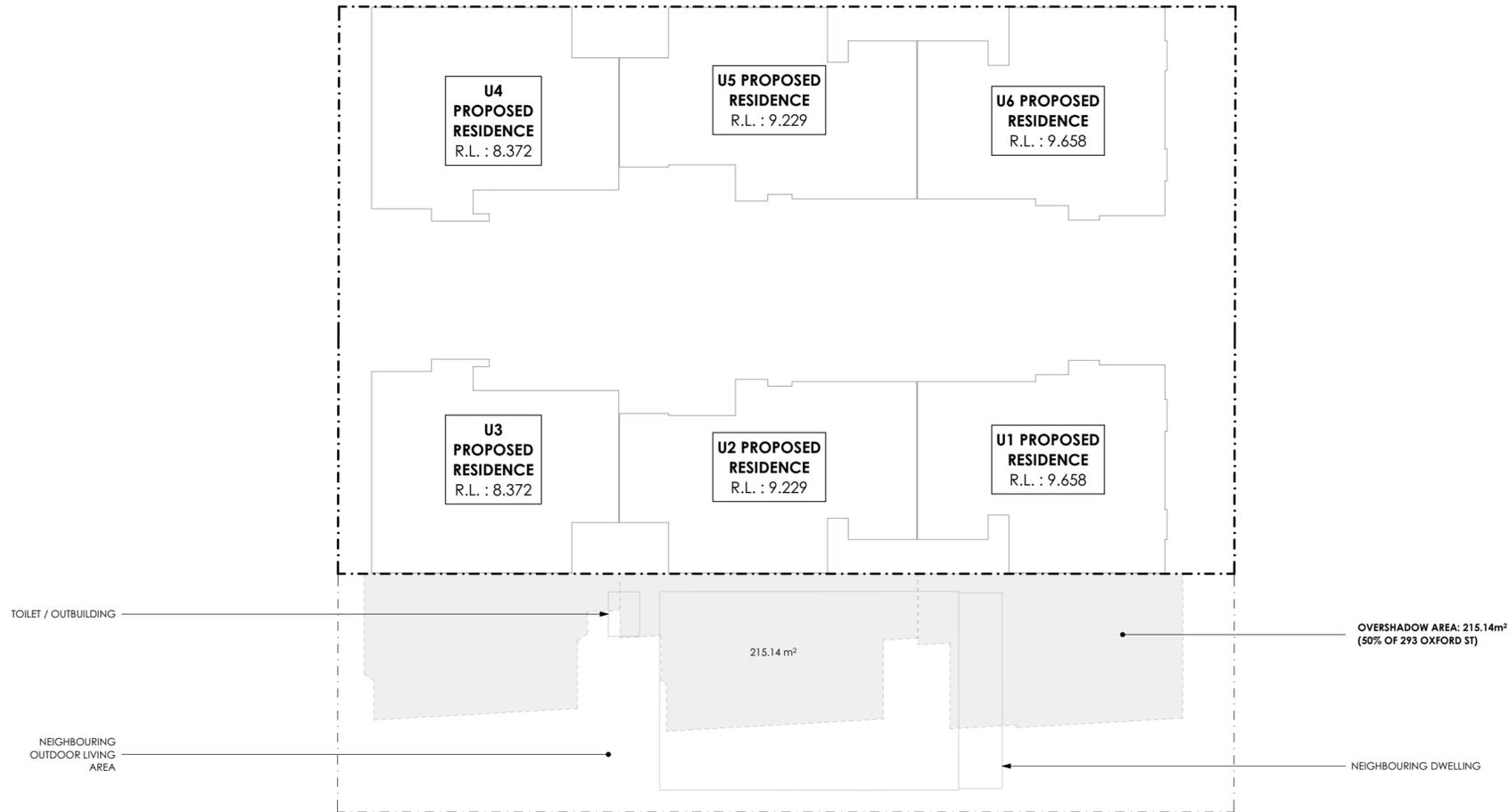
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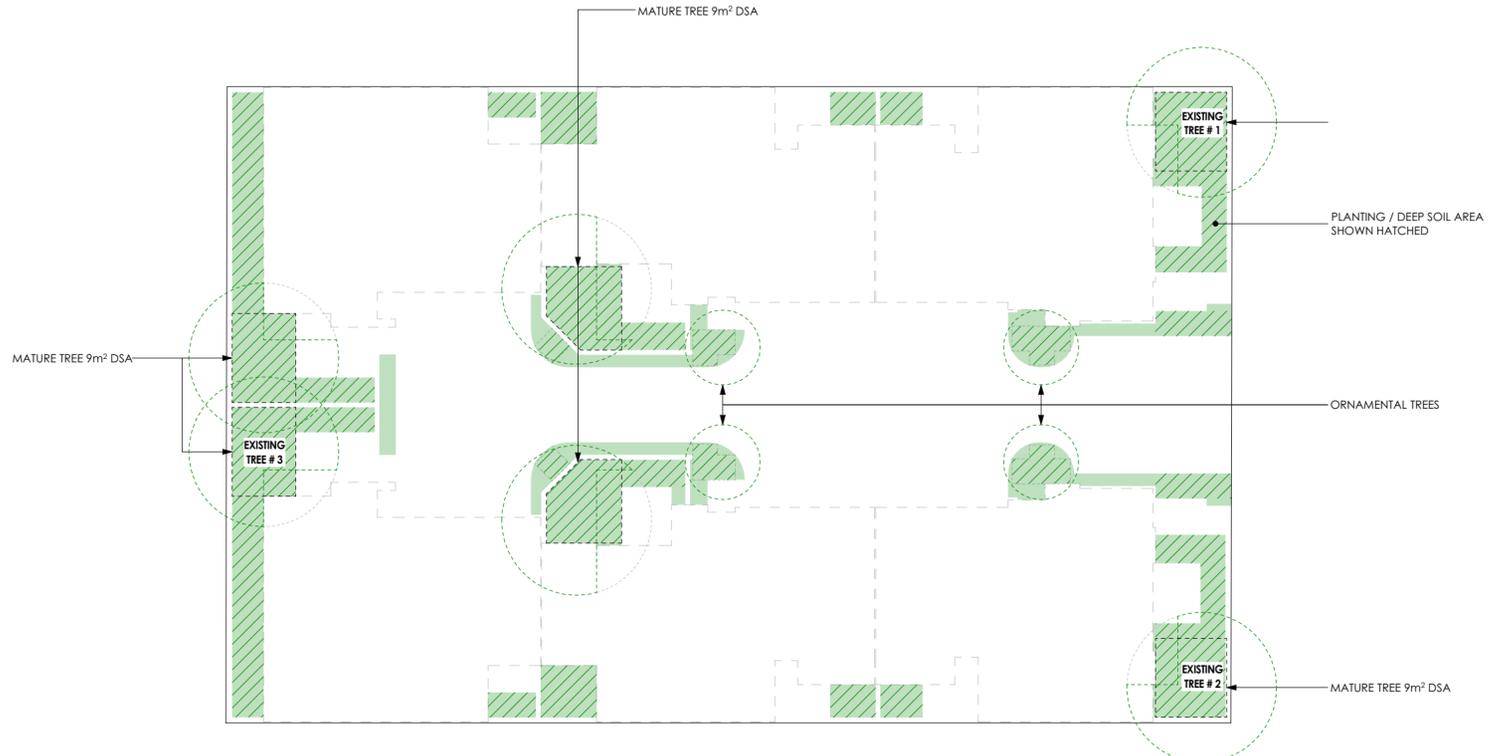
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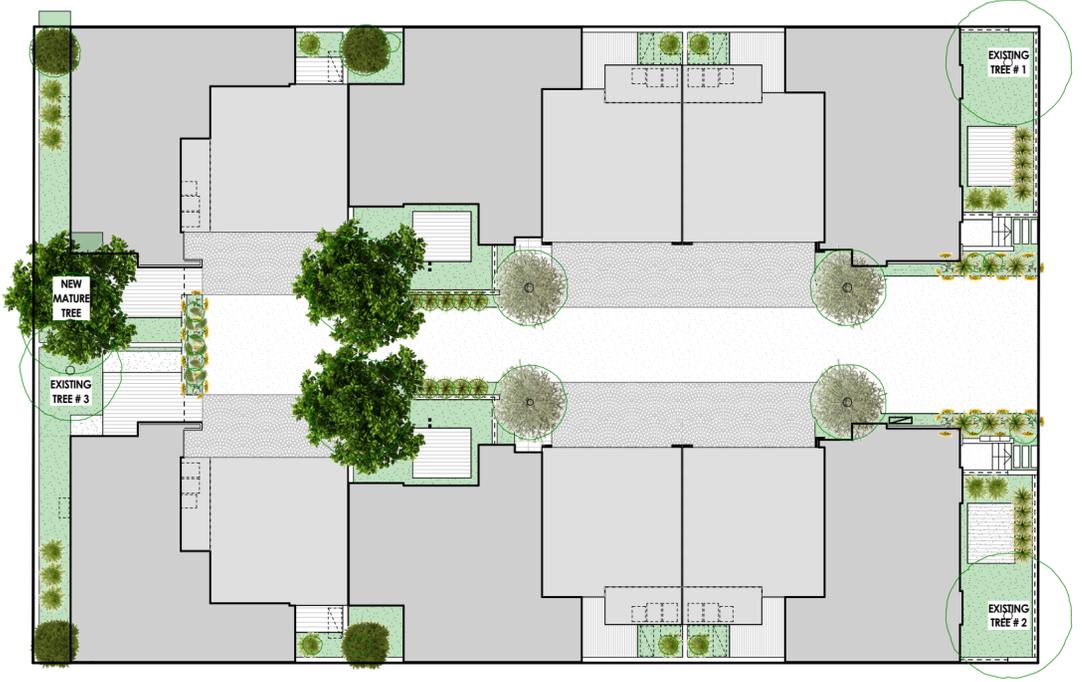
LANDSCAPE LEGEND			
	NATIVE GROUND COVER   RAMBERG <i>Melaleuca Huegelli</i>		0.20 (height) 2.00 (width)
	NATIVE BLUEBERRY LILLY <i>Dianella Revoluta</i>		0.30 - 1.00 (height) 0.30 (width)
	PIXIE MOOPS <i>Petrophile linearis</i>		0.40 (height) 0.50 (width)
	NATIVE COTTON HEADS <i>Conostylis Canadicans</i>		0.30 - 0.80 (height) 0.30 - 0.80 (width)
	CAPITAL PEARS <i>Pyrus calleryana 'Capital'</i>		4m CANOPY
	EXOTIC KAY PARRIS <i>Magnolia grandiflora</i>		6m CANOPY
	NATIVE SNOW IN SUMMER <i>Melaleuca linariifolia</i>		6m CANOPY
	MULCHED		
	GRASS		
	HARDSCAPE / TIMBER DECK		
	STRUCTURAL SOIL AND PERMEABLE PAVING		

LANDSCAPING	
LOT AREA:	1023.85m <sup>2</sup>
LANDSCAPING AREA:	163.94m <sup>2</sup>
<b>O/ALL LANDSCAPE PERCENTAGE:</b>	<b>16.01%</b>
PLANTING / DEEP SOIL AREA:	143.34m <sup>2</sup>
<b>O/ALL PLANTING PERCENTAGE:</b>	<b>14.00%</b>
PROPOSED SMALL TREES:	6
PROPOSED ORNAMENTAL TREES:	4

LANDSCAPING NOTES
ALL GARDEN BEDS TO BE MULCHED (LARGE PARTICLED MULCH - PINE BARK OR SIMILAR) TO A DEPTH NO LESS THAN 70mm
ALL LANDSCAPING AREAS TO BE RETICULATED WITH AUTOMATIC CONTROLLERS
PROVIDE BUBBLER IRRIGATION TO ALL TREES
PROVIDE LOW FLOW TRICKLE IRRIGATION SYSTEMS TO ALL LANDSCAPED AREAS U.N.O.
HARDSCAPE AREAS GRADED TO DIRECT RAINWATER RUN-OFF TO LANDSCAPING / GARDEN BEDS
VERGE TREES TO COUNCIL REQUIREMENTS
ALL TREES TO BE MATURE AT PLANTING (MIN 200L), 3.5 - 4.5m HIGH



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**UNIT 1 & 6 AREAS**

TOTAL AREA (ALL STORIES)

GARAGE/STORE:	36.84
GROUND HOUSE:	55.41
UPPER HOUSE:	76.30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>168.55 m<sup>2</sup></b>

**UNIT 2 & 5 AREAS**

TOTAL AREA (ALL STORIES)

GARAGE/STORE:	37.07
GROUND HOUSE:	57.11
UPPER HOUSE:	76.31
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>170.49 m<sup>2</sup></b>

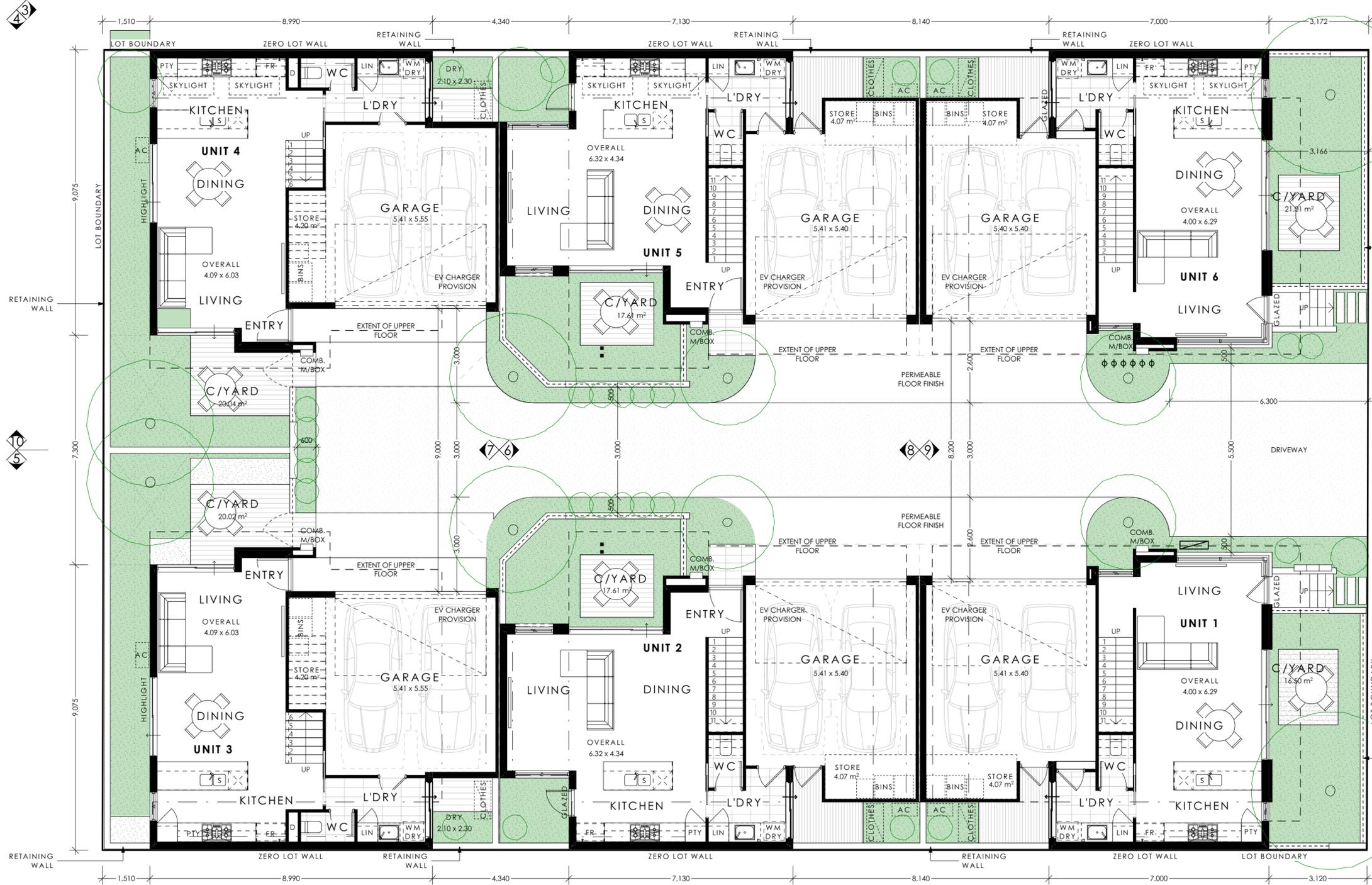
**UNIT 3 & 4 AREAS**

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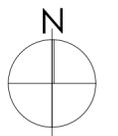
GARAGE/STORE:	36.84
GROUND HOUSE:	53.95
UPPER HOUSE:	75.30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>166.09 m<sup>2</sup></b>

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**UNIT 1 & 6 AREAS**

TOTAL AREA (ALL STORIES)

GARAGE/STORE:	36.84
GROUND HOUSE:	55.41
UPPER HOUSE:	76.30
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>168.55 m<sup>2</sup></b>

**UNIT 2 & 5 AREAS**

TOTAL AREA (ALL STORIES)

GARAGE/STORE:	37.07
GROUND HOUSE:	57.11
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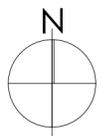
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TOTAL AREA (ALL STORIES)

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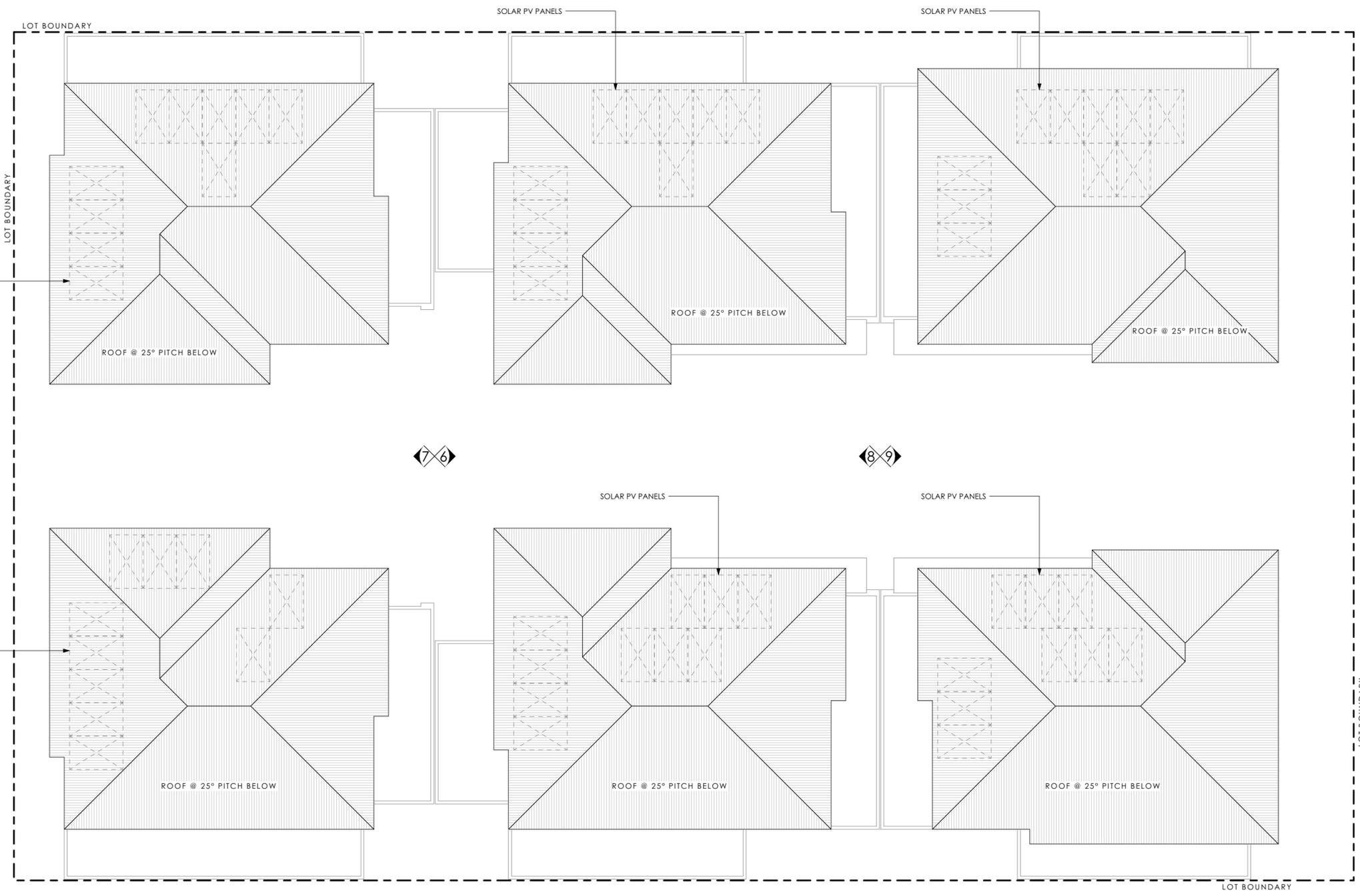
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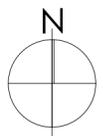


