













## **LENDLEASE COMMUNITIES** SPRINGFIELD RISE - VILLAGE 6/7 SITE BASED MANAGEMENT PLAN - GRANDE AVENUE





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# 02 INTRODUCTION

#### Introduction

This phase specific Site Based Management Plan (SBMP) has This SBMP-V12 has been informed by the following documents:

been prepared for clearing associated with a detention basin associated with early works phases of Springfield Rise and forms part of the future Village 7 (V7) development area. This SBMP incorporates the management intent, objectives and specifications detailed within the overarching environmental management plans prepared for the development.

The aim of this SMBP is to set out and guide the implementation of effective measures to ameliorate any impacts, and to ensure and manage the long term sustainability of the project and its natural environment, specifically for Matters of National Environmental Significance (MNES) listed species known to occur within the Spring Mountain project site namely:

- Phascolarctos cinereus (Koala)
- Pteropus poliocephalus (Grey-headed Flying-fox)
- Plectranthus habrophyllus

The document has been developed in accordance with the Spring Mountain SMBP, prepared by Yurrah, as an updated and re-issued phase specific management plan.

The purpose of this SBMP is to provide a single, consolidated management document which incorporates requirements of numerous ecological management plans prepared for Spring Mountain. From these documents, this SBMP extracts management objectives, implementation requirements, performance indicators and monitoring and auditing actions relevant to the specific the development of the V6/7 detention basin associated with early works phases of Springfield Rise, for both construction and operational phases.

#### Environmental Pre-Start Checklist

This Site Based Management Plan has been prepared to create an on-site working document with easy to find references to management measures without the comprehensive details of the assessment and approval. Core to contractors working under this SBMP is completion of the Spring Mountain Pre-Start Environmental Checklist. Completion and sign off of this checklist, inclusive of attachments should will warrant compliance with this SBMP and broader approval parameters.

- Site Based Management Plan for Spring Mountain Community, prepared by **Yurrah** (July 2015)
- Threatened Flora Management Plan for Spring Mountain, prepared by **Yurrah** (July 2015)
- Fauna Management Plan for Spring Mountain, prepared by **Saunders Havill Group** (July 2015)
- Code of practice for Welfare of Animals effected by Land Clearing and Other Habitat Impacts, and Wildlife/ Spotter Catchers (Draft) prepared by Wildlife Warriors and Voiceless (2009)
- Offsets Management Plan prepared for Spring Mountain, prepared by **Saunders Havill Group** (July 2015)
- Bushfire Management Plan for Spring Mountain, prepared by Cardno (2016)

This SBMP should also be read in conjunction with all relevant approvals and conditions including approved civil, landscape, vegetation management and rehabilitation plans and specifications.

This SBMP has also been prepared to meet compliance and auditing requirements of the Spring Mountain Commonwealth Department of the Environment and Energy (DEE) approval under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC) (Ref: 2013/7057), specifically Conditions 3-6.

This SBMP outlines construction measures to manage of impacts to native flora and fauna.

#### **Construction**

- Vegetation Management (Clearing & Protection)
- Protection of MNES Fauna (Koala and Grey-headed Flying Fox) and Native Wildlife
- Maintenance of Safe Wildlife Movement Opportunities
- Fauna Habitat Rehabilitation
- Threatened Flora Management
- Pest Management
- Fire Management
- Education and Awareness



## 03 SITE DESCRIPTION

#### Site Description

The stormwater discharge from the development must be detained to predeveloped flow rates for all storm events up to and including 100 year ARI event. Appropriate stormwater infrastructure for the site is therefore required to ensure that there is no increase in peak discharge flow rates for the downstream infrastructure.

The V6/7 onsite detention basin has been designed for all storm events up to and including the 100 year ARI event. As per discussions with ICC the development will provide an on-line basin located adjacent to Village 7 which will not only cater for Village 6 but for all the additional stages discharging at the same convergence point.

This online detention basin utilises the existing storage volume and topographical features of the creek reserve at the legal point of discharge and incorporates a particular outlet configuration to produce the require mitigation for all standard ARI storm events travelling down the creek reserve.



Photo: Grey-headed Flying-fox (listed as Vulnerable under EPBC Act (Cth))



Photo: Plectranthus habrophyllus (listed as Endangered under EPBC Act (Cth))



Photo: Koala (listed as Vulnerable under EPBC Act (Cth) and NCA (Qld))





## 04 ECOLOGICAL VALUES - SUMMARY

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#### **Ecological Values**

Numerous ecological surveys were undertaken over the site as part broader concept planning for the Spring Mountain project. In addition, pre-clearance flora and fauna surveys for V6/7 detention basin clearing area were undertaken by Saunders Havill Group and Queensland Fauna Consultants, respectively. The following comments summarise the ecological values the works site:

The majority of V6/7 detension basin area is mapped as containing vegetation comprised of Least Concern RE12.9-10.19a, with portions within the northern extent mapped as composite Of Concern RE12.9-10.2/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.19. Field survey confirmed these regional ecosystem communities were present on ground.

Adjoining low areas associated with the VMA mapped waterway contained extremely dense impenetrable infestations of Lantana camara (Lantana) up to to 2m in height. The area containing Lantana camara contained very few native flora species.

It is noted that potential patches of Plectanthus habrophyllus were identified by Yarrah (2015) along Mountain Creek, adjacent to the V12 development. These mapped patches, as well as other areas of suitable habitat, were checked by Saunders Havill Group for Plectanthus habrophyllus. The species was no recorded.

No State or Commonwealth threatened flora or fauna species were identified within V8 as part of pre-clear surveys.

Corymbia henryi +/- Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. Fibrosa, Concern Corymbia citriodora subsp. Variegate, Eucalyptus siderophloia, Eucalyptus crebra open forest. Occurs in coastal areas on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. Corymbia citriodora subsp. Variegate open forest or Concern woodland usually with Eucalyptus crebra. Other species such as Eucalyptus tereticomis, Eucalyptus moluccana, Eucalyptus acmenoides and Eucalyptus siderophloia may be present in scattered patches or in low densities. Understorey can be grassy or shrubby. Shrubby understorey of Lophostemon confertus (whipstick form) often present in northern parts of bioregion. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. Lophostemon confertus or Lophostemon suaveolens Concern dominated open forest usually with emergent.

Eucalyptus and/or Corymbia species. Occurs in gullies and southern slopes on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.

Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegata open forest or woodland usually with Eucalyptus crebra. Other species such as Eucalyptus tereticomis, Eucalyptus moluccana, Eucalyptus acmenoides and Eucalyptus siderophloia may be present in scattered patches or in low densities.



Photo: Proposed basin area dominated by Lantana





## 05 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

#### Management – General

This SMBP sequences through details on a number of site specific outcomes for fauna, vegetation management and operational controls associated with the development of V6/7 detention basin. Logically, the document works through construction processes and has been prepared as a sub-plan to the SBMP for Spring Mountain prepared by Yurrah.

#### **Environmental Training**

This SBMP is to be issued to all site contractors (and sub-contractors) and kept within site construction offices. Elements of compliance with the document will form part of the responsibility of the Principle Site Contractor. Training on the management measures outcomes in this SBMP will occur as part of the broader site environmental management and workplace health and safety procedures. This will include the following steps:

1. Copy of the SBMP-V6/7 made available to all site contractors (and sub-contractors)

2. Outline of the SBMP-V6/7 and its requirement relative to the site and / or particular scope of a contract forming part of the site induction requires contractors to read, acknowledge and sign the document prior to commencement of site works.

3. Requirements of the SBMP-V6/7 to be incorporated into workplace checklists, work method statements and toolbox talks.

4. Weekly review and report on compliance with the SBMP by the Principle Contractor.



Spring Mountain Risk Management Process

#### Adaptive Management

Adaptive management refers to a way of managing natural resources where management actions are regularly revised and, if necessary, modified based on monitored changes in environmental condition and/or changes in base knowledge which underpins the original management approach. This SBMP has been based on, as far as practical, the current state of knowledge of the species ecology and best practice habitat management approaches. When new facts emerge from future research, they should be immediately integrated into the plan so it remains consistent with the current state of knowledge (and best practice).

#### **Statutory Requirements**

Activities associated with this SBMP will comply with the relevant provisions of legislation and regulations and policies of the following:

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cth) with regard to species listed under the provisions of this Act;
 Nature Conservation Act 1992 (Qld) with regard to species listed under the provisions of this Act;

Biosecurity Act 2014 with regard to weeds and pests; and
The requirements of the Commonwealth, State and /or Local Government decision notices including any relevant "conditions of approval".

#### Roles and Responsibilities

Proponent	Lendlease Communities Pty Ltd	Lendlease Communities Pty Ltd Contact: Graeme Knox
Contractor	Appointed party or company that performs the construction works on site and included all employees of the Contractor and sub-contractors.	Shadforth Civil Contact: Tony Hopper
Site Supervisor	Appointed party contracted by the Proponent to oversee daily site operations and site management.	Arcadias Contact: Christo Louw
Environmental Representative	Appointed party contracted by the Proponent to oversee environmental compliance.	Saunders Havill Group Contact: Murray Saunders
Fauna/Spotter Catcher	Appointed Contractor employed to implement fauna welfare responsibilities with vegetation clearing operations. The Fauna Spotter Catcher is a person who holds a rehabilitation permit with an extended authority issued by EHP specifying the gilder may take, keep or use an animal whose habitat is about to be destroyed by a human activity.	Queensland Fauna Consulting Contact: Bryan Robinson
Koala Spotter	Appointed Contractor employed to implement Koala welfare responsibilities associated with vegetation clearing operations. The Koala Spotter is a person who holds a tertiary qualification in Biology or Zoology, or who is demonstrably experienced in the identification and location of Koalas in their natural habitat and has an authorisation from EHP to conduct such activities. For example, demonstrably experienced may include a Koala keeper employed by a licensed wildlife exhibitor (i.e. zoo) may be capable of demonstrating competence in locating Koalas.	Queensland Fauna Consulting Contact: Bryan Robinson
Council	Ipswich City Council (ICC)	Ipswich City Council (ICC) Contact: Tim Foote





## 06 **PRE-CLEARANCE - VEGETATION MANAGEMENT**

#### P1–Vegetation Management (General)

Vegetation clearing must be undertaken in accordance with approved plans to ensure protection of areas of ecological significance and agreed retained linear open space corridors. Habitat trees where marked for retention must not be damaged as a result of tree clearing and or are to be removed at the specification and control of the appointed Fauna Spotter.

Table 1 describes the relevant management requirements to address this issue.

#### Objective

- To identify clearing in the plans and specification, trees to be retained 1. and trees to be cleared. Areas of retention should be clearly marked and fenced.
- To ensure that all contractors understand the requirements of protection 2. and retention and install protective devices to ensure no additional clearing occurs.
- To ensure that the work program is such as to minimise the time 3. between when clearing occurs and the cleared ground is stabilised.
- To ensure that cleared material is mulches or wood-chipped as 4. appropriate for recycling
- To protect linear open space from construction damage and run-off. 5.

#### Management Strategy

- Clearing to be undertaken in accordance with measures outlined in the EPBC Management Plans.
- Install stormwater management devices as per Stormwater Management Plan.

#### Performance Indicators

- Integrity of protective devices.
- Existing vegetation and trees retained in good health, with no scars from earthworks machinery and no erosion and sediment deposited within linear open space/retention areas.

Clearing activities should be undertaken in accordance with the with all management plan requirements and associated approval conditions. This SMBP has been prepared for early works clearing for a detention basin within V7 (known as the V6/7 detention basin). It is noted that a SBMP for clearing of the V7 development footprint will be prepared to support phase 2 clearing works.



Photo: Control clearing of vegetation



Photo: Erosion control to cleared batter

#### Table 1: P1: Vegetation Management (Clearing and Protection)

Issue	Vegetation Management – Clearing and Protection	Responsible Person	Timing
Implementation Requirements	Ensure protective devices are installed and maintained in functional condition. Monitor and report on the success, protection and retention, and integrity of protective devices such as fences and sediment fences through	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
Monitoring	Weekly inspection and log.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
Reporting	Monthly (until operation).	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
Corrective Action	Repair, replace or reinstate protective devices.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
	Appropriate treat any damage to trees or vegetation marked for retention as required.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction





Photo: Tree protection and erosion fence

## 06 **PRE-CLEARANCE - VEGETATION MANAGEMENT**

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### Approved Phase 1 Clearing Extents (coordinated)

## 07 PRE-CLEARANCE - FAUNA MANAGEMENT

#### P2 – Protection of MNES Fauna (Koala and Grey-headed Performance Indicators Flying Fox) and Native Wildlife (Vegetation Clearing)

Clearing of native vegetation has the potential to result in direct injury or death to fauna. Clearing of vegetation for the purposes of preparing development areas also has the potential to result in incidental damage to adjacent habitats to be retained.

Development protocols to respond to injured wildlife must be **Fauna Management** prepared prior to vegetation clearing operations. It is expected that some of these protocols are likely to be applicable to responses required for all injured fauna (including Koala) and must be included within the Animal Welfare Plan (AWP) to be prepared by the appointed fauna spotter catcher.

Table 2 describes the relevant management requirements to address the protection of terrestrial fauna, specifically Koala, during vegetation clearing and

#### **Objective**

1. To minimise and mitigate adverse direct and indirect effects of vegetation clearing on terrestrial including Koala and Greyheaded Flying-fox, during clearing and construction 2. Prevent mortality or injury to terrestrial wildlife, specifically Koala.

#### **Management Strategy**

- Prevent damage and/or disturbance to native vegetation and associated habitats outside clearing areas.
- Clearing and construction operations are employed to maximise animal welfare and reduce fauna mortality.
- Informal all personnel of site environmental responsibility.
- Reuse hollows and large rocks for habitat in retained habitat areas/linear open space.
- Safe fauna movement opportunities are provided within linear open space to prevent fauna moving through construction areas.
- Direct clearing activities from open area to less open areas allowing fauna to natural seek shelter in conservation land and linear open space/retained habitat
- Provision of permanent and temporary fencing in accordance with the Vegetation Management Clearing Plan
- Undertake works in accordance with the Direction of Clearing Plan and install fencing in accordance with the VMCP

- Prevent fauna mortality and disturbance to terrestrial fauna.
- No injury or death of Koala.
- No damage to linear open space/retained habitat.
- No disturbance to native vegetation outside permitted clearing footprints.

Lendlease Communities Pty Ltd commits to the use of leading practice methods and processes for the role of Wildlife Spotter Catchers in the engagement of any contractors for native vegetation clearing works. The standards and requirements outlined in this Specification Note are acknowledged as above minimum requirements in most Local Government areas and are applicable despite lessor requirements listed within individual project approval packages.

As a minimum specification Wildlife Spotter Catchers will retain the following Queensland State Government Permits:

Animal Ethics

1.

- Scientific Purposes Permit 2.
- Scientific User Registration 3.
- 4. Damage Mitigation Permit
- 5. Rehabilitation Permit

Wherever practical all clearing works will be coordinated in general accordance with applicable site based components of the DRAFT Code of Practice for the welfare of animals affected by land-clearing and other habitat impacts prepared by the Australia Zoo Wildlife Warriors and Voiceless (and or any contemporary Industry based final version of this Draft Code). This includes mandatory controls on the timing and sequencing of clearing works integrated with a regimented series of fauna management protocols implemented by registered Fauna Spotter / Catchers. The following procedural stages listed in the Draft Code are to be applied to clearing works on all Lendlease Communities Pty Ltd projects

#### <u>Action 1 – Engagement Wildlife Spotter Catcher</u>

Action requires that the developer (and or the developer's representative through the principal contractor) engage a Wildlife Spotter Catcher with full registrations and licences provided in accordance with the Queensland Government's National Parks and Wildlife Services. A Registered Wildlife Spotter Catcher engaged shall have the minimum permits listed in this specification.

#### Action 2 – Wildlife Spotter Catcher to Prepare a Wildlife Protection and Management Plan (WPMP)

The WPMP should be submitted to the Queensland Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (EHP) or relevant authority and or stakeholder. The WPMP should include the following information:

- Description of the project with reference to impacts on wildlife or wildlife habitat:
- Pre development plan of the site showing habitat areas, features, corridors, riparian habitats and adjacent areas;
- Results of any fauna surveys including pre-clearance surveys: and
- A wildlife and habitat impact assessment based on the proposed development works.

#### Action 3 – Prepare a Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan

Following completion and endorsement of the WPMP the Wildlife Spotter Catcher should prepare a more specific Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan, which will include details 2. on:

- Measures required to be completed to minimise wildlife and habitat impacts during operational works;
- Wildlife capture and removal plan;

- Contingency plan for wildlife requiring euthanasia, other veterinary procedures or captive care;
- Wildlife storage and housing plan;
  - Wildlife release and disposal plan; and
- Post works measures to minimise impacts on wildlife.

Lendlease Communities Pty Ltd support the use of innovative leading practice methods minimising and mitigating impacts on all native fauna during clearing operations.

#### Action 4 – Wildlife Spotter Catcher Role at Pre-Start Meeting

Prior to the commencement of any construction works, a prestart meeting is to be held between the project manager, site 0. fore-person, plant operators and applicable Local and State Government representatives. At the pre-start meeting, the Wildlife Spotter Catcher is to outline the clearing process and the requirements of the WPMP.

#### Action 5 – During Construction

The Wildlife Spotter Catcher is to be on-site during all phases of construction which involve potential impacts on wildlife or habitat (unless otherwise specified by the appointed Wildlife Spotter Catcher. This will enable to the Wildlife Spotter Catcher to make any necessary adjustments to the approved Clearing

Management Plans and WPMP to cater for any specific issues encountered during the clearing works.

#### Action 6 – Post Works Reporting

During the course of all site works, including the pre-clearance surveys, the Wildlife Spotter Catcher is to keep an accurate record of all animals encountered, captured, incidents and disposals for each stage of the project. The records should form part of the Wildlife Management Report to be issued under licence requirements to the State Government. The Wildlife Management Report should consist of the following 3 sections, where they are applicable to the project:

Wildlife Habitat Management Plan – Aspects of the 1. planning, design, construction and ongoing operation of the project in which risks to wildlife have been identified. This plan should also include recommendations and outline the type, frequency and timeframes for monitoring

2.	<i>Wildlife Capture and Disposal Plan</i> – Should contain the following details for each captured animals:
a.	Species
b.	Identification name or number
C.	Sex (M, F or unknown)
d.	Approximate Age or Age Class (neonate, juvenile, sub- adult, adult)
e.	Time and date of capture
f.	Method of capture
g.	Exact point of capture (GPS coordinates)
h.	State of health
i.	Incidents associated with capture likely to affect health
j.	Veterinary intervention or treatments
k.	Time held in captivity
Ι.	Disposal method (euthanasia, translocation, re-release)
m.	Date and time of disposal
n.	Detailed of disposal (GPS points of release)
Ο.	For released animals, location relative to point of capture

Animal Injury and Euthanasia Report - similar details for the Wildlife Capture and Disposal Plan should be included in this report.

#### Koala Management & Welfare

While clearing activities aim to protect and minimise impacts to all terrestrial fauna, specific management measure for Koala are required as part of the EPBC approval and have been specified within the Fauna Management Plan, prepared by Saunders Havill Group which should be read in conjunction with the plan. Key outcomes within the FMP for Koala include:

- Koalas on site are protected
- Koala habitats are protected, maintained and their integrity enhanced.
- The abilities for Koalas to move into, within and out of the sit e is maintained.
- All persons involved in construction and operation of the development are aware of the site values, their potential to impact on Koalas and their habitats, and their responsibilities in regard to procedures and strategies within approved management plans.



