Ref: Number: 138.2024.108.1 Contact: Nathan Skelly Phone: (02) 6746 1755





Email:

4 September 2024

Dear

Re: S138 Roads Act 1993 Approval

Proposal: Driveway Construction

Property Address: 242 Kamilaroi Highway QUIRINDI

being LOT: 2 DP: 836252

I refer to your application received by Council requesting permission to construct an access to the property at the abovementioned address.

Permission is granted for the construction of the crossing in accordance with the enclosed documentation, at full cost to the applicant and subject to the following conditions:

- It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the location of all public service utilities is investigated with the relevant authorities, and that should they be damaged the applicant is responsible for their repair and the resultant cost;
- 2. An appropriate Public Liability Insurance cover at a minimum of \$20m is required by;
  - a suitably qualified contractor carrying out the works.
- All costs associated with these works are the responsibility of the developer;
- 4. Council is to be notified at the commencement, during and again at the completion of the works to allow the appropriate inspection to take place.
- The driveway will be constructed as per the attached Standard Drawing for Vehicle Crossings – Rural.
- 6. The driveway surface is to be improved to bitumen finish to the property boundary from the road edge;

Provided that the preceding conditions are adhered to, this letter acts as an approval under Section 138 of the *Roads Act 1993*. As such, Council does not recognise the vehicle crossing as an asset of Council. It is therefore expected that the adjacent property owner maintain and repair the vehicle crossing within the road reserve to ensure that is does not become an unacceptable hazard to users of the road reserve.

**Please note** that under Section 218 of the *Roads Act 1993*, if Council is required to undertake repairs of the special crossing to ensure the safety of the road user, the owner of land for which the special crossing is providing access to is liable to pay to Council the cost incurred for repairing the special crossing in the public road reserve.

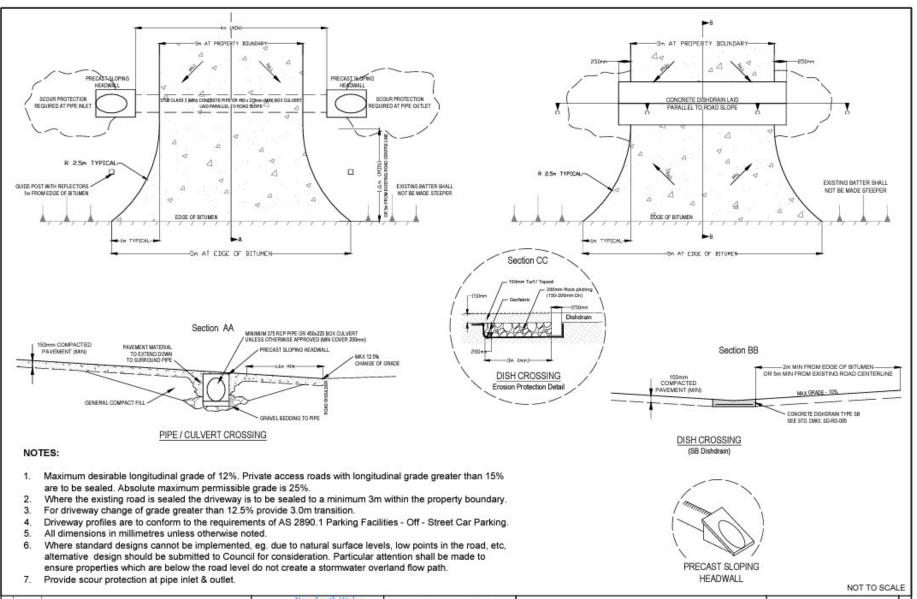
Should you have any questions in relation to this matter, please contact the undersigned in the first instance on (02) 6746 1755.

Yours sincerely

Nathan Skelly

**Director Infrastructure & Environmental Services** 

**Encl. Standard Drawing for Vehicle Crossings – Rural** 



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