6.4.2 Sport and recreation zone code

6.4.2.1 Application

This code applies to assessing material change of use, reconfiguring a lot, and building work development in the Sport and recreation zone.

When using this code, reference should be made to section 5.3.2 and, where applicable, section 5.3.3, in Part 5.

6.4.2.2 Purpose

The purpose of the Sport and recreation zone is to provide for—

- (a) a variety of cultural, educational, recreation and sporting uses and activities that require built infrastructure, including, for example, clubhouses, gymnasiums, swimming pools or tennis courts; and
- (b) facilities and infrastructure to support the uses and activities stated in paragraph (a).

The purpose of the code will be achieved through the following overall outcomes:

- (1) Opportunities are provided for active sport and recreational pursuit such as playing fields, equestrian facilities, outdoor cultural facilities, educational activities, public swimming pools, indoor facilities and outdoor courts.
- (2) Sport and recreation land uses integrate with existing open space land uses where possible.
- Sporting clubs that use playing fields have the opportunity to establish club facilities, where appropriate.
- (4) Buildings and structures, such as clubhouses, kiosks, shelters, stands, amenity facilities, picnic tables and playgrounds are facilitated, where necessary and appropriate.
- (5) Development complements the existing built form, character and scale of the surrounding local area.
- (6) Development contributes to a high standard of amenity and the effects of development including noise, odour, traffic and lighting do not have a negative impact on the amenity of the surrounding area.
- (7) Sport and recreation facilities are located and designed to be cost-effective to maintain.
- (8) Development incorporates and facilitates sustainable practices including maximising energy efficiency and water conservation appropriate to Mount Isa's semi-arid environment.
- (9) Development is supported by appropriately designed transport infrastructure that facilitates efficient transport use, safe cycling and walking.
- (10) Development is appropriately designed and located to be responsive to the environmental constraints of the land, including, but not limited to, natural topography, vegetation, bushfire and flooding.
- (11) Development is supported by appropriately designed transport infrastructure that facilitates efficient and safe transport use, safe cycling and walking.
- (12) Natural features such as creeks, gullies, waterways, wetlands and vegetation are protected from the impacts of development.
- (13) Development is provided with appropriate infrastructure and services.