Item 12.10 Planning Application PA 2019/6759 - use and development of the land for a child care centre with associated car parking and landscaping and erect and display a business identification sign At 222 clarkes road brookfield

Appendix 4 Referral Comments - undated

## **Appendix 4–Referral Comments**

Type of Referral	Responses
Internal	
Engineering (Infrastructure)	There are no objections to the proposal subject to conditions.
Engineering (Traffic and Transport)	There are no objections to the proposal subject to conditions.
City Design	Council's Urban Designers commented that the roof form does not compliment the surrounding residential dwellings and the car parking within the front setback should be avoided as it is not in keeping with the neighbourhood character of the area as outlined under Council's Housing Character and Assessment Guidelines. It is recommended that the car parking be located to the rear of the building with access from the existing vehicle crossover at the south-west corner of the site.
	It should be noted that Council's Housing Character and Assessment Guidelines apply to residential use and development only and do not apply to non-residential land use and development such as Child Centres. Furthermore, the adjoining properties and surround area is characterised by a mix of landscaped front setbacks along with circular driveways and large concrete areas within the front setback. In addition, the car park for Council owned and operated Child Care and Community Centre at 249 Clarkes Road Brookfield (approximately 310 metres south-west of the site) is located within the front setback.
Children's Services	No comment provided.
Environmental Health	There are no objections to the proposal subject to conditions.
External	
Nil	