

Yes. The details of any submissions may be included in a Council report or forwarded to the proponent where it may help to resolve issues raised in the submission. Information (including copies of submissions) may also be released in accordance with Council's Access to Information Policy.

What about personal information?

Any comments about this proposal may contain information that is personal information, such as information that identifies you, etc, for the purposes of the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1988*. The inclusion of personal information with your submission is voluntary. However, if not provided Council will not be able to contact you about the proposal. The information will be stored in Council's electronic records system and paper files. For your protection, Council recommends that you do not include defamatory comments in your submission.

Will my submission stop the proposal from progressing?

Submissions are balanced with Council's statutory obligations, the rights of the proponent and the public interest. Council must consider any submissions before it decides whether to proceed with or abandon the proposal.

Do I need to lodge a Political Disclosure?

Where relevant a Political Donation and Gift Disclosure Statement, enclosed, must accompany any submission lodged with Council. Under Section 10.4(5) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* any person who makes a submission to Council is required to disclose any political donation or gift.

Has the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces delegated the making of the local environmental plan to Council?

Yes, the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces has delegated the making of the local environmental plan to Council.

Need more information?

For any enquiries or additional information about the planning proposal, please contact Karu Wijayasinghe, Senior Strategic Land Use Planner (02) 4560 4546.

Yours faithfully

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