Koala Signage



Significant Tree Protection Fencing



Fauna Spotters Retrieving Fauna



Fauna Signage



Fauna Exclusion Fencing



Fauna Exclusion Fencing



Construction fencing detail





Fauna Spotter During Tree Clearing

## 07 **PRE-CLEARANCE - FAUNA MANAGEMENT**

#### Table 2: P2 – Protection of MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife (Vegetation Clearing)

Issue	P2 - Protection of MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife	Responsible Person	Timing
Implementation	No vegetation removal shall occur until relevant approvals have been obtained All permit conditions will be followed	Proponent	Prior to Clearing
Requirements	<ul> <li>To prevent damage and / or disturbance to native vegetation and associated habitats outside clearing areas: <ul> <li>a. Clearing boundaries will be delineated on all drawings and in the field to define the authorised clearing extent.</li> <li>b. Installation of vegetation clearance markers (e.g. high visibility poly-web fencing) prior to the commencement of vegetation clearance to identify and protect remnant vegetation for retention.</li> <li>c. Along the interface between clearing precincts and open space / Environmental Corridors, trees are to be felled towards the clearing precinct to avoid damage to these areas.</li> <li>d. Clearing vegetation is to be stockpiled so as not to impede damage to drainage channels.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Contractor	Prior to Clearing & During Clearing
	<ul> <li>No clearing of vegetation is to commence without the presence of an EHP approved Fauna Spotter Catcher, or where clearing includes non-juvenile Koala habitat trees, a Koala Spotter.</li> <li>a. An appointed Site Superintendent will be responsible for ensuring that all trees scheduled for removal will be checked on the day of their removal for the presence of fauna by an EHP approved Fauna Spotter Catcher / Koala Spotter as vegetation characteristics dictate.</li> <li>b. The EHP approved Fauna Spotter will check and clear vegetation prior to its felling and, if required, will relocate native wildlife (other than Koala) into appropriate habitat areas within the site which are to be retained. In the case of a Koala being present, translocation of the individual/s must occur in accordance with requirements for Koala.</li> <li>c. Hollow-bearing (habitat) trees are to be identified in the field and by plan prior to commencement of clearing operations. These shall be marked and dismantled using a cherry picker and a suitably qualified arborist and Fauna Spotter Catcher. If fauna is present, the tree will either be left standing overnight to allow the animal to leave via their own volition, or will be encouraged from the tree by shaking or other methods deemed suitable by the fauna spotter. Where no signs of fauna are identified, machinery operators will be instructed to fell trees in a manner directed by the fauna spotter to minimise potential risk to fauna.</li> </ul>	Fauna Spotter Catcher	Prior to Clearing
	All construction personnel shall attend environmental training as part of the site induction process prior to entering the work site. As part of this training, all personnel will be instructed on their obligations in regard to vegetation clearing protocols and to protect native fauna. Areas identified for vegetation clearance are to be clearly defined and detailed in site inductions.	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
	<ul> <li>Conduct vegetation clearing in sequential stages for sites with an area of more than 3 hectares. Vegetation clearing is to conform with the following:</li> <li>d. The direction of clearing should be away from threatening processes or hostile environments, and towards the clearing precinct to avoid damage to adjacent retained habitat links, ensuring that: <ol> <li>Fauna are not required to cross roads or move through developed areas or disturbed areas. Such as residential areas or areas that require movement of greater than 100m over cleared ground to reach suitable habitat;</li> <li>Fauna area not left occupying an "island" of habitat between hostile environments, such as a road and a cleared area, unless there are no other more suitable habitat areas in which to direct fauna, and</li> <li>Fauna can safely leave the site of clearing and relocate to adjacent habitat.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Contractor	During Clearing

#### Table 2: P2 – Protection of MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife (Vegetation Clearing)

lssue	P2 - Pro	otection of	MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife	Responsible Person	Timing
	e. f.	Cleared Where for Koal	l vegetation is to be stockpiled so as not to impede fauna movement. vegetation to be cleared includes non-juvenile Koala habitat trees, implement sequential clearing as per the requirements la.		
	Compa	nion anima	ls (e.g. dogs) are to be banned from all construction areas.	Contractor	At all times
	Vehicle	access with	nin retained habitat/linear open space will be limited and appropriately signed.	Contractor	Prior to Clearing & During Clearing
	Conduc which a vegetat a. Is in b. c. d. d. f. f.	ct vegetatio outlines spe tion clearing carried out tervention a i. ii. at 6an Is impla site and Ensures the tree Ensures vegetati i. ii. ii. ii. The Koa present, moved f Where a means a operato allow th removal A Koala	n dearing in accordance with Section 4 of the Spring Mountain FMP (prepared by <b>Saunders Havill Group</b> dated July 2015) ecific implementation requirements for <u>Koala</u> including clearing in sequential stages for sites. For a site more than 6ha g is to conform with the following: in a way the ensures Koalas on the area being cleared have enough time to move out of the clearing with without human and involves Ensuring not more than 3ha or 3% of the sites area (whichever is greater) in any one stage Ensuring that between each stage and the next there is at least one period of 12 hours at starts at 6pm on a day and ends in on the following day, during which no trees are cleared on the site inted in a way that ensures, while clearing is being carried out, appropriate habitat links are maintained within the clearing between the site and its adjacent areas allowing Koalas living on the site to move out of the site that no tree in which a Koala is present, or a tree with a crown overlapping a tree in which a Koala is present, is cleared until is vacated by the Koala. that vegetation clearing is directed away from threatening processes, or hostile environments, and towards any retained ion or habitat links, ensuring that: Koalas are not pressured, through loss of habitat, to cross roads or move through developed or disturbed areas, such as residential areas or areas that require movement of greater than 100m over cleared ground to reach suitable habitat; Koalas are not left occupying an "island" of habitat between hostile environments, such as road and cleared areas, unless there are no other more suitable habitat reas in which direct Koala; and Koalas can safely leave the site of clearing and relocate to adjacent habitat. Is sponter is responsible for ensuring, throughout the duration of clearing operations, that no tree in which a Koala has from the felling site of its own volitation. Is coal as is present in a tree scheduled for removal, the tree will be marked with distinctive flagging tape (and other advisory as req	Contractor / Fauna Spotter Catcher/ Koala Spotter	During Clearing



## 07 **PRE-CLEARANCE - FAUNA MANAGEMENT**

#### Table 2: P2 – Protection of MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife (Vegetation Clearing)

lssue	P2 - Protection of MNES Fauna and Native Wildlife	Responsible Person	Timing
	<ul> <li>A requirement that a permit to interfere with wildlife from EHP will be mandatory for the wildlife handing activities as will the appropriate Animal Ethics Permit from DAF. Construction personnel shall not attempt to handle any wildlife.</li> <li>a. Fauna / Koala handling and relocation activities must only be undertaken by those identified on a current site-specific Damage Mitigation Permit (Removal and Relocation of Wildlife) from EHP.</li> <li>b. Koala Spotter/Fauna Spotter Catchers are required to relocate injured wildlife to the nearest designated veterinary clinic of wildlife hospital. Full contacts will be provided within the AWP.</li> <li>c. A register of fauna incidents / interactions is to be maintained daily during clearing operations.</li> </ul>	Fauna Spotter Catcher/Koala Spotter	During Clearing & Construction
	The timing of vegetation clearance should be selected in order to minimise impacts (direct and indirect) to affected fauna habitats during optimum breeding period.	Contractor	During Clearing
	Avoid clearing of vegetation between the hours of 6pm and 6am.	Contractor	During Clearing
Monitoring	For each day of native vegetation clearing operations, a daily audit log is to be completed by the Contractor either prior to, or on completion of daily operations. Audit of key requirements, e.g. clearing contained within designated limits, integrity of clearing boundary devices, no damage to vegetation outside clearing boundary, Fauna Spotter Catcher present.	Contractor	During Clearing
Reporting	Animal Welfare Plan is prepared prior to clearing operations by the appointed Fauna Spotter Catcher.	Proponent / Fauna Spotter	Prior to Clearing
	Weekly report by the Fauna Spotter Catcher/ Koala Spotter to the Contractor on the clearing of any native vegetation and any animals encountered, injured or relocated is to be submitted.	Contractor	During Clearing
	Monthly report by the Contractor the Site Superintendent on native vegetation operations, including compliance, non-compliance incidents (fauna injury and responses) and corrective actions, outcomes of Fauna Spotter Catcher activities.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
	Bi-annual report by the Site Superintendent to the Proponent. Report to consider incident patterns, if any, and provide recommended solutions and a description of the corrective actions taken.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
	Annual site audit by the Environmental Representative and report to the Proponent	Environmental Representative	During Clearing & Construction
Corrective Action	In the event that monitoring identifies practices inconsistent with the strategies developed for this FMP, the Contractor shall take the necessary corrective steps and note them in the monthly report to be reviewed by the Site Superintendent.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
	In the event that monitoring identifies practices inconsistent with the strategies developed for this SBMP, the Contractor shall take the necessary corrective steps and note them in the monthly report to be reviewed by the Site Superintendent	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction

### P3 – Maintenance of Safe Wildlife Movement Opportunities (Site Preparation Operations)

The following suite of best practice measures will be employed throughout the site to minimise fauna habitat fragmentation, facilitated fauna movement and reduce related injury and mortality. Management requirements are considered in the context of:

- Site preparation operations (i.e. during vegetation clearing and earthworks phases); and
- Design treatments and strategies for the built phase of the development

Table 3 describes the relevant management requirements in regard to site preparation operations. The following should be read in conjunction with the requirements for Koala design treatments and strategies for the built phase of the development.

Retention and rehabilitation of the Mountain Creek Corridor to the west, in addition to the 293ha of offset land for Conservation to the south, will occur as a result of the Spring Mountain development to maintain fauna movement and connectivity within and between the development site.

#### Temporary Fencing

Prior to the commencement of vegetation clearing a temporary fauna exclusion fence will be erected around the area of clearing and works and be maintained until the completion of major civil works. The purpose of the fence is to minimise any native fauna (including koala) from entering into the clearing and or post clearing construction zone during a time when potential risks of impact are at their highest.

The fencing proposed is a "floppy-top" temporary fauna exclusion fencing as per the details and photos shown on this drawing sheet. This fencing type is preferred as it continues to allow any fauna within the impact zone to exit, however prevents new or re-entry once the fence is erected. The fencing type can also be erected along random alignments and relocated to new areas as the clearing areas expand in future clearing and development events. This fencing type has been successfully used as a temporary barrier on other koala related projects within the vicinity of major roads and housing areas.



Fauna exclusion fencing

#### Table 3: P3 – Maintenance of Safe Fauna Movement Opportunities – Site Preparation Operations

Issue	P2 – Maintenance of Safe Fauna Movement Opportunities – Site Preparation Operations (Roads and Vehicle Interactions)
Implementation	A site access plan is to be developed for the Environmental Corridors.
Requirements	Site protocols are to be established which restrict authorised area access to the approved track network identified with the plan.
	All construction personnel shall attend environmental training as part of the site induction process prior to entering the work site. As part this training, all personnel will be instructed on their obligations in regard to vehicle movement restrictions and construction speed limits.
	Erect temporary exclusion fencing around the area of clearing and works and be maintained until the completion of major civil works.
	Vehicle movements outside designated operational areas (other than for land management purposes) will be prohibited.
	Road speeds throughout construction areas and through retained habitat areas will be restricted to 50km/hr.
	Strategic use of awareness signage is to be implemented along the interface between operational areas and Environmental Corridors and access restriction signage at all track entry points to Environmental Corridors during construction works.
	Proposed construction access roads will be subject to design treatments to ensure safe fauna crossing opportunities. Construction of an elevated portion (or portions) in the form of bridging structures (culverts) in associated with guide fencing will be incorporated to ensure provision of safe crossing opportunities.
Monitoring	Weekly inspection and log.
Reporting	Monthly report by the Contractor to the Site Superintendent in regard to development / maintenance of structures implemented to facilit fauna movement, review of fauna / vehicle incident patters, if any, and provide recommended solutions, an a description of corrective actitaten.
	Bi-annual audit report by the Site Superintendent to the Proponent. Report to include compliance with site access restrictions, integrity of structure implemented to facilitate fauna movement, review of fauna/ vehicle incident patterns, if any, and provide recommended solution and a description of corrective actions taken.
	Annual site audit by Environmental Representative and report to the Proponent.
Corrective	In the event that monitoring identifies practices inconsistent with the strategies developed for this SBMP, the contractor shall take the
Action	necessary corrective steps and note them in the monthly report to be reviewed by the Site Superintendent.

#### **Objective**

- 1. To avoid the impact of habitat fragmentation by roads and maintain safe movement opportunities for native wildlife (including Koala and Grey-headed Flying-fox) between linear open space.
- 2. To maintain fauna movement opportunities within retained habitat areas and minimise fauna movement opportunities through site preparations.

#### Management Strategy

- Develop a track plan for retained habitat areas/linear open space which allows fauna movement to be maintained
- Restrict access to retained habitat areas/linear open space for environmental management only.
- Reduce road speeds
- Increase driver awareness and education

#### Performance Indicators

Minimal fauna mortality.







Controlled clearing access track

	Responsible Person	Timing
	Proponent	Prior to Clearing
	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
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	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction
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	Environmental Representative	During Clearing & Construction
	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction

## 09 THREATENED FLORA MANAGEMENT

#### P5 – Threatened Flora Management

Plectranthus habrophyllus, a herb listed as Endangered under the EPBC Act, has been recorded at several locations across the Spring Mountain project site. Core populations have been identified within Core Conservation areas by Yurrah. The majority of these locations are associated with waterways within linear open space and the habitat is to be protected.

#### Pre-clearance Survey

In accordance with the EPBC approved Threatened Flora Management Plan, prepared by Yurrah, pre-clearance surveys for each development precinct must occur by a suitable qualified person prior to the commencement of clearing. Any additional individuals must be recorded and translocated where necessary.

#### Translocation

Where plants are located within the development footprint or near the edge of the footprint, and are at risk of impact, these plants will be translocated to establish a new population in suitable habitat within the proposed Linear Open Space. The habitat for both translocated individuals and in situ individuals will be protected within a Core Conservation Area.

As an added habitat protection measures, Buffer Areas, with an offset width of 20m, will be established around Core Conservation Areas. No Go Zones must be marked out by the 20m buffer around know populations within Core Conservation areas. No work apart from conservation management activities is to be permitted within Core Conservation Areas.

#### Clearing and Construction

Plectranthus habrophyllus is to be protected from impacts of construction. Stormwater Management Plans, Bushfire Management Plans and Weed Management are to address threatened flora management.

Table 5 describes the relevant management requirements to address this issue

#### <u>Objective</u>

1. To encourage the locally resident populations of threatened flora species to increase at a natural rate to a desired level on site.

#### Management Strategy

Threatened flora habitat to be protected through the

#### approved Threatened Flora Management Plan

- Recognise and protect all linear open space through management of interface between linear open space and development for bushfire, weeds and access issues.
- Establish Core Conservation Areas and Buffer Areas at threatened flora locations to target management activities.
- Design a network for fire-trails to defined spatial blocks to prevent damage caused by uncontrolled fire and allow access for maintenance.
- Awareness and education of threatened flora presence.
- Ensure all responsible persons are aware of the significance of this issue and are fully aware of any likely impacts of scheduled works.

#### Performance Indicators

- 0% weed cover in Core Conservation Areas and Buffers
- No evidence of damage from stormwater run-off construction
- Recruitment of threatened flora seedlings in Core Conservation Area
- No damage from uncontrolled access
- Condition of protective fencing remains undamaged.

It is noted that potential patches of Plectanthus habrophyllus were identified by Yarrah (2015) along Mountain Creek, adjacent to the V6/7 detention basin location. These mapped patches, as well as other areas of suitable habitat, were checked by Saunders Havill Group for Plectanthus habrophyllus as part of pre-clearance surveys for the V6/7 detention basin Saunders Havill Group in February 2017. Plectranthus habrophyllus was not recorded.



Photo: Plectranthus habrophyllus (listed as Endangered under the EPBC Act (Cth))



#### Table 5: P5 – Threatened Flora Management

lssue	P4 Threatened Flora Management	Responsible Person	Timing
Implementation Requirements	<ul> <li>Core Conservation Areas located within 20m of land proposed for uses other than conservation, identified as areas for additional interface management including: <ol> <li>A detailed survey of threatened plant locations by a registered surveyor.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Where interfacing with residential, a fence with a minimum 50% transparency to be erected along interface boundary. Signage to be erected identifying area as 'Significant Ecological Area' and 'Dumping of Rubbish Prohibited' and where further information can be obtained.</li> <li>Where interfacing with road verge or park landscaping, design and plant selection considers and avoids any potential impact upon the threatened flora species. Landscape plant species selected will be non-invasive, existing trees to be retained where possible to maintain microclimate, and clear edge formed that discourages access. Mulch to be preferably sourced from the site and is to be weed free.</li> </ul>	Proponent	Design /Prior to Clearing &
	<ul> <li>Undertake pre- clearing surveys.</li> <li>1. Once the line of clearing (including construction of parks, pedestrian tracks and fire trails) is marked out by a registered surveyor, an additional survey for threatened species is to be undertaken within the clearing area, and Linear Open Space within 10m of the clearing line.</li> <li>2. Additional individuals, or groups of individuals located to be recorded with a GPS, given a unique ID number, and flagged with marking tape. Where necessary individuals will be translocated in accordance with protocols in the Threatened Flora Management Plan.</li> <li>3. The boundary of the Core Conservation Areas will be adjusted as necessary (if not within construction footprint), to include any additional individuals located during of the pre-clearing survey.</li> </ul>	Proponent	Prior to Clearing
	<ol> <li>Establish No Go Zones.</li> <li>Core Conservation Areas less than 20m from of the clearing and construction footprint will be identified on construction drawings and through signage on site as 'No Go Zones'. Their associated Buffer Areas will be identified as 'Proceed with Caution Zones'.</li> <li>Work within the Buffer Area will require supervision by the Project Ecologist.</li> <li>No work apart from conservation management activities is to be permitted within the Core Conservation Areas.</li> </ol>	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
	Frect exclusion fencing and signage	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
	<ol> <li>Where Linear Open Space has not been fenced as part of general vegetation protection, temporary fencing must be installed around the Core Conservation Area, where practical, and necessary (i.e. steep terrain may form natural barrier). The temporary fence shall be a minimum of star pickets with 3 strand wire and high visibility mesh attached to the top wire (with minimum gap of 500mm along the bottom) and erected prior to clearing.</li> </ol>	Contractor	, nor to ciculing
	<ol> <li>The required alignment and extent of the fencing is to be undertaken in consultation by the project ecologist and inspected before the start of clearing.</li> <li>Signage is to be attached to fencing clearly identifying the site as a significant ecological area and a 'No Go Zone', and no entry permitted unless approval given by Proponent. Mapping will be produced identifying location of threatened flora and alignment of protective fencing during detailed design for each Phase of the Spring Mountain</li> </ol>		



## 09 THREATENED FLORA MANAGEMENT

#### Table 5: P5 – Threatened Flora Management

lssue	P4 Threatened Flora Management	Responsible Person	Timing
	<ul> <li>Stormwater Management controls to be installed through implementation of an Approved Stormwater Management Plan for Spring Mountain.</li> <li>1. The Stormwater Management Plan will outline management required to ensure water quality and quantity flowing into Core Conservation Areas and all areas of proposed conservation are at predevelopment levels.</li> <li>2. All stormwater management devices are to be installed and inspected prior to clearing and construction. Stormwater management devices to be regularly checked and maintained to ensure they perform their intended function.</li> </ul>	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
	Induct all site workers and visitors in the presence and significance of threatened species on site, and on the management measures being implemented at the present time. All personal associated undertaking works within a Buffer Area are to be made aware of the presence of threatened plants, and are to be educated on protective measures in place, prior to entering area. No personnel to enter Core Conservation Area without approval.	Contractor	Prior to Clearing
No. 1	Fire trails will be installed in accordance with the Final Bushfire Management Plan with locked gates and structures to prevent access to vehicles, other than emergency and maintenance vehicles, into all Linear Open Space areas.	Contractor	During Clearing
Monitoring	<ul> <li>Core Conservation Areas and Buffers will be monitored on a 3 monthly basis for the first year, and annual thereafter for 2 years subject to satisfactory performance including: <ul> <li>Provide general photographic descriptive record</li> <li>Establish permanent sample quadrats located in each management block, according to an agreed sample strategy</li> <li>Confirm the absence of environmental weeds</li> <li>Measure species richness of the ground layer.</li> <li>Measure abundance of flowing threatened species.</li> <li>Measure abundance of threatened species seedlings</li> <li>General observations.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Contractor	During Construction / Operation
Reporting	Every 3 months by the Environmental Representative to the Proponent for the first year, every 6 months in the second year and once in the third year/	Environmental Representative	During Clearing & Construction
	Annually by the Proponent to the DoE including non-conformances, corrective actions and assessment of monitoring results.	Proponent	During Clearing
Corrective Action	In the event that monitoring identifies practices inconsistent with the strategies developed for this SBMP, the contractor shall take the necessary corrective steps and note them in the monthly report to be reviewed by the Site Superintendent.	Contractor	During Clearing & Construction

#### Pre-Clearance Checklist:

This Site Based Management Plan (V6/7) contains only a small portion of information included within existing assessment management plans for Spring Mountain. Subsequently, the volume of requirements remains complex and overlapping. To ensure compliance with approval requirements and provide a record trail for reporting to the Commonwealth <u>Department of the Environment</u> the following pre-clearance checklist is to be completed with each phase of works.

