

ATTACHMENT BOOKLET FOR SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

6 May 2024 at 5:00pm

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Mingenew Turf Club:

To: President and Councillors of the Shire of Mingenew

I would like to address the question of approval being granted for the Mingenew Turf Club and the Mingenew Football club needing planning permission to erect our Shade Structure [extension of existing roof line] at the Mingenew Recreation Grounds

It has come to our attention that a motion has been passed that no planning approvals will be granted in the next 3 months.

Due to our very tight timeline and wanting the Shade structure erected before our next race meeting or we will once again have to outlay wasted money to hire a marquee, we would like council to make an exception in this case.

On our committee we have a registered Builder and a Fully qualified Builder and like most of our committee are Farmers. We only have a small window of opportunity to construct our shade structure, needing the project completed by the first week in September, prior to Harvest.

We are unable to obtain plans for our Shade Structure until a deposit is paid

We then need to give them to our Draftsman, who will then send them to his Engineer for Final approval prior to lodging with Council.

If there is to be no approvals given in the next 3 months, then it will be impossible for the Turf and Football clubs to go ahead with this project in 2024

We have been working towards this project for the last 3 years and will be extremely disappointed if after all our hard work, we must wait another year for a project that has no monetary constraints on Council.

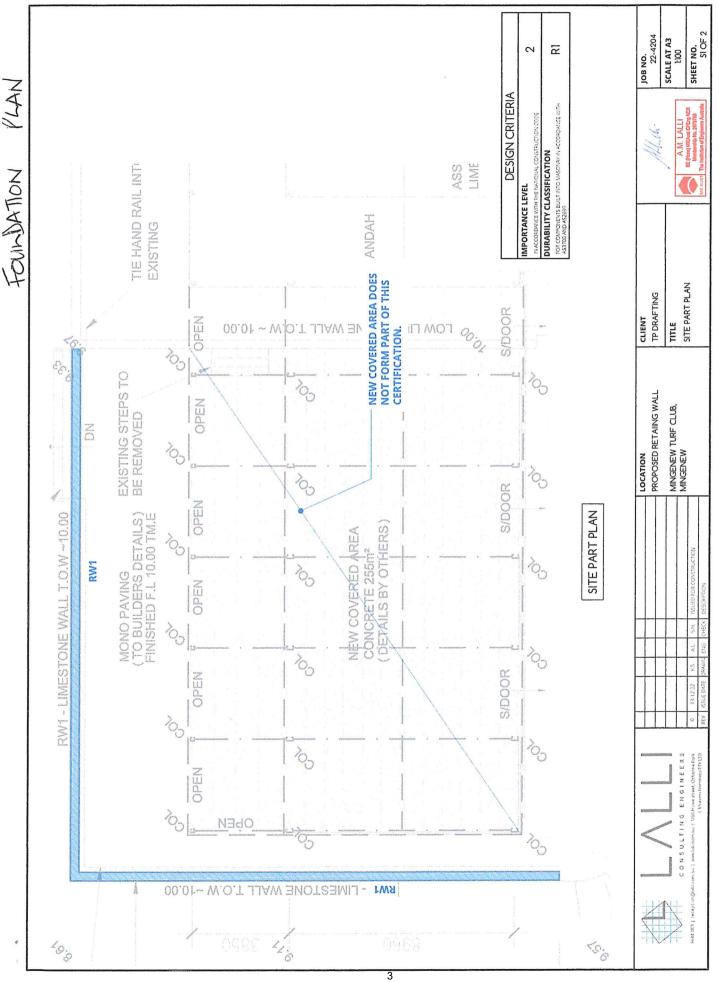
The existing Turf club Bar area was jointly funded by the Mingenew Expo and Turf Club, since then The Turf Club have installed air conditioners in this area, and we also have positioned a cool room next to the building for Community use.