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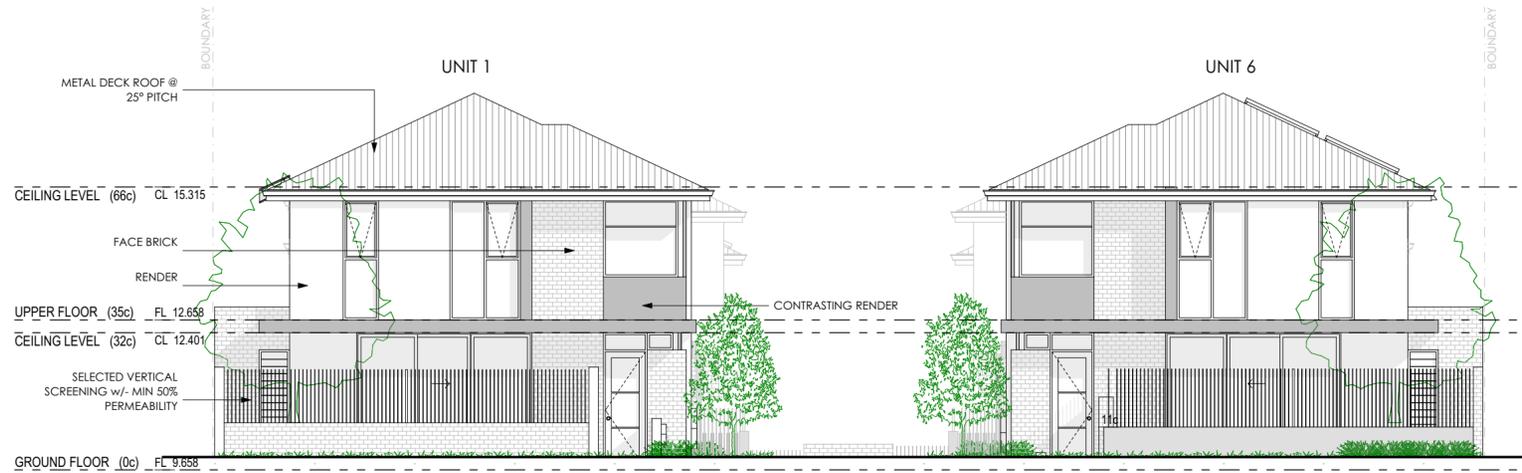
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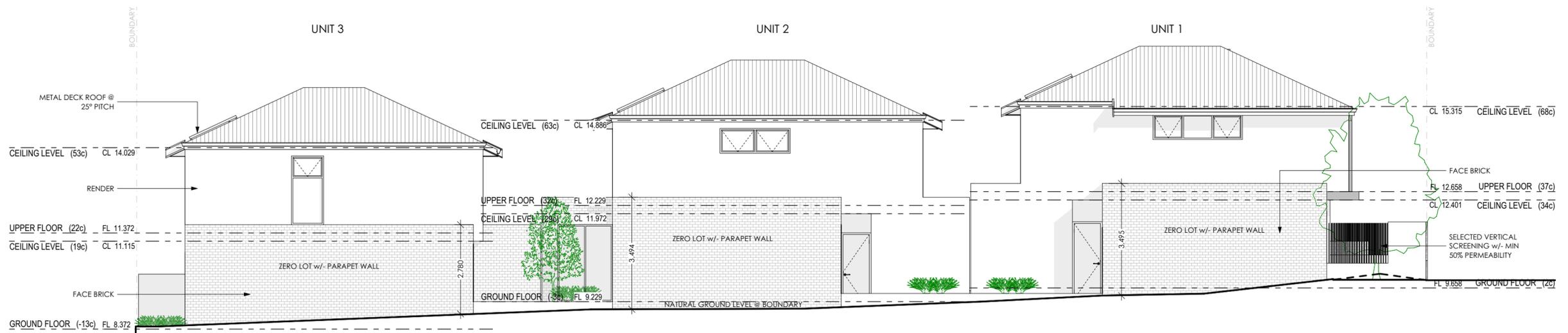
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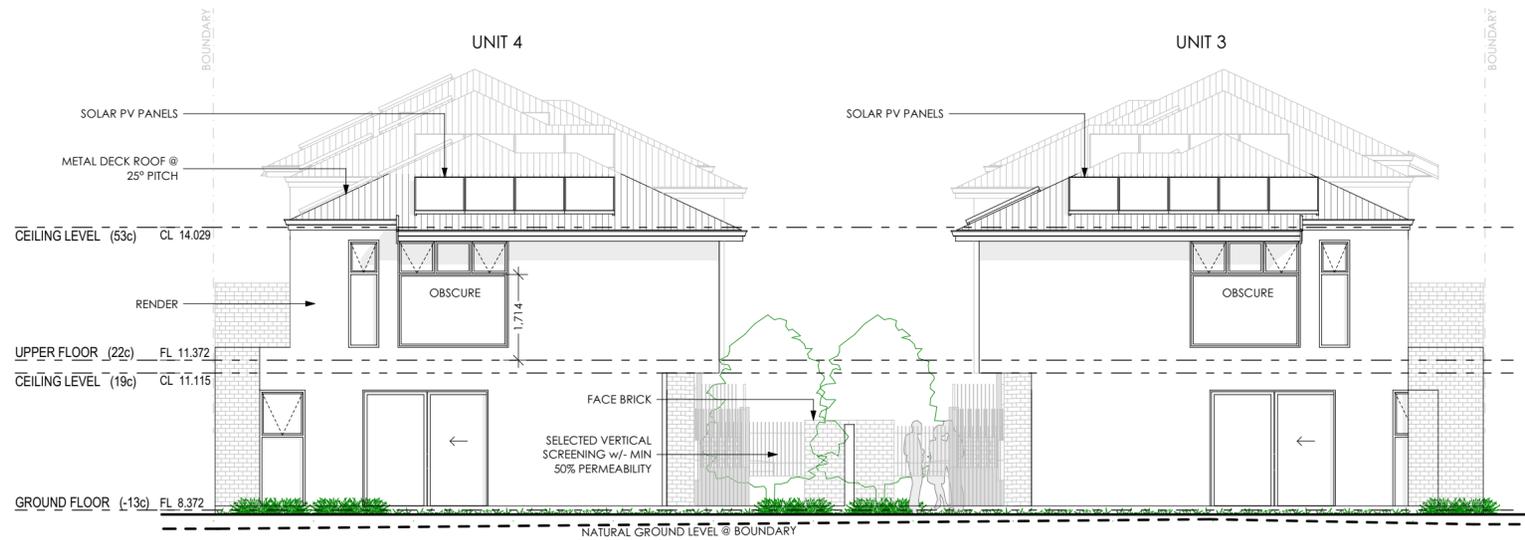
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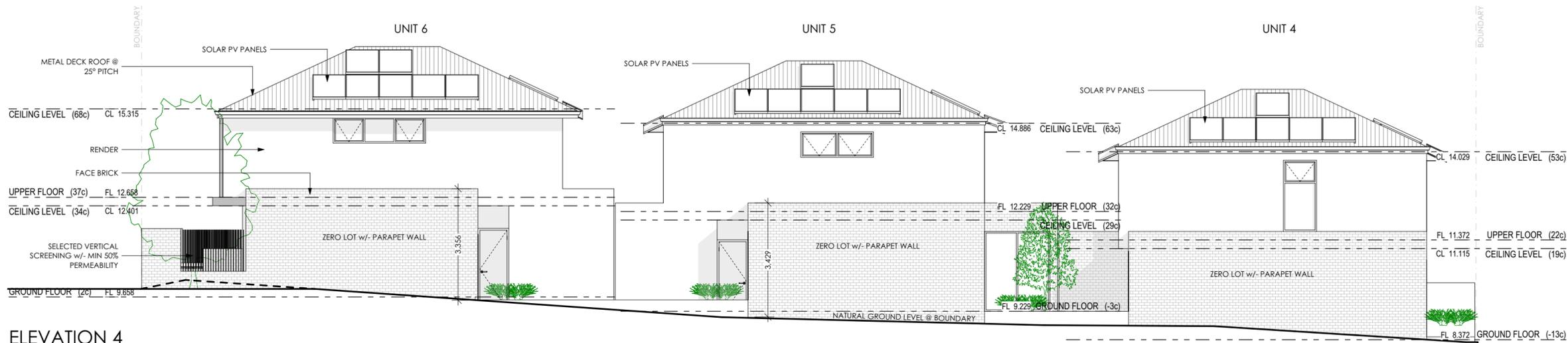
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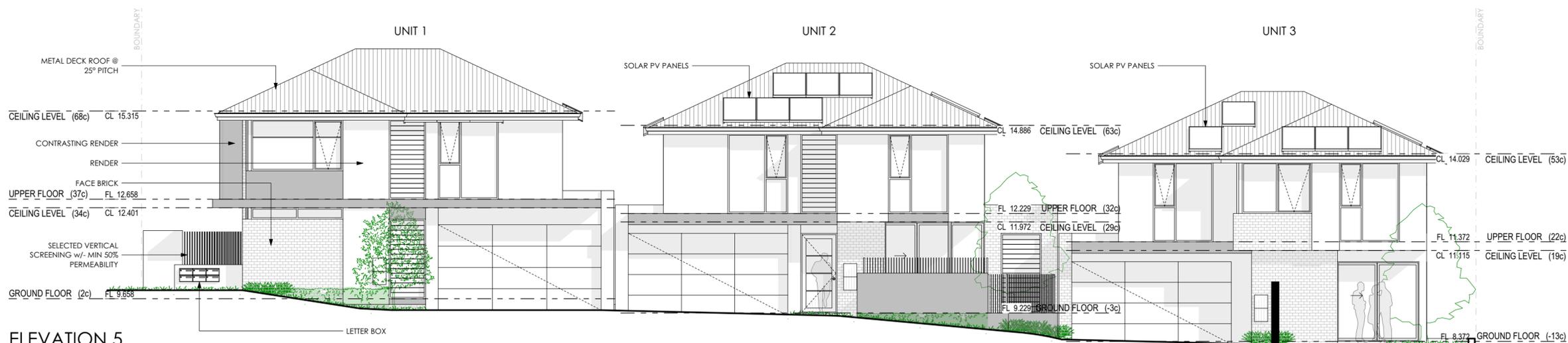
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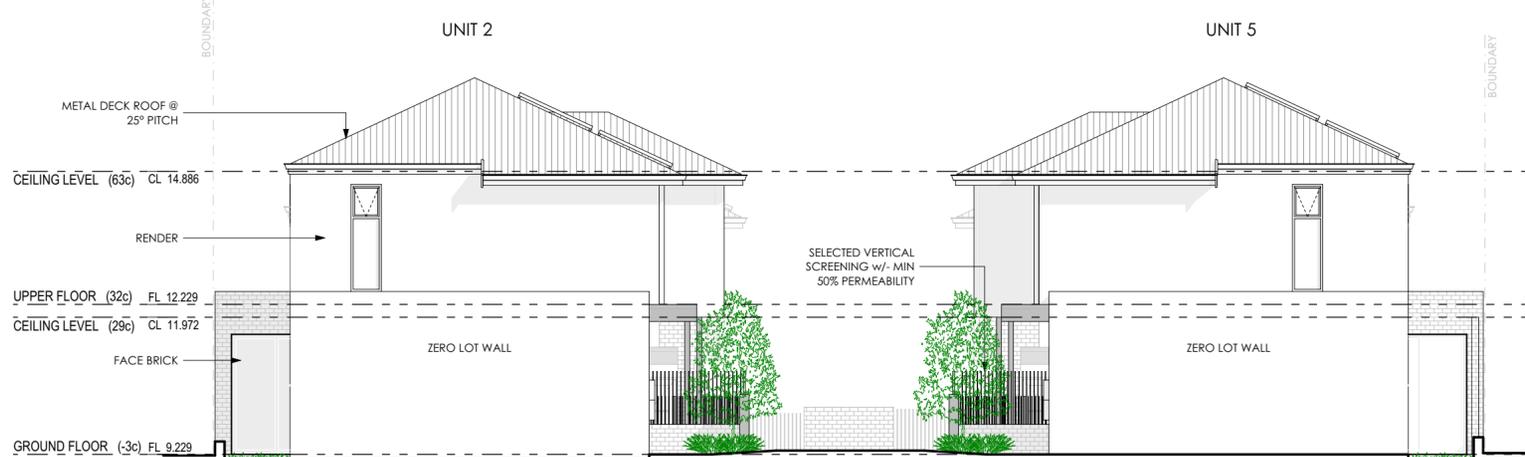
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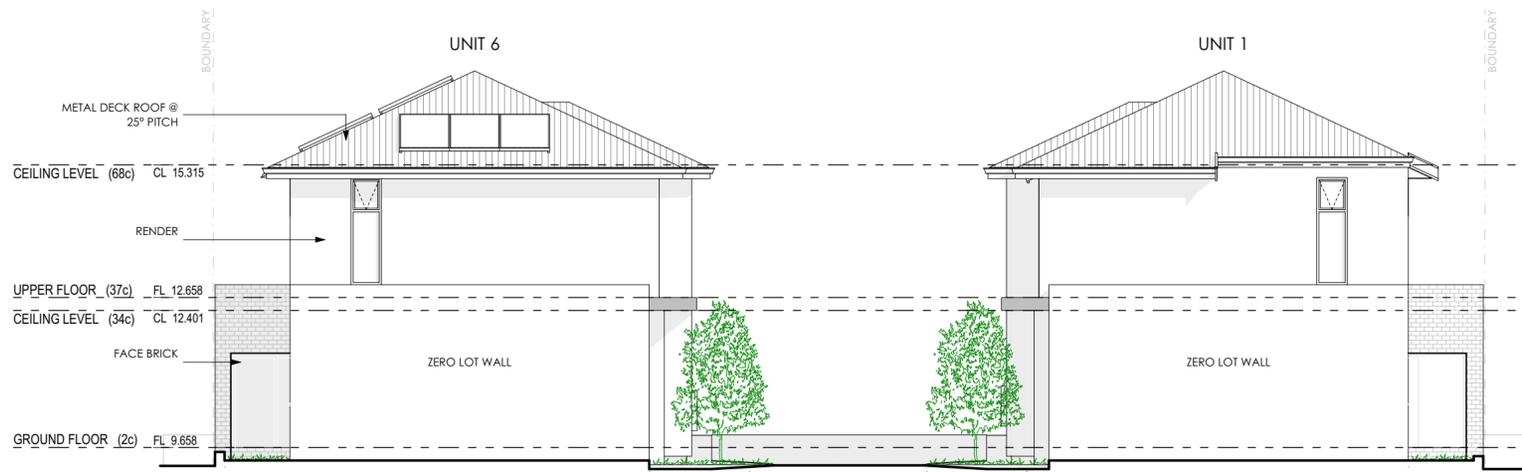
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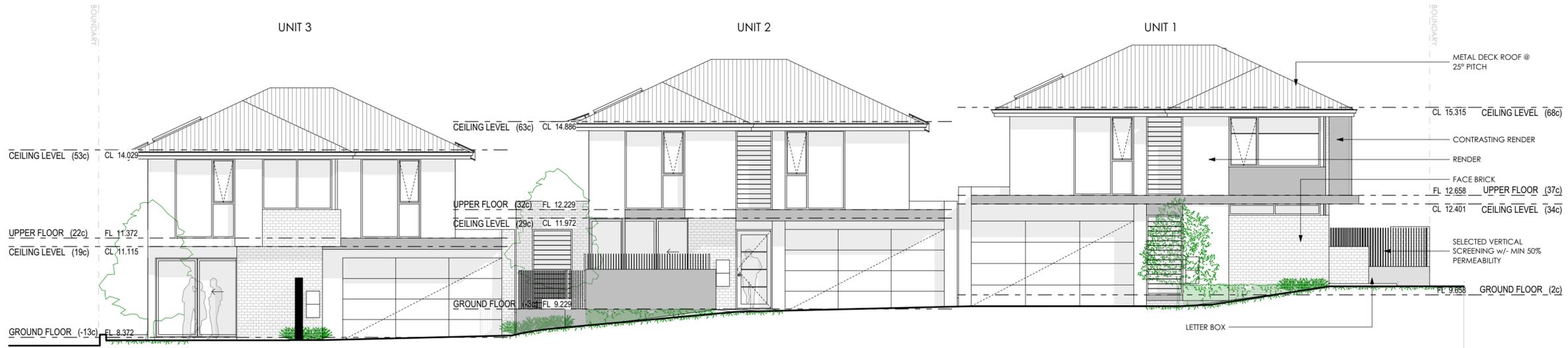
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# DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION



**LOTS 8 & 4 (NO.293 & 295) OXFORD STREET,  
LEEDERVILLE**

**PROPOSED SIX (6) GROUPED DWELLINGS  
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Daniel Cassettai Design and Siamos Development for the construction of six (6) new grouped dwellings (two storey) on Lots 8 & 4 (No.293 & 295) Oxford Street, Leederville.

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Dear Sir/Madam

**APPLICATION FOR DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL  
PROPOSED SIX (6) GROUPED DWELLING (TWO STOREY)  
LOTS 8 & 4 (No.293 & 295) OXFORD STREET, LEEDERVILLE  
CITY OF VINCENT**

We act on behalf of Daniel Cassetai Design and Siamos Developments as their consultant town planners and refer to the Application for Development Approval lodged with the City of Vincent seeking the City's approval for the construction of six (6) new grouped dwellings on Lots 8 & 4 (No.293 & 295) Oxford Street, Leederville to provide much needed housing within the Leederville & Mount Hawthorn localities in close proximity various Activity Centres.

In assessing this application, it is requested that the City of Vincent give due consideration to the following information prepared in support of the proposed development on the land:

**LOCATION & PROPERTY DETAILS**

Location

Lots 8 & 4 are located within the northern part of the Leederville locally, approximately 750 metres north of the Leederville Activity Centre (core area) and approximately 800 metres south of the Mount Hawthorn Activity Centre (see Figure 1 – Location Plan).

A review of the immediate locality has identified that the subject land is located within a well-established and well serviced part of Leederville, with convenient access to the following key nodes:

- i) Various public open space reserves, including access to Britannia Reserve and Loftus Recreation Centre;
- ii) High frequency public transport networks (i.e. bus routes). This include bus services along Oxford Street and easy access to the Leederville Train Station (see Figure 5 – Public Transport Network);
- iii) A comprehensive regional road network (i.e. Oxford Street, Vincent Street, Scarborough Beach Road with easy access to the Mitchell Freeway);
- iv) Access to a regional pedestrian/cycle network along the existing road network and along the Mitchell Freeway reserve, with a comprehensive pedestrian path network along the local street network;
- v) Access to various schools (both private and public schools); and

vi) Mount Hawthorn and Leederville Activity Centres, which includes a variety of facilities such as medical, retail, entertainment, service commercial use and employment opportunities. The subject land also enjoys good access to the Perth Central Business District (CBD).

Given the above, this application seeks the relevant development approval for the construction of six (6) new grouped dwellings on the subject land to provide much needed housing and housing diversity within the Leederville locality, in close proximity to a key activity centres, a variety of amenities and to public transport.

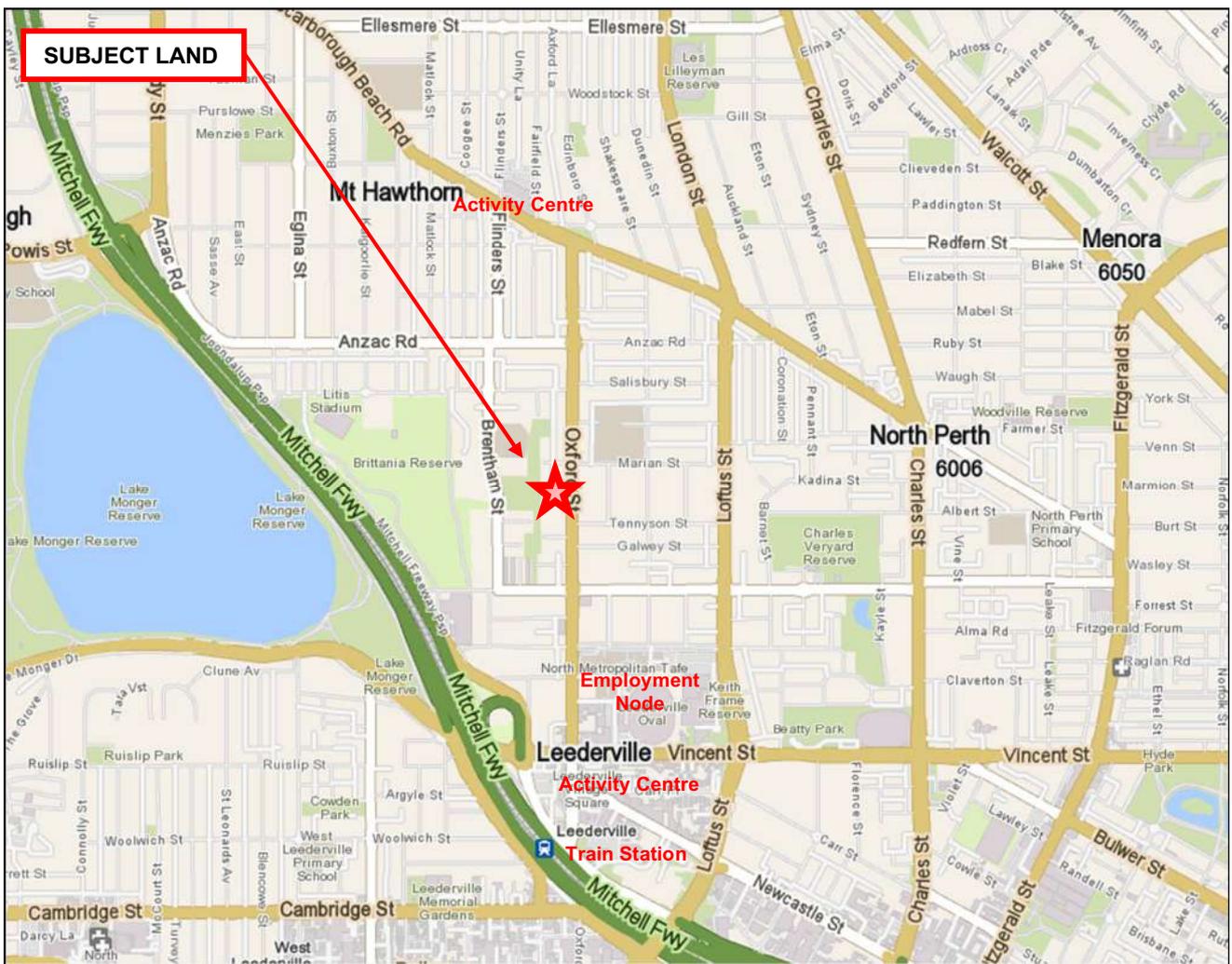


Figure 1 – Location Plan

Property Details

Lots 8 & 4 are rectangular in shape, comprise a total combined area of 1,024m<sup>2</sup> and contains an excessive fall in natural ground levels (NGL) from 10.08 metres along the land’s front boundary to 8.39 metres along the land’s rear boundary, which equates to a fall in NGL down/across the site of 1.69 metres (see site feature survey).

The subject land comprises a number of physical improvements including a single detached dwelling on each lot, sealed driveways and boundary fencing (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan & Figure 3). This application proposes that all physical improvements on both Lots 8 & 4 will be removed to accommodate the new grouped dwelling development.

The existing dwellings and associated structures on the subject land is not identified on the City of Vincent’s Municipal Heritage Inventory (MHI) and can therefore be removed subject to the issuance of a demolition permit by the City.



Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan



Figure 3 – Existing dwellings on the subject land.

The verge area abutting the subject land contains one (1) street trees, which will be retained as part of this application (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). It is also observed that this part of the Oxford Street road reserve comprises extensive on-street car parking that could be used by visitors attending the subject land.

## ESSENTIAL SERVICES

Lots 8 & 4 are served by an extensive range of essential service infrastructure including power, water, reticulated sewerage, stormwater drainage, gas and telecommunications (see Figure 4).



Figure 4 – The subject land is well serviced (MNG Mapping)

The subject land is also served by an efficient local and district road network with convenient access to Scarborough Beach Road, Oxford Street, Vincent Street and the Mitchell Freeway. Public transport is available along various nearby roads, including a service along Oxford Street and easy access to the Leederville Train Station (see Figure 5 – Public Transport Network).

The subject land is also well served by a pedestrian path network, including a regional cycle network along the Mitchell Freeway. It is contended that the subject land's good access to public transport and a pedestrian path network will provide an alternative form of transport for the future occupants and visitors to the development.

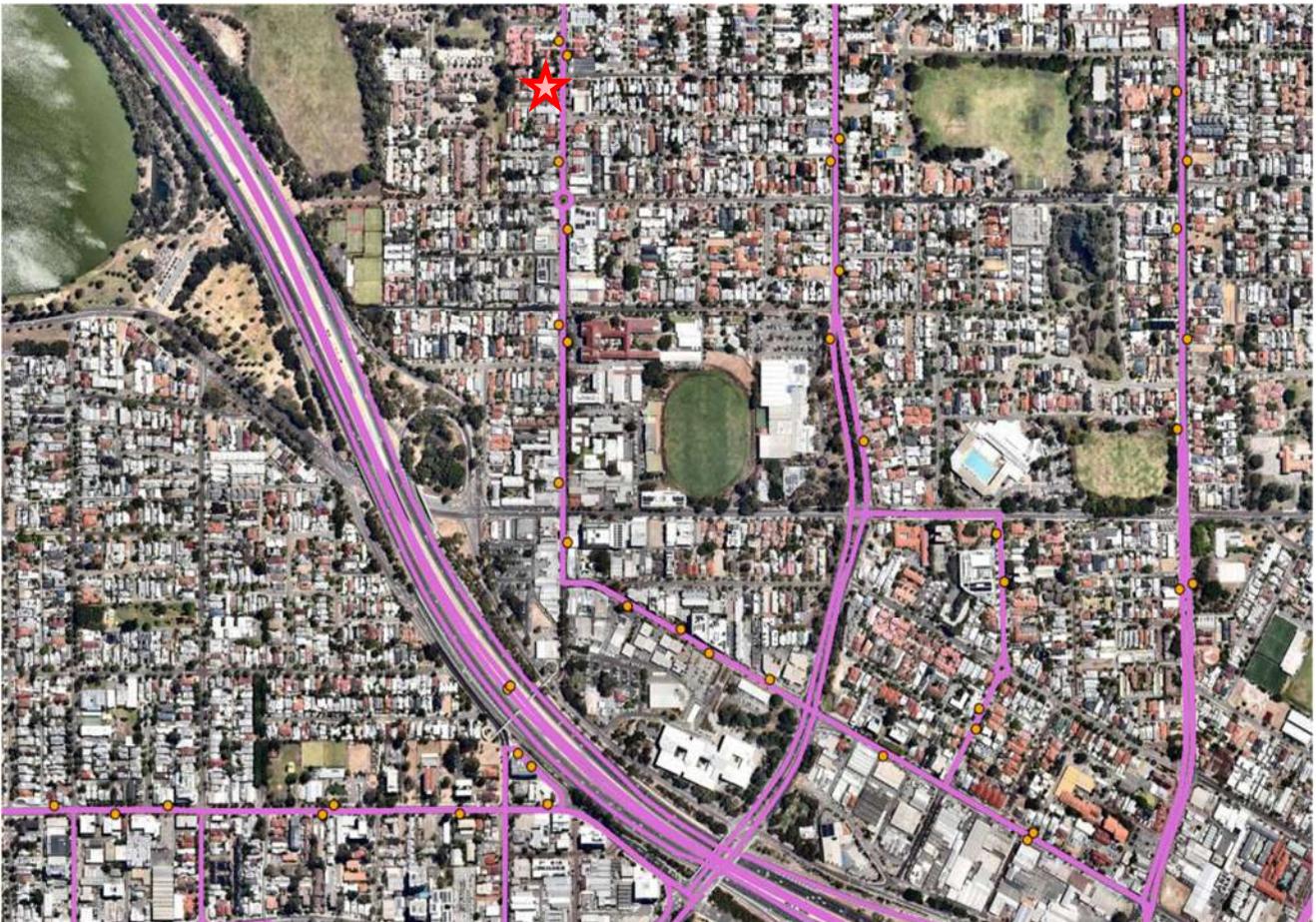


Figure 5 – Public Transport (bus routes shown in pink, with stops shown as orange dots - MNG Mapping)

## PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT

This application proposes the demolition of all existing physical improvements on the subject land and the construction of six (6) new grouped dwellings of a two (2) storey nature. The key details of the proposed development include the following:

- i) Each dwelling will comprise three (3) bedrooms and two (2) bathrooms;
- ii) Each dwelling will comprise a double (two car) garage and a storeroom. It should be noted that all vehicular access for development will be from one (1) central common driveway along the land's Oxford Street frontage;
- iii) Constructions of a visually permeable fence along the land's front boundary with Oxford Street to provide an element of security for the future occupants of the development;
- iv) Installation of landscaping throughout the site; and
- v) The dwelling will include the use of varying materials, a varying pallet of colours and varying setbacks/articulation to enhance the appearance of the development when viewed from the public realm (see Figure 6).

