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14 December 2017

Chief Executive Officer Douglas Shire Council PO Box 2358 Cairns QLD 4870

Attention: Belinda Jones

Dear Belinda,

Information Response for MCU Mixed Development At 49 Macrossan Street, Port Douglas (Planning Act)

I refer to the SARA Information Request of 1 November 2017. I am pleased to provide you with the information response for the above described application in accordance with the Development Assessment Rules and the State may now proceed with its assessment of the application.

1. Amended plans

Attached are the amended plans:

- TPG DA-100F Floor Plans
- TPG DA-101D Sections and Elevations.

2. Car parking and loading on the site

The net lettable areas have been updated:

- Shop 1 100m²
- Shop 2 55m²
- Shop 3 38m²
- Deck 35m²
- Terrace 40m²
 Total 268m²

The proposal includes 14 parking spaces, the Planning Scheme (2008) requires 16 spaces:

- 1 space per 30m² of NLA for Shops and Restaurants (9 spaces).
- 1 space per dwelling unit (7 spaces)

The new Planning Scheme (commencing 2018) requires 13 parking spaces:

- 1 space per 50m² of NLA for Shops and Restaurants (6 spaces).
- 1 space per dwelling unit (7 spaces)

The 14 parking spaces is the appropriate for the proposed mixed use, having regard to the:

- desired character of the area and level of local accessibility.
- nature of the particular use and its specific characteristics and scale
- number of employees and the likely number of visitors to the site.
- nature and frequency of transport (including shuttle buses) serving the area.







3. Commercial vehicle loading areas

No large commercial vehicles are anticipated to enter the semi basement. A loading space is provided on Macrossan Street and as with the majority of all other Macrossan Street properties can be provisioned from the street entry.

It should also be noted that this will be the smallest scale, mixed use development in Macrossan street with accompanying minimal traffic volumes. Furthermore, a town planning analysis of the 22 properties with a driveway access to Macrossan Street (see attached photos), demonstrates that:

- 1. Only three properties have double width drives of 5.5m which are the larger properties.
- 2. the remaining 19 properties have single width driveways with no provision for layby in the road reserve, out of the path of traffic to allow exiting vehicles to pass.
- 3. The proposed development provides for a queuing space in the road reserve without interruption to traffic flow whilst allowing an existing vehicle to pass.

4. Traffic and pedestrian movements

CMG Engineers Report (ref 38807R1) is attached. The report demonstrates the geometry of the driveway, parking and layby areas, together with the vehicle sweep paths allows:

- 1. Sufficient site distance is provided between the basement and the layby area.
- 2. Adequate site distance with respect to vehicles entering and exiting the site as well as pedestrian movements.
- 3. All vehicles to enter and exit the site in a forward manner. The traffic management configuration will not result in any vehicles reversing up or down the access ramp.
- 4. A turning bay in the basement carpark.

5. Bicycle parking

The attached amended floor plans (TPG DA-100H) show bicycle parking on the Deck, near the stairs. The bicycle parking is easily accessed from the terrace between shop 1 and 2. The new Scheme (2016) nominates 1 bicycle space per 100m² of GFA and outdoor dining, which is 3 spaces. The plan shows, and the site allows approx. 7 bicycle spaces.

6. On-street works and landscaping

Refer to proposal plans by TPG and CMG Engineers Report (ref 38807R1) attached.

This information response addresses the matters raised, however if you require any further information please do call me.

Yours faithfully,

Nikki Huddy **Director**

Att. 1. TPG DA-100H Floor Plans

- 2. TPG DA-101D Sections and Elevations.
- 3. CMG Engineers Report (ref 38807R1)





1 SECTION



2 MACROSSAN ST - ELEVATION
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3 SOUTH ELEVATION



4 WEST ELEVATION
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SECTIONS AND ELEVATIONS

WLP-01 49 MACROSSAN STREET DA-101D DECEMBER 2017



Report: 38807R1

ENGINEERING REPORT

Unit Development

49 Macrossan Street Port Douglas

DRAFT

For: Total Project Group

Date: 15 December 2017



The Site:

The site is currently occupied by a small timber building and carport/shed.

A survey has been undertaken by Cardo and is attached in Appendix 1.

The entire site has a medium fall from front to rear

Proposed Development:

The development is a commercial and multi-level unit complex with a basement carpark to the front of the lot. The structure will consist of reinforced concrete floors supported on reinforced concrete masonry walls.

The foundation structure will be a stiffened monolithic raft system.

Traffic:

Access to the carpark is via a driveway ramp located along the right hand side boundary. Traffic movements, parking, site lines and site distances are as shown on the plan in Appendix 2.