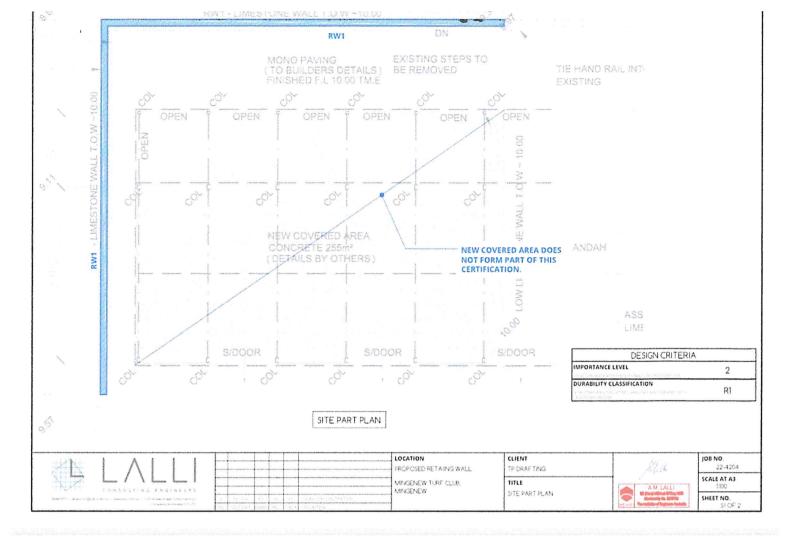
This project is at no cost to council and is being funded by the Mingenew Turf Club and the Mingenew Football Club. While we totally support the plans to renovate and expand the Recreation centre, this is an area that the Turf Club do not use, over the years we have tried many different ideas to attract our patrons to this area, they have all failed dismally, Race goers want to be where the action is. We need this structure to give our patrons extra shade and we feel this will be used by all the Mingenew community.

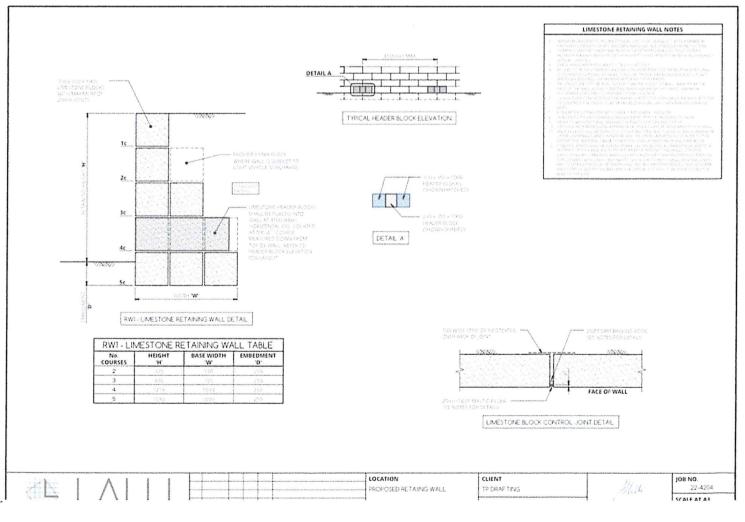
The Mingenew Expo is also in favour of our Shade structure. Because of the huge expense in hiring a Marquee for the Bar area, they have plans to move back to the Turf Club Bar area and use the Shade Structure for the main bar.

