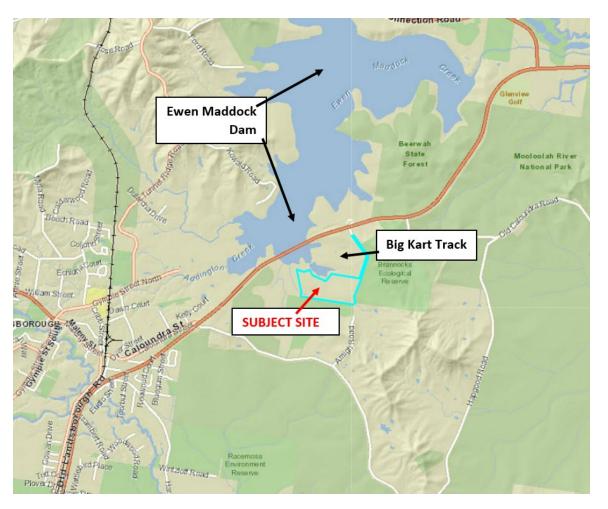
Ordinary Meeting October 2021

Item 8.1
2312 Steve Irwin Way LANDSBOROUGH
Development Permit for Material Change of Use of
Premises to Establish Animal Keeping

Locality Plan





Zone Map

Subject Site is **Rural Zone**

Surrounding Area is predominantly Rural Zone and Environmental Management and Conservation Zone





Proposal

- Dog Breeding and Boarding the combined total of breeding and boarding dogs is 108 dogs (excluding puppies):
 - Dog breeding up to 60 adult dogs (excluding puppies)
 - Dog boarding up to 48 dogs
- Cattery up to 20 cats (boarding only)

Stage 1 - Proposed Breeding Kennels -40 pens, 20 runs with 60 dogs maximum Stage 2 Proposed Boarding Kennels/Admin/Office – 24 Kennels each with enclosed grassed yard, 2 large grassed outdoor run areas, 48 dogs maximum SITE PLAN PROPERTY DESCRIPTION FIRST PROPOSED ANIMAL KEEPING age LISA HOWLETT SUED FOR PLANNING APPROVA

Changes to Proposal

Revised Proposal	Original Proposal
Combined total of <u>breeding and</u> <u>boarding dogs</u> was 108 dogs (excluding puppies)	Combined total of <u>breeding and</u> <u>boarding dogs</u> was 260 dogs (excluding puppies)
 Dog breeding – up to 60 adult dogs (excluding puppies) 	 Dog breeding – up to 60 adult dogs (excluding puppies)
 Dog boarding – up to 48 dogs 	 Dog boarding – up to 200 adult dogs
Cattery – up to 20 cats (boarding only)	Cattery – up to 20 cats (boarding only)



Public Notification

- Publicly notified for 15 business days between 3 June and 24 June 2020
- The application received a high level of public interest
- Estimated up to 400,000 submissions were received however many of the submissions were blocked by Council's system
- Due to the volume of submissions (properly and not properly made) Council requested relief from the Planning and Environment Court
- As a result of the Court judgement, it was agreed that there were 104 properly made submissions and 3,988 not properly made submissions
- Additional judgement requirement to notify Oscar's Law once a decision had been made for this application



Key Assessment Considerations

Land Use and Planning Scheme

- "Animal Keeping" is a "potentially consistent use" within the Rural zone
- Animal Keeping is described in the planning scheme as a "rural activity"
- The development application complies with the requirements of the *Sunshine Coast Planning Scheme 2014*

Animal Welfare

- Animal welfare concerns are not a planning consideration relevant to the assessment of the application
- Matters relating to animal welfare are regulated by the Queensland Government through other legislation



Key Assessment Considerations

Acoustics

- An external acoustic specialist (MWA Environmental) was engaged to review application material
- MWA Environmental have recommended support for the application subject to conditions such as but not limited to:
 - Operating hours for drop off and pick up 7am to 6pm (unless otherwise by appointment for out of hours)
 - Hours of use of outdoor run areas 7am to 6pm
 - Dogs to be housed within kennel buildings with external façade elements closed (6pm to 7am)
 - Limit the number of dogs in each common dog run to 5 animals per play area at the one time and to be supervised by staff at all times
 - 2.5 m high acoustic barriers as shown on the plans
 - Kennel buildings to be designed and constructed to specific acoustic requirements



Referral Agencies

<u>Department of State Development, Infrastructure, Local Government and Planning (SARA) - Concurrency Agency</u> approved the development subject to conditions for:

- Stormwater management
- Steve Irwin Way upgrade including right and left turn treatments

<u>Seqwater - Third Party Advice Agency</u> recommended approval subject to conditions including:

- setback a minimum of 400m to the Full Supply Level of Ewen Maddock Dam
- setback a minimum of 50m to any Stream Order 1-3 watercourses on or near the subject site

RSPCA - Third Party Advice Agency identified no objection to the proposed development

Recommendation

That Council APPROVE this application for a Development Permit for Material Change of Use of Premises to Establish Animal Keeping, subject to reasonable and relevant conditions provided in Appendix A

Thank you.



See council's website for further details www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au