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Agenda item title: *	5 Curran St Nth Melbourne
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Lord Mayor and Councillors City of Melbourne GPO Box 1603 MELBOURNE VIC 3001 26 February 2021

Dear Lord Mayor and Councillors

Future Melbourne Committee – 2 March 2021 Agenda Item 6.1 – 5 Curran Street, North Melbourne (TP-2020-357) Demolition of a building within a Heritage Overlay and construction of a three storey apartment building with a basement car park

Tract Consultants acts on behalf of *Mainstone 8 Pty Ltd* in relation to the above matter which is due to be considered by the Future Melbourne Committee (FMC) on 2 March 2021.

#### The Proposal

The application seeks to demolish an existing dwelling and construct a three storey apartment building with a basement car park. The building will include:

- · one dwelling with one bedroom,
- · two dwellings with two bedrooms,
- · eight dwellings with three bedrooms and;
- one four bedroom dwelling,

The proposal therefore comprises a total of 12 dwellings (an uplift of 11 dwellings from existing conditions).

It is noted that the existing dwelling is a triple fronted brick dwelling from the post war era and is not graded (nor considered a contributory building) under the City of Melbourne's Heritage Places Inventory February 2020.

#### **Architecture**

MGS Architecture has developed an architectural response to the site which both celebrates and respects its setting within a streetscape containing several heritage buildings. In particular, it provides an orderly transition from the contributory dwelling to the east (3 Curran Street) to the 1960's style, four storey, walk up apartment building block to the west (7 Curran Street).

The building includes a large setback to 3 Curran Street, with a two storey interface to reflect the height of the roof form at 3 Curran Street. It then increases in height (assisted through a sloping roof, as well as the use of lightweight metal cladding at the third storey) moving west towards 7 Curran Street. The separate entrances to the ground floor dwellings at the front of the site also reflect the typical frontages of the attached terrace housing in the broader area. Heavy use of red brick at the lower two floors also reflects the traditional use of masonry materials in the surrounding area.

In terms of setting, the proposal has been designed to reflect the garden characteristics reflected in North Melbourne. It has a maximum site coverage of 59.7% and a garden area of 35% and provides well sized front, side and rear setbacks. John Patrick Landscape Architects have prepared a comprehensive Landscape Plan for the proposal, which proposes extensive canopy tree planting in these areas, as well as a variety of groundcovers and shrubs.

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#### <u>Planning</u>

The proposal has been designed to achieve a high level of compliance with the relevant planning controls, whilst still responding to the site context (and paying particular regard to its location with a Heritage Overlay). More broadly, the proposal provides further housing diversity within the local area through the provision of generous, family sized apartments, whilst ensuring no unreasonable amenity impacts to surrounding properties.

The application was lodged with Council in May 2020, with pre–application discussions occurring in March 2020. The project team then worked extensively with the City of Melbourne, particularly the Urban Design department, to ensure that the design detail of the proposal was supported by all parties. This is reflected through the positive officer report and small number of conditions requiring changes in the recommended Notice of Decision (NOD).

The proposal was advertised through August and September 2020, with public submissions lodged with the City of Melbourne (noting that 12 letters of support were also received during this time). A comprehensive response to these items was prepared and lodged with the City of Melbourne and circulated to all submitters.

#### Contribution to the surrounding area

Should this application be approved, it will contribute positively to the character of the North Melbourne environs.

The provision of a high quality building designed by an award winning architectural practice, will assist in complementing the surrounding heritage precinct, whilst also providing a screening effect from the Curran St streetscape to the adjoining 1960's apartment building at 7 Curran Street. Likewise, the addition of extensive planting along the streetscape, as well as a 'little library' for community use, will enhance the pedestrian experience to the front of the site.

The construction of the proposal will also create short term employment within the local area. Post completion, it will provide much needed family sized apartments to the surrounding area.

#### **Conclusion**

The proposal before the FMC is a high quality architecturally designed building which will contribute positively to the surrounding precinct, is highly consistent with the relevant planning controls, has no unreasonable amenity impacts to surrounding residents and provides for housing diversity in the local area.

Given the above, we respectfully request that this planning permit application be approved by the Future Melbourne Committee, subject to the conditions outlined in the Delegate Report.

Tract, MGS Architecture and Mainstone will be lodging requests to speak at the FMC meeting and would be happy to answer any questions that Councillors may have in relation to the proposal.