The lots will be amalgamated as part of the future development on the land.



Figure 6 – The front elevation of the proposed development.

## STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS

### Metropolitan Region Scheme

Lot 8 & 4 are currently classified 'Urban' zone under the Metropolitan Region Scheme (MRS). It should be noted that the zones and reservations prescribed by the MRS are broad categories only that are intentionally not precisely defined or limited in order to enable a flexible approach to town planning. The following definition is provided as a guide to its stated purpose/s in the MRS:

*“Urban Zone - Areas in which a range of activities are undertaken, including residential, commercial recreational and light industry.”*

The proposed development and use of the land for grouped dwelling purposes is considered to be consistent with the defined intent of its current 'Urban' zoning classification under the MRS and has scope to be approved.

## City of Vincent Local Planning Scheme No.2

Lots 8 & 4 are classified 'Mixed Use' zone under the City of Vincent's current operative Local Planning Scheme No.2 (LPS No.2) with a residential density coding of R100. In addition, the subject land is located within the 'Leederville Precinct'.

Under the terms of the City's LPS No.2 the development and use of any land classified 'Residential' zone for 'Grouped Dwelling' purposes is listed as a permitted ("P") use.

According to the City of Vincent's Local Planning Policy No.7.1.1 entitled 'Built Form', the subject land is identified as being within the 'Activity Corridor' built form area and comprises an allowable building height of four (4) storeys. Furthermore, LPP No.7.1.1 allows for a nil primary and secondary street setback.

Following discussions with the City of Vincent, it was advised that the required lot boundary setbacks calculations will be as per the R-Codes (i.e. Table 2A & 2B of Volume 1) and that the provision prescribed within Clause 1.2 of the City's LPP No.7.1.1 are only due regard and not required to be addressed.

Council's stated objectives for all land classified 'Mixed Use' zone under LPS No.2 are as follows:

- *To provide for a wide variety of active uses on street level which are compatible with residential and other non-active uses on upper levels.*
- *To allow for the development of a mix of varied but compatible land uses such as housing, offices, showrooms, amusement centres, eating establishments and appropriate industrial activities which do not generate nuisances detrimental to the amenity of the district or to the health, welfare and safety of its residents.*
- *To provide for a compatible mix of high density residential and commercial development.*
- *To promote residential use as a vital and integral component of these mixed use zones.*
- *To ensure development design incorporates sustainability principles, with particular regard to waste management and recycling and including, but not limited to, solar passive design, energy efficiency and water conservation.*
- *To ensure the provision of a wide range of different types of residential accommodation, including affordable, social and special needs, to meet the diverse needs of the community.*

It is contended that the future grouped dwelling development of the subject land is consistent with the stated objectives for the 'Mixed Use' zone prescribed in LPS No.2 for the following reasons:

- It will provide for a range of housing choice/diversity and allows for an increase in density to service the needs of the community;
- It will contribute to providing a range of different land uses along Oxford Street, by allowing an element of residential land use that will support the commercial/other mixed use developments within the precinct;
- It will provide a use that is compatible with other surrounding uses and will not be a nuisance to the area or have a detrimental impact on the amenity of the locality in terms of health, welfare and safety;
- It will assist with providing a wide range of housing types and densities within the immediate locality, which will cater for varying household structures and demographics;

- It will foster the re-development of the land to provide for significant improvements to the current levels of passive surveillance of the local streetscape, will add to the diversity of housing stock within the immediate locality and provide a development that will include good connectivity between both the public and private realms;
- It will provide for increased usage of the nearby public transport network and support the nearby activity centres;
- It will provide a design that incorporates sustainability principles, including access to natural light, cross ventilation and water conservation;
- It will provide an attractive and safe residential environment comprising affordable, modern and high quality housing within a well-established urban area.

Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES)

The subject land has not been identified by the Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES) as being located within a bushfire prone area (see Figure 7 – DFES Mapping).



Figure 7 – DFES bushfire mapping

State Planning Policy No.5.4 – ‘Road & Rail Noise’

The subject land is not located within close proximity to any regional roads and/or railway network (see Figure 8). As such, this application is not required to address the requirements of State Planning Policy No.5.4 entitled ‘Road and Rail Noise’ in regard to noise.

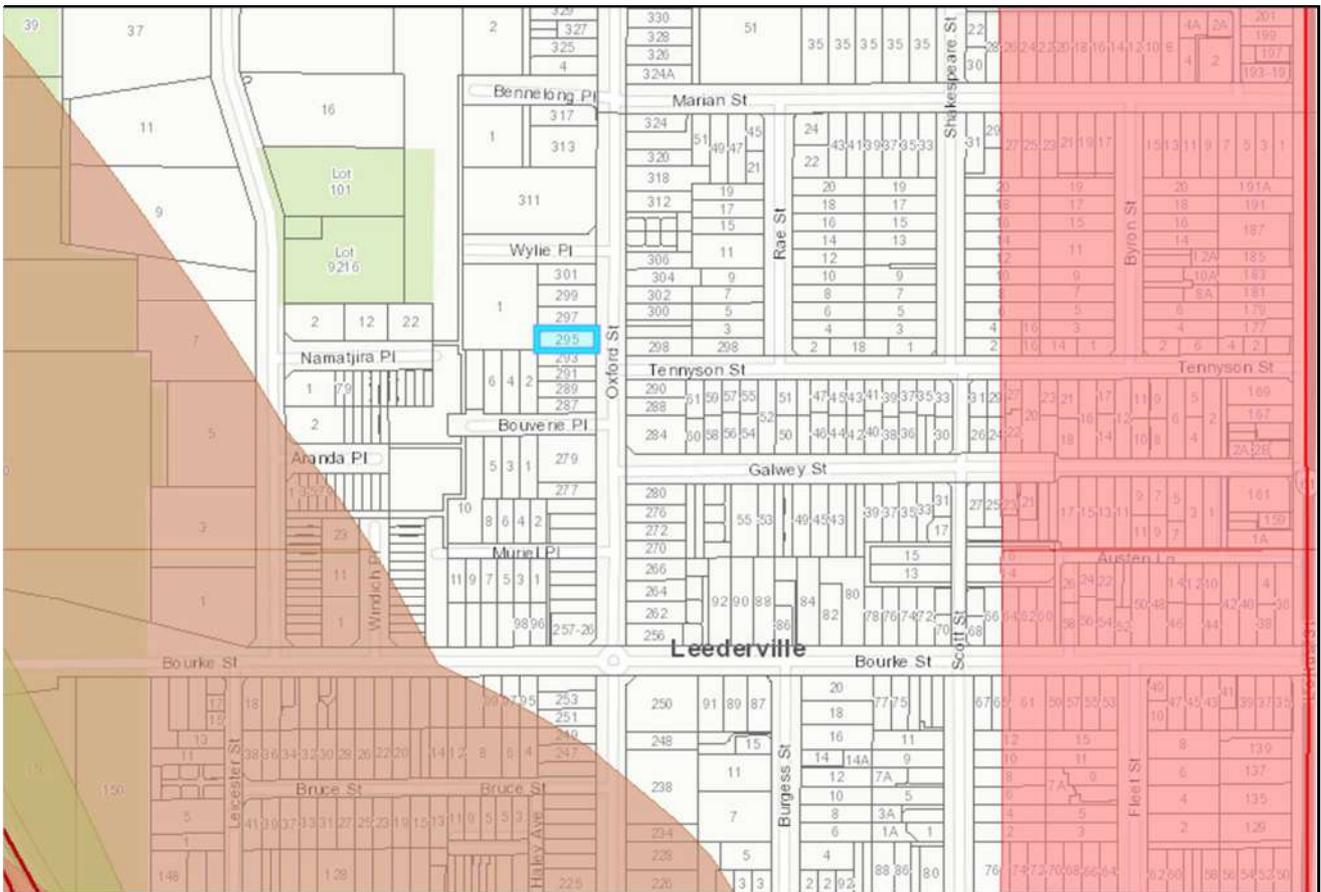


Figure 8 – SPP No.5.4 mapping

## URBAN DESIGN STUDY

Lots 8 & 4 have historically been developed and used for 'Single House' purposes, with all physical improvements on the land to be removed. As previously mentioned, the verge area abutting the subject comprises one (1) mature street trees, which is in good condition and will need to be retained as part of the proposed development on the land.

A review of the existing and future character of the immediate locality has concluded that there is no defined or heritage character worthy of retention within this part of the Leederville locality, with a wide range of land uses and development styles/configuration being evident (i.e. range from single dwellings to grouped/multiple dwellings and commercial developments). Given this, it is considered reasonable to conclude that the character of the locality and the local streetscapes is not uniform, is varied in terms of the current built form, does not reflect any specific character or form and is undergoing continued re-development that reflects the varying zonings along Oxford Street. As such, it is contended that the development will provide a positive contribution to the immediate locality, whilst providing a diversity of housing types within close proximity to the Leederville and Mount Hawthorn Activity Centres.

Figures 9 & 10 below illustrate examples of the varying developments/land uses along this part of Oxford Street.



Figure 9 – Examples of Residential developments along Oxford Street in close proximity to the subject land.



Figure 10 – Examples of existing commercial developments along Oxford Street close to the subject land.

It should be noted that the designer/applicant has provided a response to the those matters prescribed within the City of Vincent's 'Development Application – Urban Design Study' form.

## DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS

The design of the proposed new grouped dwelling development on the subject land has been formulated with due regard for the relevant 'deemed to comply requirements' of the Residential Design Codes Volume 1 (R-Codes) and the City of Vincent's current operative Local Planning Scheme No.2 (LPS No.2) including any relevant Local Planning Policies (including the City's LPP No.7.1.1 entitled 'Built Form') with the exception of the following:

- a) R-Code Element 5.1.3 C3.1 - 'Lot boundary setback';
- b) R-Code Element 5.1.3 C3.2 – 'Lot boundary setback' (buildings on boundary);
- c) R-Code Element 5.3.1 C1.1 - 'Outdoor living area';
- d) R-Code Element 5.3.3 C3.2 - 'Parking';
- e) R-Code Element 5.3.7 C7.2 & C7.3 - 'Site works'; and
- f) City of Vincent Local Planning Policy 7.1.1, Clause 1.4 - 'Landscaping'.

The following table provides justification for those aspects of the proposed new grouped dwelling development on the subject land seeking a variation to the 'deemed to comply requirements' of the relevant planning framework.

**Table 1 – Justification**

DEVELOPMENT STANDARD & 'DESIGN PRINCIPLES' OR 'LOCAL HOUSING OBJECTIVES'	PROPOSED VARIATION TO 'DEEMED TO COMPLY REQUIRMENTS'	JUSTIFICATION
<p><b>R-Code Element 5.1.3 C3.1 – 'Lot boundary setback'</b></p> <p><i>P3.1 Buildings set back from lot boundaries or adjacent buildings on the same lot so as to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• reduce impacts of building bulk on adjoining properties;</li> <li>• provide adequate direct sun and ventilation to the building and open spaces on the site and adjoining properties; and</li> <li>• minimise the extent of overlooking and resultant loss of privacy on adjoining properties.</li> </ul>	<p>The application proposes the following aspects of the new development on the subject land do not meet the 'deemed to comply requirements' of Element 5.1.3 C3.1 of the R-Codes:</p> <p>i) Unit 3 &amp; 4 ground floor will comprise a 1.258 metre setback from the western rear boundary in lieu of 1.5 metres;</p> <p>ii) Unit 3 ensuite/bath wall (upper floor) will comprise a 1.235 metre setback from the southern side boundary in lieu of 1.5 metres; and</p> <p>iii) Unit 4 ensuite/bath wall (upper floor) will comprise a 1.235 metre setback from the northern side boundary in lieu of 1.5 metres.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The proposed lot boundary variations for each dwelling (i.e. max 265mm) as considered to be minor and will not have an adverse impact on the adjoining properties and/or the streetscape in terms of bulk and scale. Furthermore, the variations can be attributed to the excessive fall in natural ground levels down the site which has resulted in higher wall height calculations.</li> <li>2. The proposed development of the subject land complies with the visual privacy provisions of the R-Codes.</li> <li>3. The offending walls comprise sufficient setback from the street to limit any impact on the streetscape in terms of bulk and scale. In fact, the parapet walls proposed as part of each dwelling will assist with screening some of the lot boundary setbacks from being visible from the street.</li> <li>4. Each dwelling has been designed to provide adequate separation with the existing dwellings on the adjoining properties.</li> <li>5. The proposed development on the subject land will comprise large separation between the upper floor of each dwelling to reduce the overall bulk and scale of the development when viewed from the adjoining properties. In addition, the separation provides an element of articulation.</li> <li>6. The shadow cast by the proposed development over the adjoining northern property is considered to be acceptable within the 'Mixed Use' zone and will not adversely impact access to natural light and ventilation for the existing dwellings on the adjoining parties.</li> <li>7. The proposed development has been designed to meet the needs of the future occupants of each dwelling and provide adequate space/outdoor living area.</li> <li>8. Those portions of the development on the subject land comprising reduced setbacks from the western rear boundary will abut the side setback for the existing grouped dwelling on adjoining Lot 9 (No.2) Bouverie Place and the rear yard area of the existing grouped dwelling on adjoining Lot 44 (No.1) Wylie Place (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). Given the minor nature of the variations (i.e. less than 300mm), it is contended that the proposed new development will not have an adverse impact on any sensitive habitable spaces associated with existing</li> </ol>

		<p>dwelling on adjoining Lots 9 &amp; 44.</p> <p>9. Those portions of the proposed development comprising a reduced setback from the southern side boundary will abut the front setback, side setback and extensive rear yard area of the existing single detached dwelling on adjoining Lot 7 (No.291) Oxford Street (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). As previously mentioned, the setback variation is minor (i.e. 265mm) and that the adjoining property is likely to be re-developed in the future given its location within the ‘Mixed Use’ zone. As such, it is contended that the proposed development on the subject land will not have an adverse impact on the key outdoor living area associated with the existing dwelling on adjoining Lot 7 and it will not impede and restrict any future development on the adjoining lots.</p> <p>10. Those portions of the proposed development comprising a reduced setback from the northern side boundary will abut the side setback area of the existing single detached dwelling on adjoining Lot 3 (No.297) Oxford Street which contains extensive vegetation along the boundary with the subject land that will screen the new development from being clearly visible (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). Furthermore, the proposed development on the subject land will not cast a shadow over the adjoining northern property at 12 noon on 21 June (i.e. winter solstice). As such, it is contended that the proposed development on the subject land will not have an adverse impact on any key habitable spaces associated with the existing dwelling on adjoining Lot 3. Like the adjoining southern lot, adjoining Lot 3 is likely to be re-developed in the future to accommodate a large scale development given the ‘Mixed Use’ zoning. As such, the proposed setback variation for the proposed development from the northern side boundary will not impede or restrict any further development on adjoining Lot 3.</p> <p>Having regard for the above it is contended that those portions of the proposed new grouped dwelling development on the subject land comprising reduced setbacks from the side and rear lot boundaries satisfy the ‘design principles criteria’ of Element 5.1.3 of the R-Codes, will not have a negative impact on the adjoining properties or the streetscape and may therefore be approved by the City.</p>
<p><b>5.1.3 C3.2 - Lot boundary setback (building on boundary)</b></p> <p>P3.2 Buildings built up to boundaries (other than the street boundary) where this:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• makes more effective use of space for enhanced privacy for</li> </ul>	<p>The application proposes that the following aspects of the proposed grouped dwelling development on the subject land do not meet the ‘deemed to comply requirements’ of Element 5.1.3 C3.2 of the R-Codes:</p> <p>i) Those portions of the proposed</p>	<p>1. The variation to the wall length (i.e. an additional length of 800mm) along the side boundaries are considered to be minor. In addition, the part of the parapet walls comprising a height greater than 3.5 metres can be attributed to the excessive fall in natural ground levels down the site resulting in only part of the wall containing a maximum height of 4.1 metres and the balance portion comprising a lesser height.</p> <p>2. In addition to the above point, the parapet walls are setback from the street, in lieu of an allowable nil front setback. As such, the extent of variations to the parapet wall length and height will not have an adverse impact on the streetscape and/or the adjoining properties in terms of bulk and scale.</p>

<p>the occupant/s or outdoor living areas;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• does not compromise the design principle contained in clause 5.1.3 P3.1;</li> <li>• does not have any adverse impact on the amenity of the adjoining property;</li> <li>• ensures direct sun to major openings to habitable rooms and outdoor living areas for adjoining properties is not restricted; and</li> <li>• positively contributes to the prevailing development context and streetscape.</li> </ul>	<p>development to be built up to the northern and southern lot boundaries will comprise an overall length of 27.6 metres in lieu of 26.8 metres; and</p> <p>ii) Those portion of the proposed development to be built up to the side boundaries will comprise a maximum height of 4.1 metres in lieu of 3.5 metres.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. It should be noted that the development has been designed to bench each dwelling down the slope of the land to limit any impact on the adjoining properties.</li> <li>4. The use of a parapet wall for the new development on the subject land allows for improved use of the land and provides for greater internal/external living areas.</li> <li>5. In addition to the above point, the use of parapet walls for the development has allowed for the provisions of much needed housing within the Leederville area.</li> <li>6. The parapet wall will assist with providing improved privacy for each dwelling. In fact, the proposed development on the subject land complies with the visual privacy provisions of the R-Codes.</li> <li>7. Given the minor variations being sought for the parapet walls along the lot boundaries, it is contended that the proposed development on the subject land will not adversely impact any key habitable spaces on the adjoining properties (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan) and will not impede or restrict any future development on the adjoining properties given the ‘Mised Use’ zoning of the land.</li> </ol> <p>Having regard for the above it is contended that the portion of the proposed grouped dwelling development on the subject land to be built up to the side boundaries satisfy the ‘design principles criteria’ of Element 5.1.3 of the R-Codes, will not have an adverse impact on the adjoining properties or the local streetscape and may therefore be approved by the City.</p>
<p><b>R-Code Element 5.3.1 C1.1 – ‘Outdoor living area’</b></p> <p><i>“P1.1 Outdoor living areas which provide spaces:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>capable of use in conjunction with a habitable room of the dwelling;</i></li> <li>• <i>open to winter sun and ventilation; and</i></li> <li>• <i>optimise use of the northern aspect of the site.”</i></li> </ul>	<p>The application proposes that the following aspects of the proposed development on the subject land do not meet the ‘deemed to comply requirements’ of Element 5.3.1 C1.1 of the R-Codes:</p> <p>i) The outdoor living area for Units 1 &amp; 6 will be located within the front setback area in lieu of being located behind the front setback line; and</p> <p>ii) The outdoor living areas for each dwelling will comprise a minimum dimension of less than 4 metres.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The outdoor living area for each dwelling has been designed to be used in conjunction with a habitable room (i.e. dining room), providing a functional/usable entertaining area for the future occupants.</li> <li>2. The location of the outdoor living area for Units 1 &amp; 6 within the front setback area will provide for activation of the street and foster an element of social interaction between both the public and private realms. This is a good planning outcome.</li> <li>3. In addition to the above point, the outdoor living area for each dwelling will be located along the common driveway, which will provide an element of interaction and passive surveillance for the occupants of the development.</li> <li>4. It is noted that the new Medium Density Codes being re-introduced by the State Government in April 2024 will allow for a minimum dimension of 3 metres. Given this, it should be acknowledged that the planning framework has recognized that a minimum dimension of 3 metres is acceptable and results in a usable space.</li> <li>5. Despite the variation to the minimum required dimension of the outdoor living area for each dwelling, the area is usable and will allow for the planting of a mature tree in each outdoor living area to enhance the amenity of the area. In fact, the area of the outdoor living area for each dwelling complies with the R-Codes.</li> </ol>

		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6. A number of dwellings within the development will provide some coverage of the outdoor living area to provide protection from the elements/weather for the occupants of each dwelling, therefore allowing the area to be used all year round.</li> <li>7. Sufficient open space is provided for each dwelling to meet the needs of the future occupants and allow for adequate separation between the proposed development on the subject land and the existing dwellings on the adjoining lots.</li> <li>8. Each dwelling will be provided with a drying court area separate to the dedicated outdoor living area. The separation of these areas will improve the amenity and functionality of each dwelling and minimizes potential constraints to the use of the dedicated outdoor living area.</li> <li>9. The proposed outdoor living areas for four of the six dwellings will be located to capture the northern winter sun.</li> <li>10. It is also noted that the City of Vincent, along with other local authorities, have approved variations to the minimum required dimension and the location of an outdoor living area within the front setback area in the past where the development has merit. In light of the justification above, it is viewed that the proposed development on the subject land has merit and that the variations could be granted in this instance.</li> </ol> <p>Having regard for the above it is contended that the location of the outdoor living area for Units 1 &amp; 6 within the front setback area and the variation to the minimum dimension for the outdoor living area for each dwelling satisfies the 'design principles criteria' of Element 5.3.1 of the R-Codes, will be usable for to the future occupants of each dwelling and may therefore be approved by the City.</p>
<p><b>R-Code Element 5.3.3 C3.2 - 'Parking'</b></p> <p><i>P3.1 Adequate car parking is to be provided on-site in accordance with projected need related to:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the type, number and size of dwellings;</li> <li>• the availability of on-street and other off-street parking; and</li> <li>• the proximity of the proposed development to public transport and other facilities.</li> </ul> <p><i>P3.2 Consideration may be given to a</i></p>	<p>The application proposes that the grouped dwelling development on the subject land does not include the provision of any visitor parking bays in lieu of two (2) visitor bays required by the 'deemed to comply requirements' of Element 5.3.3 C3.2 of the R-Codes (for between 5 &amp; 8 dwellings).</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. It should be noted that the subject land is located in close proximity to public transport and a comprehensive pedestrian path network.</li> <li>2. The proposed development meets the 'deemed to comply requirements' of Element 5.3.3 C3.1 ('Parking') of the R-Codes in terms of residents parking bays (i.e. two bays per dwelling).</li> <li>3. The proposed dwellings within the development are relatively small compared to the existing single dwelling type developments within the immediate locality. Given this, it is anticipated that the dwellings will not generate the need for greater on-site parking that reflects a single dwelling, as the dwellings are unlikely to accommodate large families that would typically generate greater traffic movements and parking demand.</li> <li>4. In addition to the above point, it is anticipated that the dwellings will tend to cater for couples or small families only. Therefore, reducing the parking demand for the site and potentially allowing a visitor to park within the garage of the dwelling.</li> <li>5. The Oxford Street road reserve contains on-street car parking on both sides of the road which is more than capable of catering for any visitor parking demand generated by the development</li> </ol>

reduction in the minimum number of on-site car parking spaces for grouped and multiple dwellings provided:

- available street parking in the vicinity is controlled by the local government; and
- the decision-maker is of the opinion that a sufficient equivalent number of on-street spaces are available near the development

P3.3 Some or all of the required car parking spaces located off-site, provided that these spaces will meet the following:

- i. the off-site car parking area is sufficiently close to the development and convenient for use by residents and/or visitors;
- ii. any increase in the number of dwellings or possible plot ratio being matched by a corresponding increase in the aggregate number of car parking spaces;
- iii. permanent legal right of access being established for all users and occupiers of dwellings for which the respective car parking space is to be provided; and
- iv. where off-site car parking is shared

on the subject land. Figures 11 & 12 below illustrates the existing on-street parking adjacent the subject land.

6. The use of the on-street parking for visitor needs generated by the development on the subject land will assist with providing less traffic movements on-site (i.e. provide improved safety of the occupants of the development) and will facilitate improved security for the development.
7. There are ample public transports services within close proximity to the subject land (including along Oxford Street). Access to the public transport network provides occupants and visitors to the proposed development with an alternative mode of transportation.
8. The subject land is well connected with pedestrian foot paths and a dedicated cycle lane along Oxford Street that provide safe access to and from the site for pedestrians and cyclists.
9. It should be noted that the new Medium Density R-Codes that are due to be re-introduced will only require one (1) resident parking bay per dwelling and one (1) visitor bay. This will result in the proposed development providing greater than the required on-site car parking for the residents. The additional resident on-site car parking will provide an opportunity for visitor parking for each individual dwelling.



Figure 11 – The existing on-street parking along both sides of Oxford Street.



Figure 12 – Oxford Street contains on-street parking, a pedestrian path network and bicycle land.