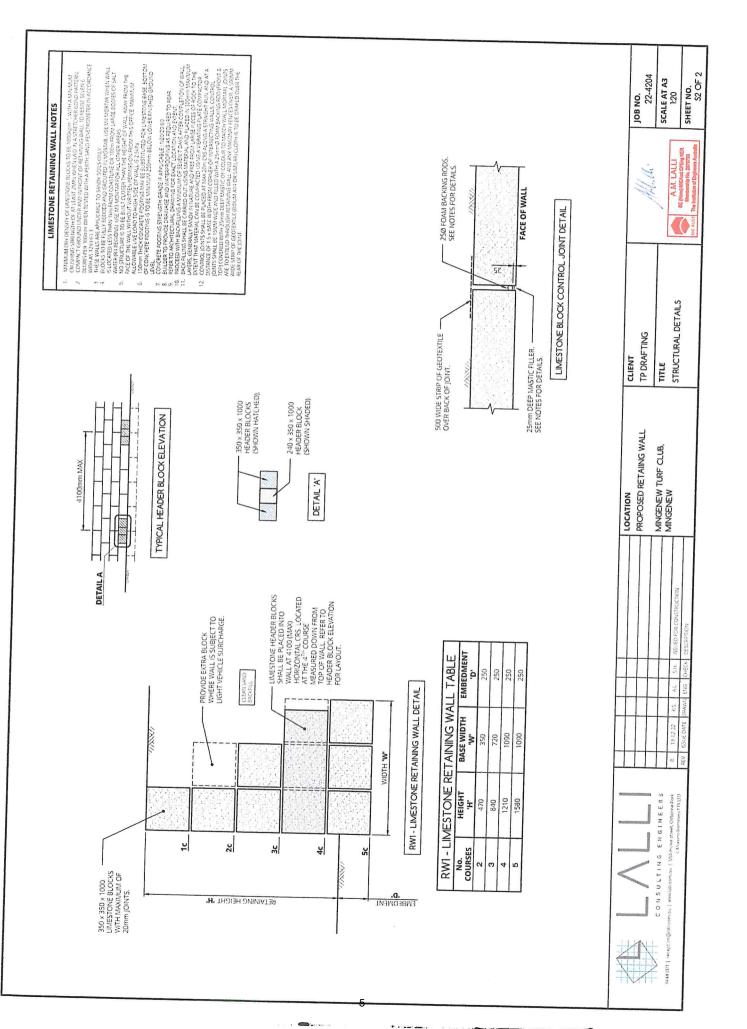
Hoping that Council looks favourably on our request and understand our time constraints in getting this Project to completion.

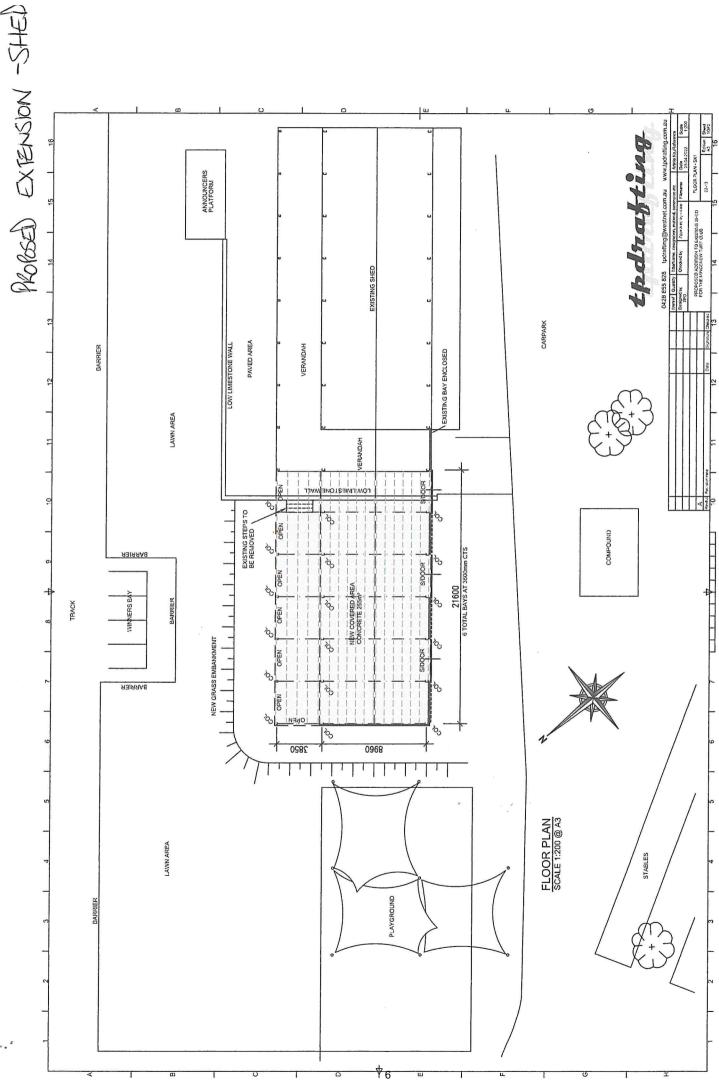
Regards David Bagley President-Mingenew Turf Club











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