Yours sincerely

Daniel Soussan Senior Principal Town Planner Tract dsoussan@tract.net.au

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Agenda item title: 5 Curran Street

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The developer is to be congratulated for creating a development which will enhance the quality of Curran Street. Many residents in and around Curran Street support this application and it seems to meet all the planning requirements of the Planning rules. The developer has also maintained excellent communication with residents of the street. It is unfortunate when people are given lies and misleading information in order to gain objectors to a plan such as this, because this behavior undermines the importance of facts and have for years had to live with appalling decisions of both the council and VCAT so when a plan such as this one is produced, the least I expect is for residents to support the application and to appreciate how fortunate we are to have a development of this quality in our street.

I look forward to the application being approved and the project commencing.

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Kate Ritchie

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**Agenda item title:** Item 6.1 5 Curran Street planning permit application

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41 objections is a large number for a small suburban street; we hope that the newly formed council will note the strong feelings in the local community about this proposal.

We have raised two relatively minor points with the developer multiple times and if they were to address these points we would be happy to withdraw or not follow through any action at VCAT if it becomes necessary.

#### The points were:

- 1. the basement projection is above 1.2 metres meaning the building should be categorised as 4 storey and not compliant with the 3 storey limit, if they were to drop the basement down slightly this would solve this problem and also the height of the building being more that is mandatory (the building is 1 metre more than the permitted 11m under GR7.
- 2. Set back from Curran Street. Again a small issue that they have refused to address. The set back should be pushed back 1.5 metres (there is plenty of space to do this) in order to match the heritage house at #3 and our house at #1.

By pushing the setback 1.5 metres further, both of the above problems would be solved. Job done!

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Name: \*

anne McPherson

Email address: \*

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Agenda item title: AGENDA ITEM 6.1 - TP2021-357 - 5Curran St North Melbourne

Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting. Submissions will not be accepted after 10am.

Re: 5 Curran Street North Melbourne, TP 2020-357

I write to formally support the above Application for the redevelopment of 5 Curran Street.

Like many other residents in Curran and nearby streets, I am very impressed with this high-quality project. In my opinion it is a benchmark of good design, is responsive to the site and appears compliant with the Planning Scheme including height controls and provision of open space. It recognises the importance of the Heritage Overlay with the design respectful to the character and appearance of the streetscape and surrounding area.

The Applicant has consulted with residents extensively and maintained excellent written communication throughout the development of this Application.

I believe the Application should be strongly supported by the Council.

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Submission for tomorrow if not already received
Planning Application TP-2020-357 is to be considered at the Future Melbourne meeting on 2nd March. Attached is a letter putting forward my explanations on why I believe you should reject this application.
cheers
Rick Gardner

#### Planning Permit Application: TP-2020-357

#### Proposed development at 5 Curran Street North Melbourne

#### **Dear Councillor Hakim**

I am writing to you to ask you to reject this planning application in its current form because it breaches planning regulations on 2 counts

- Set back lines
- Restriction of sunlight.

I would also like to draw your attention to anomalies in the plans regarding the design of the parking spaces.

I am the joint owner of 15/7 Curran Street, a 2-bedroom, second floor unit to the west of the proposed development. The kitchen and lounge room widows on this apartment face east (over 5 Curran Street). The only other windows in habitable rooms are the bedrooms which face south and therefore receive no direct sunlight.

#### **Set back Lines**

The plans have totally omitted the set-back line (Standard A10 and B17) to the west of the property. When applied they will clearly show that the proposed plans breach this regulation.



Set-back as shown on plans:

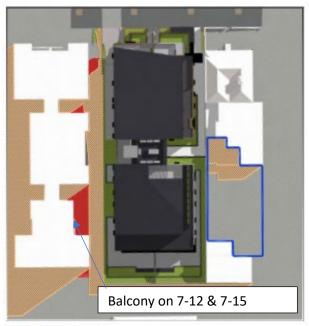
Set back applied to both sides of site.

# **Restriction of Sunlight**

Standard A14 and B21 states

'If a building is to be constructed on an allotment and the existing amount of sunlight to a recreational open space on an adjoining allotment is less that 5 hours between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. on 22 September, the amount of sunlight to that area must not be further reduced by the construction of the building.'

The shadow diagrams from the plans show that the sunlight to the balconies on 7-12 & 7-15 Curran St show that they receive less than 4 hours of sunlight after 9 a.m.



9:00 Spring equinox



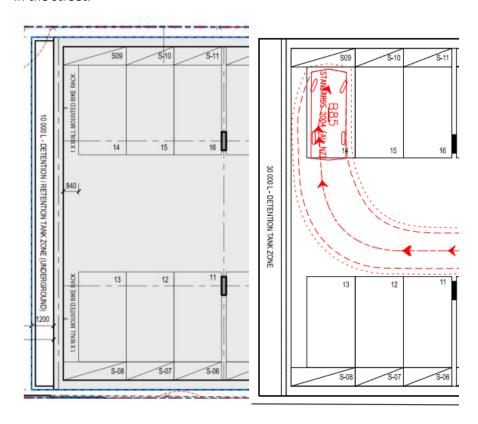
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The new construction will block sunlight from 6 am to 9 a.m. to the balconies which are private open spaces.