Due to site constraints, the driveway is single lane with a layby/queuing bay located at the top within the parking zone on the Macrossan Street road reserve and a layby area at the base of the ramp.

The geometry of the driveway, carparking and layby areas, together with the vehicle sweep paths show that:

- 1. Sufficient site distance is provided between the basement and the layby area.
- 2. In this low speed environment there is adequate site distance with respect to vehicles entering and exiting the site as well as pedestrian movements.
- 3. The traffic management configuration will not result in any vehicles reversing up or down the access ramp. All vehicles will enter and exit the site in a forward manner.
- 4. A turning bay is also provided in the basement carpark as shown on the attached sweep paths drawings.

Stormwater:

The lot is 50.5m deep with a medium fall to the rear.

The predevelopment discharge is across the rear boundary and the 1%AEP stormwater flow is 84 l/sec. The post development discharge will consist of either of two possible options.

Option 1 The roof stormwater from the front building will discharge to Macrossan Street and the remainder of the site to the rear resulting in a net flow to the rear for a 1%AEP event of 71 l/sec.



Option 2 The roof structure of both front and rear buildings discharge to Macrossan Street and the remainder of the site to the rear resulting in a net flow to the rear for a 1%AEP event of 56 l/sec.

Both options reduce the net flows across the rear boundary in the post-development state.

The roof stormwater will be collected by gutters and downpipes. The heights/geometry of the buildings allows for this system to discharge to Macrossan Street.

The remaining stormwater flows will be captured by field inlet pits as well as overland flow swales which will discharge to rubble pits located in each rear corner of the lot. These pits will be connected by a rubble drain with slotted pipes to facilitate a non-concentrated flow across the rear.

The existing development at the rear of this property has pits and gravel swales located along the rear and site boundaries which accept the pre-development flows from this upstream lot.

Sewer:

The existing council sewer will be located under the proposed building. The proposed foundations can and will be designed to bridge the existing sewer.

The foundation will consist of a stiff, monolithic raft and bored piers founded at a depth which will not impose any building/additional loading on the sewer.

A new house connection branch can be provided outside the building footprint.

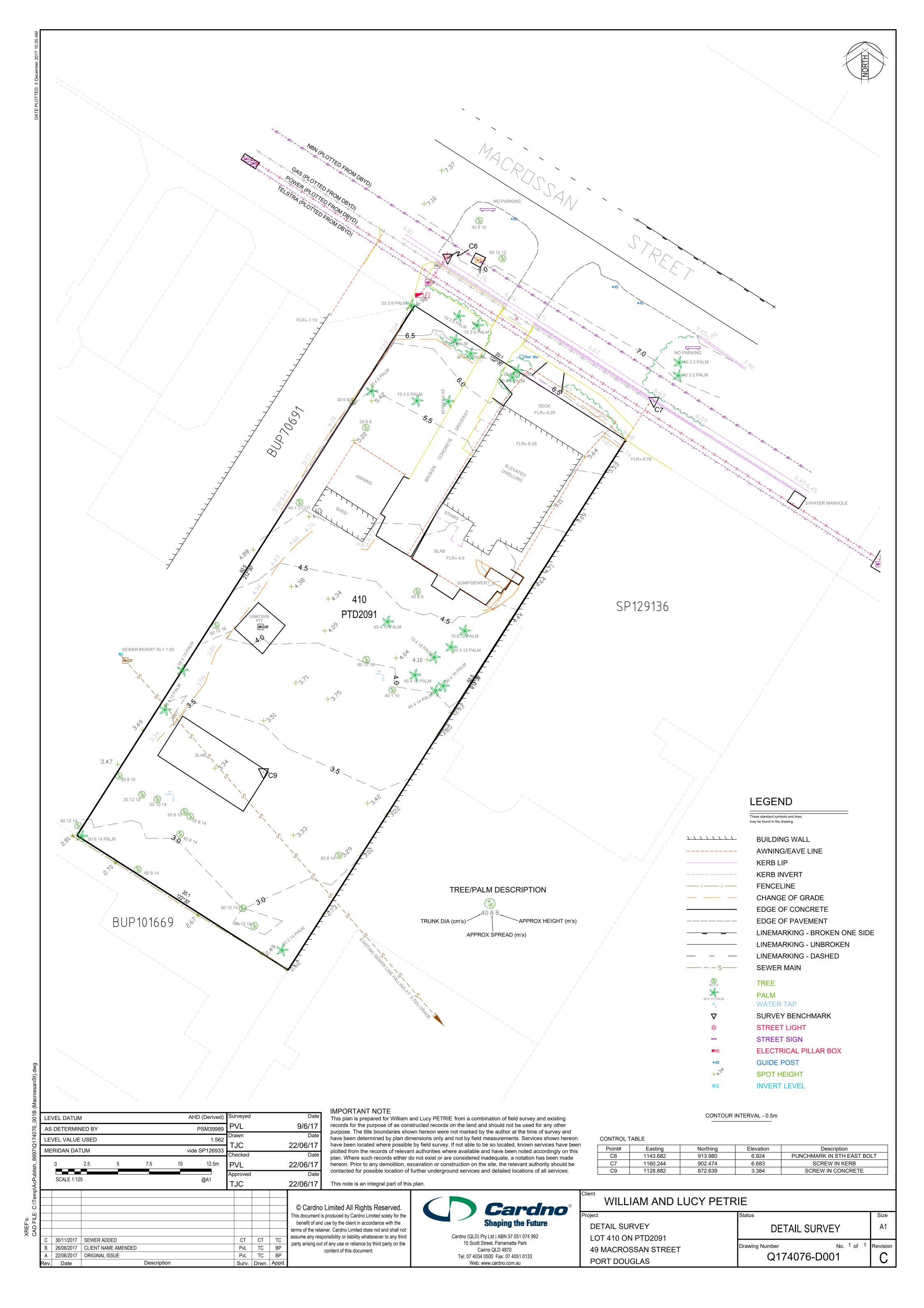
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APPENDIX 1