The checklist is to be completed by the principal contractor and requires sign off by the Environmental Coordinator and Fauna Spotter. To complete the checklist a number of items need to be issued from various parties to the principal contractor (eg confirmation of pre-clearance surveys).

The pre-clearance checklist is established in a format which enables direct annual reporting to the <u>Department of the</u> <u>Environment</u> and will include a number of attachments.

Springfield Rise - Environmental Pre-Start Checklist Project Area: Village & Date: Contractor: Shadforths Construction Stage/ Activity: Early works bulk earthworks Date work is to start: Compliance Date work is to cease: Yes No N/A Comments . **Control Measure** Are clearing extents marked out and fenced? Completed by Wolter Consulting (N.B. Fencing is required as per ICC permits unless ON DATE nstructed otherwise by Council, Fauna Spotter of Environmental Coordinator) Has the fencing of clearing extents demarcation Completed by SHG on DATE been inspected by the Environmental Coordinator? 3 Has sign off been provided by the Environmental See Attach went I Coordinator for demarcation areas? 4 Has certification for pre-clearance flora been See Attachment 2 provided? INB. Exemptions/permits for prolected FHP Reference: AR082999 plants under the NCA must be obtained by EHP where 22 January 2016 works poor in a High Risk Area). Please provide date and reference. 5 Have pre-clearance checks surveys for Completed by SHG on 8 July 2015. Plectanthus habrophyllus been completed over See Attachment 3. the clearing area? 6 Are there 'no-go' zones identified within the clearing area? If yes, have 'no-go' zones been demarcated, fenced, signed and inspected by the Environmental Coordinator and Contractor? Has the appointed Fauna Spotter completed preclearance surveys and reports? 9 Has the appointed Fauna Spotter identified any









Pro	ject Area: V6/7 Detention Basin	Date:						
Contractor: Shadforths Date work is to start: 9/3/17			Construction Stage/ Activity: Early works bulk earthworks. (					
Dat	te work is to cease: 12/5/17	Compliance						
#	Control Measure	Yes	No	N/A	Comments			
1	Are clearing extents marked out and fenced? (N.B. Fencing is required as per ICC permits unless instructed otherwise by Council, Fauna Spotter or Environmental Coordinator)	~			Completed by Wolter Consulting on 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2017.			
2	Has the fencing of clearing extents demarcation been inspected by the Environmental Coordinator?	~			Completed by SHG on 2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2017.			
3	Has sign off been provided by the Environmental Coordinator for demarcation areas?	~			See Attachment 1.			
4	Has certification for pre-clearance flora been provided? (N.B. Exemptions/permits for protected plants under the NCA must be obtained by EHP where works occur in a High Risk Area). Please provide date and reference.	~			See Attachment 2. EHP Reference: AR098350 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2017.			
5	Have pre-clearance checks surveys for <i>Plectanthus habrophyllus</i> been completed over the clearing area?	1			Completed by SHG on 14 <sup>th</sup> February 2017. See Attachment 3.			
6	Are there 'no-go' zones identified within the clearing area?		~					
7	If yes, have 'no-go' zones been demarcated, fenced, signed and inspected by the Environmental Coordinator and Contractor?			1				
8	Has the appointed Fauna Spotter completed pre-clearance surveys and reports?	~			See Attachment 4. Fauna Spotter Catcher Pre-Clearance and Habitat Values Survey, completed by QFC (March 2017)			
9	Has the appointed Fauna Spotter identified any sensitive areas for consideration in clearing methods? Please provide a summary.	<b>v</b>			See Attachment 4. Fauna Spotter Catcher WHIMP, completed by QFC (March 2017).			

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10	Have all contractors, subcontractors and associated personnel been instructed on environmental procedures and controls?	×	See Attachment 5. Environmental Awareness Acknowledgement Notice, signed by Shadforths (March 2017).
11	Has a Council pre-start been completed?	1	Completed with ICC on 30 <sup>th</sup> November 2016

NOTE: if the answer to any question (1-5, 7-11) above is NO then the clearing activity will not proceed.

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Practical Mulching Solutions	Clearing Contractor	Mark Grant	3.3.17
Lend Lease	Client Representative	XX	6.3.17
Arcadis	Project Engineer (	Cande	3.3.17
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Date:

: 3.3.17

**ENIRONMENTAL COORDINATOR:** 

Name: Murray Saunders

Date: 03.03.17.

Position: Director

Signature:

FAUNA SPOTTER COORDINATOR:

Name: Bryan Robinson

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Position: Director/Principal Ecologist

Signature:

Date: 03/03/17

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### ATTACHMENT I -

## Demarcation Flagging Inspection Notification



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Date:	2 March 2017
Site:	Springfield Rise
Client:	Lendlease Communities
EPBC Ref:	2013/7057
SHG Ref:	7243
SHG Contact:	Murray Saunders (07 3251 9444)

#### **Attention: Ian Murray**

Regional Development Manager, Communities Level 4, Kings Gate, King Street Bowen Hills QLD 4006

Springfield Rise: V6/7 Detention Basin –Inspection of flagging for demarcation of clearing extents (Phase 1early works bulk earthworks, 7002 Grande Avenue, Springfield (Lot 33 on SP269190 & Lot 22 on SP234042)

Dear lan,

The *Environmental Management Division* of **Saunders Havill Group** was engaged by **Lendlease Communities** to carry out an inspection of flagging for demarcation fencing for the Phase 1- Early Works Bulk Earthworks clearing extent associated with the construction of the V6/7 Detention Basin at Springfield Rise.

Flagging of the V6/7 Detention Basin Phase 1 clearing extent was undertaken by the appointed surveys, **Wolter Consulting,** on the 24<sup>th</sup> February 2017. Ecologists from **Saunders Havill Group** checked and reflagged the clearing extent on the 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2017 to confirm works will be undertaken in accordance with relevant Commonwealth and Council permit requirements.

The GPS track log of the inspection extent shown in the plan provided as **Attachment 1**. A post-inspection notification is provided as **Attachment 2** to be kept for your records.

Kind regards,

Murray Saunders Director – Saunders Havill Group

Attachment I –

Demarcation Fencing Inspection Track Log

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### Attachment 2 –

### Demarcation Flagging Inspection Notification

Area Inspected:	Springfield Rise – V6/7 Basin: Phase 1 (Early Works Bulk Earthworks)
Location:	7002 Grande Avenue, Springfield (Lot 33 on SP269190 & Lot 22 on SP234042)
GPS Coordinates:	
Date of Inspection:	2 <sup>nd</sup> March 2017
Appointed Surveyor:	Wolter Consulting – Glenn Hanton
Environmental	Saunders Havill Group – David Havill
Representative:	
Environmental	The V6/7 detention basin is situated online of a low order watercourse. Dense weed
features:	infestations were present throughout the entire area.

Photos of flagging prior to demarcation fencing:



### ATTACHMENT 2 -

## NCA Flora Survey Report and Exemption Notification

#### Keira Grundy

PALM <palm@ehp.qld.gov.au></palm@ehp.qld.gov.au>
Wednesday, 1 March 2017 3:46 PM
Keira Grundy
RE: AR098350 7522: Exempt Clearing Notification - Springfield Rise V7 & V12

Exempt Clearing Notification (protected plants)

Applicant: Lend Lease Communities (Springfield) Pty Ltd

Where clearing is to be conducted – Street Address: Sinnathamby Boulevard, Springfield Lot/Plan: Lot 12 and 13 on SP257480

EHP Reference: AR098350

Dear Mr Murray

Thank you for your request for an Exempt Clearing Notification for protected plants.

Please retain this email as acknowledgement of receipt of a protected plant exemption notification submitted under *Section 261ZA* of the *Nature Conservation (Wildlife Management) Regulation 2006.* 

Clearing of a protected plant under this section must be conducted within two years after the flora survey report was submitted to the Department of Environment and Heritage Protection.

It is strongly recommended that for audit purposes you keep this email together with the relevant flora survey trigger map, flora survey report and any other documentation relating to the clearing in question.

Please visit <u>www.ehp.qld.gov.au</u> for information about available online services.

Kind regards



Katrina Theilemann Administration Officer Customer Service Team I Regulatory Capability and Customer Service Department of Environment and Heritage Protection

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From: Keira Grundy [mailto:keiragrundy@saundershavill.com]
Sent: Friday, 17 February 2017 3:09 PM
To: PALM
Subject: AR098350 7522: Exempt Clearing Notification - Springfield Rise V7 & V12

Hi,

On behalf of Lendlease Communities, please accept this exempt clearing notification (protected plants) for the site area known as Springfield Rise – Village 7 & Village 12. Attached are the following documents:

- Notification form completed and signed
- Protected Plants Flora Survey Report

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

#### Keira Grundy Environmental Planner Saunders Havill Group

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### I. Introduction

The Environmental Management Division of the **Saunders Havill Group** was engaged by **Lendlease Communities** to prepare this Protected Plants Flora Survey Report to enable clearing within areas mapped as 'High Risk' under the Nature Conservation Act 1992 (NCA). Clearing works are associated with early works stages at Springfield Rise master planned development, specifically the development areas known as Village 7 and Village 12 (V7 & V12). The Springfield Rise development site is located Sinnathamby Boulevard, Springfield Central (Lots 12 and 13 on SP257480) and is within the jurisdiction of **Ipswich City Council** (ICC).

The **Queensland Government** has adopted a risk-based approach to the regulation of protected plants under the NCA. The regulatory framework captures activities that pose a high risk to plant biodiversity. Regulatory, educational and compliance effort are consequently focused on high risk activities. Under the framework, when a non-exempt clearing activity is proposed within a 'High Risk' area, the proponent of that activity is required to complete a flora survey prior to commencement of clearing.

The main objective of the flora survey is to locate any Endangered, Vulnerable or Near Threatened (EVNT) plants that may be present within the clearing impact area. This is especially important for determining the degree of assessment required for a particular clearing activity. For example, if the survey establishes that EVNT plant species are not present within the clearing impact area, the proposed clearing will be exempt and, following notification to the department, a clearing permit will not be required. Alternatively, if EVNT plant species are identified, and clearing is considered to impact on the EVNT plant (i.e. clearing comes within 100m of the EVNT plant) then an application for a Protected Plant Clearing Permit is required.

Contextually, the Springfield Rise project site is located to the west of Springfield Central, approximately 13km southeast of Ipswich City and approximately 26 km southwest of Brisbane City. The site is bordered by commercial development and educational facilities associated with Springfield Central to the northeast, residential development to the southeast and large vegetated rural properties adjoining White Rock-Spring Mountain Conservation Estate and more broadly the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor. The site is bound by Centenary Highway to the north and Sinnathamby Boulevard to the east. The surrounding suburbs of Redbank Plains, Springfield Lakes and Swanbank are highly urbanised and contain a mixture of residential housing, commercial

properties and industrial land uses. Refer to Figures 1 and 2 for site context and aerial. Clearing works proposed

within Village 7 and Village 12 form part of early works for the commencement of the Springfield Rise project which forms part of the Greater Springfield urban development area (refer **Plan 1**). It is noted that the Springfield Rise project (refer **Plan 2**) has been approved by the Commonwealth **Department of the Environment and Energy** (DEE) (EPBC 2013/7057).

The flora surveys outlined in this report were conducted where proposed clearing is mapped within 'High Risk' areas under Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger Mapping (refer **Figure 3**) as per the *Flora Survey Guidelines – Protected Plants Nature Conservation Act 1992.* It is noted that previously NCA protected plants surveys have been undertaken and exempt clearing notification issued by the **Department of Environment and Heritage** (EHP) for by for Villages 6, 8 and 13 and the Haul Road (AR082999) and Village 7, DA15 and DA16 (AR095633).



#### I.I. Key Site Details

Address	Sinnathamby Boulevard
RPD	Lot 12 & 13 on SP257480
Local Government Area	Ipswich City Council
Planning Scheme	Springfield Structure Plan, which forms part of the Ipswich City Council Planning Scheme 2003
Area Classification/Zone	Community Residential
Existing Land Use	Vacant
Proposed Land Use	Residential / Road





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Springfield Rise - Development Proposal

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# 2. Desktop Assessment

#### 2.I. Nature Conservation Act 1992

The NCA classifies and protects significant areas (Protected Areas) and protects threatened plant and animal species. The *Nature Conservation (Wildlife) Regulation 1994* (NCWR) lists plant and animal species presumed extinct, endangered, vulnerable, near threatened, least concern, international or prohibited.

The **Queensland Government** has adopted a regulatory framework that captures activities that pose a high risk to plant biodiversity. Under the framework, when a non-exempt clearing activity is proposed within a 'High Risk' area, the proponent of that activity is required to complete a flora survey prior to commencement of clearing. The Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger Map shows 'High Risk' areas for protected plants and is used to help determine flora survey and clearing permit requirements for a particular location.

A search of the Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger Mapping indicated proposed clearing areas within the subject site are overlayed as 'High Risk' and so are subject to flora survey requirements (refer **Figure 3**).

Prior to flora surveys, the schedules of the NCWR were considered in this report using a Wildlife Online Database Search with a 10 kilometre radius from the site. Six (6) flora species listed under the NCWR were identified as having the potential to occur on site and are presented in **Table 1**. Refer to **Appendix A** for full search results.

Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Marsdenia coronata	Slender Milk Vine	Vulnerable
Plectranthus habrophyllus	-	Endangered
Eucalyptus curtisii	Plunkett Mallee	Near Threatened
Melaleuca irbyana	Swamp Tea Tree	Endangered
Notelaea ipsviciensis	-	Endangered
Notelaea lloydii	Lloyd's Native Olive	Vulnerable

Table 1: Wildlife Online Search Results - Flora

#### 2.2. Additional legislative instruments

In order to maximise the scope of the flora survey, a search of protected matters listed as potentially present within 10 km of the sites under the Federal *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) was conducted using the Protected Matters Search Tool. Potential flora EVNT species listed under the EPBC Act are presented in **Table 2**. Refer to **Appendix B** for full search results.

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Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Arthraxon hispidus	Hairy Joint Grass	Vulnerable
Bosistoa transversa	Three-leaved Bosistoa	Vulnerable
Cupaniopsis tomentella	Boonah Tuckeroo	Vulnerable
Macadamia integrifolia	Macadamia Nut	Vulnerable
Macadamia tetraphylla	Rough-shelled Bush Nut	Vulnerable
Notelaea ipsviciensis	Cooneana Olive	Critically Endangered
Notelaea Iloydii	Lloyd's Olive	Vulnerable
Phaius australis	Lesser Swamp-orchid	Endangered
Phebalium distans	My Berryman Phebalium	Critically Endangered
Planchonella eerwah	Shiny-leaved Condoo	Endangered
Plectranthus habrophyllus	-	Endangered
Samadera bidwillii	Quassia	Vulnerable
Sophora fraseri	-	Vulnerable
Thesium australe	Austral Toadflax	Vulnerable

#### Table 2: EPBC Act Protected Matters Search Results - Flora

Regional Ecosystem mapping under the *Vegetation Management Act 1999* (VMA) was utilised to inform flora survey targets and techniques. The broader area where the survey sites occur is mapped under the VMA as Least Concern 12.9-10.19a and 12.9-10.17a and composite Of Concern RE12.9-10.2/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.19 as described below and highlighted in **Plan 3**.

#### Least Concern RE 12.9-10.19a

Description	Corymbia henryi +/- Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. Fibrosa, Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegate, Eucalyptus
	siderophloia, Eucalyptus crebra open forest. Occurs in coastal areas on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.

#### Least Concern RE 12.9 -10.17a

**Description**Lophostemon confertus or Lophostemon suaveolens dominated open forest usually with emergent Eucalyptus and/or Corymbia species. Occurs in gullies and southern slopes on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.

#### Least Concern RE 12.9-10.2

Description Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegata open forest or woodland usually with Eucalyptus crebra. Other species such as Eucalyptus tereticornis, Eucalyptus moluccana, Eucalyptus acmenoides and Eucalyptus siderophloia may be present in scattered patches or in low densities. Understorey can be grassy or shrubby. Shrubby understorey of Lophostemon confertus (whipstick form) often present in northern parts of bioregion. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.

#### Of Concern RE 12.9-10.7

Description

*Eucalyptus crebra* +/- *Eucalyptus tereticornis, Corymbia tessellaris, Angophora leiocarpa, Eucalyptus melanophloia woodland. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.* 

#### Least Concern RE 12.9-10.19

Description

Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. fibrosa woodland +/- Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegata, E. acmenoides or E. portuensis, Angophora leiocarpa, E. major. Understorey often sparse.



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## 3. Flora Survey Methodology

#### 3.I. Clearing Impact Area

The proposed clearing site (i.e. Village 7 and Village 12) is predominately mapped as 'High Risk' areas under Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger (refer **Figure 3**). The Clearing Impact Area, which is identified the area to be cleared inclusive of a 100m buffer, is shown in **Plan 4**. It is noted that previously NCA protected plants surveys have been undertaken for Villages 6, 8 and 13 and the Haul Road (AR082999) and Village 7, DA15 and DA16 (AR095633) and a NCA exempt clearing notification confirmed by **EHP**.

#### 3.2. Survey extent and Limitations

**Table 3** and **Plan 4** summarise the Clearing Impact Area and Transect extent. A single transect was undertaken over the Clearing Impact Area however as discussed in **Section 4** (refer to **Table 4** survey timing break and photos) the survey was heavily impeded by dense *Lantana camara* (Lantana) infestations which made it almost impossible to traverse portions of the site. Access was limited to Mountain Creek due to infestations of Lantana and other weeds. No new species were noted where access could me gained. General observations for EVNT flora species were conducted at all times while on-site, both inside and outside designated Clearing Impact Area.

#### Table 3: Transect Coordinates

Transect Start		Finish
1	152.901 E / 27.691 S	152.897 E / 27.692 S

#### 3.3. Survey Timing and Limitations

The Clearing Impact Area included the proposed early works sites for Villages 12 and 7. With the exception of NCA clearance, all other relevant approvals have been obtained to commence clearing works in the first half of 2017. The site has been subject to numerous ecological surveys as part of obtaining relevant Commonwealth, State and Council approvals. No EVNT species have been recorded as part of pre-clearance surveys undertaken by **SHG** as part of Commonwealth condition requirements (EPBC 2013/7075).

#### 3.4. Flora Survey Methodology

The clearing sites were surveyed using the preferred timed meander survey technique as per *Flora Survey Guidelines* – *Protected Plants Nature Conservation Act 1992* by two (2) suitably qualified professionals including (1) Senior Ecologists and one (1) Ecologist (refer to **Appendix C** for curricula vitae). Surveys were carried out as follows:

- 1) The Clearing Impact Area was traversed on foot by project Ecologists (refer to **Plan 4**).
- 2) The start and finish time of each meander was recorded.
- 3) The track log of project Ecologist's transects was recorded using a handheld GPS unit accurate to < 1m.
- 4) The identity of all plant species encountered during each meander was recorded.
- 5) The site and surrounds were photographed.



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# 4. Flora Survey Results

The Clearing Impact Area was assessed on the 14<sup>th</sup> February 2017. **No EVNT species were encountered in the clearing impact area**. Given the extent of survey it can be stated with a high level of confidence that no EVNT species will be cleared by the proposed development.

A total of one hundred and four (104) flora species were identified throughout the survey period. A single transect over the length of 2,900 metres was searched for threatened species by two ecologists using the meander methods.

