

Aboriginal Heritage Management Plan [AHMP] SCH1/MCCCC - SSD Conditions

The AHMP has been prepared for the John Holland Group, Main Works contractors to NSW Health Infrastructure for the proposed works.

The AHMP has been prepared in accordance with SSD 10831778 conditions and prior to obtaining the Construction Certificate for the proposed works and the commencement of any part of the development.

1.0 Background

1. MDCA have advised NSW Health Infrastructure that archaeological monitoring of the stage Stage 1 remediation and enabling works are required for the lowering of Hospital Road and adjacent Delivery Drive and Eurimbla Road, located between the POW Hospital and the University of NSW at Randwick.

This monitoring program is partially completed. The proposal is further detailed in a 2019 addition to an earlier Aboriginal Assessment report and is titled Appendix C “Incorporating additional information on the ASB SSD expansion” of the 2018 MDCA ACHAR which accompanied the EIS. Appendix C has identified and described the Aboriginal cultural values that may exist across the site and how they may be managed.

*Refer : Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment Report. New Acute Services Building for The Prince of Wales Hospital, Randwick NSW. Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists. 2018 Report to NSW Health Infrastructure. **Appendix C.***

2.0 Management Requirements Update [June 2022]

2. No further archaeological monitoring or subsurface archaeological investigation is required for deep excavation along Eurimbla Road.
3. Further archaeological monitoring is required for the completion of the lowering of Hospital Road and Delivery Drive. The previous monitor in this area included partial monitoring of a deep trench for an electrical service along the northern fall of the dune spur apex on Hospital Road.
4. The previous deep archaeological investigations across the Acute Services Building (ASB) and the SCH1/MCCCC site (SSD 10831778), have reported¹ on discovered Aboriginal cultural remains and characterised the archaeological potential across these areas. **No**

¹ MDCA 2022 in prep.



further subsurface archaeological monitoring or deep excavations are required in these areas.

3.0 Current Management Requirements

5. The John Holland Group adopt and apply an unexpected finds protocol including a human burial discovery protocol throughout the course of development works.
6. continued consultation with the Aboriginal Stakeholders namely the LaPerouse Local Aboriginal Council [LaPLALC] on a weekly basis unless unexpected finds are unearthed in which case they should be notified immediately.

4.0 Methods

7. Results of the proposed monitoring along Hospital Road and the Delivery Drive monitoring will be shared by the two disciplines of archaeology and the LaPLALC.
8. An induction must be provided to the **onsite** John Holland Group team members concerning the importance of the Aboriginal cultural history of the area, and the nature and significance of any material as may be uncovered during Stage 2 excavation works, the subject of this Plan.
9. The unexpected finds protocol is to be presented to John Holland Group Staff and construction workers by formal inductions and be repeated if required by changing personnel
10. **see attachment 1 Unexpected Finds protocol**
11. **see attachment 2 Burial Finds Protocol.**

5.0 Reporting

12. Reports will be prepared on the Aboriginal Cultural and archaeological heritage and provided to NSW Health Infrastructure, Department of Planning Industry and Environment [DPIE] and the LaPLALC on the progress of the development and whether finds have been made.
13. Any finds will be available to the LaPLALC for repatriation.

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Attachment 1 Unexpected Finds Protocol