# **Parking spaces**

The technical report submitted with the plans shows the turn-in and turn-out of cars into the parking spaces. (Not included in the report to council).

The entry and exit paths in and out of space 14 are shown in Appendix A, and in both manoeuvres, the car enters the area to the south of the car parking space. In the plans this area is identified as a bike rack. Therefore spaces 13 and 14 are not accessible with a car, and the site has only 19 car parking spaces. This will affect the ability of residents form parking their cars resulting in car parking in the street.



I therefore ask you to reject these development plans is their current form.

Regards

Rick Gardner

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Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit <u>by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting</u>. We encourage you to make your submission as early as possible.

- We are long term residents of Little Curran Street, North Melbourne and support incremental growth and improvements in our area.
- We consider the proposed development to be attractive and beneficial to North Melbourne. We like the use of red brick and the proposed landscaping in the setback. This building should make a positive contribution to the street once complete.
- We are considering downsizing and a modern apartment as offered by the development allows us to stay in North Melbourne, to "age in place". We love this area with its excellent access to the city, medical precincts and Royal Park and hope to be able to stay here.
- · In previous applications to build our home, our experience is that the Staff and Management of the Planning

Department of City of Melbourne is very experienced and very competent and should be given full support by those councillors on the committee.

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Re: : TPM-2020-18 582-590, 592, 594-598, 600-608 Elizabeth Street and 277-283 Queensberry Street, Melbourne

Melbourne Heritage Action objects to this application for dealing the heritage of the site in only a minimal way, and in particular completely demolishing a graded building.

While none of the buildings on the site are architecturally outstanding, the three facing Elizabeth Street are part of the Elizabeth Street North Heritage Precinct which focusses on the industrial heritage of this boulevard stretch. Two of them are graded Significant, and the third Contributory.

Therefore we would expect at the very least that these frontages would be retained.

However only the corner building and adjacent Moderne one are being retained, and even then only to the extent of facades, with new construction behind small setbacks.

We do not agree with Council's heritage advisor that the loss of one is acceptable in order to improve urban design outcomes – in fact the four storey podium portion that would replace it is out of scale with the two storey streetscape, composed largely of heritage buildings.

Rather than retaining only two buildings (facades only), it would be far preferable to at least retain the facades of all three.



The three buildings create a fine streetscape.

We note that of all of them, the Significant corner building is almost the least interesting – the Significant Moderne façade at 594-598 Elizabeth Street is by contrast the most interesting. This features brickwork of at least two possibly three types and colours, and an interesting built in clock.

The façade of the Contributory building at 590-592 Elizabeth Street is also of some interest as a bold pedimented composition, with remnant Victorian cornice and vermiculated end pieces, showing that the building is older than many in the precinct.

Some leeway may be given within the project by retaining only the facades of all three buildings, rather than the 'front or principle portion' of 8-10m that the new Heritage Guidelines clearly state as a goal.

There should however at least be a larger setback behind the retained facades of the corner building – while it is over 8.5m on one side, its is only 5.1m on the more important Elizabeth Street side. This is only for one level, with lesser setbacks above that, which makes the setback level redundant because it will not be visible in views from the street.

The design could easily be reconfigured to retain these heritage elements, while also allowing for any ground level entries or shopfronts, since these are already altered. This would maintain the low level heritage streetscape of this part of Elizabeth Street, which would provide a fine context for the new project.

Kind regards,

Rohan Storey Vice -President **Melbourne Heritage Action**  Thanks for that Jordan, when sending links would you be able to send them to both Tim Jackson (cc'd) and Jamie, our two speakers.

@Tim Jackson, see info below for this evenings meeting.

# **JACK ALLWORTH**

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Good Afternoon,

I was just hoping to request a second speaking time slot for our architects at Jackson Clement Burrows.

Kind Regards,

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#### Good Afternoon,

In relation to the request to speak made below, would you be able to forward Jamie Govenlock (cc'd) the meeting link which he can speak on.

Thanks,

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# Good Afternoon,

I was just wanting to schedule in 3 minutes of speaking time tomorrow for Jamie Govenlock of Urbis to discuss this item at the FMC.

Thanks,

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Chris Thrum

Email address: \*

Date of meeting: \* Tuesday 2 March 2021

Agenda item title: 6.3 Melbourne Vacant Shops

Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting. Submissions will not be accepted after 10am.