**Table 4** summarises the details of each of the timed meander transect. Meander transect descriptions with photographs are presented in the following pages. A general description for the transect area is provided in this section and respective species lists in **Appendix D**.

#### Table 4:Meander survey summary

Site	Date	Start Time	Finish Time	Duration	Distance	Flora Species
1	14.02.2017	7.50am	10:20am	210 mins	2,900m	104

#### 4.I. Meander Transect I

Transect 1 is located within mapped remnant vegetation dominated by Least Concern regional ecosystem 12.9-10.17 and 12.9-10.19a and contains areas of composite Of Concern RE12.9-10.2/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.19. These communities are described below:

- **12.9-10.17a:** Lophostemon confertus or Lophostemon suaveolens dominated open forest usually with emergent Eucalyptus and/or Corymbia species. Occurs in gullies and southern slopes on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments
- **12.9-10.19a:** Corymbia henryi +/- Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. Fibrosa, Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegate, Eucalyptus siderophloia, Eucalyptus crebra open forest. Occurs in coastal areas on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.
- **12.9-10.2:** Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegata open forest or woodland usually with Eucalyptus crebra. Other species such as Eucalyptus tereticornis, E. moluccana, E. acmenoides and E. siderophloia may be present in scattered patches or in low densities. Understorey can be grassy or shrubby. Shrubby understorey of Lophostemon confertus (whipstick form) often present in northern parts of bioregion. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments
- **12.9-10.7:** Eucalyptus crebra +/- E. tereticornis, Corymbia tessellaris, Angophora leiocarpa, E. melanophloia woodland. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments
- **12.9-10.19:** Eucalyptus fibrosa subsp. fibrosa woodland +/- Corymbia citriodora subsp. variegata, E. acmenoides or E. portuensis, Angophora leiocarpa, E. major. Understorey often sparse. Localised occurrences of Eucalyptus sideroxylon. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments.

The transect survey included investigations along 2,900m

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This transect traversed through vegetation that was a combination of low gully lines and ridges with increased densities of *Lophostemon suaveolens* (Swamp Box) in lower gully areas. It is noted that the low areas associated with the VMA mapped waterway that ran through the assessment area contained extremely dense impenetrable infestations of *Lantana camara* (Lantana) up to to 2m in height (refer **Plan 3**). The area containing *Lantana camara* contained very few native flora species.

The ridgelines within the assessment contained a mix of Corymbia and Eucalypt species with dense understorey of Acacia species. Rocky outcrops were observed throughout the ridgelines. The ridgeline areas were targeted during the field the survey due to these areas being preferred habitat for a number of the listed flora species.

Several old tracks and firebreaks were observed during the traverse of the area.

One-hundred and four (104) flora species were recorded throughout the transect area, all of which are listed as common under state and federal legislation.



Photo: Transect 1 waterway areas dominated by dense Lantana camara (Lantana)

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Photo: Transect 1 rocky outcrops within the ridgeline areas.



Photo: Transect 1 ridges containing areas of dense acacia and areas of relatively sparse understorey.

#### 4.2. Summary

Field surveys were carried out within the clearing impact area and buffer of early works precincts (Village 7 and 12) of the Springfield Rise project site which is mapped as 'High Risk' by Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger Mapping. The survey utilised the preferred random meander technique as outlined in the *Flora Survey Guidelines – Protected Plants Nature Conservation Act 1992* to identify the presence of EVNT species. Coverage included the proposed clearing extents as well as a 100 m buffer. A single meander transect as well as continual observations were completed throughout the investigation area. It is noted that access was heavily impeded by dense Lantana infestations.

The following points provide a summary of the investigation area:

- The vegetation communities observed have been extensively searched and analysed against current regional ecosystem mapping with overall consistencies in the location of each regional ecosystem community. Some minor variations were observed however in the majority of areas these variations are too small to provide for changes to this mapping.
- The majority of the canopy layer of the Clearing Impact Area reflects relatively intact representing an open forest to woodland community. Although evidence of forestry practices was recorded in all transects and throughout observational survey points, the site remains as remnant due to the vegetation community's height and density.
- The sub-canopy layer is relatively sparse throughout the majority of the site and is typical of the mapped vegetation communities represented on site.
- The understorey layer is variable with the ridgelines containing dense acacia regrowth and the VMA mapped waterway containing a relatively sparse native flora layer. The dense infestations of acacia indicate evidence of historical fire events. Old cut stumps throughout the area also indicate historical logging practices.
- Dense weed infestation was observed throughout the mapped waterways and drainage lines. Low to
  moderate infestation were observed on the lower slopes of the ridgelines with only sparse infestations on
  the higher part of the ridges.
- Exposed rocky habitat was recorded in isolated patches along ridgelines. Although these areas have been
  extensively searched, no threatened species were recorded at the time of the assessment within the
  investigation area.

Surveys did not identify any EVNT species within the proposed clearing areas or the 100m buffer.



## 5. Appendices

#### **Appendix A**

Wildlife Online Search Results

#### Appendix **B**

Protected Matters Search Results

#### Appendix C

Curricula Vitae

#### Appendix D

Species Lists





Wildlife Online Search Results

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### Wildlife Online Extract

Search Criteria:	Species List for a Specified Point
	Species: All
	Type: All
	Status: Rare and threatened species
	Records: All
	Date: All
	Latitude: -27.6906
	Longitude: 152.8996
	Distance: 10
	Email: davidhavill@saundershavill.com
	Date submitted: Monday 30 Nov 2015 15:16:35
	Date extracted: Monday 30 Nov 2015 15:20:08

The number of records retrieved = 19

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name		Q	А	Records
animals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Adelotus brevis	tusked frog		V		10
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	Calyptorhynchus lathami lathami	glossy black-cockatoo (eastern)		V		10
animals	birds	Falconidae	Falco hypoleucos	grey falcon		V		1
animals	birds	Maluridae	Stipiturus malachurus	southern emu-wren		V		1
animals	birds	Psittacidae	Lathamus discolor	swift parrot		Е	E	3
animals	birds	Rostratulidae	Rostratula australis	Australian painted snipe		V	E	8
animals	birds	Strigidae	Ninox strenua	powerful owl		V		13
animals	birds	Turnicidae	Turnix melanogaster	black-breasted button-quail		V	V	1
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Dasyurus maculatus maculatus	spotted-tailed quoll (southern subspecies)		V	E	3
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Petrogale penicillata	brush-tailed rock-wallaby		V	V	8
animals	mammals	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	koala		V	V	541
animals	mammals	Vombatidae	Vombatus ursinus	common wombat		NT		1
animals	reptiles	Elapidae	Acanthophis antarcticus	common death adder		V		1
plants	higher dicots	Apocynaceae	Marsdenia coronata	slender milkvine		V		19/19
plants	higher dicots	Lamiaceae	Plectranthus habrophyllus			Е	Е	11/11
plants	higher dicots	Myrtaceae	Eucalyptus curtisii	Plunkett mallee		NT		13/13
plants	higher dicots	Myrtaceae	Melaleuca irbyana			Е		1/1
plants	higher dicots	Oleaceae	Notelaea ipsviciensis			Е	CE	12/12
plants	higher dicots	Oleaceae	Notelaea Iloydii	Lloyd's native olive		V	V	6/6

#### CODES

I - Y indicates that the taxon is introduced to Queensland and has naturalised.

Q - Indicates the Queensland conservation status of each taxon under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*. The codes are Extinct in the Wild (PE), Endangered (E), Vulnerable (V), Near Threatened (NT), Least Concern (C) or Not Protected ().

A - Indicates the Australian conservation status of each taxon under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999.* The values of EPBC are Conservation Dependent (CD), Critically Endangered (CE), Endangered (E), Extinct (EX), Extinct in the Wild (XW) and Vulnerable (V).

Records – The first number indicates the total number of records of the taxon for the record option selected (i.e. All, Confirmed or Specimens). This number is output as 99999 if it equals or exceeds this value. The second number located after the / indicates the number of specimen records for the taxon. This number is output as 999 if it equals or exceeds this value.



# Appendix B

Protected Matters Search Results

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# **EPBC** Act Protected Matters Report

This report provides general guidance on matters of national environmental significance and other matters protected by the EPBC Act in the area you have selected.

Information on the coverage of this report and qualifications on data supporting this report are contained in the caveat at the end of the report.

Information is available about <u>Environment Assessments</u> and the EPBC Act including significance guidelines, forms and application process details.

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Coordinates Buffer: 10.0Km



# Summary

### Matters of National Environmental Significance

This part of the report summarises the matters of national environmental significance that may occur in, or may relate to, the area you nominated. Further information is available in the detail part of the report, which can be accessed by scrolling or following the links below. If you are proposing to undertake an activity that may have a significant impact on one or more matters of national environmental significance then you should consider the <u>Administrative Guidelines on Significance</u>.

World Heritage Properties:	None
National Heritage Places:	None
Wetlands of International Importance:	1
Great Barrier Reef Marine Park:	None
Commonwealth Marine Area:	None
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities:	2
Listed Threatened Species:	54
Listed Migratory Species:	34

### Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act

This part of the report summarises other matters protected under the Act that may relate to the area you nominated. Approval may be required for a proposed activity that significantly affects the environment on Commonwealth land, when the action is outside the Commonwealth land, or the environment anywhere when the action is taken on Commonwealth land. Approval may also be required for the Commonwealth or Commonwealth agencies proposing to take an action that is likely to have a significant impact on the environment anywhere.

The EPBC Act protects the environment on Commonwealth land, the environment from the actions taken on Commonwealth land, and the environment from actions taken by Commonwealth agencies. As heritage values of a place are part of the 'environment', these aspects of the EPBC Act protect the Commonwealth Heritage values of a Commonwealth Heritage place. Information on the new heritage laws can be found at http://www.environment.gov.au/heritage

A <u>permit</u> may be required for activities in or on a Commonwealth area that may affect a member of a listed threatened species or ecological community, a member of a listed migratory species, whales and other cetaceans, or a member of a listed marine species.

Commonwealth Land:	1
Commonwealth Heritage Places:	1
Listed Marine Species:	36
Whales and Other Cetaceans:	1
Critical Habitats:	None
Commonwealth Reserves Terrestrial:	None
Commonwealth Reserves Marine:	None

### **Extra Information**

This part of the report provides information that may also be relevant to the area you have nominated.

State and Territory Reserves:	3
Regional Forest Agreements:	None
Invasive Species:	35
Nationally Important Wetlands:	1
Key Ecological Features (Marine)	None

# Details

### Matters of National Environmental Significance

Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar)	[Resource Information]
Name	Proximity
Moreton bay	20 - 30km upstream

### Listed Threatened Ecological Communities

For threatened ecological communities where the distribution is well known, maps are derived from recovery plans, State vegetation maps, remote sensing imagery and other sources. Where threatened ecological community distributions are less well known, existing vegetation maps and point location data are used to produce indicative distribution maps.

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia	Critically Endangered	Community may occur within area
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland	Critically Endangered	Community likely to occur within area
Listed Threatened Species		[Resource Information]
Name	Status	Type of Presence
Birds		
Anthochaera phrygia		
Regent Honeyeater [82338]	Critically Endangered	Foraging, feeding or related behaviour may occur within area
Botaurus poiciloptilus	<b>F</b> u de a gene d	On a size, an an a size, habitat
Australasian Bittern [1001]	Endangered	likely to occur within area
Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni		
Coxen's Fig-Parrot [59714]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Dasyornis brachypterus		
Eastern Bristlebird [533]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Diomedea exulans antipodensis		
Antipodean Albatross [82269]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea exulans exulans		
Tristan Albatross [82337]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea exulans gibsoni		
Gibson's Albatross [82271]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea exulans (sensu lato)		
Wandering Albatross [1073]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Erythrotriorchis radiatus		
Red Goshawk [942]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Geophaps scripta scripta		
Squatter Pigeon (southern) [64440]	Vulnerable	Species or species

[Resource Information]

Name	Status	Type of Presence
		habitat may occur within
Oraștialla sista		area
Grantiella picta Reinted Henevester [470]	Vulnarabla	Spacios or spacios habitat
Fainted Honeyeater [470]	vullielable	may occur within area
Lathamus discolor		
Swift Parrot [744]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Macronectes giganteus		
Southern Giant Petrel [1060]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
	9	may occur within area
Macronectes halli		
Northern Glant Petrel [1061]	Vuinerable	Species or species nabitat
		may occur within area
Pachyptila turtur subantarctica		
Fairy Prion (southern) [64445]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Deephile cinete, cinete		
Poepmia cincta cincta Black throated Einch (southern) [64447]	Endangorod	Spacios or spacios habitat
Diack-thioated Fillen (Southern) [04447]	Endangered	may occur within area
Rostratula australis		
Australian Painted Snipe [77037]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Thalassarche cauta, cauta		
Shy Albatross, Tasmanian Shy Albatross [82345]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
	Vullierable	may occur within area
Thalassarche cauta salvini		
Salvin's Albatross [82343]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Thalassarche cauta, steadi		
White-capped Albatross [82344]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
······ •••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••		likely to occur within area
Thalassarche eremita		
Chatham Albatross [64457]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Thalassarche melanophris		
Black-browed Albatross [66472]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
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<u>Inalassarche melanophris impavida</u>	Vulnarabla	Chanica ar anagica habitat
Campbell Albatross [82449]	vuinerable	Species of species nabitat
		may occur within area
Turnix melanogaster		
Black-breasted Button-quail [923]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Fich		
Eninenhelus daemelii		
Black Rockcod, Black Cod, Saddled Rockcod [68449]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
	Vallerable	may occur within area
		,
Insects		
Phyllodes imperialis smithersi		• · ·
Pink Underwing Moth [86084]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Mammals		
Chalinolobus dwyeri		
Large-eared Pied Bat, Large Pied Bat [183]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Dasyurus hallucatus		
Northern Quoll [331]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Dasyurus maculatus maculatus (SE mainland population	<u>on)</u>	
Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population) [75184]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Petrogale penicillata		
Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby [225]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Phascolarctos cinereus (combined populations of Qld, N	NSW and the ACT)	
Koala (combined populations of Queensland, New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory) [85104] Potorous tridactylus tridactylus	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Long-nosed Potoroo (SE mainland) [66645]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Pteropus poliocephalus		
Grey-headed Flying-fox [186]	Vulnerable	Roosting known to occur within area
Other		
Cycas ophiolitica		
[55797]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Plants		
Arthraxon hispidus		
Hairy-joint Grass [9338]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Bosistoa transversa		
Three-leaved Bosistoa, Yellow Satinheart [16091]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Cupaniopsis tomentella Boonah Tuckeroo [3322]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Notelaea ipsviciensis		Opening on on star habits (
	Chucally Endangered	may occur within area

Notelaea Ilovdii

Lloyd's Olive [15002]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Phaius australis Lesser Swamp-orchid [5872]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
<u>Phebalium distans</u> Mt Berryman Phebalium [81869]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Planchonella eerwah Shiny-leaved Condoo, Black Plum, Wild Apple [17340]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Plectranthus habrophyllus [64589]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
<u>Sophora fraseri</u> [8836]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
<u>Thesium australe</u> Austral Toadflax, Toadflax [15202]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Reptiles		
Caretta caretta		
Loggerhead Turtle [1763]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
<u>Chelonia mydas</u>		
Green Turtle [1765]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Coeranoscincus reticulatus		
Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink [59628]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Delma torquata		
Collared Delma [1656]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Dermochelys coriacea		
Leatherback Turtle, Leathery Turtle, Luth [1768]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Eretmochelys imbricata		
Hawksbill Turtle [1766]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Furina dunmalli		
Dunmall's Snake [59254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Lepidochelys olivacea		
Olive Ridley Turtle, Pacific Ridley Turtle [1767]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Natator depressus		
Flatback Turtle [59257]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Listed Migratory Species		[Resource Information
* Species is listed under a different scientific name on th	e EPBC Act - Threatened	Species list
Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
Migratory Marine Birds		
Apus pacificus		
Fork-tailed Swift [678]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Diomedea antipodensis Antipodean Albatross [64458]

### Diomedea dabbenena Tristan Albatross [66471]

Diomedea exulans (sensu lato) Wandering Albatross [1073]

Diomedea gibsoni Gibson's Albatross [64466]

Macronectes giganteus Southern Giant Petrel [1060]

Macronectes halli Northern Giant Petrel [1061]

<u>Thalassarche cauta (sensu stricto)</u> Shy Albatross, Tasmanian Shy Albatross [64697]

Vulnerable\*

Vulnerable

Species or species habitat may occur within

### Vulnerable\*

Species or species habitat may occur within area

Endangered\*

Vulnerable

Vulnerable\*

Endangered

Species or species habitat may occur within area

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
		area
Chatham Albatross [64457]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Thalassarche impavida		
Campbell Albatross, Campbell Black-browed Albatross [64459]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Thalassarche melanophris		
Black-browed Albatross [66472]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Thalassarche salvini		
Salvin's Albatross [64463]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Thalassarche steadi		
White-capped Albatross [64462]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Migratory Marine Species		
Caretta caretta		
Loggerhead Turtle [1763]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Chelonia mydas		
Green Turtle [1765]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Dermochelys coriacea		
Leatherback Turtle, Leathery Turtle, Luth [1768]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Eretmochelvs imbricata		
Hawksbill Turtle [1766]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Lepidochelys olivacea		
Olive Ridley Turtle, Pacific Ridley Turtle [1767]	Endangered	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Manta alfredi		
Reef Manta Ray, Coastal Manta Ray, Inshore Manta Ray, Prince Alfred's Ray, Resident Manta Ray [84994]		Species or species habitat may occur within area

Manta birostris

Giant Manta Ray, Chevron Manta Ray, Pacific Manta Ray, Pelagic Manta Ray, Oceanic Manta Ray [84995]

Natator depressus Flatback Turtle [59257]

Orcaella brevirostris Irrawaddy Dolphin [45]

Migratory Terrestrial Species <u>Cuculus optatus</u> Oriental Cuckoo, Horsfield's Cuckoo [86651]

Hirundapus caudacutus White-throated Needletail [682]

Merops ornatus Rainbow Bee-eater [670]

Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609] Vulnerable

Species or species habitat may occur within area

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Species or species

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Name	Inreatened	i ype of Presence
		habitat known to occur
Monarcha trivirgatus		within area
<u>Monarcha Invigatus</u>		On a size an an a size habitat
Spectacled Monarch [610]		species of species habitat known to occur within area
Motacilla flava		
Yellow Wagtail [644]		Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Myiagra cyanoleuca		
Satin Flycatcher [612]		Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area
Rhipidura rufifrons		
Rufous Fantail [592]		Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area
Migratory Wetlands Species		
Ardea alba		
Great Egret, White Egret [59541]		Breeding known to occur within area
Ardea ibis		
Cattle Egret [59542]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Gallinago hardwickii		
Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe [863]		Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Pandion haliaetus		

Species or species habitat known to occur within area

[Resource Information]

### Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act

### Commonwealth Land

Osprey [952]

The Commonwealth area listed below may indicate the presence of Commonwealth land in this vicinity. Due to the unreliability of the data source, all proposals should be checked as to whether it impacts on a Commonwealth area, before making a definitive decision. Contact the State or Territory government land department for further information.

