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24/01/23

Subject: Hollywood Shanty Town Archaeological Salvage - Low Impact Work submission

Dear ██████████

I refer to your submission received on 21 December 2022, requesting the determination of the scope of work detailed in Hollywood Shanty Town Site and the Wallsend/Plattsburg Tramway Archaeological Salvage (rev 4, November 2022) (the LIW Submission) as Low Impact Work and not Construction.

I note the scope of work detailed in the LIW Submission:

- has been prepared in consultation with DPE Biodiversity and Conservation Division and DPE Heritage NSW, and neither opposed the scope of work being categorised as Low Impact Work;
- involves the salvage of 10-12 demolished structures within the approved construction footprint
- requires clearing 3.8 hectares of the 4.1 hectares of PCT HU806 ‘Spotted Gum – Red Ironbark – Grey Gum shrub – grass open forest of the Lower Hunter’ already approved to be cleared
- will be undertaken for 6-8 weeks during standard construction hours.

The Department has carefully reviewed the LIW and is satisfied that it is suitable for a determination as Low Impact Work under the SSI-6888 Project Approval’s definition of Construction.

Accordingly, as nominee of the Planning Secretary, I determine the scope of work detailed in the LIW Submission to be Low Impact Work.

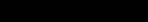
You are reminded that if there are any inconsistencies between the LIW Submission and the conditions of approval, the conditions prevail.

Please ensure you make the LIW Submission publicly available on the project website at your earliest convenience.

If you wish to discuss the matter further, please contact ██████████ ██████████ on ██████████.

Yours sincerely

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Acting Team Leader

As nominee of the Planning Secretary