

Local Planning Panel

27 November 2024

Application details

Address: 93 Wigram Road, Glebe

Application: D/2024/288

Applicant/Owner: Hossam Nabulsi

Planner: Strategic Approvals

Architect: NLAS Designs

Proposal

Alterations and additions including:

- demolition of existing rear wing and the construction of two storey addition
- new car space

Recommendation

approval subject to conditions

Proposal



front of dwelling



rear of dwelling

Reason reported to LPP

Application is reported to the LPP for determination due to departure from height of buildings development standard

- Height control 6m
- Maximum height 7.9m

Notification

- exhibition period 1 May 2024 to 16 May 2024
- 153 owners and occupiers notified
- no submissions received

Site











site viewed from Wigram Lane





rear courtyard

rear elevation

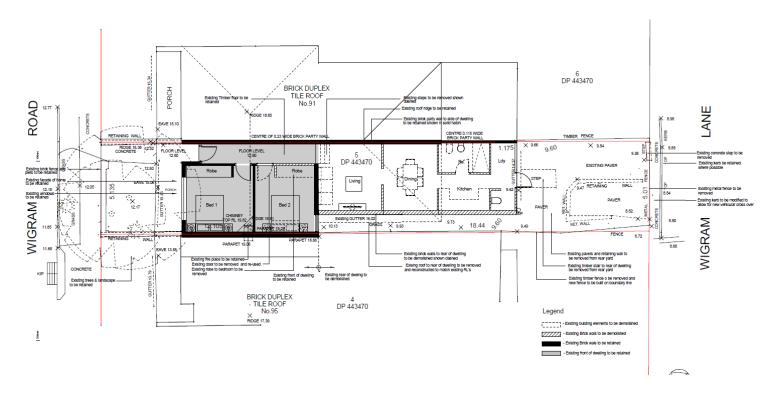


91 Wigram Road courtyard

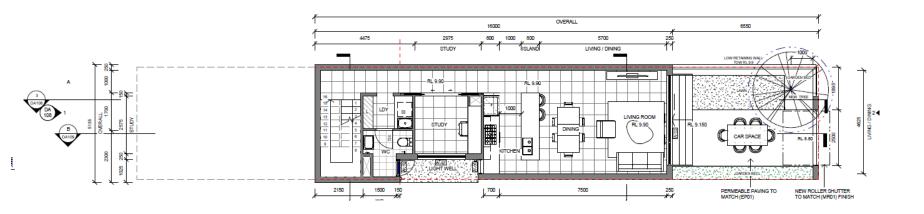


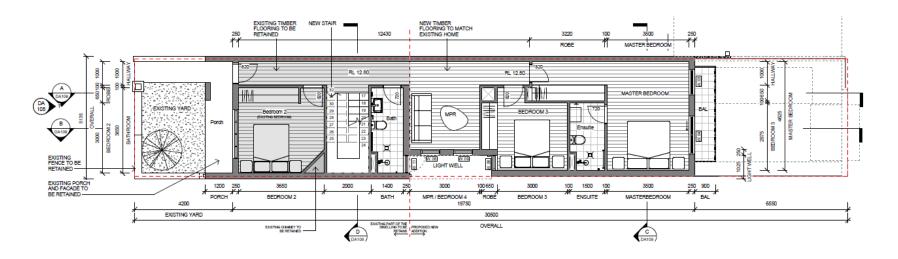
95 Wigram road courtyard

Proposal

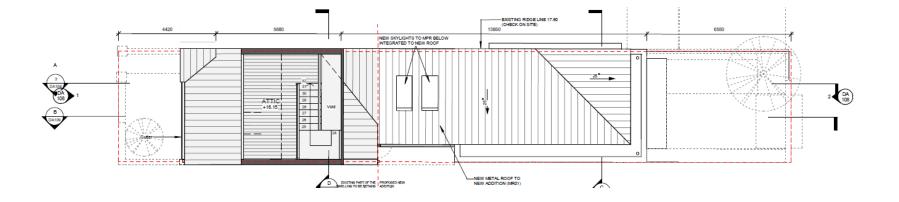


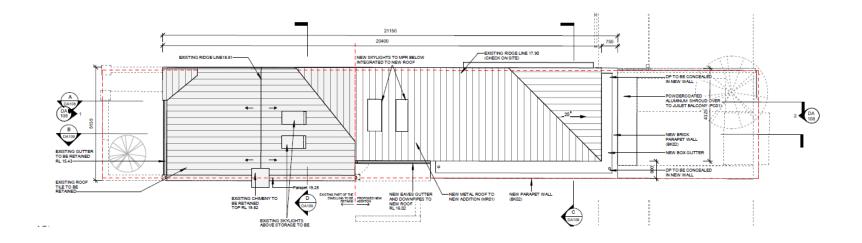
demolition

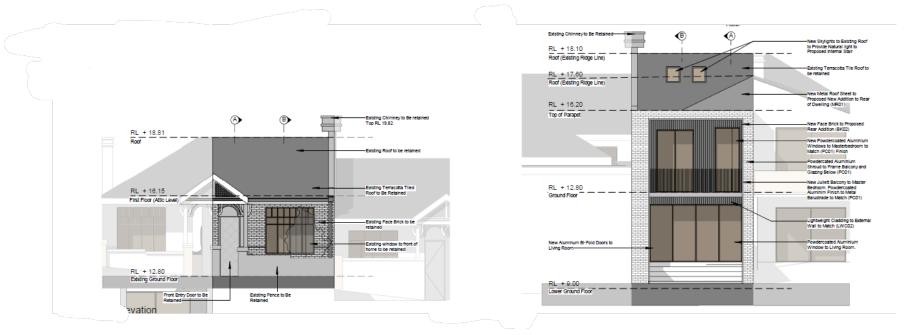




ground floor

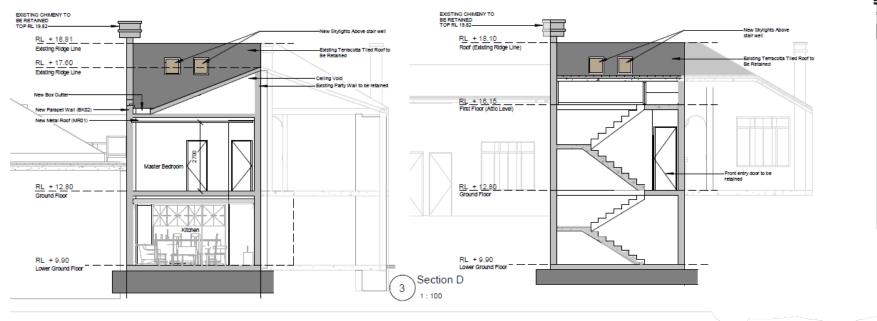






north (front) and south (rear) elevations





short sections

FP 01

PF 01

New Face brickwork to rear

BK2

PC 01

LWC 02

MR 01



Monument





rear of dwelling



aerial view





Compliance with key LEP standards

	control	proposed	compliance	
height	6m	7.9m	no	
			clause 4.6 supported	
floor space ratio	1:1 155.1sqm	0.99:1m 154sqm	yes	

Compliance with DCP controls

	control	proposed	compliance
height in storeys	1	2	no