Name

**Defence - GREENBANK TRAINING AREA** 

Commonwealth Heritage Places		[Resource Information]
Name	State	Status
Natural		
Greenbank Military Training Area (part)	QLD	Listed place
Listed Marine Species		[Resource Information]
* Species is listed under a different scientific name on t	the EPBC Act - Threatened	d Species list.
Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
Birds		
Anseranas semipalmata		
Magpie Goose [978]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Apus pacificus		
Fork-tailed Swift [678]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Ardea alba		
Great Egret, White Egret [59541]		Breeding known to occur within area
<u>Ardea ibis</u>		
Cattle Egret [59542]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Cuculus saturatus		
Oriental Cuckoo, Himalayan Cuckoo [710]		Species or species

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
		habitat may occur within area
Diomedea antipodensis		
Antipodean Albatross [64458]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea dabbenena		
Tristan Albatross [66471]	Endangered*	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea exulans (sensu lato)		
Wandering Albatross [1073]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Diomedea gibsoni		
Gibson's Albatross [64466]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Gallinago hardwickii		
Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe [863]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Haliaeetus leucogaster		
White-bellied Sea-Eagle [943]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Hirundapus caudacutus		
White-throated Needletail [682]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Lathamus discolor		
Swift Parrot [744]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Macronectes giganteus		
Southern Giant Petrel [1060]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Macronectes halli		
Northern Giant Petrel [1061]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Merops ornatus		
Rainbow Bee-eater [670]		Species or species habitat may occur within area

Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609]

Monarcha trivirgatus Spectacled Monarch [610]

Motacilla flava Yellow Wagtail [644]

Myiagra cyanoleuca Satin Flycatcher [612]

Pachyptila turtur Fairy Prion [1066]

Pandion haliaetus Osprey [952]

Rhipidura rufifrons Rufous Fantail [592] Species or species habitat known to occur within area

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Species or species habitat may occur within area

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Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Species or species habitat known to occur within area

Species or species habitat known to occur

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
		within area
Rostratula benghalensis (sensu lato)		
Painted Snipe [889]	Endangered*	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Thalassarche cauta (sensu stricto)		
Shy Albatross, Tasmanian Shy Albatross [64697]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
<u>I halassarche eremita</u>	En den mened	On a size, an an a size, habitat
Chatham Albatross [64457]	Endangered	Species or species nabitat
		may occur within area
Thalassarche impavida		
Campbell Albatross, Campbell Black-browed Albatross	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat
[64459]		may occur within area
Thalassarche melanonhris		
Black-browed Albatross [66472]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
	Vaniorabio	may occur within area
Thalassarche salvini		
Salvin's Albatross [64463]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat
		may occur within area
Thalassarche steadi		
White-capped Albatross [64462]	Vulnerable*	Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Dentilee		
Caratta caratta		
Loggerhead Turtle [1763]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
	Endangered	known to occur within area
Chelonia mydas		
Green Turtle [1765]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area
Dermochelys coriacea		
Leatherback Turtle, Leathery Turtle, Luth [1768]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
	-	known to occur within area
English a back include to		
Eretmochelys Impricata		Chasica ar anacias habitat
	vuinerable	known to occur within area
Lepidochelys olivacea		
Olive Ridley Turtle, Pacific Ridley Turtle [1767]	Endangered	Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area
Natator depressus		
Flatback Turtle [59257]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area
Whales and other Cetaceans		[Resource Information ]
Name	Status	Type of Presence
Mammals	Olalus	
Orcaella brevirostris		
Irrawaddy Dolphin [45]		Species or species habitat
		known to occur within area

### **Extra Information**

State and Territory Reserves	[Resource Information]
Name	State
Mount Perry 1	QLD
Stewartdale	QLD
White Rock	QLD

### Invasive Species

[Resource Information]

Weeds reported here are the 20 species of national significance (WoNS), along with other introduced plants that are considered by the States and Territories to pose a particularly significant threat to biodiversity. The following feral animals are reported: Goat, Red Fox, Cat, Rabbit, Pig, Water Buffalo and Cane Toad. Maps from Landscape Health Project, National Land and Water Resouces Audit, 2001.

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Birds		
Acridotheres tristis		
Common Myna, Indian Myna [387]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Anas platyrhynchos		
Mallard [974]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Carduelis carduelis		
European Goldfinch [403]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Columba livia		
Rock Pigeon, Rock Dove, Domestic Pigeon [803]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Lonchura punctulata		
Nutmeg Mannikin [399]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Passer domesticus		
House Sparrow [405]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Streptopelia chinensis		
Spotted Turtle-Dove [780]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Common Starling [389]

Sturnus vulgaris

Rhinella marina

Cane Toad [83218]

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# Mammals

Frogs

Bos taurus Domestic Cattle [16]

Canis lupus familiaris Domestic Dog [82654]

Equus caballus Horse [5]

Felis catus Cat, House Cat, Domestic Cat [19]

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Feral deer		
Feral deer species in Australia [85733]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Lepus capensis		
Brown Hare [127]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Mus musculus		
House Mouse [120]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Orvctolagus cuniculus		
Rabbit, European Rabbit [128]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Rattus norvegicus		
Brown Rat, Norway Rat [83]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Rattus rattus		
Black Rat, Ship Rat [84]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Sus scrofa		
Pig [6]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Vulpes vulpes		
Red Fox, Fox [18]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Plants		
Anredera cordifolia		
Madeira Vine, Jalap, Lamb's-tail, Mignonette Vine, Anredera, Gulf Madeiravine, Heartleaf Madeiravine, Potato Vine [2643] Cabomba caroliniana		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

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**Eichhornia crassipes** 

Common Cabomba [5171]

Chrysanthemoides monilifera

Bitou Bush, Boneseed [18983]

Water Hyacinth, Water Orchid, Nile Lily [13466]

Genista monspessulana Montpellier Broom, Cape Broom, Canary Broom, Common Broom, French Broom, Soft Broom [20126]

Cabomba, Fanwort, Carolina Watershield, Fish Grass,

Washington Grass, Watershield, Carolina Fanwort,

#### Lantana camara

Lantana, Common Lantana, Kamara Lantana, Largeleaf Lantana, Pink Flowered Lantana, Red Flowered Lantana, Red-Flowered Sage, White Sage, Wild Sage [10892] Opuntia spp. Prickly Pears [82753]

Parkinsonia aculeata Parkinsonia, Jerusalem Thorn, Jelly Bean Tree, Horse Bean [12301]

Parthenium hysterophorus Parthenium Weed, Bitter Weed, Carrot Grass, False Ragweed [19566]

Salix spp. except S.babylonica, S.x calodendron & S.x reichardtii Willows except Weeping Willow, Pussy Willow and Sterile Pussy Willow [68497] Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

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Name	Status	Type of Presence
Salvinia molesta		within area
Salvinia, Giant Salvinia, Aquarium Watermoss, Kariba Weed [13665]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Senecio madagascariensis Fireweed, Madagascar Ragwort, Madagascar Groundsel [2624]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Solanum elaeagnifolium Silver Nightshade, Silver-leaved Nightshade, White Horse Nettle, Silver-leaf Nightshade, Tomato Weed, White Nightshade, Bull-nettle, Prairie-berry, Satansbos, Silver-leaf Bitter-apple, Silverleaf-nettle, Trompillo [12323]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Reptiles		
Hemidactylus frenatus Asian House Gecko [1708]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Nationally Important Wetlands		[Resource Information]
Name		State

QLD

Greenbank Army Training Area C

# Caveat

The information presented in this report has been provided by a range of data sources as acknowledged at the end of the report.

This report is designed to assist in identifying the locations of places which may be relevant in determining obligations under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999. It holds mapped locations of World and National Heritage properties, Wetlands of International and National Importance, Commonwealth and State/Territory reserves, listed threatened, migratory and marine species and listed threatened ecological communities. Mapping of Commonwealth land is not complete at this stage. Maps have been collated from a range of sources at various resolutions.

Not all species listed under the EPBC Act have been mapped (see below) and therefore a report is a general guide only. Where available data supports mapping, the type of presence that can be determined from the data is indicated in general terms. People using this information in making a referral may need to consider the qualifications below and may need to seek and consider other information sources.

For threatened ecological communities where the distribution is well known, maps are derived from recovery plans, State vegetation maps, remote sensing imagery and other sources. Where threatened ecological community distributions are less well known, existing vegetation maps and point location data are used to produce indicative distribution maps.

For species where the distributions are well known, maps are digitised from sources such as recovery plans and detailed habitat studies. Where appropriate, core breeding, foraging and roosting areas are indicated under 'type of presence'. For species whose distributions are less well known, point locations are collated from government wildlife authorities, museums, and non-government organisations; bioclimatic distribution models are generated and these validated by experts. In some cases, the distribution maps are based solely on expert knowledge.

Only selected species covered by the following provisions of the EPBC Act have been mapped:

- migratory and
- marine

The following species and ecological communities have not been mapped and do not appear in reports produced from this database:

- threatened species listed as extinct or considered as vagrants
- some species and ecological communities that have only recently been listed
- some terrestrial species that overfly the Commonwealth marine area
- migratory species that are very widespread, vagrant, or only occur in small numbers

The following groups have been mapped, but may not cover the complete distribution of the species:

- non-threatened seabirds which have only been mapped for recorded breeding sites
- seals which have only been mapped for breeding sites near the Australian continent

Such breeding sites may be important for the protection of the Commonwealth Marine environment.

# Coordinates

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# Acknowledgements

This database has been compiled from a range of data sources. The department acknowledges the following custodians who have contributed valuable data and advice:

-Office of Environment and Heritage, New South Wales

-Department of Environment and Primary Industries, Victoria

-Department of Primary Industries, Parks, Water and Environment, Tasmania

-Department of Environment, Water and Natural Resources, South Australia

-Parks and Wildlife Commission NT, Northern Territory Government

-Department of Environmental and Heritage Protection, Queensland

-Department of Parks and Wildlife, Western Australia

-Environment and Planning Directorate, ACT

-Birdlife Australia

-Australian Bird and Bat Banding Scheme

-Australian National Wildlife Collection

-Natural history museums of Australia

-Museum Victoria

-Australian Museum

-South Australian Museum

-Queensland Museum

-Online Zoological Collections of Australian Museums

-Queensland Herbarium

-National Herbarium of NSW

-Royal Botanic Gardens and National Herbarium of Victoria

-Tasmanian Herbarium

-State Herbarium of South Australia

-Northern Territory Herbarium

-Western Australian Herbarium

-Australian National Herbarium, Atherton and Canberra

-University of New England

-Ocean Biogeographic Information System

-Australian Government, Department of Defence

Forestry Corporation, NSW

-Geoscience Australia

-CSIRO

-Other groups and individuals

The Department is extremely grateful to the many organisations and individuals who provided expert advice and information on numerous draft distributions.

Please feel free to provide feedback via the <u>Contact Us</u> page.

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Curricula Vitae – Pen Port

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#### Andrew Craig: Senior Ecologist

Andrew is a senior field ecologist with significant practical experience in the areas of ecological site assessment, weed management programs, large scale revegetation projects, wetland rehabilitation and waterway restoration. His main area of expertise is the identification and classification of flora and fauna including the identification and management of threatened species and communities. Andrew has significant experience in some of Queensland's largest infrastructure projects including coordinating on-ground flora assessments and development of weed management and rehabilitation strategies for the Southern Regional Water Pipeline.

Andrew's background in managing revegetation, translocation and forestry establishment projects brings a wealth of experience in the practical management, rehabilitation and offsetting across numerous projects. These skills linked with strong scientific and analytical site survey methods ensures Saunders Havill Group complies with all necessary state and federal government sampling procedures.

#### Qualifications

Bachelor of Science (Zoology), The University of Queensland (1997)

#### Maree Clancy: Ecologist

Maree has extensive ecological field and desktop research experience gained while working in the forestry industry and with the Australian Koala Foundation. In previous roles she assisted with quarterly and annual reporting of rehabilitation/revegetation works at residential development reserves, habitat translocation sites and the Bruce Highway upgrade project, and also with annual fauna surveying and reporting on various projects. She has a wealth of experience with preliminary desktop assessments of potential species at survey sites and the identification of flora and fauna species present during surveys.

At the Australian Koala Foundation, Maree was involved in the Koala habitat mapping project which included the use of GIS and determining habitat values for regional ecosystems and mosaics based on canopy species rankings and percentage composition.

Maree has additional skills in native seed propagation and growing of seedlings for large scale revegetation and farm forestry projects, ongoing monitoring of propagation methods and plant health status and adaptive approaches to improving methods.

#### Qualifications

Bachelor of Environmental Science, University of the Sunshine Coast (2014)







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# Appendix D Species Lists

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Survey 1 14feb17		
Time	Species	Common Name
7:50:00 AM	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple
	Acacia leiocalyx	Early Black Wattle
	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark
	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum
	Entolasia stricta	Wiry Panic
	Acacia fimbriata	Fringed Wattle
	Imperata cylindrical	Blady Grass
	Goodenia rotundifolia	Star Goodenia
	Themeda triandra	Kangaroo Grass
	Chrysocephalum apiculatum	Yellow Buttons
	Eustrephus latifolius	Wombat Berry
	Lantana montevidensis	Creeping Lantana
	Laxmannia gracilis	Wiry Lily
	Desmodium rhytidophyllum	Hairy Trefoil
	Cassytha glabella	Dodder Laurel
	Passiflora suberosa	Corky Passion
7:55:00 AM	Allocasuarina littoralis	Black She-oak
	Pultenaea euchila	Orange Pultenaea
	Alphitonia excelsa	Soap Tree
	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box
	Eucalyptus carnea	Broad-leaved White Mahogany
	Eucalyptus acmenioides	White Mahogany
	Cymbopogon refractus	Barbed Wire Grass
8:00:00 AM	Rubus sp.	
	Lomandra hystrix	Creek Mat Rush
	Acacia melanoxylon	Blackwood
	Lomandra multiflora	Many-flowered Mat Rush
	Gahnia aspera	Saw Sedge
	Lantana camara	Lantana
	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood
	Eremophila debilis	Winter Apple
	Angophora woodsiana	Smudgy Apple
	Vigna vexillate	Wild Cow Pea
8:05:00 AM	Setaria spherocephala	Setaria
	Melaleuca viminalis	Weeping Bottlebrush
	Melaleuca salicina	Willow Bottlebrush
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	Breynia oblongifolia	Coffee Bush
	Cinnamomum camphora	Camphor Laurel
	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Blue Gum
8:10:00 AM	Geitonoplesium cymosum	Scrambling Lily
	Acrotriche aggregate	Red Ground Berry
	Lophostemon confertus	Brushbox
	Xanthorrhoea johnsonii	Forest Grass Tree
8:15:00 AM	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle
	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle
	Paspalum sp.	
	Smilax australis	
	Hardenbergia violacea	Purple Pea
	Aristida sp.	
	Sporobolus sp	
	Hardenbergia violacea	Native Sarsparilla
	Oxalis corniculata	Creeping Oxalis
8:20:00 AM	Sida rhombifolia	Common Sida
	Glossocardia bidens	Native Cobblers Peg
8:25:00 AM	Gymnostachys anceps	Settler's Flax
	Cymbidium canaliculatum	Channelled Boat-lip Orchid
	Cheilanthes distans	Bristle Cloak Fern
	Phyllanthus virgatus	
	Dianella caerulea	Blueberry Lily
	Oplismenus aemulus	Creeping Beard Grass
	Lobelia purpurascens	White Root
8:30:00 AM	Cyperus gracilis	Slender Flat Sedge
	Heliotropium amplexicaule	Blue heliotrope
8:35:00 AM	Melia azedarach	White Cedar
	Grewia retusa	
8:40:00 AM	Drynaria rigidula	Basket Fern
8:45:00 AM	Eragrostis sp.	
8:50:00 AM	Adiantum hispidulum	Rough Maidenhair Fern
	Cissus hypoglauca	five leaf water vine
	Ageratina riparia	Mistflower
	Ageratum houstonianum	Blue Billygoat Weed
	Lomandra longifolia	Mat Rush
	Capillipedium spicigerum	Scented top
	Centella asiatica	Pennywort

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	Conyza sp.	Fleabane
	Cyperus polystachyos	Bunchy Sedge
	Lepidium sp.	Peppercress
8:55:00 AM	Pteridium esculentum	Bracken
9:00:00 AM	Chloris virgata	Rhodes Grass
9:05:00 AM	Velliea spathulata	
	Jacksonia scoparia	Dogwood
	Fimrostylis dichotoma	
	Alloteopsis semialata	
9:10:00 AM	Leucopogon pimelioides	
9:15:00 AM	Acacia elongata	Slender Wattle
9:20:00 AM	Melinis repens	Natal Grass
	Dodanaea viscosa	
9:25:00 AM	Cynodon dactylon	Scutch Grass
	Fabaceae sp.	
	Leersia hexandra	Rice Grass
9:30:00 AM	Glochidion fernandii	Cheese Tree
	Petalostigma pubescens	Quinine Bush
9:35:00 AM	Bursaria spinosa	
	Bothricchloa decipiens	
9:40:00 AM	Solanum mauritianum	Wild Tobaco
9:45:00 AM	Cyathea sp.	Tree Fern
9:50:00 AM	Pimelia linaiifolia	
9:55:00 AM	Aristida sp.	Slender Aristida
10:00:00 AM	Pomax umbellata	
10:05:00 AM	Pimelea spicata	Sprawling Rice Flower
	Daviesia ulcifolia	Gorse Bitter Pea
10:10:00 AM	Pultenaea sp.	Broad Leaf Pultenaea
10:15:00 AM	Westringia sp.	
10:20:00 AM	Arundo donax	Giant Reed

# ATTACHMENT 3 -

# *Plectanthus habrophyllus* Pre-clearance

## **Survey Notification**



Saunders Havill Group Pty Ltd ABN 24 144 972 949 address 9 Thompson St Bowen Hills 0 4006 phone (07) 3251 9444 email mail@saundershavill.com web www.saundershavill.com fax (07) 3251 9455

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Date:	1 March 2017	
Site:	Springfield Rise	
Client: Lendlease Communities		
EPBC Ref:	2013/7057	
SHG Ref:	7243	
SHG Contact:	Murray Saunders (07 3251 9444)	

#### **Attention: Ian Murray**

Regional Development Manager, Communities Level 4, Kings Gate, King Street Bowen Hills QLD 4006

Springfield Rise: V6/7 Detention Basin *–Plectanthus habrophyllus* pre-clearance survey, 7002 Grande Avenue, Springfield (Lot 33 on SP269190 & Lot 22 on SP234042)

Dear lan,

This letter provides confirmation that the *Environmental Management Division* of **Saunders Havill Group** was engaged by **Lendlease Communities** to undertake a pre-clearance survey for *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) threatened flora species *Plectanthus habrophyllus* within the proposed clearing extent for the V6/7 Detention Basin – Phase 1 preliminary bulk earthworks area to meet Condition 6 of the EPBC Act approval (Ref: 2013/7057).

While *Plectanthus habrophyllus* populations were previously recorded in close proximity to the works area as part of the Spring Mountain EPBC survey by **Yurrah** (refer to **Attachment 2**), no *Plectanthus habrophyllus* specimens were recorded within the V6/7 Detention Basin clearing extent (refer to **Attachment 1** for a copy of the clearing extent).

The following provides relevant details of the survey:

Applicant: Lend Lease Communities (Springfield) Pty Ltd Site Details: 7002 Grande Avenue, Springfield (Lot 22 on SP234042 & Lot 33 on SP269190) Development Area: Springfield Rise V6/7 Detention Basin

Plectanthus habrophyllus Pre-Clearance Survey Results:Survey Completed by: David Havill (Senior Ecologist) & Maree Clancy (Ecologist)Survey Completion Date: 14 February 2017Was the survey undertaken in accordance with EPBC Act survey guidelines? YesWere any Plectanthus habrophyllus specimens identified within the clearing area? No

Kind regards

Murray Saunders Director – Saunders Havill Group

Attachment I – *Plectranthus habrophyllus* Pre-clearance Survey Extent

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9	Village 6 & 7 Online Basin Coordinates Table (GDA 94 MGA z56)														
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110	2	490236.78476	6937096.16374	23	490058.14474	6937068.15811	44	490100.27067	6937032.78480	65	490025.40581	6937032.10868	86	490067.17540	6937075.31020
	3	490233.28234	6937094.20659	24	490054.12222	6937063.00867	45	490108.50790	6937029.10170	66	490015.79654	6937029.67137	87	490077.67555	6937075.75440
10	4	490228.24865	6937097.99572	25	490048.62586	6937063.60029	46	490111.68739	6937024.40754	67	490024.85720	6937035.67624	88	490091.17061	6937075.18595
	5	490211.31032	6937089.35849	26	490046.14102	6937066.86430	47	490118.35190	6937018.27246	68	490023.65265	6937037.91322	89	490101.67086	6937075.65395
	6	490199.64109	6937083.62322	27	490040.29571	6937064.26056	48	490100.70493	6937021.63322	69	490013.80223	6937034.25569	90	490114.16397	6937074.61446
	7	490187.12467	6937077.33660	28	490038.98308	6937062.34767	49	490088.99500	6937026.60851	70	490016.97114	6937039.93896	91	490126.16399	6937075.08996
	8	490173.17842	6937070.57034	29	490023.50746	6937063.19766	50	490077.11138	6937030.71497	71	490016.97124	6937045.36712	92	490130.67014	6937076.63028
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# NCA Survey - Villages 7 & 12

Flora Meandering Survey



Attachment 2 – *Plectranthus habrophyllus* Surevy by Yurrah

#### CONCEPT MANAGEMENT PLAN

GPS Locations of <i>Plectranthus habrophyllus</i> populations UTM Zone 56 J				
ID	Latitude	Longitude		
Plec 1	489651	6937126		
Plec 2	489534	6937058		
Plec 3	490045	6937140		
Plec 4	488935	6937742		
Plec 5	489700	6938233		
Plec 6	489823	6937058		



Approximate extent of *Plectranthus habrophyllus* sub-population (ID - Plec 5), Approximately 5 mature individuals within approximately 500m<sup>2</sup>, 127m from development footprint to the south.



