



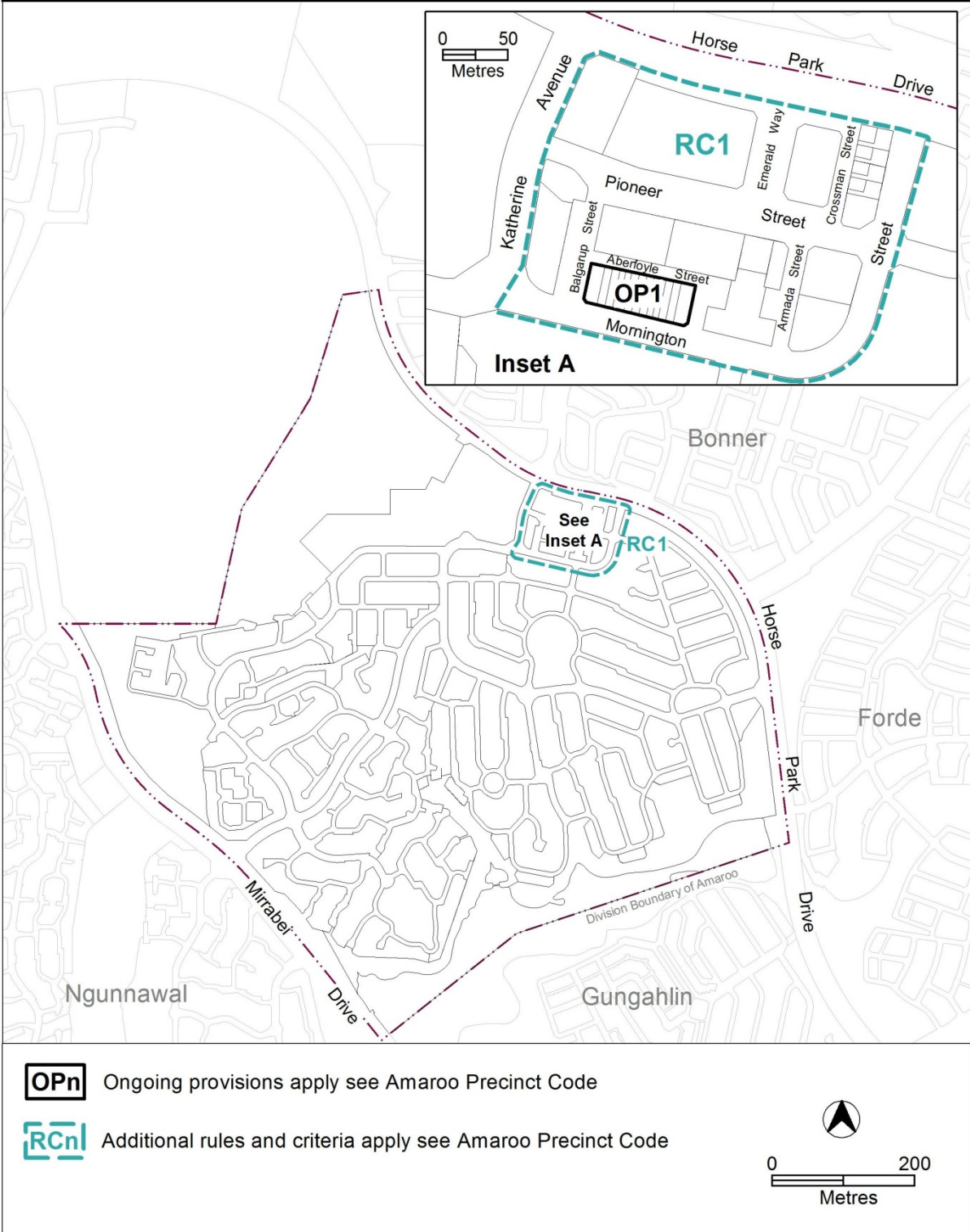
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Amaroo Precinct Map and Code

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Introduction

Name

The name of this code is the **Amaroo Precinct Code**.