Survey

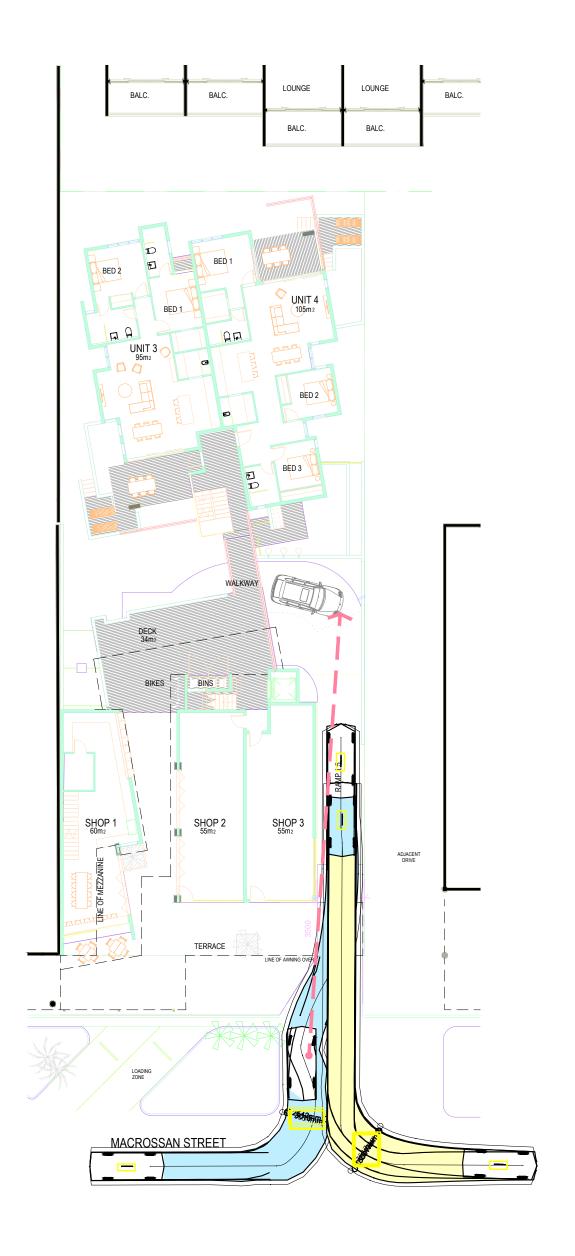


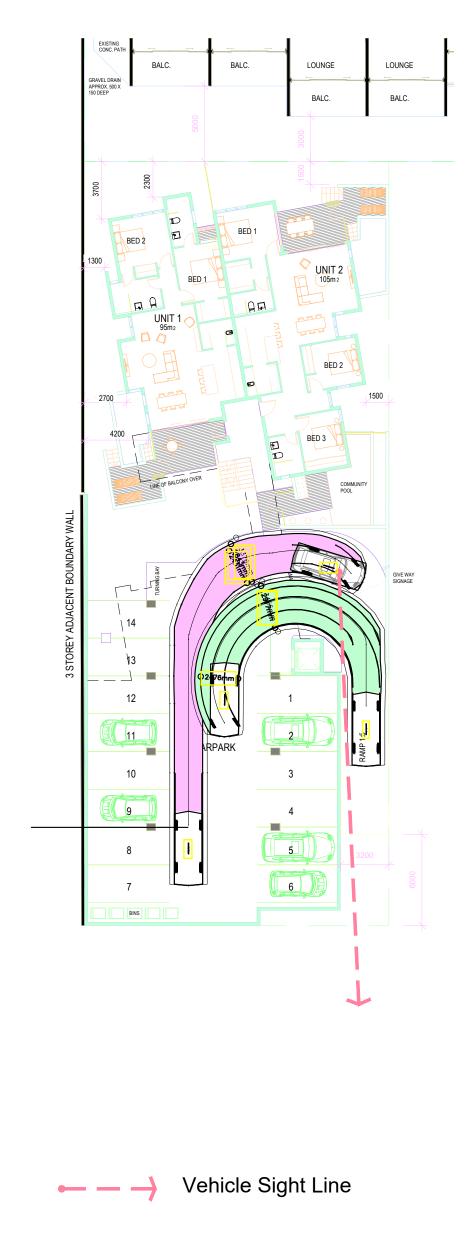


APPENDIX 2

Traffic management sweep paths and site distances

49 Macrossan Street





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