

Information received from various sources indicates that Climate Change has the potential to significantly impact upon our way of life including potential sea level rises. As Gosford City Council is a coastal council we call upon the State Government through the Department of Environment and Climate Change (DECC) to determine the projected sea level rise for the NSW Coastline for the next 25 years, 50 and 100 years. Once DECC has determine the projected sea level rise we would request this information be directed to be forwarded to the Department of Planning (DOP).

We would then request the DOP be directed to then introduce various amendments into the State's Standard Template to ensure all coastal council's have a pro-active and uniform application of the direct implications to projected sea level rises through climate change.