<p>with other uses, the total aggregate parking requirement for all such uses, as required by the R-Codes and the scheme being provided. The number of required spaces may only be reduced by up to 15 per cent where the non-residential parking occurs substantially between 9 am and 5 pm on weekdays.</p>		<p>Having regard for the above it is contended that the absence of an on-site visitor car parking bays for the proposed grouped dwelling development on the subject land satisfies the 'design principles criteria' of Element 5.3.3 of the R-Codes and may therefore be approved.</p>
<p><b>R-Code Element 5.3.7 C7.2 &amp; C7.3 – 'Site works'</b></p> <p><i>P7.1 Development considers and responds to natural features of the site and requires minimal excavation.</i></p> <p><i>P7.2 Where excavation/fill is necessary, all finished levels respecting the natural ground level at the lot boundary of the site and as viewed from the street.</i></p> <p><i>7.3 Retaining walls that result in land which can be effectively used for the benefit of residents and do not detrimentally affect adjoining properties and are designed, engineered and landscaped having due regard to clauses 5.3.7 and 5.4.1</i></p>	<p>The application proposes the following variations to the 'deemed to comply requirements' of Element 5.3.7 C7.2 &amp; C7.3 of the R-Codes:</p> <p>i) Retaining wall/fill along the southern side boundary will comprise a maximum height of 857mm above natural ground level (NGL) in lieu of an allowable height of 500mm above NGL;</p> <p>ii) Retaining wall/fill along the northern side boundary will comprise a maximum height of 847mm above natural ground level (NGL) in lieu of an allowable height of 500mm above NGL; and</p> <p>iii) Retaining wall built up to the lot boundaries in lieu of 1 metre setback.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The variations to the site works (i.e. 357mm maximum) are generally to the rear portion of the land and are relatively minor in nature. In addition, the variation can be attributed to the excessive fall in levels across/down the site of 1.69 metres. Given this variation in the natural ground level across the site, the new development has been designed to bench the dwellings down the site to address the fall of the land. This has resulted in minimizing any adverse impact on the adjoining properties.</li> <li>2. The extent of fill above natural ground level will not impact any existing and developments on the adjoining properties. Detailed engineering drawings will be provided to the City at the building permit stage.</li> <li>3. Despite the variation to the fill levels along the northern and southern lot boundaries, it is contended that the retaining walls will not have any adverse impacts on the streetscape in terms of bulk and scale.</li> <li>4. The retaining walls will not be clearly visible from Oxford Street.</li> <li>5. The location of the retaining wall along the lot boundaries provide for the effective use of all available space and the creation of adequate/usable external yard area to benefit the future occupants of the dwellings.</li> <li>6. The proposed development on the subject land will not adversely impact access to light and ventilation for the existing dwellings on the adjoining properties.</li> <li>7. A 1.8 metre high dividing fence will be constructed on top of the retaining wall along the side boundaries to ensure that each dwelling on the subject land do not result in any overlooking of the adjoining residential properties from the external yard areas.</li> <li>8. Given the extent of fall in natural ground levels across the land, it could be expected that new development within the R100 areas will require large retaining walls/fill to address the undulating topography and excessive fall in levels.</li> <li>9. Despite the extent of retaining walls and fill, the proposed</li> </ol>

		<p>development on the subject land complies with the maximum building height prescribed within the R-Codes and the City's Local Planning Policy. In fact, the maximum height of the proposed development is 8.8 metres, whereas the City's Policy allows a building height of 13.3 metres along Oxford Street.</p> <p>10. Those portions of the site works for the new grouped dwelling development on the subject land to be built up to the southern side boundary will abut the side setback area and extensive rear yard area of the existing single detached dwelling on adjoining Lot 7 (No.291) Oxford Street (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). Given the minor nature of the variations and the excessive fall in natural ground level down the site, it is contended that the proposed development on the subject land will not have an adverse impact on the existing dwelling on adjoining Lot 7.</p> <p>11. Those portions of the site works for the development on the subject land to be built up to the northern side boundary will abut the side setback area and extensive rear yard area of the existing single detached dwelling on adjoining Lot 3 (No.297) Oxford Street, which comprises vegetation along the boundary (see Figure 2 – Aerial Site Plan). As such, it is contended that the proposed site works (retaining wall/fill) will not have any adverse impact on the sensitive areas associated with the existing dwelling on adjoining Lot 3.</p> <p>12. In addition to the above two points, it is contended that the adjoining properties currently comprise older developments and that these sites are likely to be redeveloped in the future to reflect the R100 density coding (i.e. could be developed to accommodate a mixed use development or a large multiple dwelling development). Given this, the impact of the proposed development on the subject land is unlikely to impact the future development of these lots.</p> <p>Having regard for the above it is contended that the proposed retaining wall and fill to be built up to the side boundaries of the subject land satisfies the 'design principles criteria' of Element 3.3.7 of the R-Codes, is a result of the constraints of the land, will assist with providing a level/usable site, will not have a detrimental impact on the adjoining properties or local streetscape and may therefore be approved.</p>
<p><b>Local Planning Policy No.7.1.1 Clause 1.4 – 'Landscaping'</b></p> <p>P1.4.1 Landscaping is to be designed to reduce the impact of development on adjoining residential zones and public spaces.</p> <p>P1.4.2 Landscaping should provide</p>	<p>The application proposes that the proposed development does not comprise 80% canopy coverage along the side boundaries as required by the 'deemed to comply requirements' of Clause 1.4 of the City's Policy.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The proposed variation to the extent of 'Canopy Cover' along the side boundaries is unlikely to have a detrimental impact on the amenity of the local streetscape or any adjoining properties, as the new development has been designed to include the planting of a mature trees throughout the site and the front setback area to enhance the appearance of all dwellings when viewed from the street.</li> <li>2. The City's Policy allows for parapet walls to be built up to the side boundaries in accordance with the R-Codes, which is two thirds of the boundary length and does not allow for extensive planting along the side boundaries. As such, the landscaping provision of the City's Policy does not take into account the allowable extent of parapet walls.</li> </ol>

<p>increased urban air quality, tree and vegetation coverage and a sense of open space between buildings.</p> <p>P1.4.3 The integration of sustainable landscape design with the building creating a greater landscaping amenity for residents and occupants and the community.</p> <p>P1.4.4 The provision of landscaping that will make an effective and demonstrated contribution to the City's green canopy to reduce the impact of the urban heat island effect.</p> <p>P1.4.5 Development that prioritises the retention of mature and healthy trees.</p> <p>P1.4.6 Landscaping at the rear of the property should not negatively impact on the use and activation of a right of way.</p> <p>P1.4.7 Open air car parks should be appropriately landscaped to provide adequate shading and reduce the impact on adjoining properties.</p> <p>P1.4.8 The provision of a combination of evergreen and deciduous plant species which would improve the thermal performance of the development.</p>		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. The extent of landscaping for the proposed development on the subject land will achieve the objectives set by the City to provide adequate coverage of the land to satisfy the City's goal to provide more environmentally sensitive urban area (given the constraints of the land).</li> <li>4. The Oxford Street verge area abutting the subject land contains a street tree which is being preserved. The street tree will assist with providing screening and soften the overall appearance of the development when viewed from the street. In addition, the front setback of the development and verge area will be comprehensively landscaped and maintained to help soften any potential impact the development may have on the local streetscape.</li> <li>5. The proposed development will include the planting of some ten (10) trees to assist with improving the overall appearance and amenity of the development for its future occupants.</li> <li>6. The proposed development is located within a Mixed Use or town centre environment, which is characterised by having large, dense developments with little space to accommodate comprehensive landscaping area. The proposed development has been designed to include a good spread of landscaping whilst still accommodating a built form to provide for additional housing in close proximity of an Activity Centre and along an Activity Corridor.</li> <li>7. The extent of tree canopy provided in support of the new development will assist with the City's vision of creating a green canopy and achieve the Vincent City Council's ambition of reducing urban heat. This is evident when viewing the development from the street.</li> <li>8. The adjoining properties comprise large trees which projects a canopy over the subject land. All efforts will be made during the construction phase on the subject land to retain this canopy coverage.</li> <li>9. Clause 5.9 of the City's Policy No.7.1.1 does not take into consideration lots with a relatively small area and with a high density coding (in particular within a town centre environment). Given these constraints and the vision to intensify development within town centre area/activity corridor, it should be recognised and acknowledged that there is a predisposition to greater variations to the landscaping requirements to assist with the development of the land. It is contended that the requirement to accommodate the area of 'Canopy Cover' on these small lots are excessive and that the provision may compromise the development potential of the land and the design layout of the dwellings to the detriment of the future occupants.</li> </ol> <p>Having regard for all of the above it is contended that the extent of landscaping provided in support of the new grouped dwelling development on the subject land in conjunction with the street tree along Oxford Street, satisfies the 'local housing objective' of Clause 5.9 of the City's Policy, will not compromise the objectives of the</p>
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		City's policy and may therefore be supported and approved by the City.
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**CONCLUSION**

This portion of Oxford Street in Leederville is currently experiencing a transitional phase, wherein the older low density housing stock is being replaced by new higher density developments to reflect the 'Mixed Use' zoning and R100 density coding of the area. In addition, the development activity will assist with providing for additional housing in close proximity to public transport and the nearby Activity Centres.

The proposed development has been designed to reflect the changing nature, built form and character within the immediate locality, which includes a number of grouped and multiple dwelling developments to achieve the implied objectives of the density coding imposed by the City of Vincent and to reflect the strategic planning framework set by the State Government to provide much needed housing and housing diversity within a well service and established areas.

In light of the above information and justification, we respectfully request the City's favorable consideration and approval of the Application for Development Approval for the construction of a new grouped dwelling on Lots 8 & 4 (Nos.293 & 295) Oxford Street, Leederville in accordance with the plans prepared in support of the application.

Should you have any queries or require any additional information regarding any of the matters raised above please do not hesitate to contact me on 0407384140 or [carlof@people.net.au](mailto:carlof@people.net.au).



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Residence  
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## Executive Summary

This Life Cycle Assessment has been completed for the Residence, located at 293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville. The has been conducted for RapidLCA, the lead author is Daniel Cassetai The goal of this study is to profile and improve the environmental performance of the construction works. The study has been conducted in accordance with ISO 14044 and EN15978 .

## About the Design

The following designs were modelled in these reports:

- **Proposed Design:** The proposed design at the time the modelling occurred.
- **Benchmark:** An equivalent benchmark design (or weighted statistical mix of designs) with conventional products, construction methods and use patterns.

## Results

The results of the study are shown in the table below with savings highlighted in green text and increased impacts highlighted in red.

Characterised Impacts per Occupant per Year		Benchmark	Proposed Design	Proposed Design Savings
<b>Environmental Impacts</b>				
 Global Warming Potential Total, GWP	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	3.21E+3	1.47E+3	<b>54.23%</b>
 Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP	kg CFC-11 eq	2.03E-4	2.38E-4	<b>-17.47%</b>
 Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	7.34E0	5.12E0	<b>30.2%</b>
 Eutrophication potential, EP	kg PO <sub>4</sub> eq	2.90E0	2.48E0	<b>14.42%</b>
 Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP	kg ethylene	5.62E-1	3.74E-1	<b>33.48%</b>
 Abiotic Depletion Potential – Elements, ADPE	kg antimony	6.39E-2	5.14E-2	<b>19.67%</b>
 Abiotic Depletion Potential – Fossil Fuels, ADPF	MJ	3.94E+4	1.76E+4	<b>55.23%</b>
 Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	-6.62E+1	-3.09E+1	<b>53.29%</b>

## Analysis

The report shows that the Proposed Design has lower Global Warming Potential Total, GWP impact than the Benchmark Design. The **Non-integrated Energy (B6+)** GWP Impacts are the most dominant life cycle module in the Proposed Design Design followed by the **Product Stage (A1A3)** and then **Replacement (B4)**.

Further analysis reveals:

- The **Superstructure** is the highest impact construction category,
- **Domestic Water Heating** is the highest operational impact by demand category,
- The **Electricity** is this highest impact operational impact by supply source,
- **Glazing | Windows | Aluminium Framed | No Thermal Break | Single Glaze | Domestic 50% Opening** is the highest impact material category,
- **Electrical Equipment, Small with transport and tradestaff, Electricity** is the highest people and equipment impact

Two strategies were modelled in the Proposed Design, the **RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1** strategy had the highest saving , followed by **RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2** . See the below table for details.

Scenario	 GWP	 ODP	 AP	 EP	 POCP	 ADPE	 ADPF	 GWP B
● <Improved Design>								
● RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
● RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
● <Proposed Design>								

- Strategies included in Proposed Design
- Strategies not included in Proposed Design

## Proposed Design Performance against Benchmark



Global Warming Potential Total, GWP



Ozone Depletion Potential,  
ODP



Acidification Potential for Soil  
and Water, AP



Eutrophication potential, EP



Photochemical Ozone  
Creation Potential, POCP



Abiotic Depletion Potential -  
Elements, ADPE



Abiotic Depletion Potential -  
Fossil Fuels, ADPF



Global Warming Potential  
Biogenic, GWP B

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# 1 Introduction

Managing the environmental impacts that arise from the construction and operation of buildings and infrastructure is of key importance in mitigating the damage caused directly and indirectly on the biosphere. Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) is the leading industry standard in clearly identifying optimum strategies for reducing environmental impacts. This report presents the results of the LCA completed for the Residence, 293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville.

The study has been conducted in accordance with the following standards:

- International Standards 14040 and 14044.
- European Standard EN 15978: *Sustainability of Construction Works – Assessment of Environmental Performance of Buildings – Calculation Method*

The Author of the study is Daniel Cassettai of RapidLCA, and no independent review has yet been completed.

## 2 Goal of the Study

The goal of this study is to profile and improve the environmental performance of the construction works at 293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville. The life cycle performance of the project is compared to other designs and as such this is a comparative study. The study has been conducted on assumption the results may be made public.

### 3 Scope of the Study

The LCA study has been conducted in accordance with the EN 15978 standard to assess the direct and indirect potential environmental impacts associated with the construction works at 293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville as part of the Oxford Townhouses project.

#### 3.1 Functional Unit

The function of the Building must reflect the core purpose of the asset such that it can be compared accurately to different designs. In this case, the functional focus is the Residence and the chosen functional unit is the provision of this function for one Occupant over one year.

The estimated design life of the design is 55 years which has been adopted for the LCA study period. This takes into consideration the structural service life limit (150 years), as well as redevelopment pressure on the asset such as surrounding density, asset ownership structures, and the architectural design quality.

Note that products with expected service lives of less than the life span of the project are assumed to be replaced at increments reflecting their service life.

#### 3.2 System Boundary

The system boundary, shown in Figure 1, follows guidance given in EN15978.

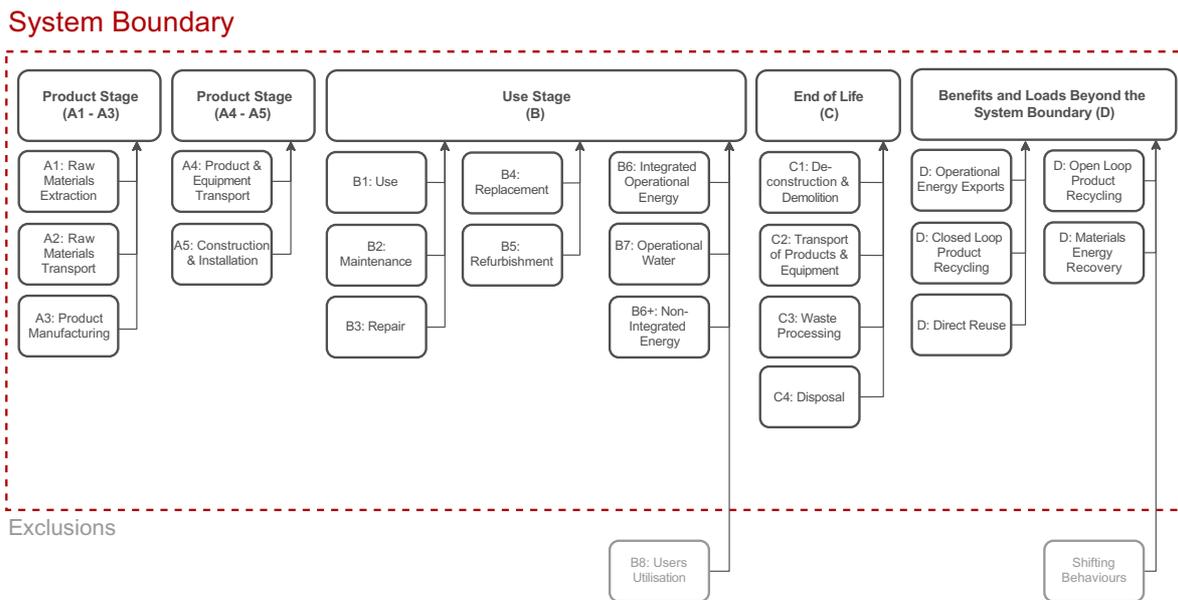


Figure 1: System Boundary Diagram

### 3.3 Environmental Indicators

The environmental indicators have been included in the study are detailed in Table 1. For further information regarding the environmental indicators please refer to Appendix A.

Environmental Indicator	Unit	Abbreviation	Characterisation Method
<b>Environmental Impacts</b>			
 Global Warming Potential Total, GWP	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	GWP	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP	kg CFC-11 eq	ODP	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	AP	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Eutrophication potential, EP	kg PO <sub>4</sub> eq	EP	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP	kg ethylene	POCP	Institute of Environmental Sciences (CML)
 Abiotic Depletion Potential - Elements, ADPE	kg antimony	ADPE	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Abiotic Depletion Potential - Fossil Fuels, ADPF	MJ	ADPF	CML-IA baseline V4.5
 Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	GWP B	CML-IA baseline V4.5

Table 1: Environmental Indicators Included in LCA study.

### 3.4 Cutoff Criteria

The EN15978 cut-off criteria were used to ensure that all relevant potential environmental impacts were appropriately represented:

- Mass – if a flow is less than 1% of the mass at either a product-level or individual-process level, then it has been excluded, provided its environmental relevance is not of concern.
- Energy – if a flow is less than 1% of the energy at either a product-level or individual-process level, then it has been excluded, provided its environmental relevance is not a concern.
- The total of neglected input flows per module, e.g. per module A1-A3, A4-A5, B1-B5, B6-B7, C1-C4 and module D shall be a maximum of 5% of energy usage and mass.
- Environmental relevance – if a flow meets the above criteria for exclusion, but is considered to potentially have a significant environmental impact, it has been included. All material flows which leave the system (emissions) and whose environmental impact is higher than 1% of an impact category, have been included.

The Operational Guidance for Life Cycle Assessment Studies (Wittstock et al. 2012) states:

*The apparent paradox is that one must know the final result of the LCA (so one can show that the omission of a certain process is insignificant for the overall results) to be able to know which processes, elementary flows etc. can be left out.*

The approach taken in this study is to continue modelling smaller inputs until confidence is gained that the criteria is safely met.

### 3.5 Allocation

Allocation rules follow those of EN15804 as given below:

- Allocation will respect the main purpose of the studied processes. If the main purpose of combined processes cannot be defined (e.g. combined mining and extraction of nickel and precious metals), economic allocation may be used to divide resources and emissions between the products.
- The principle of modularity is maintained. Where processes influence the product's environmental performance during its life cycle, they will be assigned to the module where they occur.
- The sum of the allocated inputs and outputs of a unit process are equal to the inputs and outputs of the unit process before allocation. This means no double counting of inputs or outputs is permissible.

### 3.6 Independent Review

No independent review has been conducted of this study.

### 3.7 System Description Introduction

The object of the assessment is the Residence, located at 293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville. The assessment includes all the upstream and downstream processes needed to provide the primary function of the structure from construction, maintenance, operation, and finally demolition and disposal. The inventory includes the extraction of raw materials or energy and the release of substances back to the environment or to the point where inventory items exit the system boundary either during or at the end of the project life cycle.

6 x Two storey Grouped dwellings

The project location is shown in figures 2 and 3.



Figure 2: Location of the project - Global View.

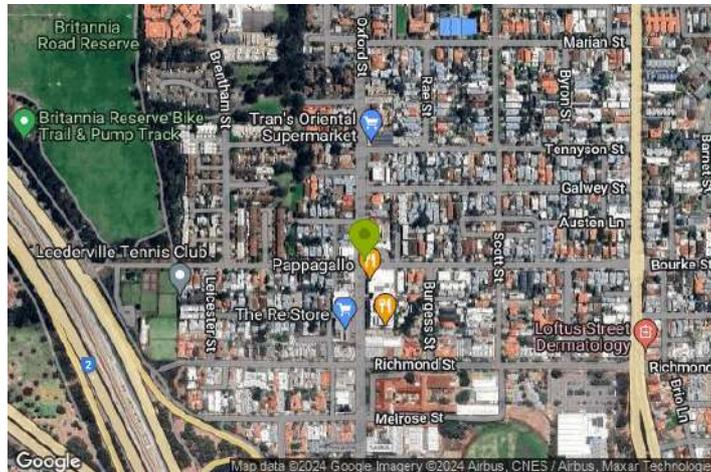


Figure 3: Location of the project - Locality View.

6 Two storey Grouped dwellings

### 3.8 Building Characteristics Table

Table 2 below shows the key characteristics of the design.

Benchmark	Proposed Design
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<b>Design Details</b>		
Design Name	CLCHC Baseline	293 and 295 Oxford Street Leederville
Stories (#)	2	2
Functional Focus	Residence	Residence
Structural Service Life Limit	150	150
Predicted Design Life	55	55
<b>Functional Characteristics</b>		
Dwellings	1	6
Bedrooms	4	18
Occupants	3	15
<b>Total Floor Areas</b>		
Usable Floor Area	214	816
Net Lettable Area	0	0
Fully Enclosed Covered Area	250	1,032
Unenclosed Covered Area	0	0
Gross Floor Area	250	1,032
Usable and Lettable Yield	86 %	79 %

Table 2 : Design Characteristics Compared

### 3.9 Structure Scope Table

Table 3 shows the structural scope of the inventory collection for the LCA. For further details on structure scope please refer to Appendix B.

#### Summary Structure Scope Diagram

Key: ✓ In Scope ✓ Partial ✗ Out of Scope

Category Name	Benchmark Design	Proposed Design
Substructure	✓	✓
Superstructure	✓	✓
Internal finishes	✓	✓
Fittings, furnishings and equipment	✓	✓
Services equipment	✓	✓
Prefabricated buildings and building units	✗	✗
Work to existing building	✗	✗
External works	✓	✓
Facilitating works	✓	✓
Project/design team	✓	✓
Undefined	✗	✗

Table 3 : Structural scope of LCI collection

### 3.10 Operational Scope Table

Table 4 shows the operational scope of the inventory collection for the LCA. For further details on structure scope please refer to Appendix B.

#### Operational Scope diagram

Key: ✓ In Scope ✗ Out of Scope

Category Name	Benchmark Design	Proposed Design
Appliances   Dishwashers	✓	✓
Appliances   Entertainment	✓	✓
Appliances   Laundry Appliances	✓	✓
Appliances   Office Workstations	✓	✓
Communications	✓	✓
Cooking and Food Preparation	✓	✓
Domestic Water Heating	✓	✓
Electrical Parasitic Loads	✓	✓
Fire Protection	✗	✓
HVAC	✓	✓
Industrial & Manufacturing Equipment	✗	✓
Lifts, Elevators and Conveying	✗	✓
Lighting	✓	✓
Miscellaneous	✗	✗
Monitoring, Control and Automation	✓	✓
Power Generation and Storage	✓	✓
Refrigeration	✓	✓
Safety and Security	✓	✓
Swimming Pools	✓	✓
Water Pumping	✓	✓
Water Removal and Treatment	✓	✓
Water Supply	✓	✓
Workshops, Garage & Misc	✓	✓

Table 4: Operational scope of LCI collection

## 4 Inventory Analysis

The design has been modelled using the available eToolLCD elements, templates and EPDs as shown in Table 5.

eToolLCD Item Type	Count in Design	
	Benchmark	Proposed Design
Design Templates	118	128
Equipment and People Elements	175	189
Material Elements	317	305
Energy Elements	31	29
Water Elements	13	13
EPDs	0	0

Table 5: Count of elements, templates and EPDs in the design

The eToolLCD library templates are customisable and users may submit templates for validation. The template validation process is undertaken by experienced LCA practitioners and is a process of checking the user inputs and ensuring the assumptions are adequately referenced. Table 6 shows the extent to which validated templates were used in the model.

eToolLCD Item Type	Validated (%)	
	Benchmark	Proposed Design
Total Design Templates	50.85	53.91
Equipment and People Elements	54.29	58.2
Material Elements	40.06	40.66
Energy Elements	0	0
Water Elements	0	0

Table 6: Use of validated templates

## 4.1 Templates Comparison

The eToolLCD templates found in each design are provided in Table 7.

