

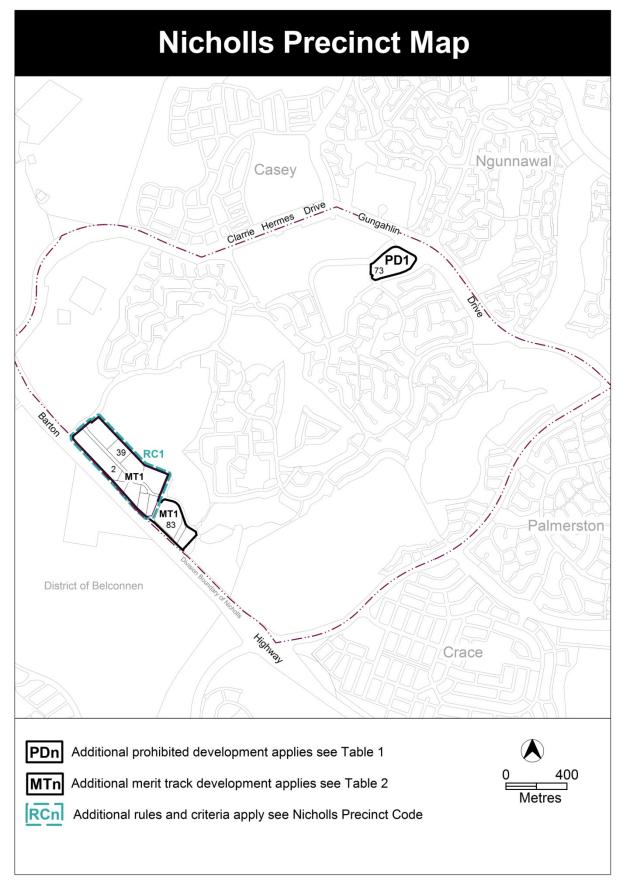


Environment and Sustainable Development

Nicholls Precinct Map and Code

10.1 Suburb Precinct Maps and Codes

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10.1 Suburb Precinct Maps and Codes Nicholls Precinct Map Effective: 14 December 2012 Authorised by the ACT Parliamentary Counsel—also accessible at www.legislation.act.gov.au The following tables identify the additional prohibited development and additional merit track development for blocks and parcels shown in the Nicholls Precinct Map (identified as PDn or MTn). Development that is exempt from requiring development approval, other prohibited development and the minimum assessment track applicable to each development proposal is set out in the relevant zone development table.

The following tables constitute part of the relevant zone development table.

Table 1 – Additional prohibited development

Additional prohibited development				
Suburb precinct map label	Zone	Development		
PD1 CFZ	CEZ	retirement village		
	UFZ	supportive housing		

Table 2 – Additional merit track development

Additional merit track development that may be approved subject to assessment		
Suburb precinct map label	Zone	Development
MT1	CZ6	service station

Nicholls Precinct Code

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Introduction

Name

The name of this code is Nicholls Precinct Code.

Application

The code applies to the Division of Nicholls.

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 ACTPLA	Planning and Land Authority within the ACT Environment and Sustainable Development Directorate	
EPA	ACT Environment Protection Authority	
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- ESA ACT Emergency Services Agency
- ESDD ACT Environment and Sustainable Development Directorate
- NCA National Capital Authority
- P&D Act Planning and Development Act 2007
- TAMS ACT Territory and Municipal Services Directorate

Additional rules and criteria

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

RC1 – Ginninderra Village Complex

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

Element 1: Buildings

Rules	Criteria
1.1 Materials and form	
	C1
There is no applicable rule.	The materials and form of development is sympathetic to the historic features of the heritage-listed 'Ginninderra Village Complex'.