

7 <u>PROPOSED COMPULSORY ACQUISITION OF 4 STATION STREET,</u> <u>OFFICER</u>

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RECOMMENDATION

That:

- 1. Council acquire part of the land at 4 Station Street Officer, in accordance with the Officer Precinct Structure Plan and Officer Development Contribution Plan, by compulsory acquisition pursuant to the Land Acquisition and Compensation Act 1986, and
- 2. The CEO be authorised to agree to the compensation payable and sign all documentation associated with the acquisition of the property

Attachments

- 1 Subdivision Plan 3 Pages
- 2 Development Contribution Plan 1 Page

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Officers require endorsement to commence the process to purchase part of the property at 4 Station Street Officer by compulsory acquisition.

BACKGROUND

Officers have been attempting, over a period of 12 months, to contact the land owner ('Owner') to negotiate the purchase of part of the property shown as R1 on the attached plan of subdivision ('Property') which is required for road widening and intersection upgrade in accordance with the Officer Precinct Structure Plan ('PSP') and Officer Development Contributions Plan ('DCP') at the intersection of Princes Highway, Station Street and Tivendale Road.

The Owner, which is a registered Company, has not responded to any request for them to contact Officers to discuss the matter. Correspondence has been sent to the postal address registered to the Property in Council's Property and Rating records, the postal address registered to the Company and the address noted on the Certificate of Title for the property.

The State Government has committed funds to Council to upgrade eight Princes Highway intersections. Officers are responsible for ensuring the land required for such upgrades is in Council ownership. The Property is the only outstanding land parcel required for the Princes Highway, Station Street and Tivendale Road intersection, as agreement has been reached with all other property owners.

Planning Officers currently have an application to apply a Public Acquisition Overlay to the Property, along with other properties required within the Officer PSP, however, as the area of land required is



less than 10% of the overall property and is valued at less than 10% of the total property value. Council is able to commence the compulsory acquisition process in accordance with the Land and Acquisition Compensation Act 1986 without requiring the Public Acquisition Overlay to be applied. The declaration of the Public Acquisition Overlay may take some time and Officers wish to proceed as quickly as possible with the acquisition of the Property to ensure that there are no delays to the intersection upgrade project.

POLICY IMPLICATIONS

The Officer PSP and Officer DCP has established the requirement for the Property, namely Project Number DI_TM_LA28 in respect of PSP Property ID 282.

RELEVANCE TO COUNCIL PLAN

The following key vision statement articulated by "Our Vision" in the Cardinia Shire Council Plan 2017 underpins the purchase of this land 'Cardinia Shire will be developed in a planned manner to enable present and future generations to live, healthy and productive lives and to enjoy the richness of the diverse and distinctive characteristics of the shire.'

The relevant Council Plan objective is that 'We continue to plan and manage the natural and built environment for future generations". The objective is to be achieved through balancing the needs of development, the community and the environment.

CONSULTATION/COMMUNICATION

Officers have attempted to communicate with the owner without success.

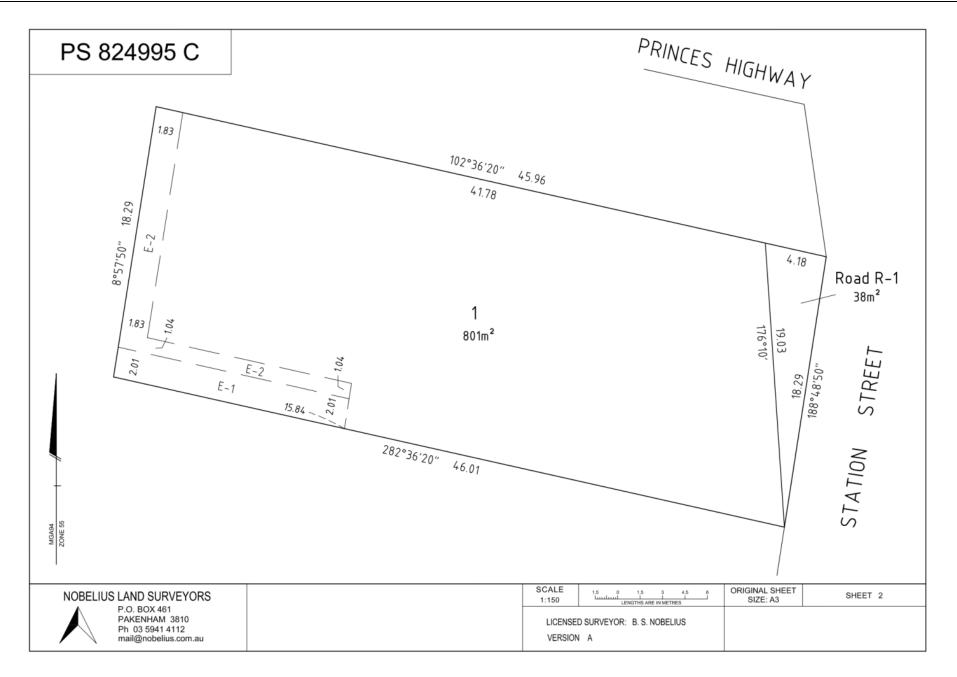
FINANCIAL AND RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

The 2019/2020 DCP valuation of the Property is \$900 per square metre, making a total of \$34,200 for 38 square metres required for road. This will be the rate to commence negotiations and compensation will be determined in accordance with the Land Acquisition and Compensation Act 1986

CONCLUSION

In accordance with the Officer PSP and Officer DCP Council is required to acquire the Property in order to facilitate road and intersection upgrades. Officers are seeking authority to carry out the acquisition of the Property by a compulsory process in accordance with the Land Acquisition and Compensation Act 1986 and the Chief Executive Officer be authorised to negotiate compensation payable.

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