Parent Template Name	Units	Quantity
		Proposed Design
<b>Fittings, furnishings and equipment</b>		
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	#	1
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	#	6
Kitchen Medium sized (incl Equipment)	#	6
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	#	6
Standard 1st Bathroom - WC/Shower-bath/Basin/WallTiles	#	15
<b>Facilitating works</b>		
Demolition - Residential (End-of-Life)	#	6
<b>Superstructure</b>		
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	#	42
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	#	12
Roof - TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	m2	570
Staircase, Concrete, 40Mpa, 2% reo	#	6
Timber frame wall with exterior insulation finishing system (100mm EPS)	m2	1E-06
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	m2	480
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	m2	402.66
Wall, Internal, Masonry, Single Brick Wall (90mm) uninsulated with foundations and finishes	m2	314.350001
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	m2	202.02
<b>Services equipment</b>		
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	#	6
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	#	6
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	#	6
Electrical Fittings - sockets power points wiring embodied only (m2)	m2	1116
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential - Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	m2	150
LED Residential Lighting (High Efficiency - 110lm/watt)	#	20
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	kW	18
Swimming Pool - Pumps and Filters Ultra Efficient	m2	1E-06
Utilities Connection to Site Residential	#	6
Water tank - steel (embodied)	L	2.4E-05
Water Use and Treatment (eTool Turbo)	#	6
<b>Internal finishes</b>		
Floor Covering - Carpet (glue down/Nylon)	m2	198
Floor Covering - Tiles (ceramic/10mm)	m2	95
Floor Covering - Tiles (ceramic/5mm)	m2	235
<b>Substructure</b>		
Lowest Floor - Concrete Slab, 100mm, 20MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	m2	574
<b>External works</b>		
Pool Structure - Concrete	m2	1E-06
Swimming Pool Seasonal Temperature Control - No Pool Cover - Gas	m2	1E-06

Table 7: Templates Comparison (showing master templates only)

## 4.2 eTool software

eTool software was used to model life cycle impacts of the project. eToolLCD uses third party background processes aggregated as mid-point indicators and stored in a number of libraries within the software which are coupled with algorithms and user inputs to output the environmental impact assessment. A map of user inputs, data sources and algorithms (outputs) is given in Figure 4.

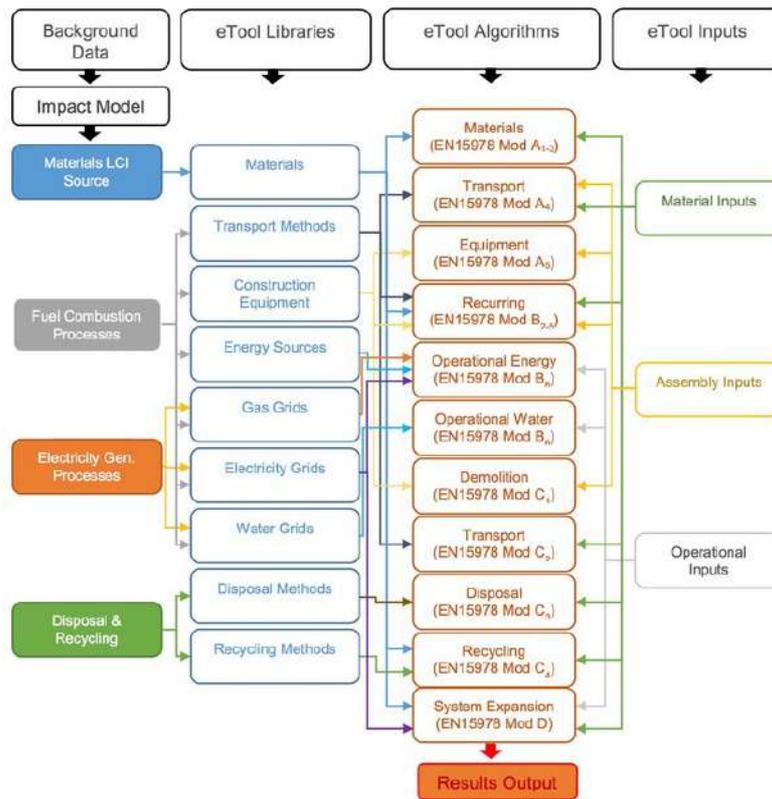


Figure 4: Relationship between LCI background data, eToolLCD software library, inputs and algorithms.

### 4.3 Data Quality

The data quality requirements for the background data are detailed in Table 8. Each of the criteria has been assessed for compliance and results presented below.

Criteria	Background Data Requirement	Compliance	
		Benchmark	Proposed Design
Temporal Relevancy	For annually fluctuating processes like Grid electricity fuel mixes the datasets must have been updated within the last 2 years. More static processes like materials production must have been updated within the last 10 years. Product specific EPDs must have been updated in the last 5 years.	Failed Grid Passed Materials	Failed Grid Passed Materials
Geographical Relevancy	The background data should be specifically compiled for the same country (preferable) or continent as the project location.	Passed(Same Country)	Passed(Same Country)
Precision	No requirement specified however a qualitative review undertaken to ensure no erroneous values.	Passed	Passed
Completeness	Qualitative assessment of the process to ensure no obvious exclusions.	Passed	Passed
Technological Relevancy	Ensure that technology assumptions are representative for the product or product group.	Passed	Passed
Consistency	The study methodology holds for the background data.	Passed	Passed
Reproducibility	The information available about the methodology and the data values reported should allow an independent practitioner to reproduce the results reported in the study.	Passed	Passed

Table 8: Summary of data quality requirements for the study.

Criteria	Inventory Collection Requirement (eToolLCD User Inputs)	Compliance	
		Benchmark	Proposed Design
Temporal Relevancy	All inputs into eToolLCD to be reflective of the project being assessed and if assumptions are made these are to be based on industry practices that are consistent with the project commissioning date.	Passed 0/5 Checks	Passed 0/1 Checks

Criteria	Inventory Collection Requirement (eToolLCD User Inputs)	Compliance	
		Benchmark	Proposed Design
Geographical Relevancy	All inputs into eToolLCD must be reflective of the project being assessed and if assumptions are made these are based on the current practices employed in the project country.	Passed 0/5 Checks	Passed 0/2 Checks
Precision	To avoid aggregated errors a high level of precision is expected inputs into eToolLCD software, being either to 3 significant figures or: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two significant figures or nearest 10 hours for equipment run time</li> <li>Two significant figures or nearest 10kg for material quantities</li> <li>Two significant figures or nearest 100MJ / annum for operational energy</li> <li>Two significant figures or nearest 100kL / annum for operational water use</li> </ul>	Passed 0/4 Checks	Passed 0/1 Checks
Completeness	Inputs to cover all life cycle phases and elements identified in the system boundary. The link between background data, eToolLCD algorithms and subsequent LCA results is not to introduce significant gaps in the data.	Passed 0/10 Checks	Passed 0/2 Checks
Technological Relevancy	All inputs into eToolLCD must be reflective of the project being assessed and if assumptions are made these must be drawn from appropriate examples of like technology.	Passed 0/5 Checks	Passed 0/1 Checks
Consistency	All inputs into eToolLCD must be reflective of the project being assessed and if assumptions are made these are drawn from the same reference library.	Passed 0/10 Checks	Passed 0/0 Checks
Reproducibility	The information available about the methodology and the data values reported should allow an independent practitioner to reproduce the results reported in the study.	Passed 0/9 Checks	Passed 0/1 Checks

Table 9: Summary of data quality requirements for the study.

## 4.4 Completeness

The study aims to follow EN15804 procedures for exclusion of inputs and outputs:

- All inputs and outputs to a (unit) process shall be included in the calculation, for which data are available.
- Data gaps may be filled by conservative assumptions with average or generic data. Any assumptions for such choices shall be documented.
- In case of insufficient input data or data gaps for a unit process, the cut-off criteria shall be 1% renewable and non-renewable primary energy usage and 1% of the total mass input of that unit process.
- The total of neglected input flows per module, e.g. per module shall be a maximum of 5% of energy usage and mass.
- Conservative assumptions in combination with plausibility considerations and expert judgement can be used to demonstrate compliance with these criteria.
- Particular care should be taken to include material and energy flows known to have the potential to cause significant emissions into air and water or soil related to the environmental indicators.

Two major tests were run to determine the compliance with the above cut-off rules.

### 4.4.1 Inventory Mass Quantities

The cumulative mass of inventory entries is shown in Figure 5. Given that 205 material elements within the LCA base design make up the last 1% of mass inventory entries a high level of confidence exists that the cut off rules have been upheld.



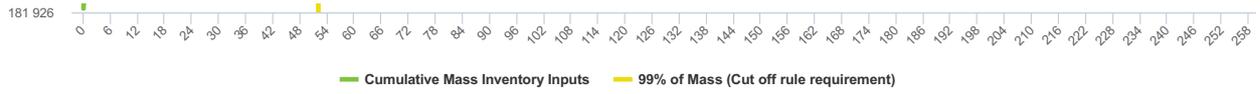


Figure 5: Cumulative Mass Inventory Entries. In this case 79.46% make up the last 5% of mass inventory entries.

#### 4.4.2 Inventory Energy Analysis

The cumulative embodied energy of inventory entries is shown in Figure 6. Given that 364 elements within the LCA base design make up the last 1% of embodied energy inventory entries a high level of confidence exists that the cut off rules have been upheld.

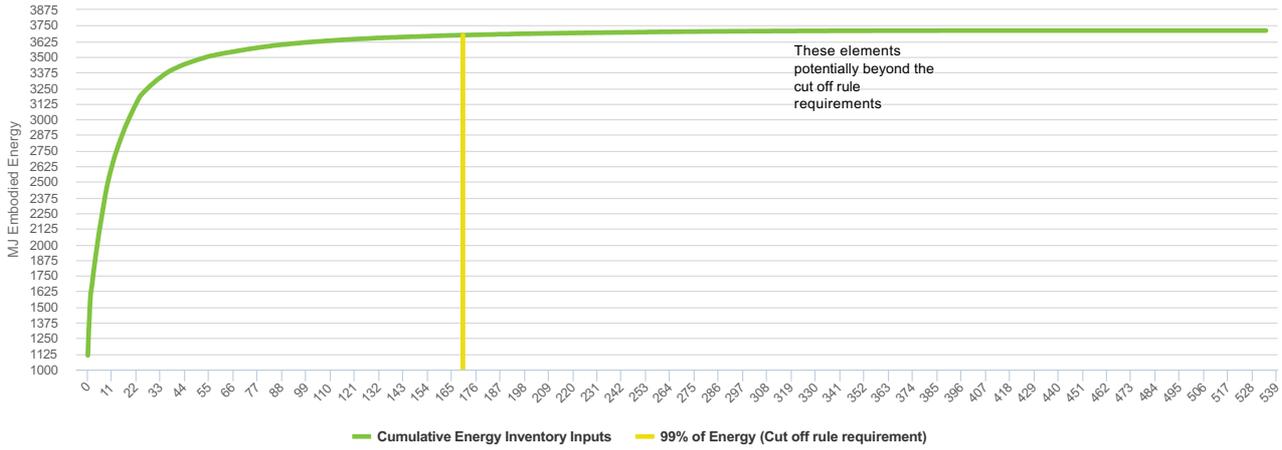


Figure 6 : Cumulative Energy Inventory Entries. In this case 68.04% make up the last 5% of energy inventory entries.

## 5 Life Cycle Impact Assessment

The Life Cycle Impact Assessment (LCIA) results are provided in Table 10 in the EN15978 reporting format. The red and orange figures within each row highlight the largest and second largest contributing life cycle modules for the indicator. Modules not assessed are abbreviated with "MNA".

The green figures in the comparison section highlight the most improved life cycle modules for the indicator.

### 5.1 Environmental Impacts

**Table 10: Benchmark vs Proposed Design, Environmental Impacts of Each Life Cycle Phase.**

Characterised Impacts Per Occupant Per Per Year	Construction Phases			Use Phases							End of Life Phases				Benefits and Loads Beyond the System Boundary	Total		
	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B6+	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4		D	
<b>Benchmark</b>																		
GWP	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	1.94E+2	9.23E+1	2.51E+1	0.00E0	2.51E+1	0.00E0	3.33E+2	0.00E0	1.40E+3	9.42E+2	1.02E+2	1.48E+1	1.93E+1	4.11E-4	8.03E+1	-2.09E+1	3.21E+3
ODP	kg CFC-11 eq	3.69E-5	1.19E-5	2.25E-6	0.00E0	6.71E-6	0.00E0	1.25E-4	0.00E0	6.26E-6	5.85E-6	1.62E-6	2.21E-6	2.57E-6	9.36E-11	1.42E-6	-3.70E-7	2.03E-4
AP	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.92E0	4.35E-1	6.10E-2	0.00E0	6.47E-2	0.00E0	1.62E0	0.00E0	1.63E0	1.46E0	2.34E-1	5.25E-2	8.16E-2	1.86E-6	3.42E-2	-2.49E-1	7.34E0
EP	kg PO <sub>4</sub> eq	1.08E0	1.05E-1	9.82E-3	0.00E0	1.86E-2	0.00E0	7.69E-1	0.00E0	5.15E-1	4.66E-1	1.86E-1	1.26E-2	2.04E-2	6.14E-7	7.66E-3	-2.90E-1	2.90E0
POCP	kg ethylene	2.08E-1	4.80E-2	1.32E-2	0.00E0	1.21E-2	0.00E0	1.53E-1	0.00E0	7.26E-2	3.84E-2	1.07E-2	4.45E-3	5.04E-3	8.79E-8	1.21E-2	-1.61E-2	5.62E-1
ADPE	kg antimony	4.75E-3	2.05E-3	9.64E-5	0.00E0	2.59E-4	0.00E0	6.38E-3	0.00E0	2.40E-2	2.22E-2	4.14E-3	3.70E-4	9.00E-4	6.15E-10	4.46E-5	-1.28E-3	6.39E-2
ADPF	MJ	4.33E+3	1.28E+3	1.87E+2	0.00E0	2.27E+2	0.00E0	4.68E+3	0.00E0	1.72E+4	1.01E+4	1.00E+3	1.93E+2	2.71E+2	5.61E-3	1.37E+2	-3.17E+2	3.94E+4
GWP B	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	-1.37E+2	-1.91E-1	9.41E0	0.00E0	1.57E-2	0.00E0	-2.05E+1	0.00E0	1.06E0	9.81E-1	1.49E+1	2.34E-3	9.03E-4	-2.59E-6	5.76E+1	7.42E0	-6.62E+1
<b>Proposed Design</b>																		
GWP	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	3.56E+2	6.40E+1	2.79E+1	-6.23E-1	1.52E+1	0.00E0	3.23E+2	0.00E0	2.92E+2	7.85E+2	6.39E+1	1.26E+1	2.83E+1	1.61E0	5.90E+1	-5.58E+2	1.47E+3
ODP	kg CFC-11 eq	4.83E-5	8.40E-6	3.19E-6	0.00E0	6.86E-6	0.00E0	1.56E-4	0.00E0	2.24E-6	6.03E-6	1.34E-6	2.00E-6	3.76E-6	3.66E-7	1.93E-6	-2.40E-6	2.38E-4
AP	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2.18E0	3.09E-1	8.22E-2	0.00E0	1.48E-2	0.00E0	1.43E0	0.00E0	5.18E-1	1.39E0	1.48E-1	4.13E-2	1.20E-1	7.27E-3	4.53E-2	-1.16E0	5.12E0
EP	kg PO <sub>4</sub> eq	1.35E0	7.47E-2	1.26E-2	0.00E0	4.08E-3	0.00E0	8.06E-1	0.00E0	1.73E-1	4.65E-1	1.27E-1	9.33E-3	3.01E-2	2.40E-3	1.02E-2	-5.82E-1	2.48E0
POCP	kg ethylene	1.69E-1	3.07E-2	1.74E-2	0.00E0	2.75E-3	0.00E0	1.18E-1	0.00E0	1.44E-2	3.88E-2	7.43E-3	3.81E-3	7.31E-3	3.44E-4	7.09E-3	-4.30E-2	3.74E-1
ADPE	kg antimony	8.45E-3	1.33E-3	1.19E-4	0.00E0	5.65E-5	0.00E0	1.15E-2	0.00E0	1.31E-2	3.51E-2	3.34E-3	1.75E-4	1.24E-3	2.41E-6	6.32E-5	-2.31E-2	5.14E-2
ADPF	MJ	4.57E+3	8.67E+2	2.72E+2	0.00E0	5.05E+1	0.00E0	3.66E+3	0.00E0	3.75E+3	1.01E+4	7.52E+2	1.57E+2	3.93E+2	2.20E+1	1.87E+2	-7.16E+3	1.76E+4
GWP B	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	-6.42E+1	-7.41E-2	4.78E0	0.00E0	3.51E-3	0.00E0	-7.09E0	0.00E0	1.01E0	2.71E0	7.34E-1	2.26E-3	-3.95E-4	-1.01E-2	2.93E+1	1.95E0	-3.09E+1
<b>Savings (Benchmark Compared to Proposed Design)</b>																		
GWP	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	-1.62E+2	2.83E+1	-2.76E0	6.23E-1	9.91E0	0.00E0	1.08E+1	0.00E0	1.11E+3	1.57E+2	3.84E+1	2.20E0	-8.99E0	-1.61E0	2.13E+1	5.37E+2	54.23%
ODP	kg CFC-11 eq	-1.13E-5	3.53E-6	-9.44E-7	0.00E0	-1.51E-7	0.00E0	-3.08E-5	0.00E0	4.02E-6	-1.76E-7	2.72E-7	2.07E-7	-1.19E-6	-3.66E-7	-5.05E-7	2.03E-6	-17.47%
AP	kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	-2.54E-1	1.26E-1	-2.12E-2	0.00E0	4.99E-2	0.00E0	1.88E-1	0.00E0	1.11E0	6.17E-2	8.53E-2	1.11E-2	-3.83E-2	-7.27E-3	-1.12E-2	9.16E-1	30.2%
EP	kg PO <sub>4</sub> eq	-2.69E-1	3.03E-2	-2.81E-3	0.00E0	1.45E-2	0.00E0	-3.71E-2	0.00E0	3.42E-1	6.44E-4	5.88E-2	3.24E-3	-9.71E-3	-2.40E-3	-2.49E-3	2.92E-1	14.42%
POCP	kg ethylene	3.96E-2	1.72E-2	-4.28E-3	0.00E0	9.38E-3	0.00E0	3.52E-2	0.00E0	5.82E-2	-3.56E-4	3.31E-3	6.37E-4	-2.27E-3	-3.44E-4	4.99E-3	2.69E-2	33.48%
ADPE	kg antimony	-3.69E-3	7.22E-4	-2.21E-5	0.00E0	2.02E-4	0.00E0	-5.07E-3	0.00E0	1.09E-2	-1.29E-2	8.02E-4	1.94E-4	-3.45E-4	-2.41E-6	-1.86E-5	2.18E-2	19.67%
ADPF	MJ	-2.38E+2	4.09E+2	-8.56E+1	0.00E0	1.77E+2	0.00E0	1.02E+3	0.00E0	1.35E+4	1.79E+1	2.49E+2	3.61E+1	-1.23E+2	-2.20E+1	-4.96E+1	6.85E+3	55.23%
GWP B	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq	-7.27E+1	-1.17E-1	4.63E0	0.00E0	1.22E-2	0.00E0	-1.34E+1	0.00E0	5.31E-2	-1.73E0	1.42E+1	8.62E-5	1.30E-3	1.01E-2	2.83E+1	5.47E0	53.29%

## 6 Detailed Analysis

This section provides a more detailed results of the life cycle impacts with the aim of identifying the hotspots by analysing temporal, spatial, functional, end-use demand and supply chain dimensions.

For each indicator being assessed the following charts are provided

The Time Series Charts articulate when impacts occur during the life of the design. This exposes insights such as the temporal hotspots signified by jumps in the plot during the life of the project (for example, relating to a large replacement item) and the payback period of design options

The Top Five Life Cycle Charts express impacts by different modules, categories and classes enabling a detailed understanding of what is responsible for the greatest impacts and also compares these impacts between designs. The pie chart within each bar chart shows the proportion of the life cycle impacts represented in the bar chart. A brief description of the categories is provided below:

- **LC Module Impacts:** The EN15978 Life Cycle Modules. Generally 100% building impacts will be included in the bar chart.
- **Construction Category:** The breakdown of the impacts by construction category. The bar chart will generally only part of the total building impacts.
- **Operational Demand:** The building end use demands that are driving environmental impacts.
- **Energy Supply:** The supply of fuels to the building, in effect the upstream fuel sources supplying energy for on site use during construction, operational and demolition.
- **Materials:** The materials (grouped into common categories) that are driving the environmental impacts.
- **Equipment and People:** The equipment and people required during construction, maintenance and demolition and all associated transport trips that are driving the environmental impacts

All impact figures are quoted per Occupant for the study.

## 6.1 Global Warming Potential Total, GWP (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

Figure 7: Time series Global Warming Potential Total, GWP chart

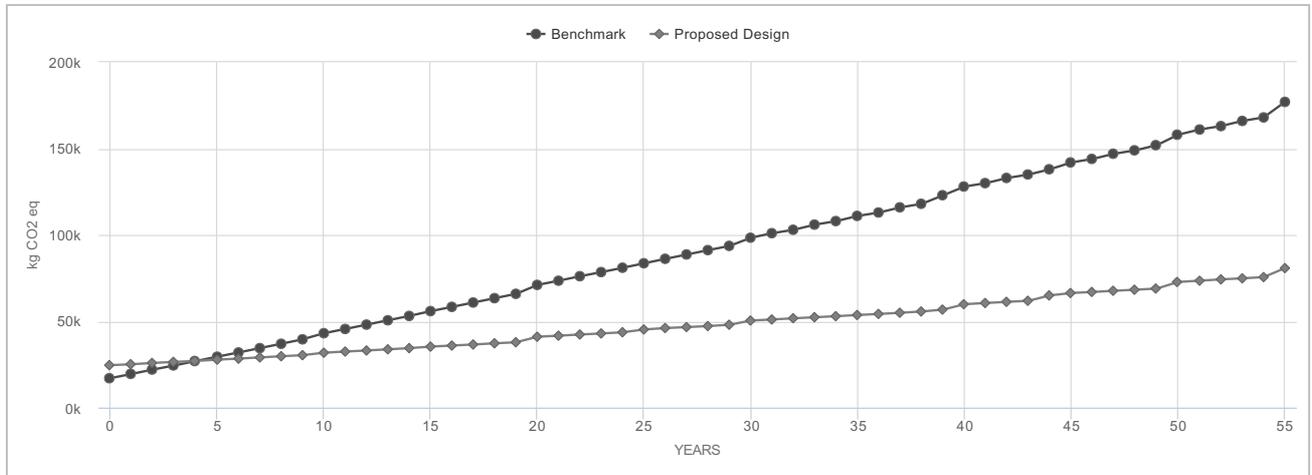
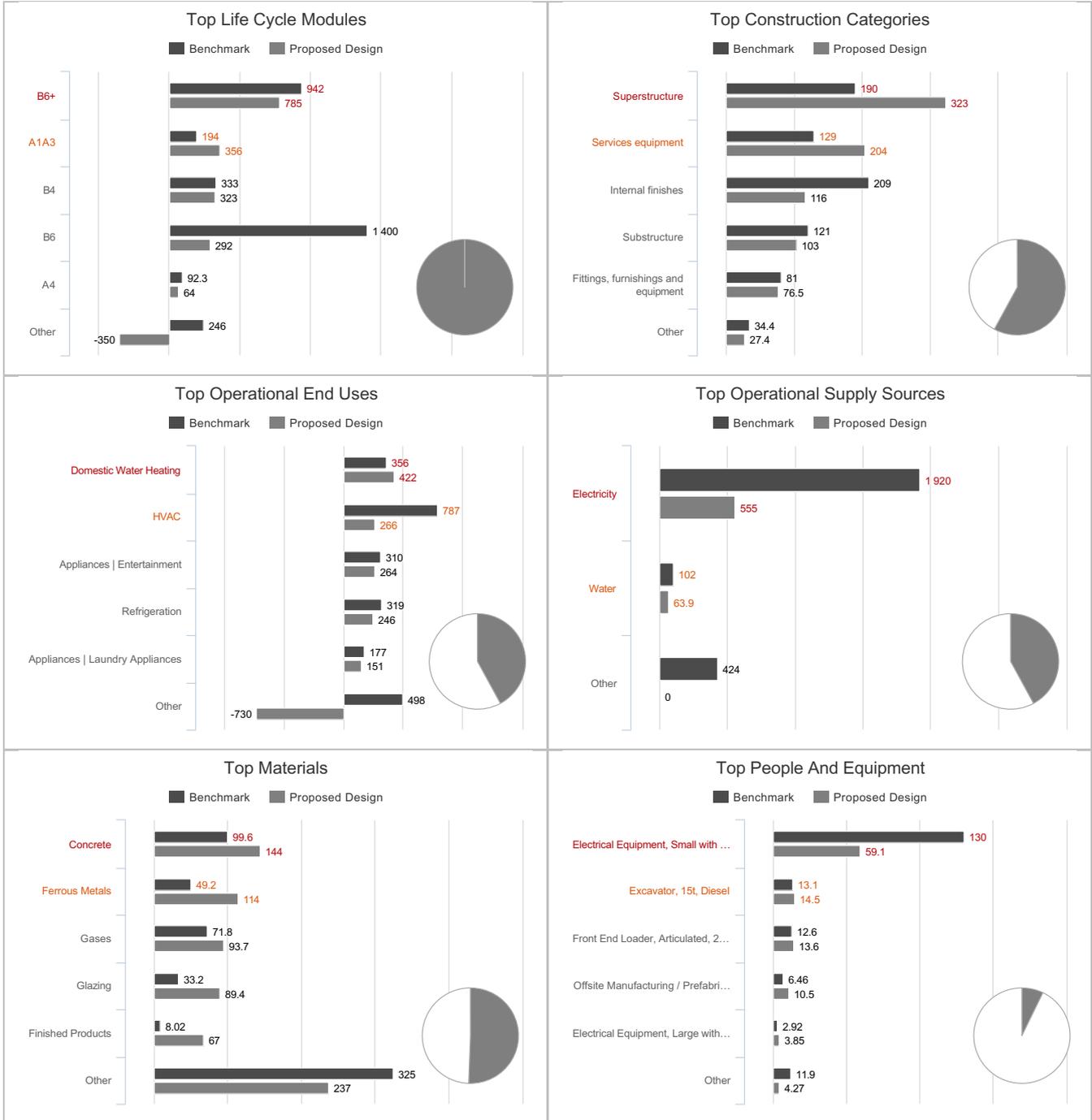


