INFORMATION SHEET #2

PLANNING APPROVAL

If your proposed building project requires a **Planning Permit**, refer to information on **Council's website** that outlines how to submit a planning application.

You may need to provide evidence to your Building Surveyor that your building project has satisfied all planning requirements or that no **Planning Permit** is required for the building work.

To respond to this request from a Building Surveyor, you can provide them with a copy of your **Planning Permit** (if a **Planning Permit** was required for your project and has been issued by Council). If Council has advised you that no **Planning Permit** is required, and your Building Surveyor is requesting written evidence from Council that this is the case, you can submit an application with Council for **No Planning Permit Required** decision for your project.

If you require additional information on how to submit a planning application or an application for **No Planning Permit Required** decision, please either email us at: kc@kingborough.tas.gov.au, call us on: **(03) 6211 8200** or drop in to Council Chambers at: **15 Channel Highway, Kingston**.

Once you have secured a **Planning Permit** or a **No Planning Permit required** decision from Council for your building project, check that the plans you intend to lodge for a **Plumbing Application** or **Building Application** comply with the **Planning Permit** conditions and stamped plans.

A common delay on building and plumbing approvals is caused by **Building** and **Plumbing Application** plans that do not match a **Planning Approval**.

NEXT STEP IN THE PROCESS OF SECURING BUILDING APPROVAL

- 1. If your proposed building work includes plumbing work that requires a plumbing approval, refer to **Information Sheet 3.** If you are unsure whether your plumbing work requires approval, read below.
- 2. If your proposed building work does not include plumbing work, refer to Information Sheet 4.

IS PLUMBING APPROVAL REQUIRED?

An example of plumbing work that requires a plumbing approval prior to being carried out is as follows:

- Installation of hot and cold-water supply to buildings
- Installation of stormwater/sewer drains
- Installation of an onsite waste-water system (including, but not limited to: septic system, aerated waste-water system, composing toilet, to service a dwelling or commercial operation)
- Installation of a bidet
- Installation of a backflow prevention device

More information on what type of plumbing approval is required can be found on the Consumer Building and Occupational Services Website (www.cbos.tas.gov.au) or call Council's Plumbing Unit on (03) 6211 8200 to talk with one of our Plumbing Surveyors.

