

**Location Plan - Residential Lots (Short Stay)** (Stage 4)

# LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN WEV-LDP-440 (October 2023)

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The Residential (Short Stay) Lots are separate from the residential clusters, located just south of the Central Dam. There are 9 Residential Lots (Short Stay) within Stage 4C, and 6 Residential Lots (Short Stay) in Stage 4D. As per the Witchcliffe Ecovillage Structure Plan, they have a density of R30-40 and land use permissibility that allows for residential or short stay uses.. The lots range in size from 459m2 - 691m2. The lots are on a north-south axis, which is the best orientation for lots of this size, shape and density to achieve desirable passive solar built form outcomes.

The Lots face north onto a strip of Public Open Space, and have views of a wetland area and the Central Dam. They do not have community gardens or vegie patches as these are designed primarily for short-stay accommodation. Vehicular access to the Short Stay Lots is via the street on the southern side of the lots.

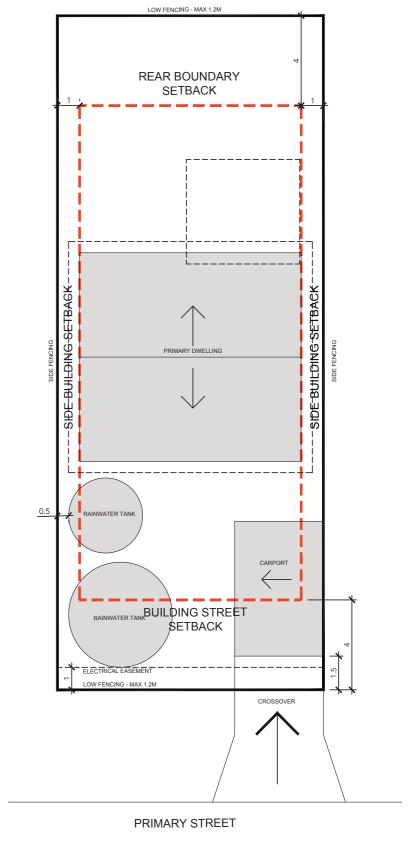
# **Setback Requirements**

Setback Element	Requirement	Notes
Building (Primary Street)	4.0m min.	Setback from boundary. No setback averaging.
Building (Secondary Street)	1.0m min.	Setback from boundary.
Building (Side - Internal)	1.0m min.*^^	Setback from boundary. No boundary development.
Building (Side - Community Garden)	1.0m min.*	Setback from boundary. No boundary development.
Building (Rear)	4.0m min.*	Setback from boundary. No boundary development.
Eave	0.5m min.	Setback from boundary.
Carport (Primary Street)	1.5m min.	Setback from Primary Street boundary
Carport (Side)	Nil/1.0m#	Setback from side boundary (subject to building code fire requirements).
Verandahs, Balconies	2.0m max.	Encroachment into street setbacks or side boundary setbacks abutting the community garden.
Outbuilding	1.0m min.**	Setback from non-street boundary.
Rainwater Tank	0.5m min.	Setback from any boundary.
Rainwater Tank (Exclusion Zone)	12.0m min	Setback for rainwater tanks from Rear boundary.

- Setbacks do not need to account for wall height or length, nor the size of window openings.
- \*\* Nil boundary setback for outbuildings is possible in certain locations, see text in Provision 32.

  ^^ Visual Privacy setbacks, as described in Provision 18, apply if Finished Floor Level is more than 0.5m above Natural Ground Level

