

Submission on the referral

Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics (DIPL) – Holtze Development Area

This submission is made under regulation 53 of the Environment Protection Regulations 2020

Government authority: The Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Service (NTPFES)

Summary: Communication between Government agencies ensuring the NTPFES can adjust and plan as the development progresses

Section of Referral	Theme or issue	Comment
the draft plan identifies the following:	Urban growth will impact the type of development required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The urban development proposed should include street mains hydrants to enable urban pumper capability. The NTPFES are unable to identify where the reticulated water supply would originate from. The new Palmerston water tank on the corner of Stuart Highway and Lambrick Ave may suffice depending on volume and pressure availability. This would be a consideration for power water as the development evolve. The new Palmerston Regional Fire, Rescue and Emergency Services Complex is positioned to provide the NTFRS fire and emergency response to the current established commercial, light industrial and residential development area of the City of Palmerston and the proposed population increase and support infrastructure of Greater Holtze and Coolalinga. The new complex is specifically designed to increase crewing numbers from 24 to 48, including a relief factor and future additional assets. This will accommodate both the current and proposed future growth and provide the appropriate response requirements within the gazetted Emergency Response Area (ERA) and outside of ERA response for hazardous materials and road crash rescue (including heavy rescue due to increased mining and military activity).