Figure 8: Top Five Global Warming Potential Total, GWP chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4) Recycling & Energy Export (D)		Biogenic	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>						
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	35750.7	35920.42	169.71	0	83.84	71924.67
Gases   Refrigerants   R-410A (Puron, AZ-20)	789.58	44380.98	16614.72	0	0.89	61786.17
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	51878.63	0	8159.3	0	13.56	60051.49
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	58403.02	0	2667.3	-2929.14	-227.37	57913.81
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	17658.24	33945.71	1367.58	-10149.16	164.43	42986.81
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	36840.59	0	4814.07	0	-2342.94	39311.72
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   20 MPa	24182.95	-514.32	4839.93	0	7.22	28515.78
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	23932.56	0	3517.68	0	-0.07	27450.17
Cementitious Binders   Mortars and Renders   1 cement : 4 sand	18483.27	3435.09	1125.9	0	89.48	23133.73
Metals (Non-Ferous)   Aluminium Unspecified	12973.22	16492.7	184.21	-8297.29	26.67	21379.51
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>						
Plant Based Products (non Timber)   Paper   General	45.75	183.01	0	0	-247.25	-18.48
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   General   Unspecified	290.59	267.43	23.51	-107.89	-929.28	-455.64
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Softwood   Unspecified	495.98	456.45	40.13	-184.14	-1586.11	-777.69
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Particle Board   Indoor	2572.89	2407.87	167.54	-768.7	-5557.45	-1177.85
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Hardwood   Unspecified	7876.81	0	581.87	-1330.88	-10442.82	-3315.02

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Biogenic	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>									
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	543.89	2927.39	0	443385.95	0	9.66	-503.02	1538.41	447902.28
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	1125.91	4210.74	346906.84	0	0	27.98	-597.42	1223.41	352897.46
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	3442.58	29129.66	0	202243.65	0	2408.59	-2824.01	766.24	235166.71
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	2230.27	28188.23	117857.83	0	0	8326.79	-380.7	413.09	156635.52
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	2230.27	28188.23	100790.99	0	0	8326.79	-380.7	354.03	139509.61
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	1697.54	6701.81	118975.17	0	0	19.83	144.62	187.62	127726.58
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	89490.18	0	0	0	0	8863.23	-8046.35	-2230.88	88076.17
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	38329.19	40747.22	0	0	0	186.69	-1227.06	85.86	78121.9
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	61210.33	5577.3	0	0	0	6522.66	-95.03	-2225.97	70989.3
Lowest Floor - Concrete Slab, 100mm, 20MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	45120.25	-514.32	0	0	0	5996.42	4098.53	-1552.1	53148.78
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>									
Kitchen Medium sized (incl Equipment)	5505.11	6081.4	0	0	0	239.96	-1118.71	-5611.9	5095.86
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential - Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	156.85	761.02	4093.88	0	0	0.69	-15.44	16	5013.01
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	2324.63	2943.14	0	0	0	61.78	-824.89	-658.76	3845.91
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	713.84	656.23	0	0	0	18.71	-127.54	-281.97	979.27
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	29484.25	50514.68	-486363.75	0	0	1531.55	-445220.28	-2898.86	-852952.4

## 6.2 Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP (kg CFC-11 eq)

Figure 9: Time series Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP chart

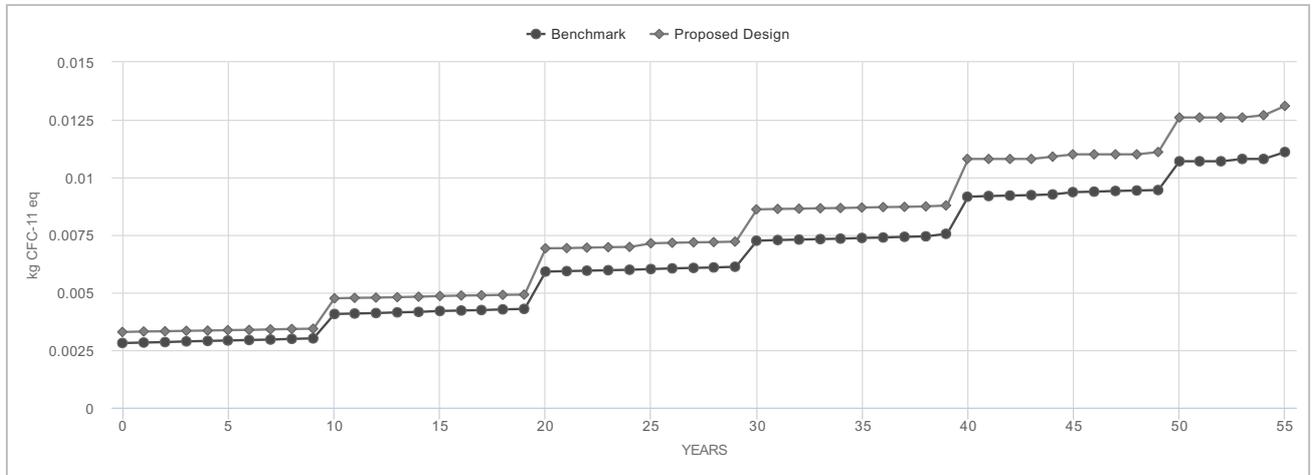


Figure 10: Top Five Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg CFC-11 eq)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Gases   Refrigerants   R-134a (HFC-134a)	0.02	0.1	0	0	0.11
Gases   Refrigerants   R-410A (Puron, AZ-20)	0.01	0.02	0	0	0.03
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	0	0	0	0	0.01
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	0	0	0	0	0
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   20 MPa	0	0	0	0	0
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	0	0	0	0	0
Cementitious Binders   Mortars and Renders   1 cement : 4 sand	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Plastics   Nylon   Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0
Metals (Non-Ferrous)   Zinc	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Galvanised Structural   Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	0	0	0	0	0
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg CFC-11 eq)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	0.02	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0.12
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	0	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wall, Internal, Masonry, Single Brick Wall (90mm) uninsulated with foundations and finishes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Roof - TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lowest Floor - Concrete Slab, 100mm, 20MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
LED Residential Lighting (High Efficiency - 110lm/watt)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staircase, Concrete, 40Mpa, 2% reo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential - Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

### 6.3 Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP (kg SO<sub>2</sub> eq.)

Figure 11: Time series Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP chart

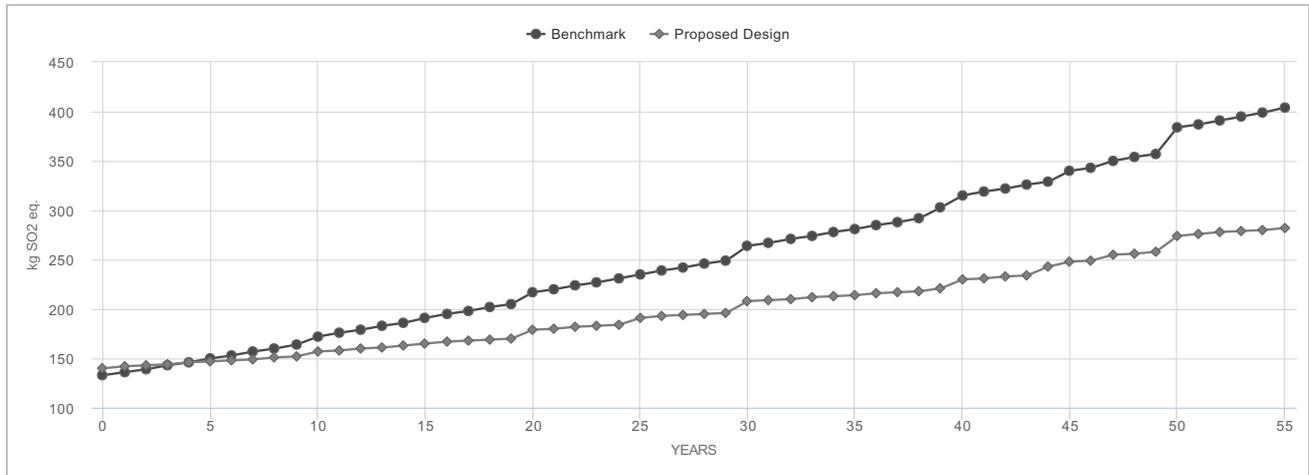


Figure 12: Top Five Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg SO<sub>2</sub> eq.)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Metals (Non-Ferrous)   Copper Unspecified	672.33	323.25	2.88	-227.89	770.57
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	85.3	157.28	6.13	-27.35	221.35
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	106.2	106.98	0.78	0	213.96
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Zinc Coated & Coloured Sheet 0.43mm	202.02	9.33	0.91	-10.53	201.73
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	179.69	0	11.71	-12.42	178.98
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	140.05	0	37.69	0	177.74
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	71.61	0	22.14	0	93.74
Ceramics   Tiles   Ceramic Tiles	37.89	49.04	1.01	0	87.94
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   20 MPa	65.48	0	22.36	0	87.84
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	67.8	0	16.25	0	84.05
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Galvanised Structural   Unspecified	0.13	0	0	-0.02	0.12
Insulation   Rigid Foams and Boards   Polyethylene   Polyethylene	0.03	0.05	0	0	0.08
Asphalt and Bitumen   Asphalt hot mix   5.50% primary bitumen, (0% RAP)	0	0.04	0	0	0.04
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	0.01	0.01	0	-0.01	0.02
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg SO<sub>2</sub> eq.)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	2.88	15.56	0	789.62	0	0.05	-3.32	804.79
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	55.87	109.37	617.8	0	0	0.26	-35.38	747.91
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	22.31	113.28	0	360.17	0	0.44	-24.93	471.27
Roof - TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	302.89	70.26	0	0	0	5.56	-1.37	377.34
Electrical Fittings - sockets power points wiring embodied only (m2)	322.98	26.36	0	0	0	1.47	-71.41	279.41
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	23.16	54.05	209.89	0	0	0.13	-11.06	276.17
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	265.57	0	0	0	0	40.61	-30.68	275.5
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	8.68	34.3	211.88	0	0	0.09	-1.19	253.77
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	23.16	54.05	179.5	0	0	0.13	-11.06	245.78
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	113.59	120.68	0	0	0	0.97	-2.71	232.54
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Demolition - Residential (End-of-Life)	0	0	0	0	0	34.1	0	34.1
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	8.99	12.33	0	0	0	0.28	-2.37	19.23
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential - Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	0.9	3.98	7.29	0	0	0	-0.07	12.1
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	2.84	3.11	0	0	0	0.08	-0.17	5.86
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	119.38	215.97	-866.15	0	0	8.11	-706.42	-1229.11

## 6.4 Eutrophication potential, EP (kg PO<sub>4</sub> eq)

Figure 13: Time series Eutrophication potential, EP chart

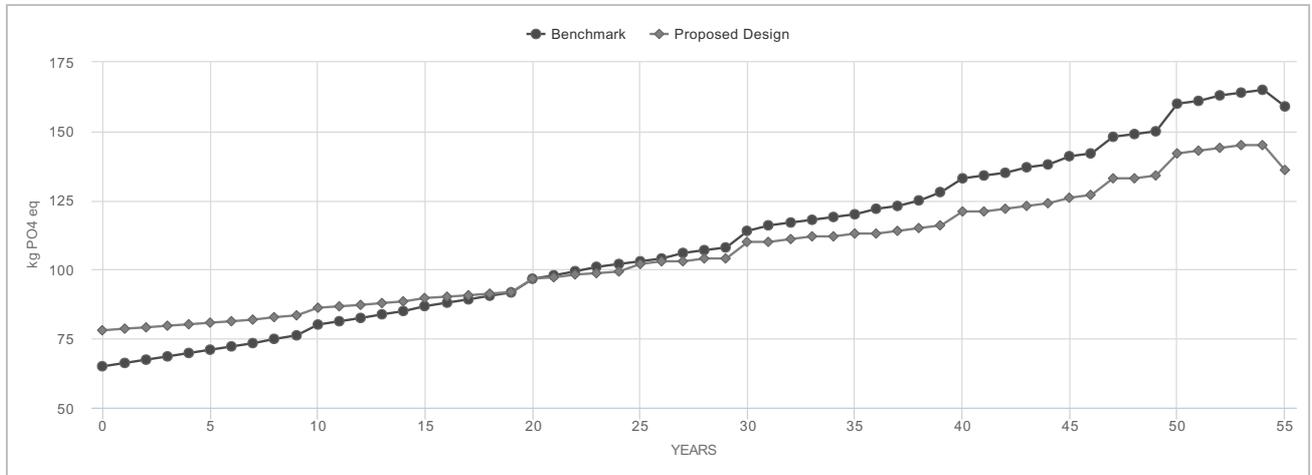
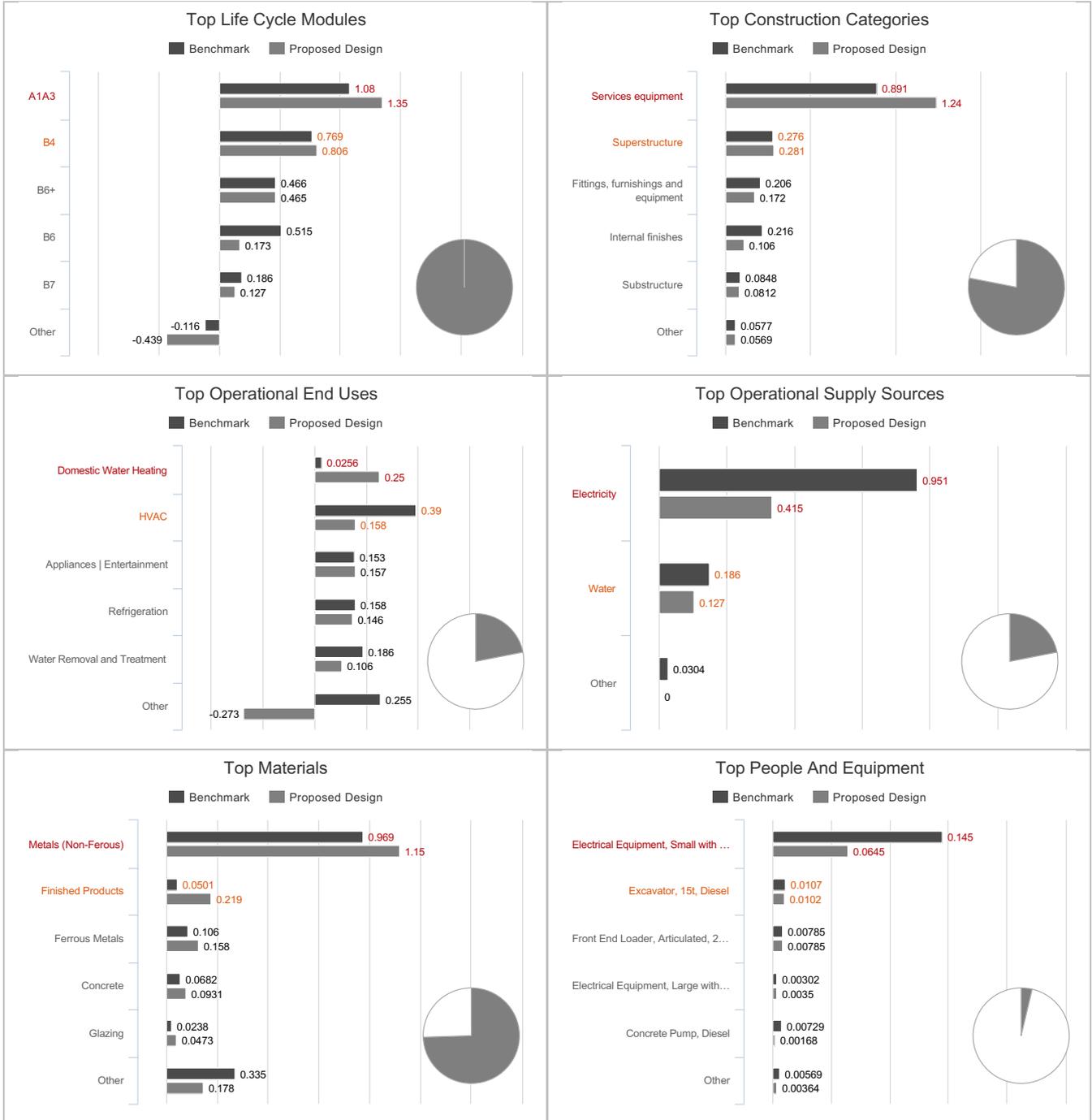


Figure 14: Top Five Eutrophication potential, EP chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg PO<sub>4</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Metals (Non-Ferrous)   Copper Unspecified	823.51	394.41	0.35	-281.53	936.74
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	37.48	69.5	2.01	-5.66	103.34
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	57.2	0	3.04	-3.29	56.95
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Zinc Coated & Coloured Sheet 0.43mm	51.78	2.39	0.24	-2.76	51.65
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Electronics   Electronics For Control Unit	6.07	42.49	0	0	48.56
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	28.3	0	9.33	0	37.62
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	18.61	18.8	0.19	0	37.6
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar Inverters   Solar Inverter Generic	4.86	23.41	0	0	28.27
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	14.03	0	5.49	0	19.51
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	14.81	0	4.02	0	18.83
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Galvanised Structural   Unspecified	0.03	0	0	0	0.03
Insulation   Rigid Foams and Boards   Polyethylene   Polyethylene	0.01	0.01	0	0	0.02
Asphalt and Bitumen   Asphalt hot mix   5.50% primary bitumen, (0% RAP)	0	0.01	0	0	0.01
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	0	0	0	0	0.01
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg PO<sub>4</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	66.26	122.59	206.33	0	0	0.04	-42.66	352.55
Electrical Fittings – sockets power points wiring embodied only (m2)	383.28	6.67	0	0	0	0.2	-87.99	302.16
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	1.86	9.88	0	263.71	0	0.01	-2.48	272.99
Utilities Connection to Site Residential	135.8	129.37	0	0	0	0.06	-58.73	206.5
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	16.57	83.09	0	120.29	0	0.08	-22.13	197.9
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	21.27	47.9	70.1	0	0	0.02	-12.67	126.62
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	21.27	47.9	59.95	0	0	0.02	-12.67	116.47
Standard 1st Bathroom – WC/Shower–bath/Basin/WallTiles	128.49	7.82	0	0	0	0.22	-28	108.53
Water Use and Treatment (eTool Turbo)	0	0	0	0	104.94	0	0	104.94
Roof – TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	75.95	15.44	0	0	0	1.39	-0.46	92.32
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Demolition – Residential (End-of-Life)	0	0	0	0	0	7.7	0	7.7
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential – Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	0.6	3.62	2.43	0	0	0	-0.02	6.64
Door – HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	2.53	3.38	0	0	0	0.07	-0.59	5.39
Door – SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	0.79	0.83	0	0	0	0.02	-0.04	1.6
Solar PV System Residential – Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	49.98	99.97	-289.27	0	0	2.25	-193.23	-330.3

## 6.5 Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP (kg ethylene)

Figure 15: Time series Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP chart

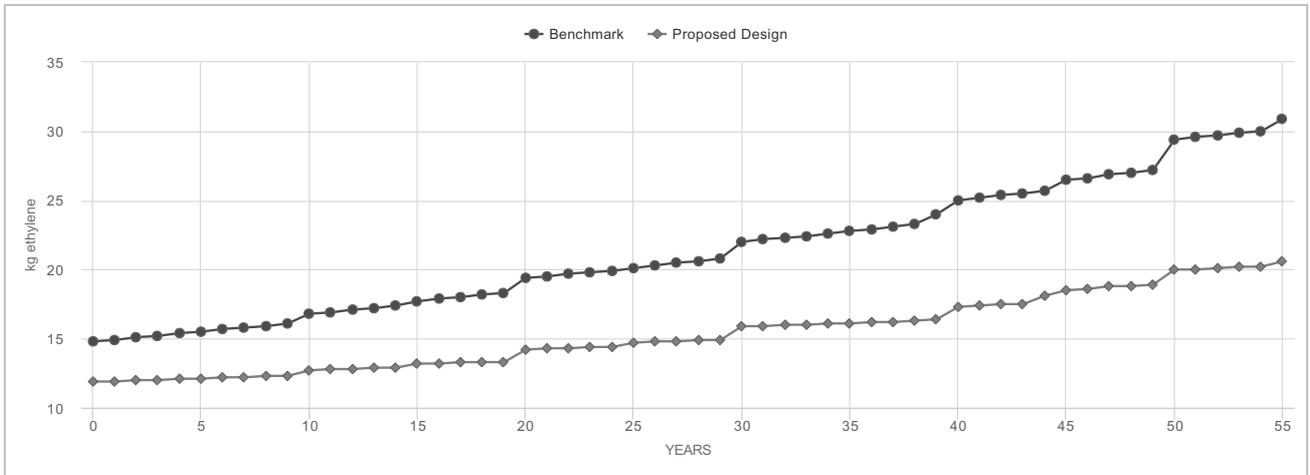


Figure 16: Top Five Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg ethylene)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4) Recycling & Energy Export (D)		Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Hardwood   Unspecified	48.06	0	2.52	0.21	50.78
Metals (Non-Ferous)   Copper Unspecified	25.3	12.16	0.11	-8.58	28.99
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	20.88	0	0.62	-2.09	19.41
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	7.41	7.45	0.04	0	14.91
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	3.93	6.51	0.29	-2.47	8.26
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	4.88	0	2.05	0	6.93
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	5.48	0	1.21	0	6.69
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Plywood   Unspecified	3.24	0	1.2	0.1	4.53
Metals (Non-Ferous)   Aluminium Unspecified	2.62	3.37	0.08	-1.63	4.44
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	3.27	0	0.88	0	4.16
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Fibre Reinforced Plastics and Resins   Fibreglass Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0.01
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Galvanised Structural   Unspecified	0.01	0	0	0	0
Asphalt and Bitumen   Asphalt hot mix   5.50% primary bitumen, (0% RAP)	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	0	0	0	0	0
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg ethylene)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Roof - TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	57.65	5.9	0	0	0	2.83	-1.39	65
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	2.41	5.65	17.2	0	0	0.01	-1.47	23.8
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	0.29	1.58	0	21.98	0	0	-0.31	23.55
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	2.13	10.67	0	10.03	0	0.02	-1.93	20.92
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	23.28	0	0	0	0	2.82	-5.44	20.65
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	8.4	9.14	0	0	0	0.05	-0.24	17.35
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	12.72	2.81	0	0	0	1.72	0.01	17.25
Electrical Fittings - sockets power points wiring embodied only (m2)	13.91	5.13	0	0	0	0.06	-2.72	16.38
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	2.73	6.67	5.84	0	0	0.01	-0.53	14.72
Wall, Internal, Masonry, Single Brick Wall (90mm) uninsulated with foundations and finishes	10.75	2.95	0	0	0	1.01	0.01	14.71
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	1.29	1.77	0	0	0	0.08	-0.45	2.69
Floor Covering - Tiles (ceramic/10mm)	1.15	1.27	0	0	0	0.03	0	2.45
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	0.43	0.55	0	0	0	0.03	-0.05	0.95
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential - Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	0.07	0.29	0.2	0	0	0	-0.01	0.55
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	6.8	12.58	-24.11	0	0	0.36	-20.16	-24.53