Application

The code applies to the Division of Amaroo.

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
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 Amaroo Precinct Map (RCn). It should be read in conjunction with the relevant zone development code and related codes.

RC1 – Amaroo Group Centre

This part applies to the Amaroo Group Centre identified as RC1 on the precinct map.

Element 1: Building and site controls

Rules	Criteria
1.1 Maximum number of storeys	
R1 This rule applies to area A in Figure 1. The maximum number of <i>storeys</i> is 4.	This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.
R2 This rule applies to area B in Figure 1. The maximum number of <i>storeys</i> is 3.	This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.
1.2 Plot ratios	
R3 This rule applies to area A in Figure 1. The maximum plot ratio is 2:1 (200%).	C3 Buildings comply with all of the following: a) are compatible with the <i>desired character</i> b) are appropriate to the scale and function of the use c) minimise detrimental impacts, including overshadowing and excessive scale.
R4 This rule applies to area B in Figure 1. The maximum plot ratio is 1.5:1 (150%). This rule does not apply to part section 114 Amaroo within the Community Facilities (CFZ) Zone	C4 Buildings comply with all of the following: a) are compatible with the <i>desired character</i> b) are appropriate to the scale and function of the use c) minimise detrimental impacts, including overshadowing and excessive scale.
1.3 Setbacks	
R5 Zero front boundary setbacks apply to lower floor levels of non residential development in locations identified in Figure 2.	This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.
R6 A minimum 3m setback to lower and upper floor levels are provided in the locations identified in Figure 2.	This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.

Rules	Criteria
<p>R7</p> <p>Zero setbacks to lower floor garage elements are required in the locations identified in Figure 2.</p>	<p>This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</p>
<p>R8</p> <p>This rule applies to blocks or parcels in locations identified in Figure 2.</p> <p>Awnings are provided beyond the block boundary at the lower floor level to all non-residential development with the following minimum widths:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Blocks in section 114 fronting Balgarup Street and blocks in section 114 fronting the PRZ1 urban open space area: 2.4m - Blocks in section 106 fronting Pioneer Street and Emerald Way: 3m - Blocks in Section 110 fronting Pioneer Street and Emerald Way: 3m - Blocks in Section 114 fronting Pioneer Street: 3m <p>A minimum 3m vertical clearance above finished ground level is required for all awnings.</p>	
<p>1.4 Ground floor use</p>	
<p>R9</p> <p>The ground floor finished floor level to finished ceiling level height is not less than 3.6m.</p>	<p>C9</p> <p>Buildings are adaptable to accommodate non-residential uses, including office and retail, at the ground floor.</p>

Element 2: Environment

Rules	Criteria
2.1 Screen planting zones	
<p>R10</p> <p>This rule applies to blocks or parcels in locations identified in Figure 2.</p> <p>A minimum 1.5m wide screen planting zone (SPZ) is provided for the required length depicted in Figure 2.</p> <p>A wall or fence is located along the block side of the SPZ to screen service and waste activities from the street.</p> <p>The wall or fence is to be detailed to meet the Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design General Code requirements.</p> <p>A single commercial driveway crossing of the SPZ is permitted for each block.</p>	<p>This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</p>

Element 3: Amenity

Rules	Criteria
3.1 Noise management plan	
<p>R11</p> <p>This rule applies to blocks or parcels in locations identified in Figure 2.</p> <p>Development will comply with a noise management plan prepared by a suitably qualified person and endorsed by the Environment Protection Authority.</p> <p>The noise management plan will detail the proposed design, siting and construction methods that will be employed to address potential conflicts arising from commercial/residential interface with neighbouring blocks.</p>	<p>This is a mandatory requirement. There is no applicable criterion.</p>

