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**Re: MP 09_0209 Concept Plan Application for a Commercial and Ancillary
Development at 396 Lane Cove Road (32-46 Waterloo Road) and 1 Giffnock
Avenue, Macquarie Park**

Attention: Shivesh Singh

Dear Mr Woodland,

Thank you for your letter of 1 December 2010 about the proposed commercial and ancillary development at 396 Lane Cove Road and 1 Giffnock Avenue, Macquarie Park. Sydney Water has reviewed the proposal and provides the following comments for the Department's consideration.

Water

The existing water system has capacity to service the proposed development. The developer will need to design and construct an extension to the available 200 mm water main on the western side of Lane Cove Road.

The extensions will need to be sized and configured according to the Water Supply Code of Australia (Sydney Water Edition WSA 03-2002). Evidence of Code compliance should be attached with the extension design.

Wastewater

The existing wastewater system has capacity to service the proposed development. The developer will need to design and construct an extension to the available 225 mm wastewater main.

The extension will need to be sized and configured according to the Sewerage Code of Australia (Sydney Water Edition WSA 02-2002). Evidence of compliance should be attached with the extension design.

Recycled Water

Sydney Water is conducting a feasibility study for the provision of a Recycled Water Scheme for the Macquarie Park area. The most effective water servicing strategy for the precinct is still being investigated, with detailed discussion with stakeholders continuing as new issues arise throughout this process.

Sydney Water has not committed to providing recycled water to developments within the Macquarie Park Corridor. The developer should not rely on the provision of a Sydney Water recycled water scheme to achieve any Green Star ratings.

Any requirements for recycled water connection will be assessed when the developer applies for a Section 73 Certificate.

Trade Waste

All customers discharging trade waste into Sydney Water's wastewater system must have written permission from Sydney Water. The trade waste requirements help Sydney Water discharge or reuse wastewater while protecting the environment and meeting regulatory requirements.

Sydney Water will either issue the customer a trade waste permit or enter into a trade waste agreement. A trade waste permit must be obtained before any discharge can be made to the sewer system. The permit is also needed for site remediation purposes. Applications for a trade waste permit can be made to Sydney Water at the Section 73 Certificate application stage. For further information refer to the Sydney Water website.

Sydney Water Servicing

Sydney Water will further assess the impact of the development when the proponent applies for a Section 73 Certificate. This assessment will enable Sydney Water to specify any works required as a result of the development and to assess if amplification and/or changes to the system are applicable. The proponent must fund any adjustments needed to Sydney Water infrastructure as a result of any development.

The proponent should engage a Water Servicing Coordinator to get a Section 73 Certificate and manage the servicing aspects of the development. The Water Servicing Coordinator will ensure submitted infrastructure designs are sized & configured according to the Water Supply Code of Australia (Sydney Water Edition WSA 03-2002) and the Sewerage Code of Australia (Sydney Water Edition WSA 02-2002).

Sydney Water requests the Department to continue to instruct proponents to obtain a Section 73 Certificate from Sydney Water. Details are available from any Sydney Water Customer Centre on 13 20 92 or Sydney Water's website at www.sydneywater.com.au.

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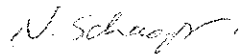
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- Section 62 consultations under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
- consultations where Sydney Water is an adjoining land owner to a proposed development

- Major Project applications under Part 3A of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979
- consultations and referrals required under any Environmental Planning Instrument
- draft LEPs, SEPPs or other planning controls, such as DCPs
- any proposed development or rezoning within a 400m radius of a Sydney Water Wastewater Treatment Plant
- any proposed planning reforms or other general planning or development inquiries

If you require any further information, please contact Sonia Jacenko of the Urban Growth Branch on 02 8849 4004 or e-mail sonia.jacenko@sydneywater.com.au

Yours sincerely,



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