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## Tweed Development Control Plan
Section B23

## HASTINGS POINT LOCALITY BASED DEVELOPMENT CODE

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- Town house or dual occupancy - Part 6.3.2 (pg.196)
- Residential flat building - Part 6.3.3 (pg.206)

**STEP 05**
Refer to design resources in Part 07, with specific reference to building and landscape design ideas which covers building form, materials and colour as well as preferred landscape species.
1.1 Preface

Since 2006, Tweed Shire Council have been undertaking a number of planning studies addressing key issues and locations in the Shire, which will contribute to a comprehensive review of the Tweed Local Environmental Plan 2000 and the Tweed Development Control Plan 2008. The Hastings Point Locality Based Development Code (“the Code”) is a component of this wider exercise and is intended to provide the framework for managing growth and development in Hastings Point over the next 25 years.

Figure 1.3 identifies the boundary of the Hastings Point locality under this Code.

The Code has been prepared on the basis of extensive analysis and stakeholder input in regard to a wide range of issues, including traffic and transport, community facilities, retail, urban development, built form, landscape and environmental protection, as well as streetscape and public domain issues.

Based on those findings, the Code provides policy guidance in relation to a number of key strategy areas; these include:

- **Urban structure**: Illustrating the broad pattern of land use and interrelationship of activities.

- **Open space and public domain**: Strategies for the development of private land and directions for improvements to public areas such as parks and streets.

- **Precinct areas**: Strategies, objectives and controls to guide development and management of land in Hastings Point.
Figure 1.2 Locality Based Development Code Implementation

This Code combines both elements of the planning process so that the regulatory component has a strong strategic focus, justification and relevance as well as detailed design guidance. Figure 1.2 illustrates the relationship between the Locality Based Development Code and the various implementation mechanisms.
1.2 Preliminaries

1.2.1 The Purpose of this Locality Based Development Code

This section of the Tweed Development Control Plan has been prepared in accordance with Part 3 Division 6 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 (“the Act”) and with Part 3 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000.

This Plan is part of a strategic framework for guiding the future development of the Hastings Point locality and represents the most detailed level of the strategic framework.

This Plan provides more detailed provisions to expand upon the statutory requirements of the Tweed Local Environmental Plan 2000 and 2014 (TLEP) for development within the Hastings Point locality that will:

- Provide guidance on the growth and future character of Hastings Point;
- Protect and enhance public domain, open space and environmental areas, and
- Guide the development of Hastings Point residential areas.

Under Section 79C of the Act, the consent authority is required to take into consideration the relevant provisions of this Code in determining an application for development within the identified Hastings Point locality area.

1.2.2 Name of this Code

This Section is called “Section B23 – Hastings Point Locality Based Development Code” of the Tweed Development Control Plan 2008, herein often referred to as ‘The Code’ or ‘Code’.

1.2.3 Land and Development Covered by this Code

The controls and guidelines identified within this Section of the Tweed DCP apply to development on land within the area bounded by the red line described in Figure 1.3 of this Code.
PART 01 - INTRODUCTION

Figure 1.3 Hastings Point Locality Based Development Code Boundary
This Code applies to all development on land situated within the boundary illustrated above.
1.2.4 Relationship to other Documents

The Tweed Local Environmental Plan (TLEP) is the principal environmental planning instrument applying to the Hastings Point Locality. This Section of the Tweed DCP contains detailed provisions that supplement the provisions of the TLEP. If there is any inconsistency between this Section of the Tweed DCP and the TLEP, the TLEP shall prevail to the extent of that inconsistency.

A Residential and Tourist Development Code (Tweed DCP Section A1) has been prepared by Council to apply to all forms of residential and tourist development within the Tweed Shire area. Section A1 is based on “building typologies” and is not site specific. This Section of the Tweed DCP has been developed specifically to apply to the conditions, opportunities and constraints present within the Hastings Point locality. This Section may therefore provide for particular development types that differ to those covered by the Residential and Tourist Development Code.

Where an inconsistency arises between this Section and the Residential and Tourist Development Code, this Section will prevail to the extent of that inconsistency. Where this Section is silent in regard to a particular issue, the provisions of the Residential and Tourist Development Code will apply.

The various technical policies, guidelines and codes of Tweed Shire Council also apply to the area of this Code in the manner they were originally intended. In some instances however, the particular circumstances of the Hastings Point locality have warranted an alternative approach to those requirements. Where an inconsistency arises between this Section and Council’s various technical policies, guidelines and codes, this Section will prevail to the extent of that inconsistency.

This Code is intended to establish a strategic direction for the study area. Some of the strategic objectives of the study area may not necessarily be consistent with the current land use provisions of Tweed LEP 2000 and 2014. Where inconsistencies occur, the land will need to be considered for rezoning in accordance with the provisions of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

1.2.5 Planning Provisions Repealed

This DCP repeals page 2 of the Area Specific Development Controls of the Tweed Development Control Plan 2008, Section A1 – Residential and Tourist Development Code, as it relates to the “area specific controls” for Hastings Point. The reason for the repeal is that the adoption of the Hastings Point Locality Based Development Code satisfies the ‘review period’ requirement of the abovementioned area specific controls, which were in-force pending the completion of this Plan.
1.2.6 How to use this Section of the Tweed DCP

This Development Code, which is part of Tweed DCP 2008 is comprised of 7 parts:

1. Introduction - This part identifies the boundaries, purpose and the relationship of the Code to other controls within the existing planning framework.

2. Hastings Point in Context - This part provides an overall picture of existing conditions and statutory strategic planning framework for the Hastings Point Locality.

3. Vision for Hastings Point - Details the overarching vision and its key strategies. The theme's discussed in this part affect the whole of the locality and detail existing conditions.

4. Precinct Plans - The particular opportunities, constraints, character and values of each precinct within the Hastings Point locality are given particular emphasis. This Part provides controls specific to each precinct.

5. Visual Settings - identifies key view fields within the locality and defines the key characteristics of those view fields. Development within the identified view fields would need to demonstrate that the key characteristics of the defined view field would not be compromised.

6. Building Type Controls - Provides detailed objectives and controls for developments based on the building type proposed. This section ties in closely with the Residential and Tourist Development Code, Part A1, Tweed DCP. Design Controls that have been superseded are provided in this document, where a Design Control has not been superseded refer to Part A1.

7. Design Resources - This section provides non-statutory information on detailed building and site design issues to provide an additional level of information on how developments can be tailored to suit Hastings Point. It also provides a plant species list and constraints maps.
1.2.7. Code Preparation

The following diagram provides a summary of the plan preparation process.