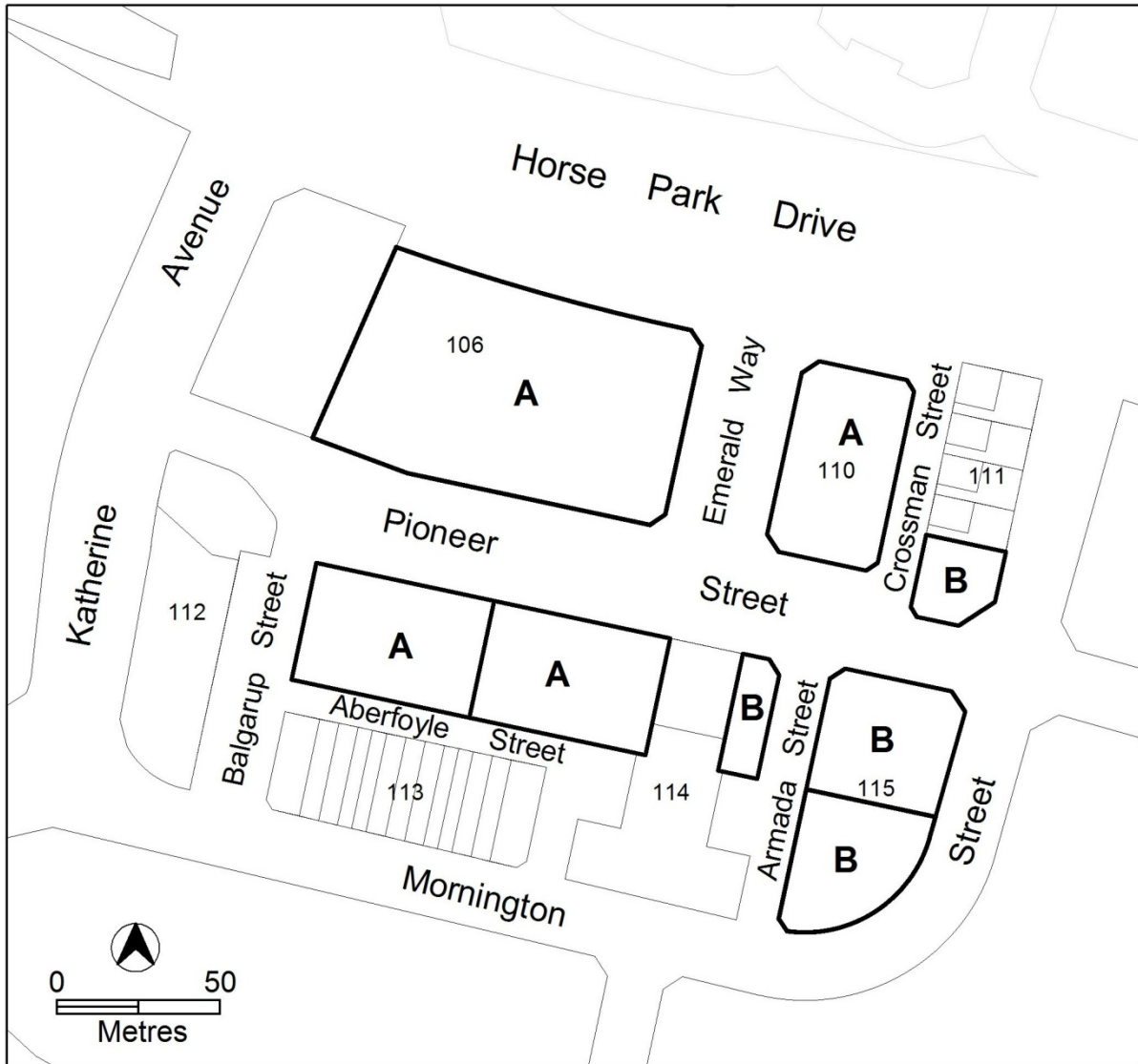


Figure 1 Amaroo Group Centre Building heights and plot ratios

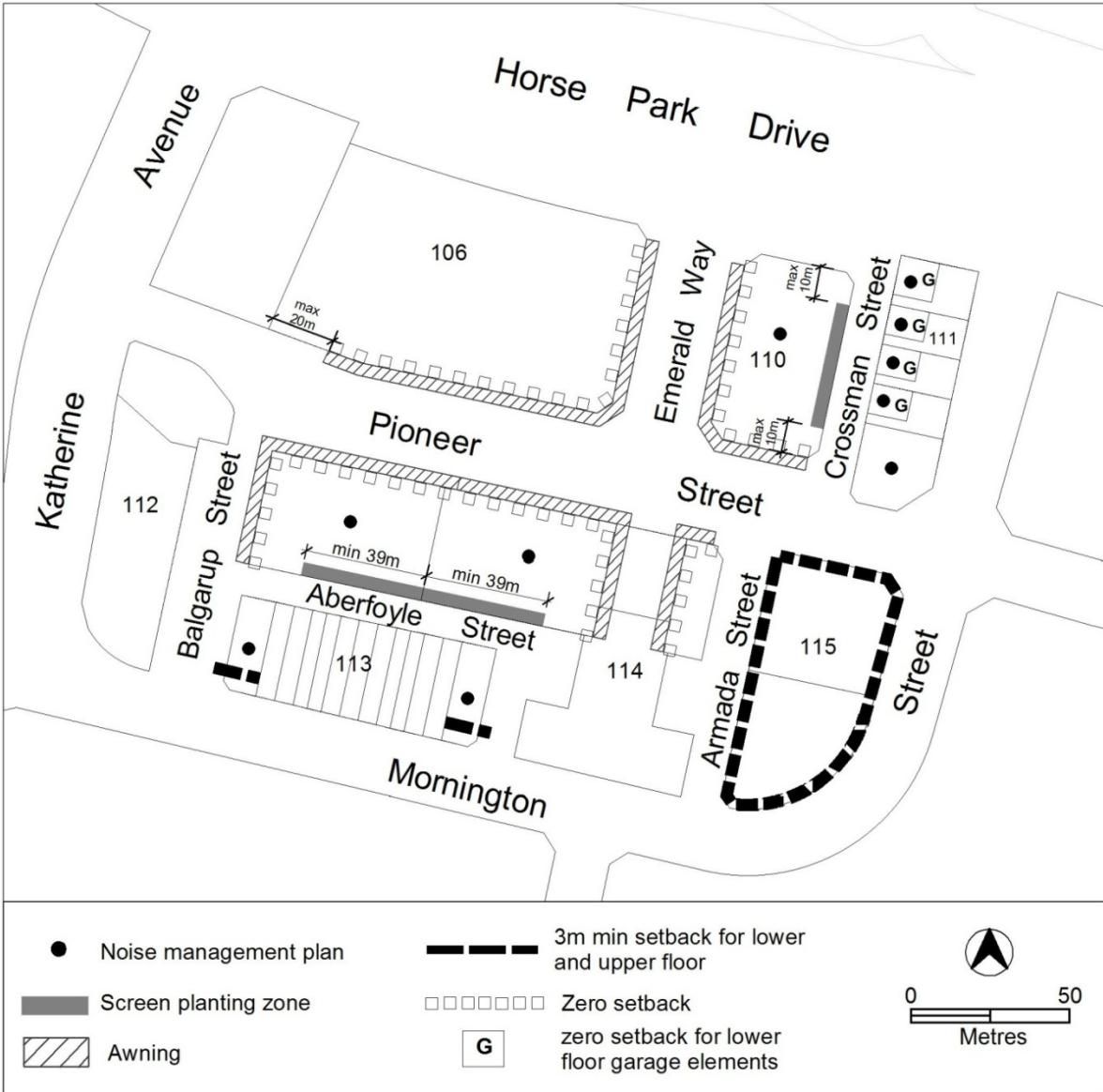