UNEXPECTED FINDS PROTOCOL

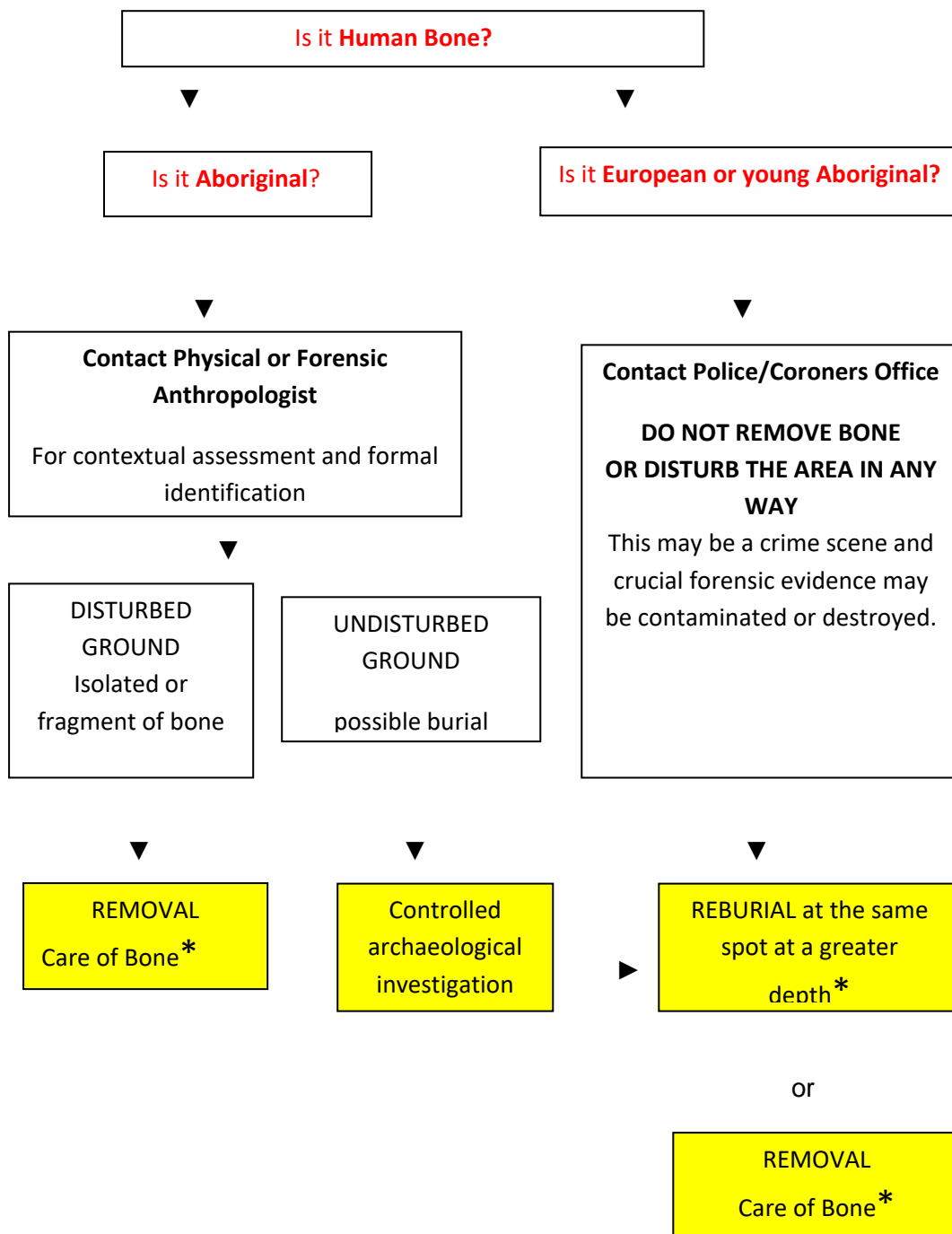
Unexpected Find items can include a potential Aboriginal burial site [Grave Cut, isolated bone or accompanying burial paraphernalia] or item of heritage or archaeological significance including unidentified bone fragments, non-local or brought in stone material, stone artefacts or, geomorphological anomalies [not expected at this site]. Unexpected finds items can also include archaeological relics including pottery, fragments of structures, bottles etc.

1. Cease work in the area immediately if a potential item has been discovered.
2. Contact the Site Manager, Construction Manager or EHS Coordinator immediately
3. Erect barricades to isolate the immediate area and prevent entry. Establish a buffer of 10m between the item and the barrier (as a minimum where possible)
4. The appropriate regulatory authorities/specialist will be notified as soon as possible. A suitably qualified archaeologist and the registered Aboriginal representative must be contacted to determine significance of the objects. If suspected historic heritage an archaeological assessment and management strategy may be required before further works can continue as determined in consultation with Heritage NSW
5. No person is to enter the barricaded area unless expressly permitted by the specialist Heritage Advisor/NSW Heritage/ Archaeologist. A clearance certificate or approval should be given in writing prior to entry. Sampling / inspection of the find is to be carried out by the specialist/authority as advised by the John Holland Group Construction Manager.
6. The nominated specialist Heritage Advisor/NSW Heritage/ Archaeologist in liaison with John Holland Group Construction Manager and senior site personnel and/or relevant authorities will determine if further management actions are necessary based on an available information.
7. If determined to be of significance or identified as a New aboriginal Object the site is to be registered in the Aboriginal heritage Information Management System, including management outcomes.
8. Consultation must be carried out with the Aboriginal community representatives, the archaeologists, and Heritage NSW as relevant to develop and implement management strategies. All permits to carry out additional actions are to be obtained prior to the commencement of any new works and the nominated specialist/authority must provide written clearance approval. It should be noted such approval may require an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit [NSW Heritage AHIP]. Works may only recommence with the written approval of the Planning Secretary
9. The barricade may then be removed, and work activities may resume under the direction of the John Holland Construction Manager and the Specialist Heritage advisor and NSW Heritage.
10. Construction works may then re-commence.



Attachment 2 Burial/Bone Find Protocol

Chart showing steps to follow when bone is uncovered.



* These procedures to be determined by LaPerouse LALC