## 6.6 Abiotic Depletion Potential – Elements, ADPE (kg antimony)

Figure 17: Time series Abiotic Depletion Potential – Elements, ADPE chart

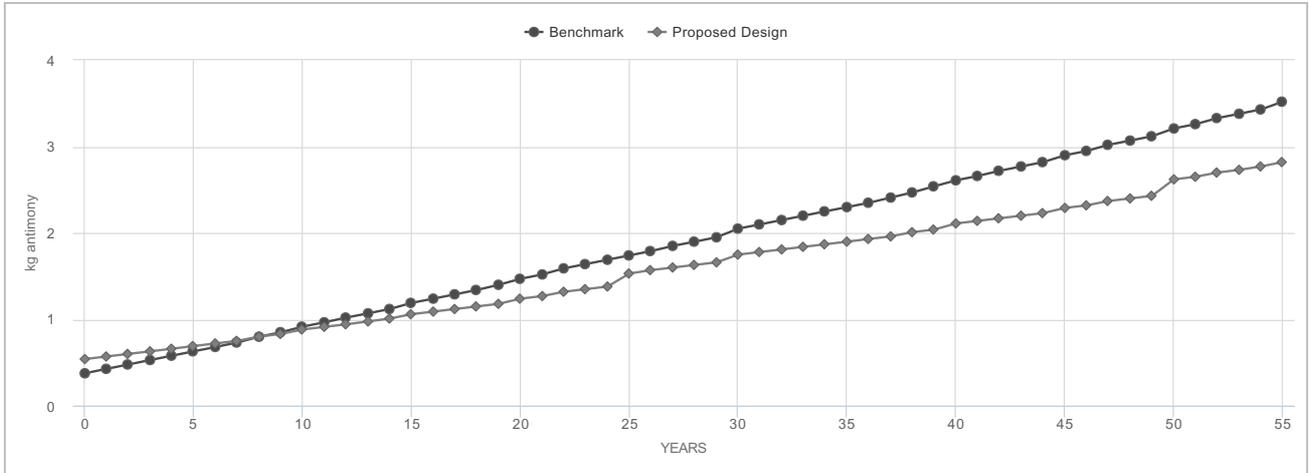
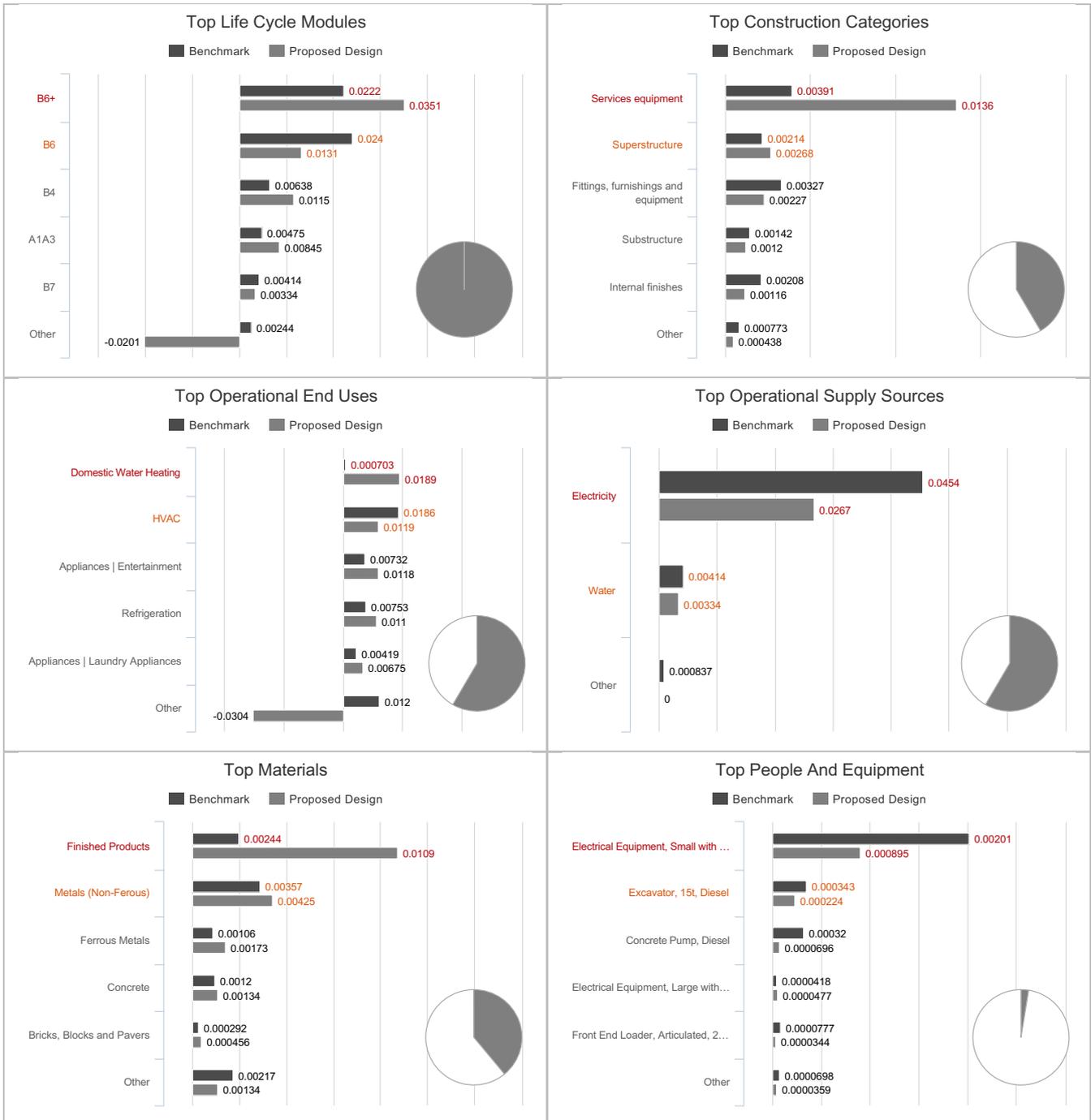


Figure 18: Top Five Abiotic Depletion Potential – Elements, ADPE chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg antimony)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	1.82	3.65	0	0	5.47
Metals (Non-Ferrous)   Copper Unspecified	3.04	1.46	0	-1.04	3.47
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Electronics   Electronics For Control Unit	0.29	2.05	0	0	2.35
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar Inverters   Solar Inverter Generic	0.2	0.98	0	0	1.19
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	0.65	0	0.06	-0.06	0.64
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	0.15	0	0.33	0	0.48
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Zinc Coated & Coloured Sheet 0.43mm	0.46	0.02	0	-0.05	0.43
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	0.18	0	0.19	0	0.38
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	0.19	0	0.14	0	0.33
Ceramics   Tiles   Ceramic Tiles	0.12	0.16	0.01	0	0.29
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Asphalt and Bitumen   Asphalt hot mix   5.50% primary bitumen, (0% RAP)	0	0	0	0	0
Fibre Reinforced Plastics and Resins   Fibreglass Unspecified	0	0	0	0	0
Insulation   Rigid Foams and Boards   Polyethylene   Polyethylene	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	0	0	0	0	0
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg antimony)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	0.01	0.05	0	19.9	0	0	-0.01	19.95
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	0.26	0.55	15.57	0	0	0	-0.16	16.22
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	0.07	0.34	0	9.08	0	0	-0.11	9.38
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	0.15	0.65	5.29	0	0	0	-0.05	6.04
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	0.04	0.17	5.34	0	0	0	-0.02	5.54
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	0.15	0.65	4.52	0	0	0	-0.05	5.27
Water Use and Treatment (eTool Turbo)	0	0	0	0	2.75	0	0	2.75
LED Residential Lighting (High Efficiency - 110lm/watt)	0.13	0.86	1.69	0	0	0	0	2.67
Electrical Fittings - sockets power points wiring embodied only (m2)	1.43	0.08	0	0	0	0	-0.33	1.19
Utilities Connection to Site Residential	0.54	0.54	0	0	0	0	-0.22	0.86
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	0.05	0.07	0	0	0	0.01	0	0.12
Floor Covering - Tiles (ceramic/10mm)	0.05	0.06	0	0	0	0	0	0.11
Door - HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	0.03	0.04	0	0	0	0	-0.01	0.05
Door - SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0	0	0.02
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	2.04	4.64	-21.83	0	0	0	-17.77	-32.92

## 6.7 Abiotic Depletion Potential – Fossil Fuels, ADPF (MJ)

Figure 19: Time series Abiotic Depletion Potential – Fossil Fuels, ADPF chart

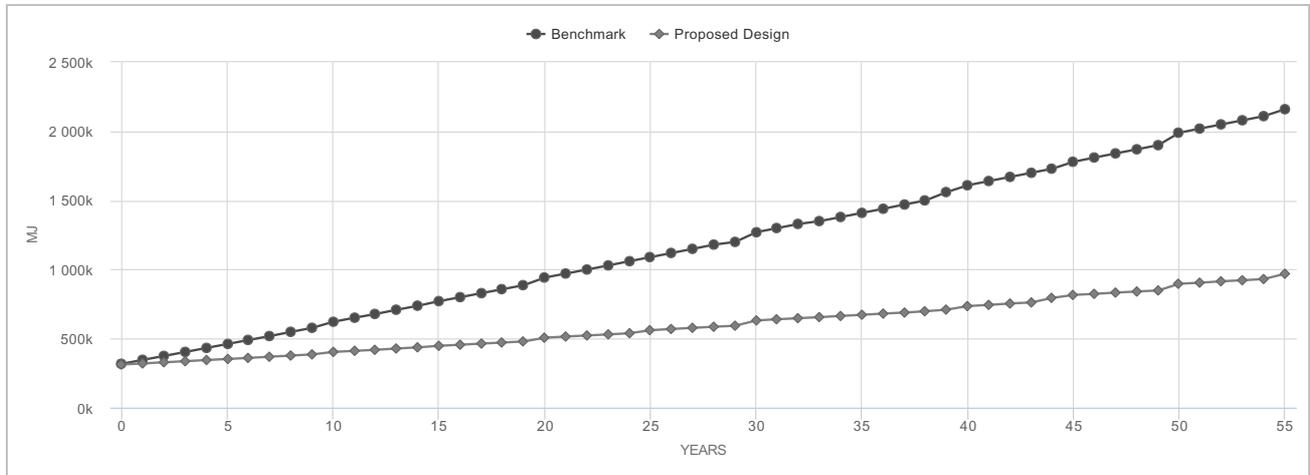
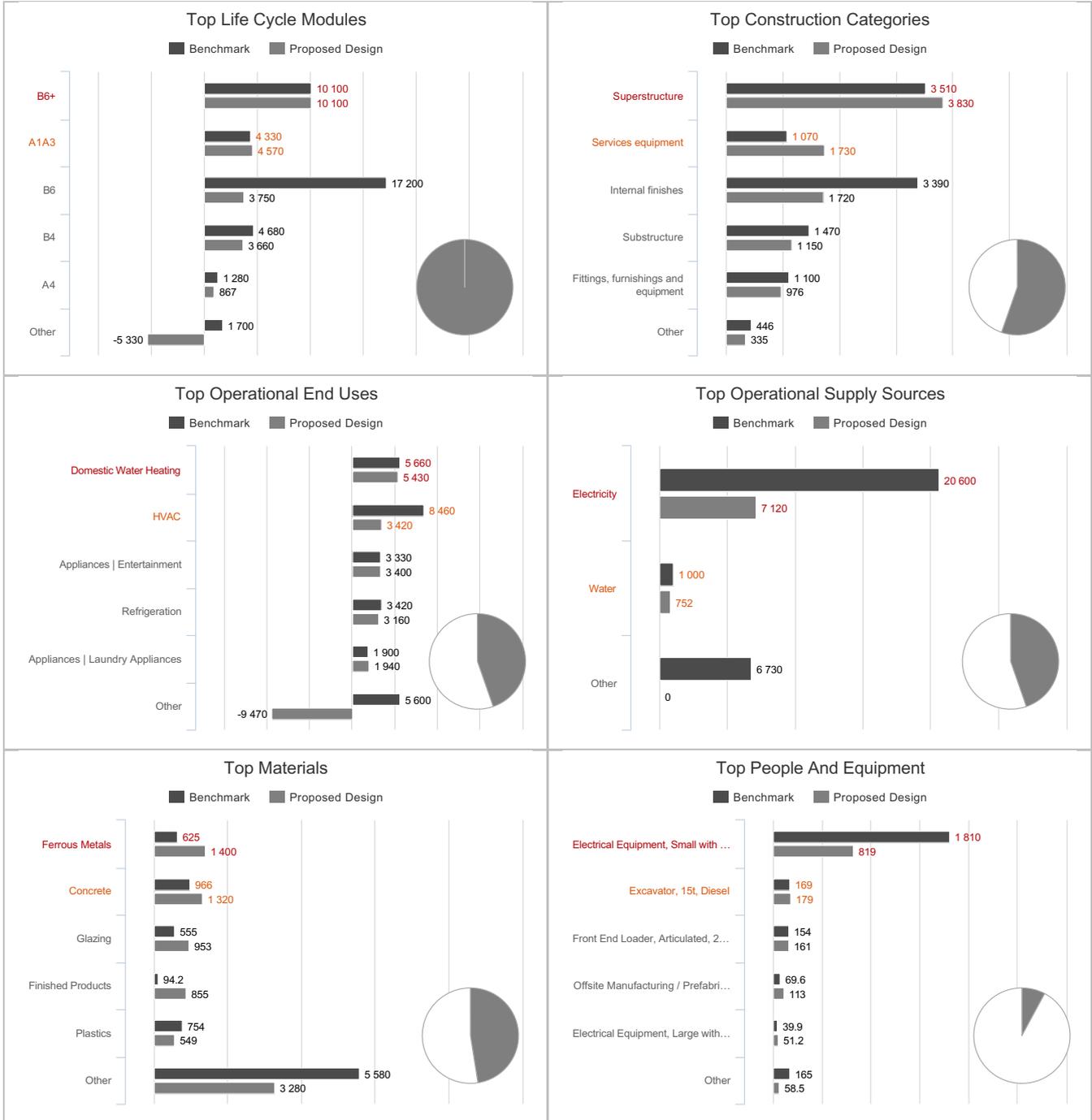


Figure 20: Top Five Abiotic Depletion Potential – Fossil Fuels, ADPF chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (MJ)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	379540.57	382435.41	2894.84	0	764870.81
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Reinforcement bar   Unspecified	705575.64	0	35232.9	-32386.66	708421.87
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	214409.76	432856.05	18569.93	-104018.73	561817.01
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   40 MPa	391865.64	0	140056.44	0	531922.08
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	369962.91	0	82113.94	0	452076.85
Concrete   Unreinforced   Portland Cement Blends   20 MPa	186373.82	0	83078.58	0	269452.4
Concrete   Reinforced   1.0% Reinforcement   Portland Cement Blends   30 MPa	206386.38	0	60381.88	0	266768.26
Ceramics   Tiles   Ceramic Tiles	102581.87	134075.38	3753.05	0	240410.3
Metals (Non-Ferous)   Aluminium Unspecified	134484.57	171101.83	1993.42	-86033.56	221546.25
Cementitious Binders   Mortars and Renders   1 cement : 4 sand	168624.75	32924.83	19326.35	0	220875.93
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Metals (Non-Ferous)   Brass	65.58	343.9	3.21	-82.82	329.87
Asphalt and Bitumen   Asphalt hot mix   5.50% primary bitumen, (0% RAP)	39.79	275.25	6.09	0	321.12
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Galvanised Structural   Unspecified	155.95	0	4.69	-44.62	116.02
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Coated Sheet   Enamelled	57.61	58.34	0.73	-13.75	102.93
Generic   Cost Adjustment Factors   Cost Only Factors (No Environmental Impacts Adjustment)	0	0	0	0	0

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (MJ)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials & Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	9063.67	48800.93	0	5722437.36	0	129.61	-5761.55	5774670.01
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	15498.69	60958.06	4477256.58	0	0	341.28	-7048.3	4547006.32
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	52047.09	262945.5	0	2610201.34	0	886.69	-32547.08	2893533.54
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	21627.01	85719.04	1535519.91	0	0	275.19	822.23	1643963.37
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	24945.96	80498.08	1521099.34	0	0	254.99	-4413.06	1622385.3
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	24945.96	80498.08	1300830.86	0	0	254.99	-4413.06	1402116.82
Upper Floors – Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	896854.38	0	0	0	0	145881.79	-89031.92	953704.24
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	415949.71	450592.62	0	0	0	3084.46	-12723.18	856903.6
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	638285.14	86402.39	0	0	0	111484.03	-1074.05	835097.51
Roof – TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	525548.96	255999.47	0	0	0	18670.7	-42958.04	757261.09
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Staircase, Concrete, 40Mpa, 2% reo	87633.03	6809.07	0	0	0	18217.79	4371.29	117031.18
Door – HollowCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted	31727.34	43566.24	0	0	0	857.58	-9730.21	66420.95
LED Outdoor Lighting (Residential – Ultra High Efficiency 150lm/watt), m2	1995.77	9414.94	52836.56	0	0	9.97	-172.68	64084.57
Door – SolidCoreTimber/SteelJam/Painted (#)	9858.52	10722.77	0	0	0	264.28	-1492.81	19352.75
Solar PV System Residential – Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	338645.96	616092.14	-6277118.31	0	0	20350.47	-5719648.86	-11021678.61

## 6.8 Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

Figure 21: Time series Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B chart

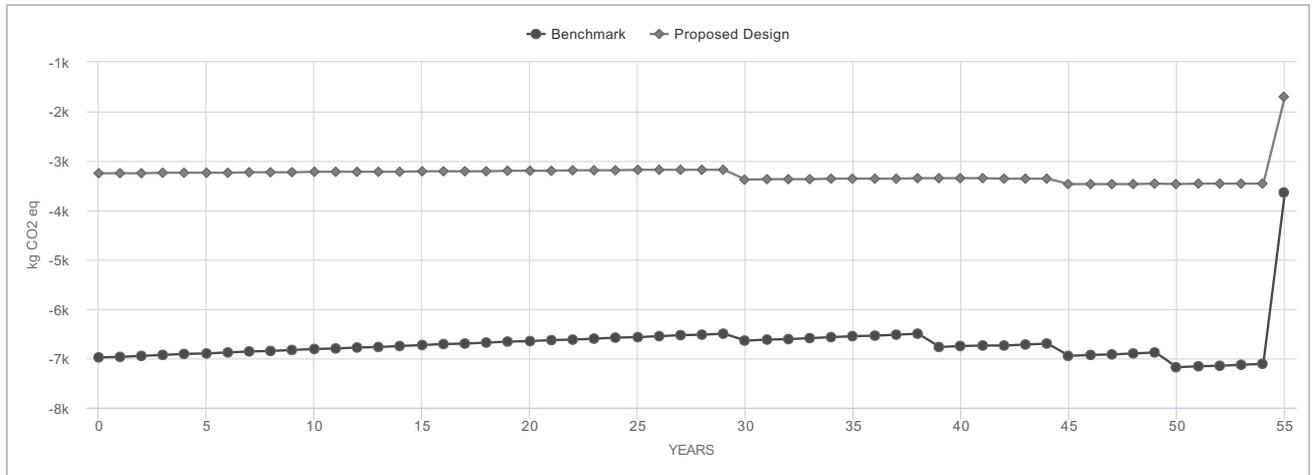
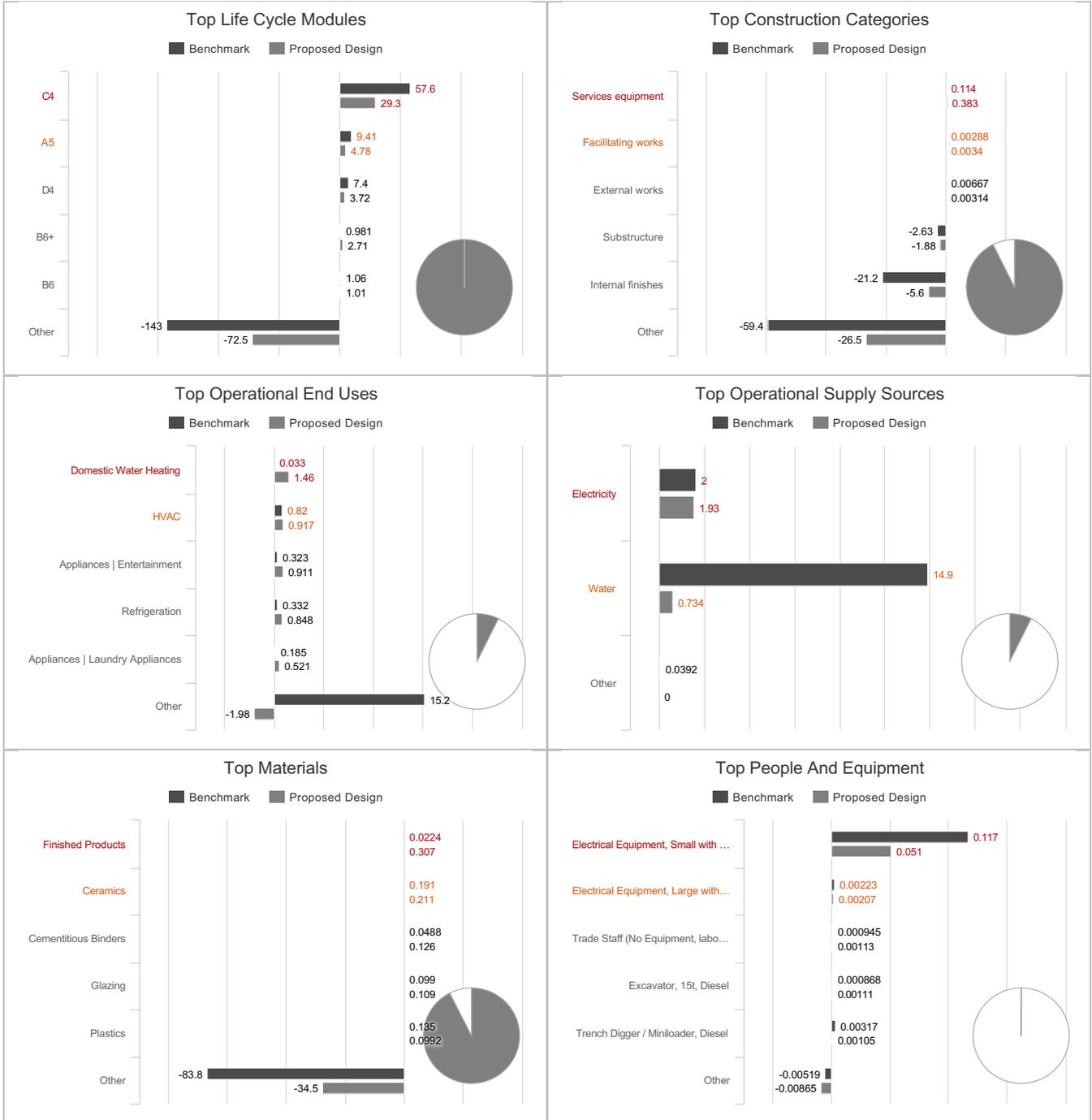


Figure 22: Top Five Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B chart



### Highest and Lowest Impact Materials (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Construction (A1-A5)	Use Stage Materials & Construction (B1-B5)	End of Life (C1-C4) Recycling & Energy Export (D)		Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Materials</b>					
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar PV Panels   Monocrystalline	74.51	115.63	-8.35	-17.36	164.43
Cementitious Binders   Mortars and Renders   1 cement : 4 sand	76.1	13.34	0.04	0	89.48
Glazing   Windows   Aluminium Framed   No Thermal Break   Single Glaze   Domestic 50% Opening	41.91	41.92	0.01	0	83.84
Ceramics   Tiles   Ceramic Tiles	33.97	42.84	0.01	0	76.82
Resins and Adhesives   Epoxy Resin	36.67	36.67	0	0	73.34
Plaster and Mineral Derived Products   100% Primary Gypsum   Plaster   Unspecified	34.92	34.93	0.02	0	69.87
Finished Products   Electrical Goods   Solar Inverters   Solar Inverter Generic	11.77	56.7	0	0	68.47
Ferrous Metals   Steel   Stainless   Unspecified	7.03	19.89	-0.02	29.92	56.83
Ceramics   Porcelain Sanitary Products   Toilet	25.68	25.68	0	0	51.36
Ceramics   Porcelain Sanitary Products   Bath	33.39	0	0	0	33.4
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Materials</b>					
Plaster and Mineral Derived Products   100% Primary Gypsum   Plasterboard   12mm Sheets	-1085.26	-1085.25	0.01	0	-2170.5
Bricks, Blocks and Pavers   Clay Bricks and Pavers   Unspecified	-2343.13	0	0.19	0	-2342.94
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Plywood   Unspecified	-10417.02	0	5944.87	610.12	-3862.03
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Particle Board   Indoor	-6910.35	-2988.47	3602.03	739.34	-5557.45
Timber   Sustainably Sourced   Hardwood   Unspecified	-24232.85	0	12509.98	1280.06	-10442.82

### Highest and Lowest Impact Templates (kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq)

	Initial Materials & Use Stage Construction (A1- A5)	Materials Construction (B1- B5)	Integrated Energy Use (B6)	Plug Load Energy Use (B6+)	Water Supply & Treatment (B7)	End of Life (C1-C4)	Recycling & Energy Export (D)	Total
<b>Top 10 Impact Templates</b>								
Appliances, Residential Average Op&Em	0.48	2.69	0	1534.33	0	0	0.92	1538.41
Electric Instantaneous Hot Water System (HWS_App)	4.27	18.95	1200.46	0	0	0.01	-0.29	1223.41
Refrigeration, Residential Well Ventilated Fridge Recess	11	54.85	0	699.86	0	0	0.54	766.24
Water Use and Treatment (eTool Turbo)	0	0	0	0	605.45	0	0	605.45
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Heating, Average Efficiency (COP/EER 3.27), R410a Refrigerant	0.37	4.9	407.84	0	0	0	-0.03	413.09
Ducted System Air Source Heat Pump for Cooling, higher efficiency (COP/EER 3.8), R410a Refrigerant	0.37	4.9	348.79	0	0	0	-0.03	354.03
Cooking, Res Electric Oven Induction Stove	-49.1	-196.32	411.71	0	0	-0.01	21.33	187.62
LED Residential Lighting (High Efficiency - 110lm/watt)	1.33	8.16	130.46	0	0	0	0.1	140.05
Standard 1st Bathroom - WC/Shower-bath/Basin/WallTiles	75.31	52.07	0	0	0	0.03	2.42	129.83
Windows, Residential Aluminium Single Glaze, fly screen	43.2	44.21	0	0	0	0.02	-1.56	85.86
<b>Bottom 5 Impact Templates</b>								
Wall, External, Masonry, double brick 90-50-90 insulated with foundations and finishes	-2386.48	-318.94	0	0	0	397.84	81.61	-2225.97
Upper Floors - Concrete Slab, 172mm, 40MPa, 3.8% reo (m2)	-5829.7	0	0	0	0	3255.04	343.78	-2230.88
Solar PV System Residential - Zone 3 (Perth Sydney etc)	99.81	186.43	-1683.05	0	0	-8.22	-1493.81	-2898.86
Kitchen Medium sized (incl Equipment)	-6973.71	-3035.73	0	0	0	3643.01	754.54	-5611.9
Roof - TimberTruss/SteelSheeting/25°Pitch	-27137.36	-1995.85	0	0	0	13372.76	1460.13	-14300.32

## 7 Scenarios Summary Tables

### 7.1 Proposed Design Scenarios Summary

Table 11: While modelling the Proposed Design the following scenarios were modelled.