PUBLIC OPEN SPACE



Typical Setbacks + Fencing



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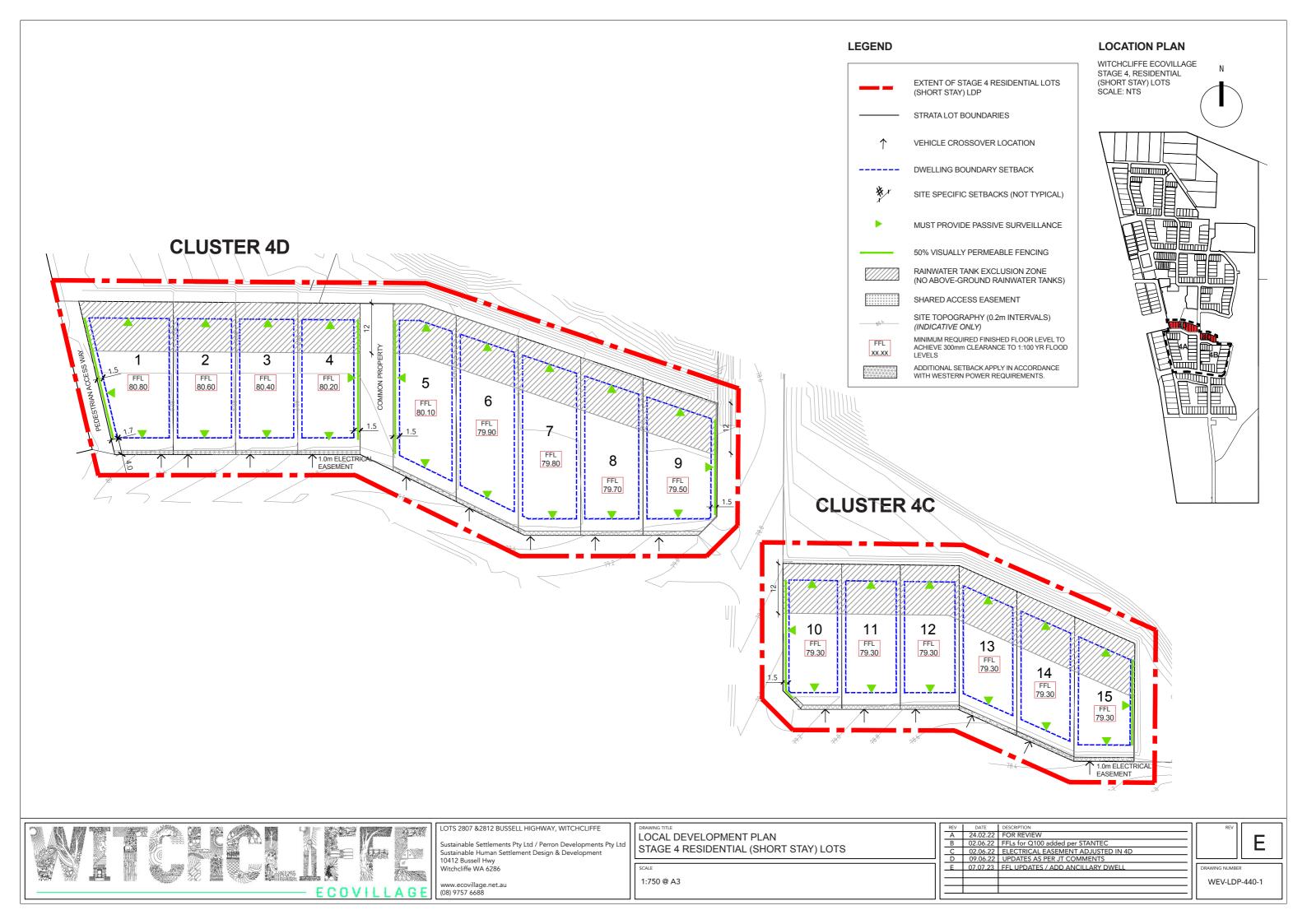
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A 24.02.22 FOR REVIEW
B 09.06.22 UPDATES AS PER JT COMMENT C 02.06.22 ELECTRICAL EASEMENT ADJUSTED IN 4D D 09.06.22 UPDATES AS PER JT COMMENTS



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# **Application of Local Development Plan**

"Residential (Short Stay) Lots," Stage 4, Witchcliffe Ecovillage, Bussell Hwy, Witchcliffe WA 6286

### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- 1. The provisions of the Shire of Augusta-Margaret River Local Planning Scheme No1(LPS 1) and State Planning Policy 7.3 Residential Design Codes (R-Codes) are varied as detailed within the Local Development Plan (LDP).
- 2. All other requirements of the LPS 1 and R-Codes shall be satisfied in all other matters.
- 3. If all applicable provisions of this LDP, the R-Codes, and LPS1 are satisfied, development proposals are exempted from the requirement to obtain Development Approval from the Shire of Augusta-Margaret River. However, all proposed developments must obtain a Building Permit prior to commencing construction.

### **RESIDENTIAL DESIGN CODES**

- 4. The R-Code applicable to these lots is R30-R40 as per the endorsed Witchcliffe Ecovillage Structure Plan.
- 5. The following R-Code Clauses are not applicable to these lots: 5.1.1; 5.3.2; 5.3.6; 5.3.9
- 6. The following R-Code Clauses are replaced by provisions within this LDP: 5.1.2 (C2.1, C2.2, C2.4); 5.1.3; 5.1.6; 5.2.1 (C1.1, C1.2); 5.2.2; 5.2.3 (C3.1, C3.2); 5.2.4; 5.3.1; 5.3.3 (C3.1, C3.2); 5.3.5 (C5.3); 5.3.7 (C7.2); 5.4.1 (C1.1); 5.4.4 (C4.3), 5.5.1 (C1)

