Lawson Precinct Map and Code
Lawson Precinct Code

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Introduction

Name
The name of this code is Lawson Precinct Code.

Application
The code applies to the Division of Lawson.

Purpose
This code provides additional planning, design and environmental controls for specific areas or blocks and may also contain references to provisions in other codes.

In conjunction with other relevant codes it will be used by the Authority to assess development applications and offer guidance to intending applicants in designing development proposals and preparing development applications.

Structure
This code contains additional rules and/or criteria for particular blocks or parcels identified as areas RCn on the precinct map, to be read in conjunction with the relevant development code. It may also contain sub-parts.

Each element has one or more rules and, unless the respective rule is mandatory, each rule has an associated criterion. Rules provide quantitative, or definitive, controls. By contrast, criteria are chiefly qualitative in nature.

In some instances rules are mandatory. Such rules are accompanied by the words “This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.” Non-compliance with a mandatory rule will result in the refusal of the development application. Conversely, the words “There is no applicable rule” is found where a criterion only is applicable.

Code hierarchy
Under the Planning and Development Act 2007, where more than one type of code applies to a development, the order of precedence if there is inconsistency of provisions between codes is: precinct code, development code and general code.

If more than one precinct code applies to the site, the most recent precinct code takes precedence to the extent of any inconsistency.

Definitions
Defined terms, references to legislation and other documents are italicised.

Definitions of terms used in this code are listed in part 13 of the Territory Plan or, for terms applicable only to this code, associated with the respective rule.

Acronyms
EPA ACT Environment Protection Authority
ESA ACT Emergency Services Agency
**Additional rules and criteria**

This part applies to blocks and parcels identified in the Lawson Precinct Map (RCn). It should be read in conjunction with the relevant zone development code and related codes.

**RC1 – Lawson residential estate**

This part applies to blocks and parcels identified in area RC1 shown on the Lawson Precinct Map.

**Element 1: Building heights**

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<td><strong>1.1 Number of storeys</strong></td>
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<td>R1</td>
<td>The following rule applies to area A in Figure 1: The minimum number of storeys for buildings in this location is 2. This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</td>
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<td><strong>1.2 Building heights</strong></td>
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<td>R2</td>
<td>The following rule applies to the hatched area as shown in Figure 2. No part of any building is to extend above RL620 except in the area between east of the historic windbreak and south east of Reservoir Hill where no part of the dwelling may extend beyond RL625. This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</td>
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**Element 2: Vehicular access**

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<td><strong>2.1 Vehicular access</strong></td>
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<td>R3</td>
<td>No vehicular access is permitted to buildings in places as indicated in Figure 1. This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</td>
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Figure 1
Figure 2
Other ongoing provisions

This part applies to blocks and parcels identified as ongoing provisions (OPn) in the Lawson Precinct Map. It should be read in conjunction with the relevant zone development code and related codes.

OP1 – Lawson residential area

This part applies to blocks and parcels identified in area OP1 shown on the Lawson Precinct Map.