Approximate extent of *Plectranthus habrophyllus* ID - Plec 4. Approximately 5 mature individuals within approximately 4000<sup>+</sup>. Population will require translocation into Linear Open Space. See Insert C. The road Is located In this alignment to minimise earthworks within the linear open space and development areas. The southeast regional pipeline is located along the ridge to the west and controls the level of the road as it crosses this linear open space area. Approximate extent of Plectranthus habrophylus ID - Plec 2. Approximately 5 mature Ind/Viduals within approximately 200m<sup>2</sup>. Development footprint, proposed residential, 5m to northwest.

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Approximate extent of Plectranthus habrophyllus ID - Plec 1. Approximately 10 mature individuals within approximately 500m<sup>2</sup>. Development footprint, proposed residential, 20m to northwest.



Receive area for Plec 4.



Proposed Development Layout
Development footprint - use other than
for conservation purposes

Linear Open Space - managed for conservation purposes

Management Plan Core Conservation Areas-Plectranthus habrophyllus population location Where adjacent to an area Identified for Interface Management' additional management actions required during clearing and construction. Refer Threatened Flora Management Plan Section 3.2.2. Refer Section 3.3 for ongoing habitat management.

In-situ population.

Receive area - translocated population.

#### Management Plan Buffer Area

Buffer Area overlapping development area. Considered detailed design required. Refer Threatened Flora Management Plan Section 3.2.1 for more information.

Buffer Area within Linear Open Space. Any Buffer Area adjacent an area identified for Interface Management will require targeted management actions for protection of threatened flora during clearing and construction. Refer Threatened Flora Management Plan Section 3.2.2 for more information.

Management Plan Additional Management Actions



Threatened flora interface management required. Refer Threatened Flora Management Plan Section 3.3.1 for actions.

Approximate extent of *Plectranthus* habrophyllus ID - Plec 3. Approximately 50 mature individuals within approximately 3000m<sup>2</sup>. Adjacent to residential development.



Scale - 1:20 000 @ A3

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Scale 1:2000 @ A3

# ATTACHMENT 4 –

# Fauna Spotter Catcher Pre-clearance WHIMP and WPMP



### February 2017

# Fauna Spotter Catcher Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan

Springfield Rise – Village 6 Detention Basin Spring Mountain, Queensland Report prepared for Shadforths Civil Contractors



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#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 Project Background

Queensland Fauna Consultancy Pty Ltd has been engaged by Shadforths Civil Contractors to prepare a Fauna Spotter Catcher Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan for Village 6 Detention Basin as part of the Springfield Rise Project, Spring Mountain, Queensland.

The objective of this report is to summarise the existing fauna values presented in the Fauna Spotter Catcher Pre-clearance Survey and Wildlife Protection and Management Plan (WPMP) and assign mitigatory strategies applicable to probable species likely to be encountered during the clearing of identified habitats throughout or within specific localities of the site. Fauna species both common and of elevated conservation value have been considered within the parameters of onsite investigations and, where provided to QFC, include review of current fauna and floristic reports that may influence the assemblages expected to utilise the microhabitats evident within the site.

This review encompasses species identified under the provisions of the Commonwealth *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* and the Queensland *Nature Conservation Act 1992*. Further consideration is given, where applicable, to species of iconic, cultural and/or regional significance identified under commonwealth, state or local planning instruments aimed at the persistence of biodiversity values within the area.

#### 1.2 **Project Location and Site Description**

The Village 6 Detention Basin is located in a central portion of the Springfield Rise precinct, north west of the Village 6 development site, and adjacent to the existing Tea Trees Estate. Existing features exhibit primarily a woodland vegetative complex on sloping terrain that displays ephemeral drainage features. Dominant trees species across a number of vegetation types include *Eucalyptus siderophloia, Corymbia intermedia* and *Lophostemon suaveolens*.



#### Map 1: Project Location

(Image extracted from Springfield Rise – Village 6 Stages 3,4,5,6 and7, Existing Survey Plan, ARCADIS 23.09.16)

#### 1.3 Current Permits and Authorities

All activities conducted during the site investigations were implemented under the provisions of a number of permits issued to Queensland Fauna Consultancy Pty Ltd by the Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (DEHP) formerly the Department of Environment and Resource Management and the Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation (DEEDI). These permits and additional authorities are listed in *Table 1*.

#### Table 1: Current Permits and authorities issued to QFC

Permit/Authorisation	Permit Number	Expiry Date
Damage Mitigation Permit	WIMP17840916	5 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
Rehabilitation Permit	WIRP15052614	10 <sup>th</sup> September 2017
Scientific User Registration	Registration Number 589	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2019
Animal Ethics	CA 2016/01/939	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2019

These permits and approvals enable QFC to conduct the investigation, observation and relocation of protected animals exposed to disturbance due to infrastructure expansion resulting in the destruction of natural and artificial habitats.

### 2. Mitigation Strategies

#### 2.1 Fauna Spotter

It is advised that all identified fauna habitats onsite be inspected by a licensed Fauna Spotter prior to vegetation clearing, and all vegetation removal activities be supervised during the clearing process.

#### 2.2 Clearing Methodologies

In accordance to the *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006-2016* the following sequential clearing conditions are required to be adhered to:

- Clearing of trees is carried out in a way that ensures koalas living in or near the area being cleared (the clearing site) have enough time to move out of the clearing site without human intervention, including in particular, for a clearing site with an area of more than 6ha, by:
  - Carrying out the clearing in stages; and
  - Ensuring not more than the following is cleared in any one stage:
    - for a clearing site with an area of 6 ha or less—50 percent of the site's area;
    - for a clearing site with an area of more than 6ha—3ha or 3 percent of the site's area, whichever is the greater; and
  - Ensuring that between each stage there is at least one period of 12 hours that starts at 6 p.m. on a day and ends at 6 a.m. on the following day, during which no trees are cleared on the site;

In addition to these measures it is recommended that clearing activities be undertaken in a directional manner specified by the fauna spotter/catcher. This is done so as to reduce the likelihood of negative interactions between fauna and potential hazards e.g. roads and traffic, prevent isolation of fauna through habitat fragmentation, and to ensure that natural dispersal of wildlife away from clearing activities is not impeded.

Saunders Havill Group has proposed a plan detailing the direction and clearing locations within the Springfield Rise – Village 6 Detention Basin, Site Based Management Plan (Refer to Appendix A). This involves directional clearing towards the Mountain Creek Corridor to the west and south toward the Spring Mountain Offset zone, both of which have been earmarked as safe haven zones for fauna movement and connectivity (Saunders Havill Group, 2016). This approach is supported by QFC as the most applicable response to managing highly mobile fauna.

#### 2.3 Fauna Fencing

Temporary fencing has already been installed and will aid in minimizing the movement of large fauna including highly mobile macropods into the existing Tea Trees Estate. The addition of further fauna fencing may be required if site conditions change and fauna considerations are presented by the fauna spotter catcher.

#### 2.4 Felling Procedures

Trees identified as having potential fauna values (such as hollows, arboreal termitaria and exfoliating bark) will be clearly identified and subsequently marked for supervision during felling and inspected once felled. Efforts will be made to determine potentially occupant species by way of investigations for indicative signs (scats, scratchings and tracks) on the day(s) of clearing. Where no signs are found or potentially occupant species are undeterminable, machinery operators will be instructed to fell trees in a manner directed at minimising the potential risk of injury to fauna.

All identified microhabitats will be inspected via ground based observation and the direction of felling will be determined considering the safety of personnel, machinery and potentially occupant fauna. Felling procedures will see implementation of a soft felling technique specifically constructed by QFC to achieve minimal deceleration and impact upon felling. This will be achieved under direction of the Fauna Spotter present directly communicating with the plant operator(s).

#### 2.5 Macropods

Red-necked Wallaby *Macropus rufogriseus* and Eastern grey kangaroos *Macropus giganteus* have previously been observed on adjacent sites and other signs including macropod scat and footprints have been located throughout the clearing precinct, as well as in areas adjacent to site.

The area of proposed clearing activities exhibits direct connectivity to notable habitat values along the eastern border, and are separated from similar values to the south by a narrow tract of clearing that can be successfully traversed by large mobile species. Therefore if clearing commences in a directional and incremental fashion any macropods potentially encountered on site may move on of their own volition. In this event it is recommended that clearing proceed as already recommended with continual reassessment by the onsite fauna spotters.

#### 2.6 Aquatic Fauna

It is not envisaged that aquatic dewatering activities will be required within the proposed clearing area; however pooled water and drainage features (if present) will be inspected during terrestrial load reduction activities ahead of the clearing front. The following recommendations are made to mitigate impacts to potentially occupant fauna:

- Inspection of banks, peripheral vegetation and other immediate terrestrial microhabitats;
- Identification of potential fauna values including: logs, rocks, artificial structures, discarded rubbish and burrows;
- Targeted searched for frog egg deposition sites on debris, bank edges, water surface and vegetation.

#### 2.7 General Terrestrial and Arboreal Fauna

Overall the site contains medium value refugial opportunities for arboreal and terrestrial fauna species. The species expected within the site are likely to primarily reflect common fauna assemblages for the region however provisions are proposed directly for common fauna and species of conservation significance.

It is advised that all identified fauna habitats onsite be inspected by a DEHP approved Fauna Spotter prior to vegetation clearing and all vegetation removal activities be supervised during the clearing process. Terrestrial load reduction activities will be conducted ahead of the clearing front where possible. Fauna captured will be relocated to adjacent habitat consistent with the life history requirements of the species requiring translocation.

#### 2.8 EVNT Fauna

It is not envisaged that any species, listed under the provisions of the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* or the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*, other than those listed in the WPMP, will require specific management during vegetation clearing activities.

However, specific management for those identified EVNT species will include targeted investigations immediately prior to vegetation removal activities on each day of clearing and subsequently whilst clearing takes place. Preliminary investigations will be supported by additional monitoring applied during clearing activities with a designated fauna spotter operating with each machine actively involved in vegetation or identified habitat disturbance. These should include the following:

#### <u>Koala:</u>

As favoured Koala food trees on site exceed a diameter of 100mm at 1.3 metres from the ground, requirements under the Koala Plan's 'Koala Habitat Area' provisions trigger the need for inspection and monitoring during vegetation clearing by a qualified Fauna Spotter.

Historically known to occur within the area the Koala will feature highly in daily search efforts with a dedicated and detailed methodology employed as follows:

- Pre clearing (preliminary) investigations to be conducted specifically for Koala detection by one experienced fauna spotter a minimum half hour prior to works each day. The investigation will embrace all designated clearing zones identified for that day inclusive of a 25 metre buffer around that zone;
- Once clearing commences a fauna spotter will accompany each machine providing continuous verification of habitat values and potential identification of undetected koalas ahead of operating plant. This will also account for potentially transient Koalas that may enter the site after preliminary investigations are complete.

Direct observational methodology will include the following components

- Use of binoculars to inspect the crown, forks and trunk of trees for individuals currently occupying the site;
- 'Drip zone' searches at the base of known food trees for the presence of scats to a radius equal to that of the crown of individual trees;
- Inspection of trunks for scratchings indicative of use by Koalas;
- Repeat observations made of single trees from numerous angles at repeated times throughout the clearing activities by the assigned fauna spotter.

In the event a Koala is detected, the Fauna Spotter will determine the appropriate course of action with exclusion zones implemented and alterations to the clearing plan discussed with the Site Supervisor. Once defined, these directions will be communicated to the plant operators and clearing will proceed in accordance with the recommendations made.

Changes to Koala management strategies highlighted in the *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006-2016* have resulted in particular conditions placed on vegetation clearance involving the removal of Koala food trees. These provisions entail an increased responsibility by developers and land clearance operators alike to ensure the welfare of potentially present Koalas in areas identified as having significance for the persistence of this species.

Where significance under planning instruments is assigned provisions may include the restriction of all clearance that directly interferes with any tree a Koala is residing in or surrounding trees that, when felled, may impact on the crown of the host tree. Koalas are to leave via their own volition through a corridor designated by the Fauna Spotter to the closest remaining suitable habitat.

Throughout this time the Koala may not be interfered with by any means unless special dispensation has been sought through the appropriate government body or where the Koala is evidently in a state of compromised health. Only when Koalas have vacated a tree can clearance operations include the identified host tree and surrounding vegetation which composes the established exclusion zone. Recommendations made by the Fauna Spotter on site will embrace these provisions.

#### Grey-headed Flying Fox:

Although no Flying Fox camps or roosts were noted during the site survey, the transient nature of this species and the abundance of available feeding resources would see probability for the species to intermittently utilise the site.

The following recommendations are made for management of potentially occurring Grey-headed Flying Fox:

- Daily Inspection of trees assigned for removal be conducted to detect potential roosting Flying Foxes;
- Trees found to contain roosting Flying Foxes to be left standing and re assessed at the end of each days clearing. Being a transient species, the disturbance associated by the surrounding clearing is likely to see individuals fly off via its own volition come nightfall and not return the following morning, thus negating the need for direct disturbance.

#### <u>Powerful Owl:</u>

The site contains hollowing bearing trees with the potential to support nesting localities for the Powerful Owl. Diurnal roosting opportunities are afforded however these are considered only moderately favourable. Feeding resources would be available as highly targeted species such as glider and possum species are common throughout the region.

The following recommendations are made for management of potentially occurring Powerful Owl;

- Inspection daily of trees assigned for removal in areas of likely occurrence to detect potentially roosting birds;
- Identification of hollows exhibiting suitable dimensions for use as a nesting resource;
- Ground searches for casts and faecal accumulates indicative of the presence of Powerful Owl roosting and nesting sites;
- Implementation of a soft felling technique where trees are determined to have potential for occupancy.

#### Spotted-tail Quoll:

Although no dens or further evidence of Spotted-tail Quoll activity was detected during the survey, the species is known to occur historically in low densities in proximity to the site. Geomorphic structure and topography are considered favourable resulting in the following recommendations for further mitigation during the clearing activity:

- Inspection daily of identified geomorphic structure such as large boulders and rock accumulates, large hollow ground logs and log stock piles;
- Monitored dismantling of identified microhabitats by fauna spotters with machinery assistance.

#### Greater Glider:

The site contains hollow-bearing trees with the potential to support den localities for the Greater Glider. Suitable feeding resources are highly available given the availability of *Eucalyptus* leaves; on which the Greater Glider almost exclusively feeds on. The following recommendations are made for management of potentially occurring Greater Glider;

- Basal and drip zone searches for scats indicative of the presence of Greater Glider;
- Inspection daily of trees assigned for removal in areas of likely occurrence to detect Great Glider;
- Implementation of a soft felling technique where trees are determined to have potential for occupancy.

### 3. Wildlife Capture & Removal Plan

Relocation of native fauna is a strategy that may be required during the course of developmental works to up-hold the project's required nature conservation, animal welfare and human safety objectives.

In all circumstance where native fauna are required to be relocated it must be done so, or under the direct supervision of, a suitably licensed fauna spotter/catcher. A summary of the fauna capture, handling and relocations strategies to be implemented by the fauna spotter/catcher for fauna groups deemed likely, or possible, to occur on site are presented in *Table 2*.

#### Table 2: Fauna capture, handling and relocation strategy table

Animal Group	Capture and handling	Relocation
Lizards Geckoes Dragons Monitors	<ul> <li>Place one hand behind the head at the base of the quadrates and the other at the base of the tail behind the hind limbs;</li> <li>Be cautious when handling smaller skinks and legless lizards as they may discard their tail;</li> <li>Lizards and geckoes can be placed inside suitably sized calico bags</li> <li>In the case of large monitor lizards keep the animal's ventral surface directly away from the body with the tail between the upper arm and torso.</li> <li>Dragons and small monitors can be placed in suitably sized calico bags. Larger monitors to be placed in suitably sized crate</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Place the lizard head first into a suitable holding crate for later release.</li> <li>Dragons &amp; monitors– release up trees or into heavy vegetation;</li> <li>Water dragons – in the vicinity of riparian areas;</li> <li>Skinks, Geckoes, Legless lizards – around creek margins.</li> </ul>
Snakes	<ul> <li>Due to their mobile nature, large snakes generally do not require to be handled or relocated, with the exception of slow moving species (i.e. pythons) or smaller species;</li> <li>Snakes should be identified and only moved if competent and safe to do so (see SOP006 Handling Venomous Snakes Procedure);</li> <li>Do not attempt to catch a snake if you're not competent;</li> <li>Injured snakes should be handled with suitable equipment.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Release in suitable habitat e.g. along creek lines for python and tree snakes</li> <li>If feasible take them well away from clearance site to a suitable release location</li> <li>Release discreetly away from high density suburban areas</li> </ul>
Small Mammals	<ul> <li>Place a gloved hand around the whole animal in the case of small mammals (melomys or rats),</li> <li>Do not handle rodents by the tail as this will cause damage to the tail sheath</li> <li>Place the animal in calico bag in a cool place for later relocation.</li> <li>Minimise holding time to avoid animal gnawing through bags and escaping</li> </ul>	• Release animal into area suitable to its habitat requirements. Ensure plenty of cover is available.

