 VICTORIAN CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

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| planning and environment LIST | vcat reference No. P792/2020  Permit Application no. TPA/50755 |

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| **Applicant** | Sherry Chen |

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| **Responsible Authority** | Monash City Council |

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| SUBJECT LAND | 27 Eva Street CLAYTON VIC 3168 |

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| DATE OF ORDER | 23 April 2021 |

# Order BY CONSENT

1. In application P792/2020 the decision of the responsible authority is set aside.
2. In planning permit application TPA/50755 a permit is granted and directed to be issued for the land at 27 Eva Street CLAYTON VIC 3168 in accordance with the endorsed plans and the conditions set out in Appendix A. The permit allows:

* Construction of four (4) double storey dwellings.

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| Jane Tait  **Member** |  |  |

# ReMARKS

1. This order is made at the request of the parties and with their consent.
2. The Tribunal regards the consent of the responsible authority to be a confirmation to the Tribunal that:

* the responsible authority is of the opinion that the permit is appropriate having regard to the matters it is required to consider under section 60 of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987* (**Act**), including the balanced application of the strategies and policies of the Monash Planning Scheme (**Planning Scheme**) and is otherwise in conformity with the provisions of the Planning Scheme and the Act;
* the proposed orders will not result in any change to the proposed development which would materially affect any person other than the parties to the proceeding.

1. Based on the information available to the Tribunal, I consider it is appropriate to give effect to the settlement reached by the parties pursuant to section 93(1) of the *Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 1998*.

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| Jane Tait  **Member** |  |  |

# Appendix A – Permit Conditions

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| Land | 27 Eva Street CLAYTON VIC 3168 |

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| What the permit allowS |
| In accordance with the endorsed plans:   * Construction of four (4) double storey dwellings. |

## Conditions

### Amended Plans

1. Before the development starts, plans drawn to scale and dimensioned must be submitted to and approved by the responsible authority. When approved, the plans will be endorsed and will then form part of the permit. The plans must be generally in accordance with the plans submitted with the application but modified to show:
   1. The existing street tree on Gentle Street will be removed and two trees installed by the Council at the cost of the developer prior to the occupation of the development.
   2. The provision of six (6) canopy trees around the subject site including two in the frontage setback facing Eva Street and one in each of the secluded open space areas of Dwellings 1-4.
   3. A corner splay or area at least 50% clear of visual obstructions (or with a height of less than 1.2 metres), which may include adjacent landscaping areas with a height of less than 0.9 metres, extending at least 2.0 metres long x 2.5 metres deep (within the property) both sides or from the edge of each vehicle crossing to provide a clear view of pedestrians on the footpath of the frontage road.

All to the satisfaction of the responsible authority.

### No Alteration or Changes

1. The development as shown on the endorsed plans must not be altered without the prior written consent of the responsible authority.

### Common Boundary Fences

1. All common boundary fences are to be a minimum of 1.8 metres above the finished ground level to the satisfaction of the responsible authority. The fence heights must be measured above the highest point on the subject or adjoining site, within 3 metres of the fence line.

### Landscaping

1. Before the commencement of buildings and works, a landscape plan prepared by a Landscape Architect or a suitably qualified or experienced landscape designer, drawn to scale and dimensioned must be submitted to and approved by the responsible authority prior to the commencement of any works. The plan must show the proposed landscape treatment of the site including:-
   1. the location of all existing trees and other vegetation to be retained on site
   2. provision of canopy trees with spreading crowns located throughout the site including the major open space areas of the development
   3. planting to soften the appearance of hard surface areas such as driveways and other paved areas
   4. a schedule of all proposed trees, shrubs and ground cover, which will include the size of all plants (at planting and at maturity), their location, botanical names and the location of all areas to be covered by grass, lawn, mulch or other surface material
   5. the location and details of all fencing
   6. the extent of any cut, fill, embankments or retaining walls associated with the landscape treatment of the site
   7. details of all proposed hard surface materials including pathways, patio or decked areas

When approved the plan will be endorsed and will then form part of the permit.

### Tree Protection

1. No building material, demolition material or earthworks shall be stored or stockpiled under the canopy line of any tree to be retained during the construction period of the development hereby permitted.

### Landscaping Prior to Occupation

1. Before the occupation of the buildings allowed by this permit, landscaping works as shown on the endorsed plans must be completed to the satisfaction of the responsible authority and then maintained to the satisfaction of the responsible authority.

### Drainage

1. All stormwater collected on the site from all hard surface areas must not be allowed to flow uncontrolled into adjoining properties or the road reserve.
2. The private on-site drainage system must prevent stormwater discharge from the/each driveway over the footpath and into the road reserve.
3. All stormwater collected on the site is to be detained on site to the predevelopment level of peak stormwater discharge. The design of any internal detention system is to be approved by Council’s Engineering Department prior to drainage works commencing.
4. The nominated point of stormwater connection for the site is to the south-east corner of the property where the entire site's stormwater must be collected and free drained via a pipe to the 300 mm Council drain in the easement via a 900 x 600 mm junction pit to be constructed to Council standards. Note: If the point of connection cannot be located then notify Council's Engineering Department immediately.

### Road Infrastructure

1. All new vehicle crossings must be a minimum of 3.0 metres in width and constructed in accordance with Council standards.
2. All vehicle crossings within 1.50 metres of an adjoining crossing shall be converted to a double crossing in accordance with Council standards.
3. All new vehicle crossings are to be no closer than 1.0 metre, measured at the kerb, to the edge of any power pole, drainage or service pit, or other services. Approval from affected service authorities is required as part of the vehicle crossing application process.
4. Any works within the road reserve must ensure the footpath and naturestrip are to be reinstated to Council standards.

### Permits

1. Engineering permits must be obtained for new or altered vehicle crossings and new connections to Council pits and these works are to be inspected by Council's Engineering Department. A refundable security deposit of $1,000 is to be paid prior to the drainage works commencing.

### Completion of Buildings and Works

1. Once the development has started it must be continued and completed to the satisfaction of the responsible authority.

### Permit Expiry

1. This permit will expire in accordance with section 68 of the *Planning and Environment Act 198*7, if one of the following circumstances applies:

* The development has not started before two (2) years from the date of issue.
* The development is not completed before four (4) years from the date of issue.

In accordance with section 69 of the *Planning and Environment Act 1987*, the responsible authority may extend the periods referred to if a request is made in writing before the permit expires, or within six months of the permit expiry date, where the development allowed by the permit has not yet started; or within 12 months of the permit expiry date, where the development has lawfully started before the permit expires.

**– End of conditions –**