Dear City of Melbourne

Thanks to the City of Melbourne for their support of the fashion industry with Melbourne Fashion Week. Thanks also to management and officers for the support of the music industry with Melbourne Music Week (MMW) and Melbourne Music Week Extended.

MMW was a brilliant idea and a great success. People feel that it should continue, after the maximum impact of MMW a sustained MMW Ex--tended is an idea of merit.

MMW and MMW Ex--tended are now very recognised brands, and the Musos and music industry will support with vim and vigor further iterations of this great music festival.

City of Melbourne should consider utilising one of its properties as a MMW Showcase, where pop up shows on a stage can occur at lunchtime and between 4 to 6 PM.

Workshops could occur there as well. A living and breathing space for the Musos and audience to interface, a place for outside radio broadcasts. A place for info on gigs around town, a MMW hub, 365 days a year.

Best regards

Chris Thrum

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# Hi

Thank you for your time on the phone. As advised was uploading this document for the tonights meeting when the MCC website refreshed and our submission was lost.

Given the importance of these Agenda items on the City I am hoping that the Council is in a position to accept and consider the documentation as part of the meeting.

Would be happy to make a verbal submission in support.

Kind regards Wayne Coles-Janess

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# Agenda item 6.4 & Agenda item 6.3.

Submission for inclusion into the Future of Melbourne Committee deliberations:

There seems to be considerable resources from State and Local Government to Retail and Hospitality Sectors, which have been shut down and heavily impacted by the lockdowns.

- 1. Can the Melbourne City Council plan packages to support diverse businesses and activities in the heavily impacted City and CBD areas?
- 2. Can the Melbourne City Council ensure that all businesses, ratepayers and landlords have equal and equitable access to support schemes?
- 3. Will the Melbourne City Council allocate a significant part of the funds to ALL impacted businesses in the City, including "social enterprises, creative and not for profits".
- 4. What schemes is the Melbourne City Council planning to develop to support existing businesses in the CBD that have not received any of the State or Local Government previous allocations?
- 5. Can Melbourne City Council ensure that a diversity of local suppliers be engaged to assist in the recovery of the CBD and other areas? Will a register of local suppliers be established?

As we now know some businesses (Retail Chains, etc) have experienced significant growth and profit duration the COVID -19 period.

6. Does the Melbourne City Council have figures on the number of Business that have received State and Local Government Support and are no longer operating?

We hope that the Melbourne City Council will work to assist all sectors and businesses within the City with equitable support.

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Name: *	Sarah Marsden
Email address: *	
Date of meeting: *	Tuesday 2 March 2021
Agenda item title: *	Free parking for Moomba weekend.
Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting. Submissions will not be accepted after 10am.	I wish to strongly object to the free parking proposal. This is a waste of ratepayers money on a polluting and inefficient transport mode that destroys the city. It is also grossly unfair on the vast majority of people who don't drive to the city. Will the council also pay money to everyone who catches public transport, walks or rides too? Or is it only interested in subsidising the small minority of motorists?
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Name: *	Timothy Clifford
Email address: *	

Date of meeting: \* Tuesday 2 March 2021

Agenda item title: \* Free parking for Moomba weekend

Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting. Submissions will not be accepted after 10am.

Greetings,

I am writing in response to the "Free parking for Moomba weekend" agenda item.

As a resident of the CBD (50 Bourke Street) I would like the committee to be working towards a city with less cars not more.

While I'm all in favour for encouraging people to attend Moomba, focusing this effort on cars and parking is misguided, particularly given our current environmental challenges.

The suggestion for discounted/free public transport makes far more sense.

Or why not close off some of the roads which lead into the festivities and convert these into pedestrian / cycling streets for a few days? More space for people, markets, music, food stalls...

Lastly, the submissions seems to incorrectly suggest that 157,000 free parking vouchers being issued resulted in additional people to visit the city over this period. This is a perfect example of correlation rather than causation. This proves only that people would prefer not to pay for parking when given the chance.

Cities are for people, not for cars.

Thank you for your time.

Tim Clifford

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Name: *	Claudia Marck
Email address: *	
Date of meeting: *	Tuesday 2 March 2021
Agenda item title: *	7.1
Please write your submission in the space provided below and submit by no later than 10am on the day of the scheduled meeting.  Submissions will not be accepted after 10am.	Instead of focusing resources and efforts on providing free parking for the Moomba long weekend, I would suggest we focus our resources on getting people to use active transport to get to and around our city. This will benefit our health, environment, air pollution, and economic recovery. Getting people confidence to ride and walk will have many benefits for the future of our city and its residents and businesses.
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