### **STREETSCAPE**

- 7. Dwellings must provide passive surveillance to the public open space, secondary street and community garden where indicated on the LDP.
- 8. Direct pedestrian connections to be provided from each lot to the public open space to the north.
- 9. Primary pedestrian entry from the street cannot be via a carport (must be discrete path-way).
- 10. Visual obstructions within the Primary Street setback must be separated by at least 1m to allow the building entry to be clearly visible from the street.
- 11. Fencing within the primary street setback to be a maximum height of 1.2m.
- 12. Fencing to rear boundaries to be a maximum height of 1.2m and may include gate access to the public open space.
- 13. In order to meet the design guidelines, side fencing in certain sensitive locations (indicated as '50% visually permeable fencing' on the adjacent plan) to be a maximum height of 1.8m, with either:
- 50% visual permeability above 1.2m along its entire length, or
- maximum of 1.2m along 50% of its length

# **DESIGN ELEMENTS**

- 14. Maximum building wall plate height of 6.5m (measured at the downslope wall for a dwelling with a skillion roof).
- 15. Maximum parapet wall height of 7.5m.
- 16. Maximum roof ridge height of 9.5m.
- 17. The use of zincalume is permitted for roofs and rainwater tanks.
- 18. Visual privacy setbacks do not apply to boundaries abutting a public street, public open space or communal open space. For other boundaries, the following visual privacy setbacks apply:
- Major openings to bedrooms and studies 3m
- Major openings to other habitable rooms 4.5m
- Unenclosed outdoor active habitable spaces 6m
- 19. All lots must adhere to the requirements in the WEV Bushfire Management Plan.

# **VEHICLE ACCESS + PARKING**

- 20. No garages facing the street are allowed.
- 21. A garage with vehicle doors facing a side boundary is allowed, subject to the following parameters:
- Garage must be a discrete building separate to the primary dwelling (can be connected by covered walkway)
- · Primary dwelling must have a clear entry visible from the street
- Garage must be set back behind the Primary Street setback
- Garage must include a min. 1m2 window facing the street
- 22. Carports abutting common property must be setback 1m from the associated side boundary and have no visual obstructions above 1.2m (on the relevant side).
- 23. All dwellings can substitute one (1) required car bay for two (2) covered, designated bicycle or motorcycle bays.
- 24. On-site visitor parking is not required sufficient visitor parking is provided on-street.

# **OPEN SPACE**

- 25. The area occupied by rainwater tanks is to be included as open space in open space percentage calculations.
- 26. A minimum of 20m2 to be provided as outdoor living space.
- 27. To reduce flooding risk and damage, minimum Finished Floor Levels (FFL) are as specified on the LDP map. This is to ensure the FFL is a minimum 300mm above 1:100-year flood levels relevant to each individual lot. Specified FFLs can only be varied through a Development Approval process.

### **INCIDENTAL DEVELOPMENT**

- 28. Ancillary dwellings are permitted subject to C1 criteria (i-iv) at 5.5.1 of the R-codes (excepting references to single house/s).
- 29. Above-ground rainwater tanks are not allowed in the 'Rainwater Tank Exclusion Zone' (depicted on the adjacent plan).
- 30. Sufficient rainwater tank storage and roof area must be provided based on intended occupancy to comply with the Witchcliffe Ecovillage Residential Water Management Plan. At a minimum, plans must show

sufficient space for 37,500 litres of rainwater storage and 100m2 of roof catchment.

- 31. A minimum of 6kW of solar panels and a 6kW inverter are required to be provided for each dwelling. Indicate number of panels, kW per panel, and panel locations on roof plan, inverter size and location on site plan.
- 32. Outbuildings may not be constructed within the primary or secondary street setbacks, and must maintain a 1m setback from other boundaries. Outbuildings may be built on the boundary in two locations:

A. where it is directly associated with a carport (same structure):

- completely behind the street setback line
- boundary wall does not exceed 3m in height
- B. where it is facing onto the Exclusive Use Zone of the dwelling:
- maximum width of 3m on boundary
- 33. Service equipment for heating, cooling, or hot water storage to be placed (or screened) such that it does not visually impact the common property.

#### **APPROVAL**

34. This LDP has been approved by the Shire of Augusta-Margaret River under Part 6 - Local Development Plans of AMRSC Local Planning Scheme No1.

Shire of Augusta Margaret River MATT SLOCOMB Acting Manager Planning and Regulatory Services

24 October 2023

SIGNATURE

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