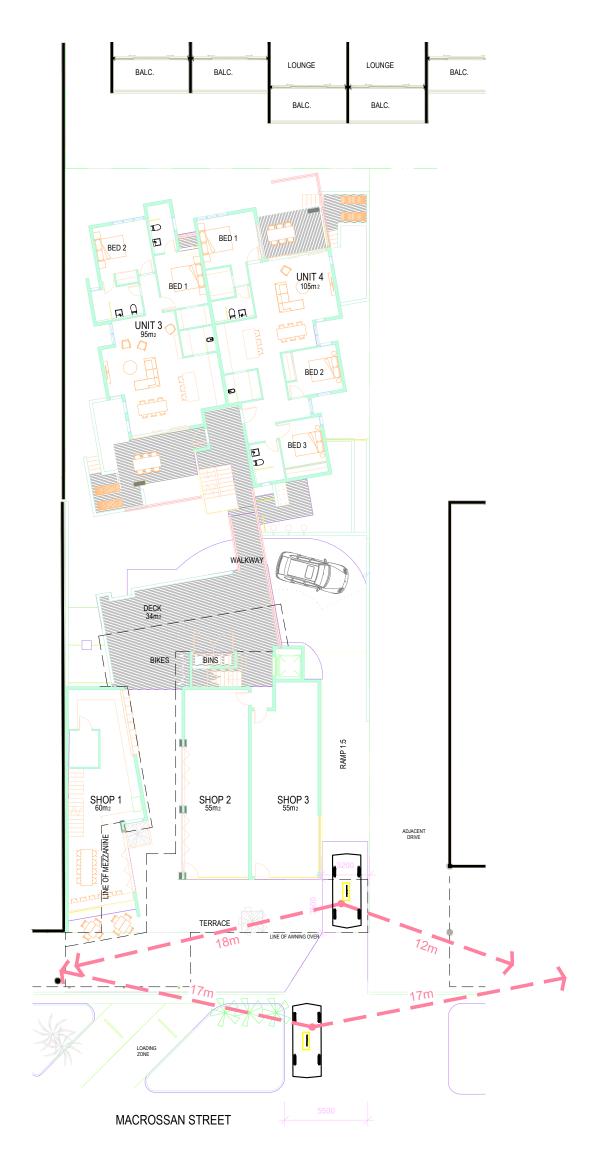
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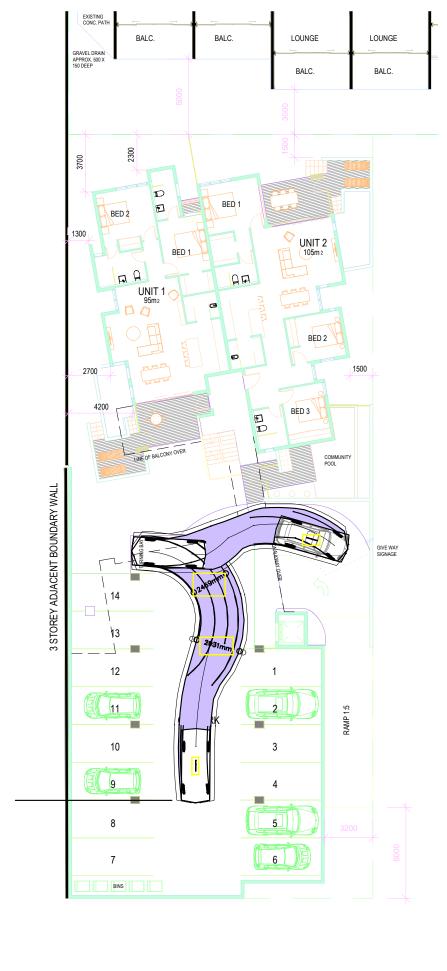
Vehicle Swept Paths

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