solar access	minimum 2 hours to 50% (8sqm) of private open space	between 1.9sqm and 5.5sqm for subject and neighboring sites	no
balconies, verandas and decks	to be avoided at the rear and side of a dwelling	1 x first floor rear balcony	no

Issues

- height non-compliance
- flooding
- solar access
- rear balcony

Height

- new addition lower than existing maximum building height of 9.4m
- land falls by 3.6m from front to rear
- new addition not visible from Wigram Road
- bulk and scale in keeping with surrounding context/approval adjacent
- will not result in unreasonable amenity impacts
- clause 4.6 variation request supported

Flooding

- site is flood affected
- submitted flood report recommends a flood planning level (FPL) of 1% AEP + 0.3m (9.90m AHD)
- City's flood policy seeks a FPL of 1% AEP + 0.5m (1.10m AHD)
- proposed FPL acceptable as:
 - minor part of site is affected at rear, risk to property
 - same as that approved adjacent
 - 1.10m ADH would require reduced floor to ceiling height for living room of 2.4m or increased height of addition with step(s) at ground floor

Solar access

- subject site and neighbouring properties do not receive a minimum
 8sqm solar access to private open space
- non-compliance is considered acceptable due to site context:
 - rear yards for all sites are to the south and at lowest part of the sites
 - calculations include shadows from recently approved DA at 91
 Wigram Road

Rear balcony

- balconies are to be avoided at rear of a dwelling
- proposed balcony is considered acceptable as:
 - overlooking partially mitigated by screening on both sides
 - precedence within the immediate context. (nos. 89 and 91 Wigram Road, and 57 Hereford Street)

Recommendation

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