



# REPORT & CONSENT

## APPLICATION TO COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL TO VARY THE BUILDING REGULATIONS 2018

**Regulation 96– FENCES & OVERSHADOWING OF RECREATIONAL PRIVATE OPEN SPACES**

**To: Municipal Building Surveyor, Alpine Shire Council**

<b><u>PROPERTY DETAILS</u></b>	
Number .....	Street .....
Suburb .....	Postcode.....

I, .....  
**Owner**                       **Agent of the Owner**                       **Relevant Building Surveyor**

Postal Address .....

Suburb .....Postcode .....

Mobile .....Email .....

Hereby seek the consent and report of Council in accordance with Schedule 2 of the Building Act 1993, for variation of a Building Regulation 96 – Fences & Overshadowing of Recreational Private Open Space. I have notified the owner of the property and they have consented to the application.

Signed .....Date .....

**ACCOMPANYING THIS APPLICATION IS:**

- Description of proposal and justification of compliance with the Minister’s decision guidelines
- Copy of Title.
- One set of site plans to a scale of 1:500 showing all dimensions and setbacks of the proposed building, the adjoining buildings and a minimum three buildings opposite the site.
- Floor plans of the proposed building to a scale of 1:100.
- Elevations of the proposed building, including the slope of the land.
- Any significant vegetation on the site and on adjoining sites. (Provide photos)
- Written comments and signatures from the adjoining owners of the allotments that could be affected by the proposal. (Comments are to be completed on the attached form and signatures must be on one of the plans submitted and must show that the affected owners have a full understanding of the application variation being sought)
- If approval is granted for the variation a Building Permit will be required.



**DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL AND REASON FOR APPLICATION**

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**ASSESSMENT CRITERIA**

Council has set out the objective and decision guidelines that the municipal building surveyor will exercise when considering varying a design and siting standard for fencing.

Note: If any matter set out in the guideline is not met, then Council **must refuse** consent.

**Objective:** To ensure buildings do not unreasonably overshadow existing secluded private open spaces.

**Decision Guidelines:** The reporting authority may give its consent where a fence does not comply with regulation 96 of the Building Regulations 2018 (as ratified by Council), if -

- (a) the proposed fence will not significantly impact on the amenity of the secluded private open space(s) on nearby allotments; and

Comment .....

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes:

Council will consider the needs of the applicant and also the potential impact upon the adjoining properties and or infrastructure when making its decision. As such this application will be referred to the affected owners for comment prior to making a decision.

The personal information requested on this form is being collected by Council for assessment of your application for a Consent and Report pursuant to Building Regulation 96. The personal information will be used solely by Council for this primary purpose or directly related purposes. The applicant understands that the personal information provided is for the assessment of the consent and report application and that she/ he may apply to Council for access to and/or amendment of the information. Requests for access and/or correction should be made to Council's Privacy Officer.

**A F F E C T E D O W N E R  
C O M M E N T F O R M  
Building Regulations 2018**



**I am the adjacent relevant owner** of the property at the following address:

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**I have sighted** the plans (**drawing numbers** \_\_\_\_\_) for my neighbours proposed works at:

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**I am aware** that the proposed works are designed outside the siting requirements prescribed in the Building Regulations 2006 and have:

- (a) **no objection** to Council issuing consent to the proposed siting of the building/structure pursuant to Building Regulations Part 5 or,
- (b) I request that Council **not issue** consent to the proposed siting of the building/structure pursuant to Building Regulations Part 5.

**Please clearly strike out that which is not applicable of (a) or (b) above.**

Please provide your reasons for objecting to the proposal in order for Council to take into account your issue(s) for concern.

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Please print your name here: \_\_\_\_\_

and sign here, \_\_\_\_\_ and date here, \_\_\_\_\_

Note: This comment form must be signed by the legal owner of the relevant property concerned. Signatures from persons renting the property will not be accepted.

**Comments to be submitted within 7 business days of application, no response after this time is considered to have consent to this application.**

Please do not hesitate to contact the Building Section of the Alpine Shire Council on (03) 5755 0555 if you require further information.