Scenario	 GWP	 ODP	 AP	 EP	 POCP	 ADPE	 ADPF	 GWP B
● <Improved Design>								
● RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
● RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
● <Proposed Design>								

● Strategies included in Proposed Design   ● Strategies not included in Proposed Design

## 8 Low Impact Strategies

The following low impact design strategies were modelled in the LCA study to determine the relative benefits and aid the design decision making process.

The relative saving of each progressed recommendation against the Benchmark is provided in the following tables for each strategy. Further information regarding each strategy is also provided regarding motivation and logistical constraints.

### 8.1 Proposed Design Strategies

The following low impact strategies are included in the Proposed Design.

Design Strategy Performance	 GWP	 ODP	 AP	 EP	 POCP	 ADPE	 ADPF	 GWP B
<Improved Design>								
RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %
RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %
<Proposed Design>								

Table 12: Design Strategies in Proposed Design

#### 8.1.1 RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1

##### % Changes Against the Benchmark

Design Strategy Performance	 GWP	 ODP	 AP	 EP	 POCP	 ADPE	 ADPF	 GWP B
RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %

Table 13: Impact savings (or increases) associated with the RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1 as a percentage of the Proposed Design.

RapidLCA automated phase

#### 8.1.2 RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2

##### % Changes Against the Benchmark

Design Strategy Performance	 GWP	 ODP	 AP	 EP	 POCP	 ADPE	 ADPF	 GWP B
RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %

Table 14: Impact savings (or increases) associated with the RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2 as a percentage of the Proposed Design.

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## 9 Conclusion

The report shows that the Proposed Design has lower Global Warming Potential Total, GWP impact than the Benchmark Design. The **Non-integrated Energy (B6+)** GWP Impacts are the most dominant life cycle module in the Proposed Design Design followed by the **Product Stage (A1A3)** and then **Replacement (B4)**.

Further analysis reveals:

- The **Superstructure** is the highest impact construction category,
- **Domestic Water Heating** is the highest operational impact by demand category,
- The **Electricity** is this highest impact operational impact by supply source,
- **Glazing | Windows | Aluminium Framed | No Thermal Break | Single Glaze | Domestic 50% Opening** is the highest impact material category,
- **Electrical Equipment, Small with transport and tradestaff, Electricity** is the highest people and equipment impact

2 strategies were modelled in the Proposed Design, the **RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 1** strategy had the highest saving followed by **RIBA Phase 4 – Technical Design 2**. See full LCA report for details of other environmental strategies.

In addition to GWP, other indicators were included in the study, the results of which are summarised below.

The Proposed Design shows an expected performance improvement against the Benchmark Design for 6 indicators:

- 54.23% **saving** in GWP impacts
- NaN% **increase** in ODP impacts
- 30.2% **saving** in AP impacts
- 14.42% **saving** in EP impacts
- 33.45% **saving** in POCP impacts
- 20.31% **saving** in ADPE impacts
- 55.23% **saving** in ADPF impacts
- 53.29% **saving** in GWP B impacts

## Appendix A: Environmental Indicators Description

### Global Warming Potential Total, GWP

Anthropogenic global warming is caused by an increase of greenhouse gasses (GHG) in the earth's atmosphere. These gasses reflect some of the heat radiated from the earth's surface that would normally escape into space back to the surface of the earth. Overtime this warms the earth. Common GHGs include CO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O, CH<sub>4</sub> and volatile organic compounds (VOCs). Global Warming Potential Total (GWP) is expressed in equivalent GHGs released, usually in kgCO<sub>2</sub>e.  $\text{Global Warming Potential Total (GWP)} = \text{GWP Fossil} + \text{GWP Biogenic} + \text{GWP LULUC}$ .

### Ozone Depletion Potential, ODP

Ozone is formed and depleted naturally in the earth's stratosphere (between 15–40 km above the earth's surface). Halocarbon compounds are persistent synthetic halogen containing organic molecules that can reach the stratosphere leading to more rapid depletion of the ozone. As the ozone in the stratosphere is reduced more of the ultraviolet rays in sunlight can reach the earth's surface where they can cause skin cancer and reduced crop yields. Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP) is expressed in equivalent ozone depleting gasses (normally kgCFC11e).

### Acidification Potential for Soil and Water, AP

Acidification is a consequence of acids (and other compounds which can be transformed into acids) being emitted to the atmosphere and subsequently deposited in surface soils and water. Increased acidity can result in negative consequences for flora and fauna in addition to increased corrosion of manmade structures (buildings vehicles etc.). Acidification Potential (AP) is an indicator of such damage and is usually measured in kgSO<sub>2</sub>e

### Eutrophication potential, EP

Over enrichment of aquatic ecosystems with nutrients leading to increased production of plankton, algae and higher aquatic plants leading to a deterioration of the water quality and a reduction in the value and/or the utilisation of the aquatic ecosystem. Eutrophication is primarily caused by surplus nitrogen and phosphorus. Sources of nutrients include agriculture (fertilisers and manure), aquaculture, municipal wastewater, and nitrogen oxide emissions from fossil fuel combustion.

### Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential, POCP

Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential (POCP), commonly known as smog, is toxic to humans in high concentration. Although ozone is protective in the stratosphere at low levels it is problematic from both a health and nuisance perspective. Plant growth is also effected through damaged leaf surfaces and reduced photosynthesis. POCP is formed when sunlight and heat react with Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs).

### Abiotic Depletion Potential – Elements, ADPE

Abiotic Resource Depletion of energy (ADPE) is a measure of the extraction and consumption of primary resources from the earth. Such exploitation reduces resources available to future generations and as such must be managed.

### Abiotic Depletion Potential – Fossil Fuels, ADPF

Abiotic Resource Depletion of energy (ARDE) is a measure of the extraction and consumption of non-renewable energy sources (primarily fossil fuels, but also inclusive of other energy sources such as uranium). Primary energy content of non-renewable energy sources including the embodied energy to extract, process and deliver the non renewable fuels, or manufacture, transport and install the renewable generator. Hence there is usually and non-renewable energy content associated with renewable fuels also.

### Global Warming Potential Biogenic, GWP B

This indicator accounts for GWP from removals of CO<sub>2</sub> into biomass from all sources except native forests, as transfer of carbon, sequestered by living biomass, from nature into the product system declared as GWP-biogenic. This indicator also accounts for GWP from transfer of any biogenic carbon from previous product systems into the product system under study. This indicator also covers biogenic emissions to air from biomass from all sources except native forests due to oxidation or degradation (e.g. combustion, solid waste disposal) as well as all transfer of biogenic carbon from biomass from all sources except native forests into subsequent product systems in the form of biogenic CO<sub>2</sub>.



# APPLICATION FORM

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## Development Application - Urban Design Study

As part of the accompanying material for an application for development approval pursuant to Schedule 2, Part 8, Clause 63 of the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015, an urban design study is required for all developments visible from the public realm.

The urban design study is to be provided as drawings, 3D studies, and diagrams that interpret the development site's context into opportunities and constraints to generate early design parameters. The elements of the urban design study are based on Appendix 1 - Design Principles of the Built Form Policy.

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Address:	293 & 295 Oxford Street		
Suburb:	Leederville	Postcode:	6007

# Urban Design Study:

Please outline how each of the following elements have been addressed and attach any relevant or supporting photos, images, diagrams or drawings where applicable.

Description	Applicant comment
<p><b>Context &amp; Character</b>  <i>Good design responds to and enhances the distinctive characteristics of a local area, contributing to a sense of place.</i></p>	
<p>Demonstrate how you have reviewed the natural environment including topography, local flora and fauna.</p>	<p>The site has an approximate 2m slope running east to west (front to rear), over 40m. As a result, the development gradually steps down in response to the topography of the site. Existing vegetation on the lot consists of trees, light shrubs, and grass. Whilst the possibility of retaining the existing vegetation was not deemed viable, the design seeks to implement a landscaping strategy that reorientates and maximises its presentation towards the streetscape and internal driveway.</p>
<p>Demonstrate consideration of the site's streetscape character.</p>	<p>The Oxford Street Activity Corridor has a mixed and varied streetscape in terms of style and presentation. A range of single and double storey dwellings are present, alongside pockets of multi-dwelling developments ranging in height from 3 to 4 storeys. This mix of established and newer developments presents a unique streetscape character, whereby a 'commercial' feel is present towards the northern and southern extents of the activity corridor, whilst the central area has a distinct residential flavor. On-street parking is available along most of the street, alongside cycling lanes. Pedestrian footpaths are located on both sides of the street.</p>
<p>Demonstrate review of the built and natural environment of the local context to a radius of 400m – 1000m.</p>	<p>The established residential developments present on either side of the site have deeper setbacks from the street, and predominantly have front facing gardens with fences. Whilst these are typically single storey, there are also examples of double storey group-dwelling buildings along the street, particularly with newer developments. These newer developments include commercial, multi-dwelling and commercial premises with contemporary designs. There is a prevalence of small to medium sized trees along the streetscape, located on both public land and within the enclosed front gardens of established homes.</p>
<p>Demonstrate how the site's context and character influenced the development.</p> <p>Consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of the local area;</li> <li>• Heritage listed buildings in the area;</li> <li>• High quality contemporary buildings in the area;</li> <li>• Materials, textures, patterns from high quality heritage / character as well as contemporary buildings in the area; and</li> <li>• Movement patterns / laneways.</li> </ul>	<p>Our design proposal seeks to balance the predominantly residential character of the street with the future aspirations of the Activity Corridor by presenting a contemporary design that takes material and built form cues from both. The contemporary design of the development along clean horizontal and vertical lines incorporates a dominant mix of rendered walls and large glass openings. Red brick, with a raw and rough finish, are used as feature elements that tie into the predominant material palette of established homes along the street. The development is also setback from the street to allow for front gardens with landscaping and small-medium sized trees. Consideration is also given to pedestrian and vehicle safety due to the adjacent footpath and on-street parking. The site has been amalgamated to ensure a single, central crossover, as opposed to two. This circulation spine allows vehicle and pedestrian access to the townhouses.</p>
<p><b>Landscape quality</b>  <i>Good design recognises that together landscape and buildings operate as an integrated and sustainable system, within a broader ecological context.</i></p>	
<p>Demonstrate review of the existing landscaping of the site and the street including mature trees, species and natural features</p>	<p>Oxford Street is lined with mature trees, with single dwellings typically having street facing gardens enclosed by a front fence. These fences include a mix of low a high walls, both solid and permeable. Whilst established homes typically have trees visible from the street, newer commercial, grouped and multi dwelling developments do not.</p>
<p>Demonstrate how the landscape quality of the streetscape and surrounding context has been incorporated into the building and landscape design.</p>	<p>Our design proposes lush gardens between the built form and Oxford Street, with small to medium trees. Planters have been used to create a layered, terrace, effect for visual interest along the street. In keeping with the some of the established homes along the street, portions of the gardens fronting Oxford Street are enclosed with fences – permeable and solid – to ensure an adequate level of privacy between the pedestrian side walk and on-street parking.</p>

Description	Applicant comment
<b>Built Form &amp; Scale</b> <i>Good design provides development with massing and height that is appropriate to its setting and successfully negotiates between existing built form and the intended future character of the local area.</i>	
What is the building massing and height of the streetscape? How has this been incorporated into the design?	Whilst there is a dominance of established residential dwellings along the street which are typically single storey, there are also examples of double storey grouped-dwellings, particularly with newer developments. Alongside these buildings are pockets of multi-dwelling developments ranging in height from 3 to 4 storeys.
How does the development respond and contribute to the built form and scale of the streetscape?	Our proposal is a two-storey development that is in keeping with predominantly single and double storey dwellings found along the immediate context of the site. This provides a transition between established homes and the future aspirations of the activity corridor. A generous setback to the street has also been provided to reduce the impact of bulk and scale to the street and in keeping with the residential built form in the area.
Demonstrate how the development encourages an activated and vibrant streetscape environment.	The central driveway acts a view corridor for the inner townhouses that gradually transitions from a public to semi-private space. As a result, all courtyards and gardens have been designed to internally face the central driveway to ensure direct views of the street. The front facing gardens have been designed with permeable and open fencing to promote passive surveillance. This creates interaction between public and private spaces that foster interaction between the street and active outdoor areas, whilst still maintaining privacy for residents. Landscaping and a mixed material palette also create visual interest and vibrancy to the building's façade.
<b>Functionality &amp; Build Quality</b> <i>Good design meets the needs of users efficiently and effectively, balancing functional requirements to deliver optimum benefit and performing well over the full life-cycle.</i>	
Demonstrate how the proposed design complements the use of the building.	Generous ground floor living spaces have been designed to allow occupants to live with a strong visual connection between indoor and outdoor active spaces. Sleeping and living areas have been separated between floors to ensure privacy and so that they can be conditioned independently from each other. Bin and service courtyards have been separated from the main courtyards to maximise the amenity of outdoor living spaces.
<b>Sustainability</b> <i>Good design optimises the sustainability of the built environment, delivering positive environmental, social and economic outcomes.</i>	
Demonstrate how the building performance has been optimised using suitable orientation and layout of internal spaces.	Living spaces have been designed with openings spaced to ensure crossflow ventilation. Fans to bedrooms are also proposed, alongside solar PV systems, to minimise operational energy loads.
<b>Amenity</b> <i>Good design optimises internal and external amenity for occupants, visitors and neighbours, contributing to living and working environments that are comfortable and productive.</i>	
Demonstrate how the development optimises amenity for occupants, adjoining neighbours and onlookers	All townhouses are provided with sleeved, double parking, accessed from a central driveway. Ground floor living areas tie directly into the courtyards, which in turn benefit from views onto either the street or central mews driveway, which have been landscaped to provide a softer outlook. Openings are designed to ensure visual privacy of neighboring properties are maintained. Despite this, most bedrooms have been designed with clear, open views, overlooking courtyard tree canopies and green spaces.
<b>Legibility</b> <i>Good design results in buildings and places that are legible, with clear connections and memorable elements to help people find their way around.</i>	
Demonstrate how the design allow users and visitors to navigate through the development.	All entry's into the townhouses are visible from the central driveway and easily accessible from the street. Canopies ensure adequate cover and protection from the elements, and clearly define and identify the entry's for visitors. This is also aided by the change in floor material finishes.
<b>Safety</b> <i>Good design optimises safety and security, minimising the risk of personal harm and supporting safe behaviour and use.</i>	
Demonstrate how the layout of buildings on site provides safe and high level of amenity for residents.	Consideration is also given to pedestrian safety, with the site amalgamated to ensure a single, central crossover, as opposed to two. This circulation spine allows vehicle and pedestrian access to the townhouses. Street facing townhouses have been designed with a mix of solid and permeable materials to balance street surveillance and privacy from pedestrians and on-street parking. All courtyards and gardens to the remaining townhouses have been designed to internally face the central driveway, ensuring passive surveillance. This is further increased by the design of large openings to the upper floor bedrooms overlooking the driveways. Entries to the townhouses are visually open not concealed from view.

Description	Applicant comment
<p><b>Community</b></p> <p><i>Good design responds to local community needs as well as the wider social context, providing buildings and spaces that support a diverse range of people and facilitate social interaction.</i></p>	
<p>Demonstrate how the development contributes to a sense of community, encouraging social engagement and enabling stronger communities.</p>	<p>The design benefits from a contemporary material palette with large expanses of glazing, combined with street level elements such as fencing, landscaping and planters. The layering of these forms and materials creates a visually engaging façade that ties into the existing streetscape. Orientating outdoor living areas externally towards the driveway and street allows for outside entertainment and socialising, whereby interaction with neighbouring residents are encouraged.</p>
<p><b>Aesthetics</b></p> <p><i>Good design is the product of a skilled, judicious design process that results in attractive and inviting buildings and places that engage the senses.</i></p>	
<p>Demonstrate how the surrounding context and character has been incorporated into the design of the development.</p>	<p>Our proposal is a two-storey development that is in keeping with predominantly single and double storey dwellings found along the immediate context of the site. Clean horizontal and vertical lines have been incorporated into the design, with mix of rendered walls and large glass openings. Red brick, with a raw and rough finish, are used as feature elements that tie into the predominant material palette of established homes along the street. In keeping with the some of the established homes along the street, portions of the gardens fronting Oxford Street are enclosed with fences.</p>

Please complete all sections of this application and send to [mail@vincent.wa.gov.au](mailto:mail@vincent.wa.gov.au) along with all relevant attachments. Alternatively, you can submit your application in person at our **Administration Centre (244 Vincent Street, Leederville)** or post to **PO Box 82, Leederville, 6902**.

## Summary of Submissions:

The table below summarise the comments received during the advertising period, together with Administration's response to each comment.

Comments Received in Objection:	Administration Comment:
<p><u>General</u></p> <p>Concerns regarding the impact that the construction of the proposed development will have on adjoining, older and fragile properties. Request that a dilapidation report be prepared and signed by adjoining properties prior to the construction of the development.</p>	<p>Structural integrity and works that may affect adjoining land are matters dealt with under the <i>Building Act 2012</i> and is not a consideration dealt with at the development application stage.</p> <p>It is the responsibility of the builder for the effective management of construction works and to ensure that this is undertaken in the interest of nearby residents and properties. The City's Policy No. 7.5.23 – Construction Management Plans does not require the builder to prepare dilapidation reports in this circumstance. The applicant has however agreed to complete dilapidation reports before and after construction for the northern and southern adjoining properties.</p>
<p><u>Solar Access</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Concerns regarding the proposed overshadowing, and subsequent reduced solar access, negatively impacting the adjoining southern property. Concerns relate to the overshadowing over green areas (such as areas used to grow produce) and active habitable spaces (outdoor living areas) of the adjoining property.</li> <li>Concerns regarding the proposed overshadowing resulting in a reduced solar access, reducing the viability of solar panels on the adjoining southern property.</li> </ul>	<p>Following the provision of community consultation the applicant amended plans that reduced the extent of overshadowing to meet the deemed-to-comply standards of the R Codes. The reduction of overshadowing was achieved through a reduced finished floor level, cutting of the roof eaves and modification of the roof pitch and overhang. The proposed overshadowing was reduced to 50%, therefore resolving the overshadowing departure. As overshadowing satisfies the deemed-to-comply provisions of the R-Codes, the City does not have discretion to require further modifications to this aspect of the proposed development.</p>
<p><u>Boundary Walls</u></p> <p>Concerns regarding the proposed length of boundary wall been excessive, resulting in a feeling of encroachment, a loss of solar access, loss of ventilation, increased overlooking, loss of privacy, loss of street character and likely loss of financial value of the impacted adjoining dwellings.</p>	<p>Following the provision of community consultation the applicant provided amended plans to reduce the proposed extent of boundary wall via the reduction of boundary wall length. The amended plans also included the incorporation of a minimum 3m x 3m recess between sections of boundary walls. As such, the amended plans now meet the deemed-to-comply standards relevant to boundary walls under the R Codes.</p> <p>As the boundary walls satisfy the deemed-to-comply provisions of the R-Codes, the City does not have discretion to require further modifications to this aspect of the proposed development.</p>
<p><u>Visitor Parking</u></p> <p>Concerns regarding the proposed development lack of a visitor parking bay whilst increasing the capacity of occupants from 5 bedrooms (between Nos. 293 &amp; 295 Oxford) to 18 bedrooms. This would result in a reduced availability of street parking and an increasing need for visitor parking bays.</p>	<p>The proposed visitor parking shortfall of one bay is appropriate due to the availability of off-site car parking, sufficient on-site resident parking that exceeds the standard requirements and the addition of one on-street parking bay to Oxford Street through the removal of a redundant crossover. Furthermore, due to the proposals location on Oxford Street, alternative transport options are considered, with the site being in proximity to high frequency bus and train routes.</p>

## Summary of Submissions:

The table below summarise the comments received during the initial advertising period (9 April 2024 to 22 April 2024) of the proposal, together with the Applicant's response to each comment.

Comments Received in Objection:	Applicant's Comment:
<p><u>General</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Concerns regarding the impact that the construction of the proposed development will have on adjoining, older and fragile properties. Request that a dilapidation report be prepared and signed by adjoining properties prior to the construction of the development.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Applicant will undertake Dilapidation surveys on 291 and 297 Oxford Street Leederville.</li></ul>
<p><u>Solar Access</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Concerns regarding the proposed overshadowing, and subsequent reduced solar access, negatively impacting the adjoining southern property. Concerns relate to the overshadowing over green areas (such as areas used to grow produce) and active habitable spaces (outdoor living areas) of the adjoining property.</li><li>Concerns regarding the proposed overshadowing resulting in a reduced solar access, reducing the viability of solar panels on the adjoining southern property.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overshadowing from our development now compliant, we have made necessary adjustments to comply with overshadowing provisions of the R-Codes.</li><li>Most of the overshadowing will be caused by the existing tree on the adjacent site.</li></ul>
<p><u>Boundary Walls</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Concerns regarding the proposed length of boundary wall been excessive, resulting in a feeling of encroachment, a loss of solar access, loss of ventilation, increased overlooking, loss of privacy, loss of street character and likely loss of financial value of the impacted adjoining dwellings.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The length of the boundary walls have been reduced to comply with the boundary wall provisions of the R-Codes. There will be minimal impact to the neighbouring properties caused by our proposed boundary walls.</li></ul>
<p><u>Visitor Parking</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Concerns regarding the proposed development lack of a visitor parking bay whilst increasing the capacity of occupants from 5 bedrooms (between 293 &amp; 295 Oxford) to 18 bedrooms. This would result in a reduced availability of street parking and an increasing need for visitor parking bays.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Applicant will be removing one crossover from the two lots to be amalgamated and the city has confirmed that this can create a new Street Bay adding to City's parking, the Applicant will pay for these works. By ensuring all townhouses have 2 car bays each, the applicant believes this will alleviate the need for the residents to take up street parking if any were only granted a single bay. This part of Oxford Street has adequate street parking for visitors, and the proposed development is low-medium density, not high-density apartments with single car bays per dwelling.</li></ul>