Animal Group	Capture and handling	Relocation
Glider Family	<ul> <li>Place gloved hands around the animal at initial capture;</li> <li>Place the glider(s) into a calico bag or suitable animal crate ensuring family groups are kept together for all inclusive release;</li> <li>Place in a cool dry area during the day.</li> <li>When using calico bags ensure the bag is hung and well ventilated</li> <li>Where possible contain gliders within hollow by plugging openings with a towel or calico bag</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Release glider into habitat with natural hollows and canopy cover;</li> <li>When releasing a family group with more than one furred young (being carried on the back) either: <ul> <li>Divide young between parents as a mother is unlikely to carry more than one young,</li> <li>Place young in elevated hollow with parents and allow them to move away in their own time.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Place animal in bag at the base of the selected tree, opening the bag wide and allowing the animal to leave the bag when it is ready.</li> <li>Relocate hollow (with gliders inside) to suitable habitat and cover lightly with foliage so that the gliders can move away of their own accord and are protected from predators.</li> </ul>
Amphibians	<ul> <li>Amphibians should be handled only when necessary and handling times should be kept to a minimum to help prevent:         <ul> <li>Removal of the protective mucous layer covering the skin of amphibians;</li> <li>To prevent handling stress induced by changes in their body temperature;</li> <li>Risk of spreading pathogens and parasites.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Amphibians from different sites need to be kept isolated from each other, and need to be kept in different containers or bags;</li> <li>Any dead or sick amphibians need to be quarantined from other amphibians.</li> <li>Amphibians can be handled utilising one of the following methodologies:</li> <li>Bare handed – ensure hands are sterilized before handling and free from lotions, sunscreen etc</li> <li>Gloves – disposable gloves desirable or disinfect gloves between handling different animals;</li> <li>Plastic bags – Single use lightweight plastic bags can be used to pick up and handle frogs; again plastic bags should be disposed of before handling amphibians form a different site.</li> <li>All staff should be knowledgeable and familiar with the Interim Hygiene Protocol for Handling Amphibians – Technical Manual (DEHP)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Always ensure that amphibians are kept moist until release. This can include storing in a designated container with moist soil or toweling or in a wet calico bag;</li> <li>Release into suitable adjacent vegetation that is typical of the species requirements;</li> <li>Suitable release locations include riparian vegetation, low-lying wetlands, alongside creek lines, hollow logs, dams and ponds;</li> <li>Amphibians from different sites need to released in separate locations;</li> <li>Disinfection procedures in relation to amphibians need to be followed.</li> </ul>

Animal Group	Capture and handling	Relocation
Macropods	<ul> <li>Capture and restraint of macropods carries a high risk of injury and fatal hyperthermia/myopathy syndrome, and must not be performed by inexperienced personnel, or without appropriate equipment and sedation.</li> <li>Capture and restraint of healthy macropods (other than pouch young) must be performed using sedation or anaesthesia due to the high risk of developmental myopathy, and other capture and restraint-associated conditions. Sedative and anaesthetic drugs may only be used under direct supervision of a registered veterinarian, or by appropriately licensed persons (Hanger &amp; Nottidge, 2009).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Release animal into suitable to its habitat requirements. Ensure plenty of cover is available.</li> <li>Macropods are to be released within the range of normal movement from their place of origin. E.g. a Kangaroo can be released within 100 km of its origin, based on its capacity to travel long distances.</li> <li>Monitor animals to ensure adequate recovery if sedated.</li> </ul>
Microbats	<ul> <li>Only vaccinated persons are to handle bats</li> <li>If possible plug the hollow opening with a bag or towel and ask the operator to cut the hollow from the tree;</li> <li>Always wear gloves when handling bats.</li> <li>If not contained within a hollow, place bats inside a calico bag and hang upright in a cool place</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Relocate hollow (with bats inside) to suitable habitat and cover lightly with foliage so that the bats can move away of their own accord and are protected from predators.</li> <li>Bats not contained within a hollow should be released as late as possible at the end of the day.</li> </ul>
Possums	<ul> <li>Use thick elbow length gloves when handling possums;</li> <li>Try to grip the animal behind the head near the shoulder blades and around the tail so that you have control of the animal;</li> <li>Keep fingers away from the mouth of the animal;</li> <li>Keep the animal's body facing away at all times;</li> <li>Transfer into a thick calico bag and then into a kitty crate. Place in a safe and shady place until you can relocate the animal.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Release the possum into habitat with adequate hollows and cover;</li> <li>Place animal in bag at the base of a select tree, opening the bag and allow the animal to leave the bag when it is ready;</li> <li>When releasing a Ringtail Possum mother with more than one furred young (being carried on her back) it is unlikely that she will carry both young if highly stressed;         <ul> <li>Choose a smaller shrubby tree with vines or heavy foliage (so the adult can construct a drey easily)</li> <li>Watch the adult ascend the tree, it is possible she will only carry one young and so any additional young may be pushed from her back</li> <li>It may be necessary to take one or more of the young to a wildlife carer</li> <li>If possible place mother and young in a suspended hollow, cover lightly with foliage and allow the animals to move on their own accord. This way the mother can ferry young one at a time to a more suitable location.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

Animal Group	Capture and handling	Relocation
Birds	<ul> <li>Use gloves when handling larger birds</li> <li>Use a towel to cover the bird and simultaneously restrain the bird and transfer into calico bag</li> <li>With larger parrots and raptors, restrain head and legs and transfer into a kitty crate</li> <li>Wrap chicks loosely in a towel and transfer to kitty crate, keep in a warm location.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Relocate adult birds in suitable habitat</li> <li>Chicks should be referred to wildlife carer</li> </ul>
Koalas	Movement of Koalas is heavily legislated in South East Queensland. Koalas are not to be captured or relocated without the prior consent of Department Environment and Natural Resource Management (DERM). Koalas should be left to move away of their own volition and trees are not to be felled while a Koala remains in occupancy. See SOP003 Koala Management Procedure for further information.	

#### 4. Wildlife Contingency Plan

In the event sick, injured or orphaned protected animals are encountered during the course of the project they shall be administered to in accordance with the *Code of Practice Care of Sick, Injured or Orphaned Protected Animals in Queensland* under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*.

The stages in which injuries or illness are described under the code are as follows:

**Critical:** Injuries or illnesses that are life-threatening; for example, an animal that has been struck by a car and has serious head injuries.

**Serious:** Injuries or illnesses that might reasonably be expected to cause moderate pain (but are not immediately life-threatening), and the animal is not showing obvious signs of distress or pain, or significantly reduced mental activity; for example an animal with a closed fracture but no other apparent injuries and that is alert and responsive.

**Mild:** The injuries or illness of an animal appear to cause little discomfort, pain or function loss and are not life-threatening (even without immediate vet treatment); for example superficial cuts, superficial bruising or orphaned animals suffering from mild dehydration.

#### 4.1 Basic Wildlife Care

If wildlife requiring care are encountered by the fauna spotter/catcher they will be attended to in the manner set out by the guidelines provided in *Table 4*. Supplementary advice will be sought from a wildlife carer and/or veterinarian where required. QFC have previously utilised experienced local carer groups and vets. These are listed in Table 3.

Vets						
Name	Location	Contact Number	Comments			
RSPCA Wildlife Hospital	139 Wacol Station Road, Wacol	07 3426 9999	24 Hours/7days			
Carers						
Name	Location	Contact Number	Comments			
RSPCA Wildlife Hospital	139 Wacol Station Road, Wacol	07 3426 9999	24 Hours/7days			
Ipswich Koala Protection Society	Ipswich	Ruth: 07 5464 6274 / 0419 760 127 Helen: 07 3282 5035 / 0417 604 761	Specialize in koalas however rescue all wildlife			

### Table 3: List of Local Vets & Wildlife Carer Groups

### Table 4: Basic Wildlife Care

Birds	Reptiles & Amphibians	Mammals
Egg	Egg	Neonate
Viable eggs must be kept warm until transferred to a suitable wildlife carer. It is necessary that the orientation of the eggs be maintained as fixed embryos may be lost. Keep wrapped in a pouch and on a heat source (where available). An ideal temperature is between 25-27° (DEHP 2013); where possible attempt to identify the species so the carer can be informed as the management of eggs can vary in accordance with species and stage of development.	Viable eggs must be kept warm and stable until transferred to a wildlife carer. It is necessary that the orientation of the eggs be maintained as fixed embryos may be lost. Keep wrapped in pouch or towel and place into an animal crate in a safe location.	Unfurred animals need to be kept warm until transferred to a carer. Place into a pouch and onto a heat pad. Ideal temperature is between 31-34°. 25-27° is appropriate in most other cases (DEHP 2013). Regularly check the animal to ensure it is not overheating by observing for obvious signs of distress (i.e. panting, very warm to the touch, red blotched skin). Adjust the temperature where required. Seek further advice from the carer if you are unsure.
Chick	Juvenile	Juvenile
Make sure the animal is correctly identified as different species often have very different requirements. Place chicks into a pouch/towel onto a heat source maintained around 31-34° (only if they have not fledged) and keep in an animal crate until transferred to a carer.	Place animals in a suitable lined crate and keep covered in a dark quiet place. Refer to the wildlife contact list in your QFC Folder for a carer who specialises in reptiles.	Place into a lined crate and keep covered in a dark and quiet location.
Adult	Adult	Adult
Keep adult birds in a lined animal crate or cage and covered in a quiet area.	Place animals in a suitable lined crate and keep covered in a dark quiet place. Refer to the wildlife contact list in your QFC Folder for a carer who specialises in reptiles.	Place into a lined crate and keep covered in a dark and quiet location.
Feeding	Feeding	Feeding
Providing food and water is generally not required during short periods (2-3 hrs) though this should be reconsidered if animals need to held longer. Consult the vet and/or carer for further advice on how to proceed.	Newly hatched reptiles may require feeding if kept overnight. Consult with QFC for further advice. Snakes and turtles will not require feeding but water should be made available.	Providing food and water is generally not required during short periods (2-3 hrs) though this should be reconsidered if animals need to be held longer. Consult the carer for further advice on how to proceed.

#### 4.2 First Aid

Animals suffering from serious injuries or illness encountered on the project should be passed on to veterinary care as soon as possible. In the interim a licensed fauna spotter/catcher can provide first aid for the animal and organise suitable transportation.

If a seriously sick or injured animal is encountered the fauna spotter/catcher should:

- 1. Keep the animal calm by placing into an animal crate and keeping it covered in a dark and quiet location. Isolate any nearby threats such as domestic animals or predators.
- 2. Quickly and thoroughly inspect the animal for trauma. If the injuries are not serious enough to require euthanasia administer the basic first aid as a minimum (but only if capable to do so)

Representative first aid that may be administered by a fauna spotter/catcher is provided in *Table 5*.

Ailment	First Aid
Bleeding	Using material that is clean and sanitary, apply direct pressure to the affected area. Bandages can be used to hold material in place until vet treatment can be sought. Veterinarian treatment should be sought for further assistance as soon as possible.
Broken limbs	House the animal in a suitably sized animal crate with towels under the animal for comfort. Keep the crate covered and in a quiet location. Proceed to a veterinarian for further assistance as soon as possible.
Injured tails	House the animal in a suitably sized animal crate with towels under the animal for comfort. Keep the crate covered and in a quiet location. Proceed to a veterinarian for further assistance as soon as possible.
Concussions	House the animal in a suitably sized animal crate with towels under the animal for comfort. Keep the crate covered and in a quiet location. Proceed to a veterinarian for further assistance as soon as possible.

#### Table 5: Wildlife First Aid

#### 4.3 Euthanasia

Section 12 of the code details how to determine when euthanasia is required and how to euthanise animals ethically. The following standards as listed under the code are to be followed when assessing whether euthanasia is required:

- The euthanasia of wildlife where required is to be provided for by all wildlife rehabilitators;
- Euthanasia without exception is to be carried out when:
  - Significant pain or suffering is to be alleviated where it is not able to be managed by a vet;
  - Further treatment is **not** practical or recovery is **not** expected in a way in which the animal can be successfully rehabilitated back to the wild;
  - Resources are not available to provide appropriate care or an acceptable quality of life throughout the likely rehabilitation period.
- Animals that are suffering and have a poor prognosis for survival must be euthanised rather than left to die from the injury or illness. Failure to undertake appropriate action is a breach of the Animal *Care and Protection Act 2001*.
- Unless permission has been granted by the Department of Environment and Heritage Protection for the animal to enter the Queensland Species Management Plan (QSMP) or otherwise advised by the DEHP Wildlife Management Director, animals must be euthanised when:
  - An orphaned animal is not viable or likely to be rehabilitated;
  - No suitable release locations are available;
  - The ability for an animal to reproduce is lost due to an injury, disease or surgical procedure;
  - The ability to move freely or normally (i.e. run, climb, crawl, hop, fly or swim) is permanently impaired. Examples are: a missing or impaired limb, wing, foot or tail that would significantly impair the animal's ability to survive in the wild;
  - The ability to sense environment (i.e. see, smell, fell, taste or hear) is permanently impaired. For example: missing or injured organ such as an eye, ear or nose that would significantly impair the animal's ability to survive in the wild;
  - The ability to catch, find or handle food is permanently impaired;
  - Its advanced age renders it unlikely to survive in the wild.

#### 5. Wildlife Storage & Housing Plan

For wildlife requiring storage, temporary housing and transportation to release sites and/or to a wildlife carer or veterinarian, guidelines set out in the Code of Practice and QFC's Animal Ethics Permit will be followed.

Dependent on the species of animal and condition of the animal, temporary storage and housing of animals will be as follows:

**Calico bags**: Calico bags will be used to temporarily house fauna such as snakes, lizards and small mammals (including microbats), Bags will range in size from 200mm x 200mm to 600mm x 1800mm. Bag selection will vary according to the size of animals to be placed in them. In the case of snakes a "hoop bag" may be used to facilitate capture. The hoop is approximately 500mm in diameter attached to a handle. The bag is placed around the hoop ensuring a greater area in which to pass the snake through into the bag.

**Plastic holding tubs/containers/animal crate**: Plastic holding tubs/containers/crates will be used to temporarily house fauna such as snakes, lizards, frogs, small mammals and birds (Plastic holding tubs/containers/crates will range in size from 150mm x 150mm x 120mm to 500mmx 400mm x

400mm. Plastic holding tubs/containers/crates selection will vary according to the size and number of animals to be placed in them.

In addition to this, material is used to line the tub/crate to ensure the animals won't lose its footing. This may include folded towels on the bottom of the crate or a fitted pad. These items are washed between each use to reduce the spread of disease/parasites.

Section 9 of the Code relates to how transportation of wildlife should be undertaken. The following will be adhered to when transporting wildlife to the vet and/or carer:

- Additional pain or distress of the animal is to be avoided;
- Wildlife should only be transported when necessary;
- Transport containers must be appropriate for the species (size, strength and behaviour of species being moved;
- Transport containers must be designed and maintained in a way as to:
  - Prevent injury;
  - Prevent escape;
  - Prevent rolling/tipping during transit;
  - Prevent damage to plumage (feathers);
  - Be hygienic;
  - o Minimise stress and
  - Be suitably ventilated.

- Non-compatible species must not be transported in a manner which allows for visual or physical contact;
- Containers must be secured to prevent movement and provide protection from direct sunlight, wind and rain;

Venomous, dangerous or potentially disease transmitting animals must be clearly marked with warning labels (i.e. Caution –'venomous snake' or 'live bat') and be locked and secured.

#### 6. Wildlife Release & Disposal Plan

Spring Mountain Forest Park lies to the south of Village 8 and contains similar habitat types suitable for species likely to be encountered when clearing.

With the exception of highly mobile species such as birds and macropods where natural relocation may occur, it will be necessary for the fauna spotter/catcher to translocate the majority of fauna found into suitable habitat within these areas. A map of the intended release site can be viewed in Appendix B

In regard to all fauna capture and disposal activities conducted on the project the following records will be made:

- a. species;
- **b.** identification name or number;
- c. sex (M, F, or unknown);
- d. approximate age or age class (neonate, juvenile, sub-adult, adult);
- e. time and date of capture;
- f. method of capture;
- g. exact point of capture (GPS point);
- **h.** state of health;
- i. incidents associated with capture likely to affect the animal;
- j. veterinary intervention or treatments;
- **k.** time held in captivity;
- I. disposal (euthanasia, re-release, translocation etc);
- m. date and time of disposal;
- n. details of disposal (if released, exact point of release GPS);
- **o.** for released animals: distance in metres from point of capture to point of release.

### 7. Post Works Impact Minimisation

As the project area will be cleared of all vegetation, post works impact monitoring and/or impact minimisation is deemed not necessary. It is unlikely the vast majority of wildlife will return to the area as all habitat and foraging resources will be removed and habitat connectivity is also not present.

In the event that fauna is found on site post-works, it is recommended personnel contact QFC and a licensed and experienced wildlife consultant can be dispatched to remove and relocate the animal should it be necessary. QFC wildlife consultants are available 24/7 for fauna related callouts in relation to this project.

It is recommended that if any fauna, such as Kangaroos and Wallabies, are noted in the wider area and appear distressed post-works that QFC be contacted to further assess the situation.

#### 8. Assessment, Conclusion and Fauna Management Recommendations

A number of conclusions and recommendations are presented, with the specific intention of providing a comprehensive management structure to facilitate minimal impact to fauna during the clearing of vegetation and subsequent disturbance of habitats. The directives given by Fauna Spotter Catchers should embrace a "best practice" approach which includes implementation of proven specific management techniques for identified habitat types and compliance with legislation relevant to the activity.

Fauna management is presented here specific to EVNT fauna, general terrestrial and arboreal fauna and aquatic fauna. Although each is treated separately, overlap does occur within target techniques providing a comprehensive approach for target species of all conservation significance.
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## 10. Appendix A: Intended Stages of Clearing





## 11. Appendix B: Intended Release Site for Wildlife



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# Fauna Spotter Catcher Pre-clearance Survey and Wildlife Protection & Management Plan

Springfield Rise – Village 6 Detention Basin Spring Mountain, Queensland Report prepared for Shadforths Civil Contractors



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#### 1. Introduction

#### 1.1 **Project Background**

Queensland Fauna Consultancy Pty Ltd has been engaged by Shadforths Civil Contractors to conduct a Fauna Spotter Catcher Pre-clearance and Habitat Values Survey and present a subsequent report for the Village 6 Detention Basin of the Springfield Rise development proposed at Spring Mountain, Queensland. The site location with indicative site extent is presented in Map 1.

The objective of this report is to summarise the existing fauna values present and assign mitigatory strategies applicable to probable species likely to be encountered during the clearing of identified habitats throughout or within specific localities of the site. Fauna species both common and of elevated conservation value have been considered within the parameters of onsite investigations and, where provided to QFC, include review of current fauna and floristic reports that may influence the assemblages expected to utilise the micro habitats evident within the site.

This review encompasses species identified under the provisions of the Commonwealth *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* and the Queensland *Nature Conservation Act 1992*. Further consideration is given, where applicable, to species of iconic, cultural and/or regional significance identified under commonwealth, state or local planning instruments aimed at the persistence of biodiversity values within the area.

#### 1.2 **Project Location and Site Description**

The Village 6 Detention Basin is located in a central portion of the Springfield Rise precinct, north west of the Village 6 development site, and adjacent to the existing Tea Trees Estate. Existing features exhibit primarily a woodland vegetative complex on sloping terrain that displays ephemeral drainage features. Dominant trees species across a number of vegetation types include *Eucalyptus siderophloia, Corymbia intermedia* and *Lophostemon suaveolens*.



*Map 1:* Project Location (Image extracted from Springfield Rise – Village 6 Stages 3,4,5,6 and7, Existing Survey Plan, ARCADIS 23.09.16)

#### 1.3 Current Permits and Authorities

All activities conducted during the site investigations were implemented under the provisions of a number of permits issued to Queensland Fauna Consultancy Pty Ltd by the Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (DEHP) formerly the Department of Environment and Resource Management and the Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation (DEEDI). These permits and additional authorities are listed in Table 1.

#### Table 1: Current Permits and authorities issued to QFC

Permit/Authorisation	Permit Number	Expiry Date
Damage Mitigation Permit	WIMP17840916	5 <sup>th</sup> December 2019
Rehabilitation Permit	WIRP15052614	10 <sup>th</sup> September 2017
Scientific Purposes Permit	WISP16935816	14 <sup>th</sup> February 2021
Scientific User Registration	Registration Number 589	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2019
Animal Ethics	CA 2016/01/939	27 <sup>th</sup> February 2019

These permits and approvals enable QFC to conduct the investigation, observation and relocation of protected animals exposed to disturbance due to infrastructure expansion resulting in the destruction of natural and artificial habitats.

#### 2. Methodology

A site inspection was carried out on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2017 by Qld Fauna Consultancy. A standard set of observational techniques aimed at maximising the detection of fauna and the probable habitats they may occupy were employed to ascertain and identify the current fauna values throughout the project area. Where species of elevated conservation significance where foreseen as potentially present targeted searches were instigated to further evaluate individual species habitat.

Due to the habitat variability expressed across the development site the composition of investigations may include a range of features that entail specific components indicative of the presence of particular species or faunal groups. This may include, where evident, observation of activity or signs of both historical and current use.

These may include but are not limited to the following:

- Identification of terrestrial microhabitats such as ground hollows, rock, burrows, leaf litter, stands of heavy vegetation, fallen branches and bark exfoliations;
- Identification of arboreal micro habitats including basal, trunk and limb hollows, tree fissures, bark exfoliates and arboreal termitaria;
- Identification of constructed arboreal micro habitats including bird nests and Ringtail Possum dreys;
- Artificial habitats including but not limited to ornamental gardens, discarded rubbish, human dwellings and other infrastructure;
- Observation and investigation of aquatic habitats including dams, soaks, creeks, rivers and seasonally inundated vegetation communities. Artificial aquatic habitats may include constructed drains and culverts. Further components of interest include bank profiles and undercuts, submerged and/or exposed timber and rock, immediate aquatic and riparian vegetation, surfacing animals, nesting and/or feeding birds;
- Direct observation of active or exposed fauna within terrestrial, aquatic and arboreal habitats;
- Identification of scats, tracks and scratchings to determine fauna potentially present or to have historically utilised the site for either transient or longer term life history purposes.