Figure 2 Setbacks and screen planting zones

Other ongoing provisions

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

OP1 – Amaroo Group Centre

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

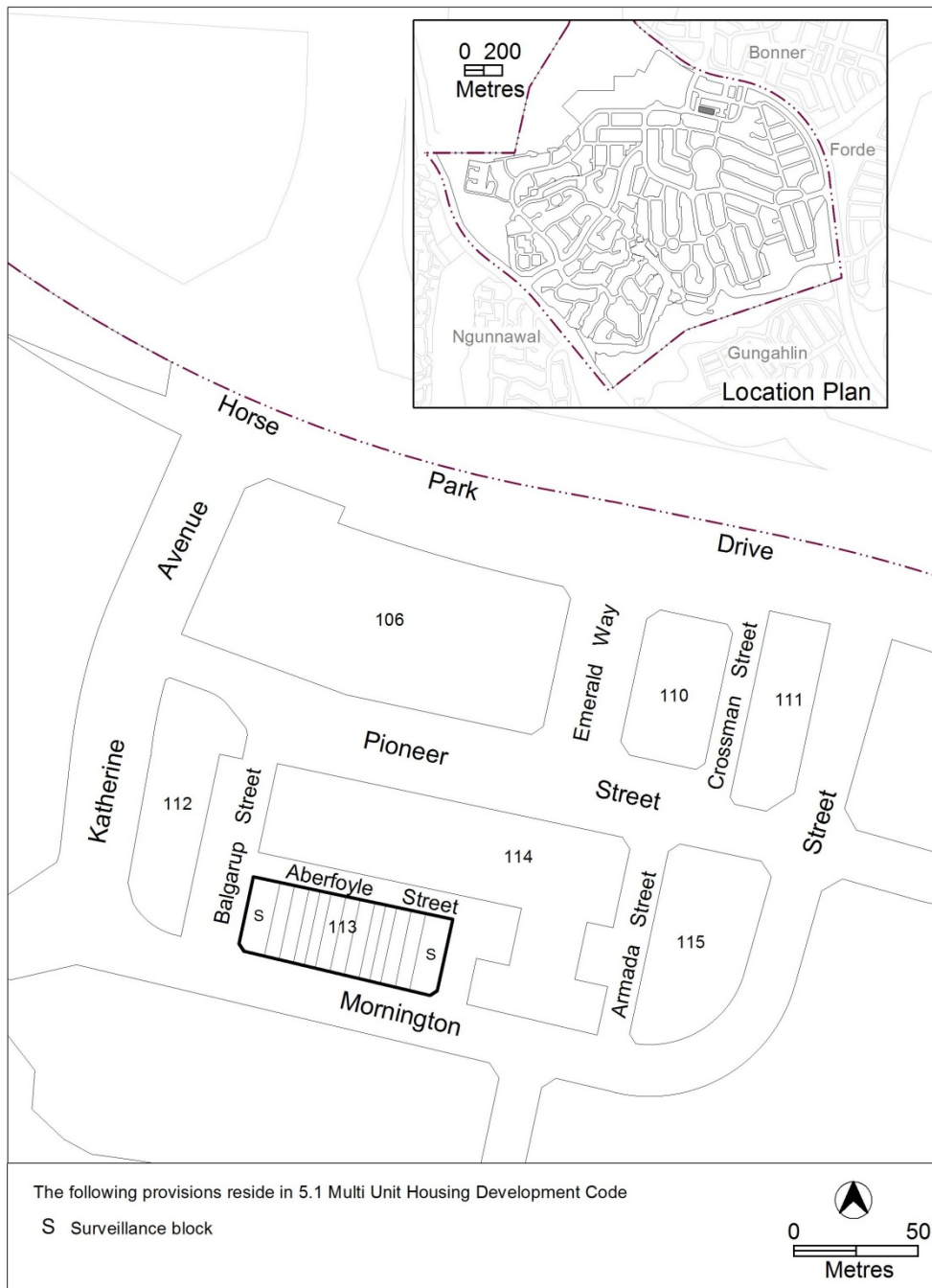


Figure 3 Amaroo Group Centre Ongoing Provisions