# What matters Manningham?





## Have Your Say Amendment C96



Manningham Council has prepared Amendment C96 to the Manningham Planning Scheme and is seeking feedback on proposed changes to planning controls.

The amendment applies to all land currently affected by the planning overlay DDO8 (Schedule 8 to the Design and Development Overlay).

There are maps on the Council website that shows individual properties and the respective sub-precincts. These maps may be viewed on www.manningham.vic.gov.au/consultation

#### Why is Amendment C96 required?

The purpose of Amendment C96 is to **tighten the existing DDO8 controls** to provide clearer guidance on the form and scale of development that is encouraged along designated Main Roads and around existing shopping centres.

Use of the current controls has shown that they do not always provide sufficient decision criteria to effectively guide future development, and at times result in a form of development that is greater in scale than what was originally anticipated or intended by Council.

Amendment C96 is also in response to community submissions to the recently adopted Manningham Residential Strategy (2012) that outlined concerns about the scale and design of residential buildings being built in DDO8 areas.

#### **Amendment C96 will:**

- Focus apartment style development along main roads through the introduction of a new sub-precinct, referred to as the 'Main Road sub-precinct' over part of the land presently in sub-precinct A;
- Provide a stronger impetus for developers to consolidate land in sub-precinct A that will allow greater side setbacks, more open space and landscaping to minimise negative impacts on the neighbourhood; and
- Provide greater clarity and certainty for residents, designers and decision-makers.



## Proposed Key Changes Main Road sub-precinct

This is an area where three storey (up to 11 metres) 'apartment style' development is encouraged on consolidated lots with a minimum area of 1800m². The requirements will not be mandatory, allowing applications to be considered on their merits. This may result in 'apartment style' developments with a height that exceeds 11 metres, where the other design objectives have been met. The planning controls in this sub-precinct have the greatest flexibility of all the sub-precincts and are similar to the current controls.

#### **Sub-precinct A**

This is an area where two storey dwellings (9 metres) and three storey (11 metres) 'apartment style' development are encouraged. C96 **introduces two mandatory (compulsory) controls.** This will mean that a building can only be built to 11 metres in height if it is on a lot of 1,800m² or more. These mandated requirements will allow for greater side setbacks, more open space and landscaping and provide a more attractive appearance in the streetscape.

If the site is less than 1,800m², a building can be no higher than 9 metres, or 10 metres if on sloping land. Whilst Council's policy encourages two storey dwellings within 9 metres, (or 10 metres on sloping land) it should be noted that a three storey building could still be achieved within the specified height limit, but would be at a smaller scale.

#### Sub-precinct B

This is an area where only single storey and two storey 'townhouse style' development will be considered. Amendment C96 introduces a mandatory (compulsory) requirement for maximum building height of 9 metres or 10 metres if the site is on a slope. No minimum lot size is specified. While Council's policy encourages two storey dwellings within 9 metres, (or 10 metres on sloping land) a three storey building could still be designed within the specified height limit, but the objectives of the overlay and Council policy would discourage this.

#### How to find out more information

For more information about how Amendment C96 may affect you, please call:

Council's Economic and Environmental Planning Unit on 9840 9133 or 9840 9467,

visit the Manningham Civic Centre at 699 Doncaster Road, Doncaster, Manningham libraries.

or visit the Manningham website www. manningham.vic.gov.au/consultation

Alternatively, you may wish to book an appointment to attend a 'face to face session' (20 minute sessions), where Council officers can spend more time with you discussing the amendment and clarify any other related matters.

### 'Face to Face' Session will be held on:

24 July 2012	9.00 am - 4.00 pm
25 July 2012	5.00 am - 9.00 pm
7 August 2012	9.00 am - 4.00 pm
9 August 2012	5.00 am – 9.00 pm

in the Heide Room, Manningham Civic Centre, 699 Doncaster Road, Doncaster.

Please call 9840 9129 to book to attend a session.

## How to tell us what matters to you

Any submission you wish to make about this amendment should be in writing and must be sent to:

Vivien Williamson
Manager Economic and Environmental
Planning
Manningham City Council
PO Box 1
Doncaster Vic 3108

or emailed to eepadmin@manningham.vic.gov.au

## Submissions must be received by 5.00 pm, 17 August 2012

4 July 2012

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