#### 2.1 Specific methodology for Koalas *Phascolarctos cinereus*

Due to specific requirements and the cryptic nature of the Koala the following techniques were employed to assist in ascertaining the current and historical presence/absence status of the species at the site:

- Use of binoculars to inspect the crown, forks and trunk of trees for individuals currently occupying the site;
- 'Drip zone' searches at the base of known food trees for the presence of scats to a radius equal to that of the crown of individual trees;
- Inspection of trunks for scratchings indicative of use by Koalas.

#### 3. Findings

The findings endeavor to demarcate the existing habitat profiles and the features present into three distinct groups: terrestrial, arboreal and aquatic. All habitat features present onsite are noted, however it is probable additional features will be present with these being accounted for during the Fauna Spotter Catcher process to be applied to all vegetation clearing across the site.

#### 3.1 Terrestrial Habitat Features

The terrestrial fauna values of the site consist of a variety of different components and microhabitat features. These features include an understorey composed of a variety of different plant species, with a significant portion of site displaying dense cover provisioned by species such as Lantana *Lantana* camara (weed), Soap Tree *Alphitonia excelsa* and a variety of *Acacia* species (Figure 1 and Figure 2).

Leaf litter and bark exfoliations (Figure 3) are also a feature on site, being present in abundance and at variable depths, providing refugial opportunities and microhabitat connectivity that can be exploited by many different native terrestrial vertebrate and invertebrate species. The site is also exhibitive of woody debris and hollow logs (Figure 4 and Figure 5).

Mammal assemblages may comprise both native and introduced species. Potential native mammals occurring on site include the Northern Brown Bandicoot *Isoodon macrourus* which may be present in localities with significant vegetative ground cover. Small conical burrows indicative of this species were abundant throughout the site (Figure 6 and Figure 7).

In addition a number of earthen embankments, typically associated with the gullies that intersect the site, were located. These provide potential nesting localities for a number of native species including the Rainbow Bee-eater *Merops ornatus*, and the Striated Pardalote *Pardalotus striatus*, with inactive nest burrows of the latter being located in one area of the site (Figure 8).

These features collectively contribute to the potential presence of a wide variety of native fauna species utilising the area for refugial, foraging and other resources.

GPS coordinates for all indicative terrestrial habitat features are shown in Table 2. Localities for identified terrestrial habitat features are presented in Map 2.

A comprehensive list of fauna species recorded in the region can be viewed in Appendix C.

Number	Habitat Feature	GPS Coord	dinates
Number		Easting	Northing
1	Hollow log	490171	6937077
2	Striated Pardalote Nest (Inactive)	490072	6937031

#### Table 2: Localities for identified terrestrial habitat features



Figure 1: Dense understorey composed of *Alphitonia excelsa, Lantana camara* and *Acacia spp.* 



Figure 2: Dense understorey thicket of Lantana camara



Figure 3: Dense leaf litter



Figure 4: Woody debris



Figure 5: Hollow log



Figure 6: Bandicoot diggings



Figure 7: Bandicoot digging



Figure 8: Striated pardalote burrow



### Map 2: Localities for identified terrestrial habitat features

Key for habitat feature type:

Hollow log Striated Pardalote Nests

#### 3.2 Arboreal Habitat Features

The majority of the clearance area consists predominately of Eucalypt woodland consisting of trees of varying height, species and density. Koala habitat trees located in the clearance area include: *Eucalyptus tereticornis, E. biturbinata, E. siderophloia, E. crebra, Corymbia intermedia, C. citriodora, C. henryi, Lophostemon confertus, L. suaveolens* and *Angophora leiocarpa*. However, no evidence was observed to indicate recent use of these trees by koalas. No koala scats were found during 'drip zone' searches and characteristic scratchings were not found during trunk investigations. A Koala habitat values map for the clearance area is presented in Appendix A.

Arboreal termite mounds are present on site (Figure 9) although no signs of recent excavations were observed. Species such as the Lace Monitor *Varanus varius* utilises arboreal termitaria for the long term incubation of eggs. In these situations areas excavated for egg deposition are often resealed by subsequent activity of the termites themselves. Suitable mounds were located with the potential for use by this species.

A tree potentially bearing small hollows and exhibitive exfoliating bark (Figure 10) was located on site. Tree hollows provide potential habitat opportunities for a number of arboreal mammal and reptile species, and exfoliating bark offers refugial opportunities for reptile species such as arboreal snakes and geckos.

No avian nests or Possum dreys were found during the survey however further inspections are recommended immediately prior to clearing commencement.

GPS coordinates for all indicative arboreal habitat features are shown in Table 3. Localities for identified arboreal habitat features are presented in Map 3.

Number	Hobitat Feature	GPS Coo	ordinates
Number		Easting	Northing
1	Arboreal termitaria	490031	6937072
2	Hollow bearing tree with exfoliating bark	490072	6937031

### Table 3: Localities for identified arboreal habitat features



Figure 9: Arboreal termitaria



Figure 10: Tree with potential small hollows and exfoliating bark



### Map 3: Localities for identified arboreal habitat features

Key for habitat feature type:

Arboreal Termite Mound

Hollow bearing tree with exfoliating bark

#### 3.3 Aquatic Habitat Features

The site consisted of sloping terrain and was intersected in a number of localities by gullies (Figure 11 and Figure 12). Subject to climatic events these gullies would act as ephemeral drainage features and may provide breeding opportunities for frogs during significant rainfall events when intermittent ponded features are created. Some minor pooling of water was observed at the time of the survey in one of the gullies, and amphibian tracks were located in the associated mud. Other species may also exploit the various microhabitats present by such environmental features, and include the Keelback Snake *Tropidonophis mairii*, Common Tree Snake *Dendrelaphis punctulatus* and various mammals and birds utilising the area as a water resource.



Figure 11: Drainage feature



Figure 12: Drainage feature



Figure 12: Pooled water with amphibian tracks

#### 3.4 Endangered, Vulnerable and Near Threatened (EVNT) Species

It is not envisaged that any EVNT fauna species will be detrimentally impacted by the proposed works. However, five species identified within the Online EPBC Protected Matters Report and the Queensland Government Wildlife Online Search Tool were considered likely or possible to occur within the site and will require further mitigation during clearing activities.

Although no evidence was found during the site inspection of very recent Koala use, the species has previously been recorded in the area. Some areas within the site are identified as High Value Bushland under Koala Habitat in South East Queensland mapping sourced from the DEHP online search tool (see Appendix A).

It is advised that dedicated methodologies be employed by a qualified Fauna Spotter specific to the detection of these species prior to vegetation clearing activities.

Common Name Scientific Name	Species Information	Likelihood of Occurrence within the Clearance Survey area
Mammals		
Koala <i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i> EPBC: Vulnerable NCA: Vulnerable	Inhabits a range of open forest and woodland communities which may include any of the following noted food trees: <i>Eucalyptus, Corymbia, Melaleuca, Angophora</i> and <i>Lophostemon</i> .	<i>Likely</i> Known food trees for the transient Koala ( <i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i> ) occur on the clearance site and the species is well documented within the area.
Grey-headed Flying-fox Pteropus poliocephalus EPBC: Vulnerable NCA: Least Concern	The Grey-headed Flying-Fox roosts in aggregations of various sizes on exposed branches, commonly of emergent trees. Roost sites are typically located near water, such as lakes, rivers or the coast. Habitat includes open forests, woodlands, urban parks and gardens.	<b>Possible</b> Suitable vegetation communities containing both feeding and roosting resources occur on and adjacent to the clearance site.
Spotted-tail Quoll (SE Mainland Population) Dasyurus maculates maculatus EPBC: Endangered NCA: Vulnerable	Currently known from the Granit Belt and Border Ranges though small numbers may occur from Gympie to the QLD border (Curtis <i>et al.</i> 2012). Inhabits vine-forest, wet and dry sclerophyll forests and woodlands containing boulder piles, fallen logs and hollow trees utilised as shelter sites (Curtis <i>et al.</i> 2012).	<b>Possible</b> Preferred habitat type and habitat features present and the species is documented within the area.
Greater Glider Petauroides volans EPBC: Vulnerable NCA: Least Concern	Largest of the gliders, the Great Glider is found along eastern Australia within a variety of eucalypt dominated forests and tall open woodlands (Lindenmayer 2002)	<i>Likely</i> Preferred habitat type and habitat features present and the species is documented within the area.

# Table 4: Significant species deemed likely or possible to occur within the clearance survey area

Birds		
Powerful Owl Ninox strenua	Inhabits forests and woodlands of eastern and south- eastern Australia (Beruldsen 2003). Breeds once per year in May to July or August. Nests in hollow trunks or limbs of	<b>Possible</b> Preferred habitat types present and the species is documented within
EPBC: Not Listed NCA: Vulnerable	large trees, usually at considerable height (Beruldsen 2003).	the area.

#### 4. Fauna Impacts

It is important to consider the existing and future residential developmental areas when investigation potential fauna impacts.

Impacts to fauna as a result of vegetation clearance will include the following:

- Loss of trees for foraging, roosting and nesting;
- Loss of hollow-bearing trees for nesting and refuge;
- Loss of habitat and foraging areas for terrestrial species;
- Loss of overall habitat;
- Potential loss of abundance of some local species.

Other impacts may include:

- Injury or death during felling of trees;
- Injury or death from machinery;
- Alteration of nesting, foraging and general activities due to disturbance.

#### 5. Assessment and Conclusion

Overall the site contains medium value refugial opportunities for arboreal and terrestrial fauna species (see Section 3.1 and 3.2). The species expected within the site are likely to primarily reflect common fauna assemblages for the region; however, provisions will be proposed directly for common fauna and species of conservation significance.

The current retention of areas of adjacent habitat to Village 6 Detention Basin in conjunction with sequential clearing methodologies will aid in the movement of medium to large size fauna such as Koala and Kangaroos. Specific methodologies for these species will be detailed within the Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan (WHIMP).

A number of conclusions and recommendations will be presented in the WHIMP, with the specific intention of providing a comprehensive management structure to facilitate minimal impact to fauna during the clearing of vegetation and subsequent disturbance of habitats.

It is advised that all identified fauna habitats onsite be inspected by a DEHP approved Fauna Spotter prior to vegetation clearing and all vegetation removal activities be supervised during the clearing process (as per the SBMP V12 DRAFT: Pre-Clearance – Fauna Management). Terrestrial load reduction activities will be conducted ahead of the clearing front where possible. Fauna captured will be relocated to adjacent habitat consistent with the life history requirements of the species requiring translocation. The directives given by Fauna Spotter Catchers should embrace a "best practice" approach which includes implementation of proven specific management techniques for identified habitat types and compliance with legislation relevant to the activity.

It is recommended that in the event any nests which contain chicks are identified during clearing be left until fledged, and those that are in a construction phase should be dismantled to prevent further nesting activity. Any fertile eggs recovered will require incubation and subsequent rearing for latter release.

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#### 7. Appendix A: Koala Habitat Values



#### 8. Appendix B: EPBC Act Protected Matters Report

## **EPBC Act Protected Matters Report** This report provides general guidance on matters of national environmental significance and other matters protected by the EPBC Act in the area you have selected. Information on the coverage of this report and qualifications on data supporting this report are contained in the caveat at the end of the report. Information is available about Environment Assessments and the EPBC Act including significance guidelines, forms and application process details. Brisbane Ri Report created: 24/02/17 14:36:23 Summary Details Matters of NES 15 Ros Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act Extra Information Caveat **Acknowledgements** South Ripley New Beith This map may contain data which are ©Commonwealth of Australia (Geoscience Australia), ©PSMA 2010 **Coordinates** Buffer: 5.0Km

#### Summary

#### Matters of National Environmental Significance

This part of the report summarises the matters of national environmental significance that may occur in, or may relate to, the area you nominated. Further information is available in the detail part of the report, which can be accessed by scrolling or following the links below. If you are proposing to undertake an activity that may have a significant impact on one or more matters of national environmental significance then you should consider the Administrative Guidelines on Significance.

World Heritage Properties:	None
National Heritage Places:	None
Wetlands of International Importance:	None
Great Barrier Reef Marine Park:	None
Commonwealth Marine Area:	None
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities:	2
Listed Threatened Species:	36
Listed Migratory Species:	13

#### Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act

This part of the report summarises other matters protected under the Act that may relate to the area you nominated. Approval may be required for a proposed activity that significantly affects the environment on Commonwealth land, when the action is outside the Commonwealth land, or the environment anywhere when the action is taken on Commonwealth land. Approval may also be required for the Commonwealth or Commonwealth agencies proposing to take an action that is likely to have a significant impact on the environment anywhere.

The EPBC Act protects the environment on Commonwealth land, the environment from the actions taken on Commonwealth land, and the environment from actions taken by Commonwealth agencies. As heritage values of a place are part of the 'environment', these aspects of the EPBC Act protect the Commonwealth Heritage values of a Commonwealth Heritage place. Information on the new heritage laws can be found at http://www.environment.gov.au/heritage

A <u>permit</u> may be required for activities in or on a Commonwealth area that may affect a member of a listed threatened species or ecological community, a member of a listed migratory species, whales and other cetaceans, or a member of a listed marine species.

Commonwealth Land:	1
Commonwealth Heritage Places:	1
Listed Marine Species:	20
Whales and Other Cetaceans:	None
Critical Habitats:	None
Commonwealth Reserves Terrestrial:	None
Commonwealth Reserves Marine:	None

#### Extra Information

This part of the report provides information that may also be relevant to the area you have nominated.

State and Territory Reserves:	1
Regional Forest Agreements:	None
Invasive Species:	32
Nationally Important Wetlands:	1
Key Ecological Features (Marine)	None

#### Details Matters of National Environmental Significance Listed Threatened Ecological Communities [Resource Information] For threatened ecological communities where the distribution is well known, maps are derived from recovery plans, State vegetation maps, remote sensing imagery and other sources. Where threatened ecological community distributions are less well known, existing vegetation maps and point location data are used to produce indicative distribution maps. Type of Presence Name Status Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia Critically Endangered Community may occur within area White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Critically Endangered Community may occur Woodland and Derived Native Grassland within area Listed Threatened Species [Resource Information] Name Status Type of Presence Birds Anthochaera phrygia Regent Honeyeater [82338] Critically Endangered Foraging, feeding or related behaviour may occur within area Botaurus poiciloptilus Australasian Bittern [1001] Endangered Species or species habitat likely to occur within area Calidris ferruginea Curlew Sandpiper [856] Critically Endangered Species or species habitat may occur within area Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni Coxen's Fig-Parrot [59714] Endangered Species or species habitat may occur within area Dasyornis brachypterus Eastern Bristlebird [533] Endangered Species or species habitat likely to occur within area Erythrotriorchis radiatus Red Goshawk [942] Vulnerable Species or species habitat likely to occur within area Geophaps scripta scripta Squatter Pigeon (southern) [64440] Vulnerable Species or species habitat may occur within area Grantiella picta Painted Honeyeater [470] Vulnerable Species or species habitat may occur within area Lathamus discolor Swift Parrot [744] Critically Endangered Species or species habitat likely to occur within area Numenius madagascariensis Species or species habitat Eastern Curlew, Far Eastern Curlew [847] Critically Endangered may occur within area

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Poephila cincta cincta		.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Southern Black-throated Finch [64447]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Rostratula australis		
Australian Painted Snipe [77037]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Turnix melanogaster		
Black-breasted Button-quail [923]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Insects		
Phyllodes imperialis smithersi		
Pink Underwing Moth [86084]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Mammals		
Chalinolobus dwyeri		
Large-eared Pied Bat, Large Pied Bat [183]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Dasyurus hallucatus		
Northern Quoll, Digul [331]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Dasyurus maculatus maculatus (SE mainland populat	tion)	
Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population) [75184]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Petauroides volans		
Greater Glider [254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Petrogale penicillata		
Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby [225]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Phascolarctos cinereus (combined populations of Qld.	NSW and the ACT)	
Koala (combined populations of Queensland, New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory) [85104]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
<u>Pteropus poliocephalus</u> Grey-headed Flying-fox [186]	Vulnerable	Foraging, feeding or related
		behaviour known to occur within area
Other		
[55797]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Plants		
Bosistoa transversa		
Three-leaved Bosistoa, Yellow Satinheart [16091]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Dichanthium setosum		
bluegrass [14159]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Macadamia integrifolia		
Macadamia Nut, Queensland Nut Tree, Smooth- shelled Macadamia, Bush Nut, Nut Oak [7326]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Macadamia tetraphylla		
Rough-shelled Bush Nut, Macadamia Nut, Rough- shelled Macadamia, Rough-leaved Queensland Nut	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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Notelaea Iloydii Lloyd's Olive [15002]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
Phaius australis		
Lesser Swamp-orchid [5872]	Endangered	Species or species habita may occur within area
Plectranthus habrophyllus		
[64589]	Endangered	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
<u>Samadera bidwillii</u> Quassia [29708]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
Sophora fraseri		
[8836]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
Thesium australe		
Austral Toadflax, Toadflax [15202]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
Reptiles		
<u>Delma torquata</u> Adorned Delma, Collared Delma [1656]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita may occur within area
Furina dunmalli	38 2	
Dunmall's Snake [59254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita may occur within area
Saiphos reticulatus		
<u>Saiphos reticulatus</u> Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink [88328]	Vulnerable	Species or species habita may occur within area
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		known to occur within area
Migratory Wetlands Species		
Calloris ferruginea Curlew Sandpiper [856]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat
	,	may occur within area
Gallinago hardwickii		
Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe [863]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Numenius madagascariensis		
Eastern Curlew, Far Eastern Curlew [847]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Pandion haliaetus		
Osprey [952]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Tringa nebularia		Cassies or energies hebitat
Common Greensnank, Greensnank [832]		likely to occur within area
Other Matters Protected by the EPBC A	ct	
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			area
ł	<u>laliaeetus leucogaster</u>		
1	White-bellied Sea-Eagle [943]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
ł	<u>Hirundapus caudacutus</u>		
١	White-throated Needletail [682]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
L	athamus discolor		
~	Swift Parrot [744]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
1	<u>Aerops ornatus</u>		
F	Rainbow Bee-eater [670]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
1	<u>Aonarcha melanopsis</u>		
E	3lack-faced Monarch [609]		Species or species habitation known to occur within area
1	<u>Aonarcha trivirgatus</u>		
~	Spectacled Monarch [610]		Species or species habita may occur within area
1	Aotacilla flava		
1	∕ellow Wagtail [644]		Species or species habita may occur within area
1	Ayiagra cyanoleuca		
0,	Satin Flycatcher [612]		Species or species habita known to occur within area
1	<u>Numenius madagascariensis</u>		
E	Eastern Curlew, Far Eastern Curlew [847]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitation may occur within area
E	Pandion haliaetus		
(	Osprey [952]		Species or species habitation may occur within area
E	Rhipidura rufifrons		
F	Rufous Fantail [592]		Species or species habitation known to occur within area
E	Rostratula benghalensis (sensu lato)		
F	Painted Snipe [889]	Endangered*	Species or species habita likely to occur within area
1	<u>Fringa nebularia</u>		
	Common Greenshank, Greenshank [832]		Species or species habitat

State and Territory Reserves	[Resource Infor	mation
Name	State	
White Rock	QLD	
nvasive Species	[ Resource Infor	mation
Weeds reported here are the 20 species of national s that are considered by the States and Territories to p following feral animals are reported: Goat, Red Fox, Landscape Health Project, National Land and Water	gnificance (WoNS), along with other introduced p se a particularly significant threat to biodiversity. at, Rabbit, Pig, Water Buffalo and Cane Toad. M Resouces Audit, 2001.	lants The aps fron
Name	Status Type of Presence	
Birds		
Acridotheres tristis Common Myna, Indian Myna [387]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Anas platyrhynchos		
Mallard [974]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Carduelis carduelis		
European Goldfinch [403]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat 1 area
Columba livia		
Rock Pigeon, Rock Dove, Domestic Pigeon [803]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat 1 area
_onchura punctulata		
Nutmeg Mannikin [399]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Passer domesticus		
House Sparrow [405]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Streptopelia chinensis		
Spotted Turtle-Dove [780]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Sturnus vulgaris		
Common Starling [389]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Frogs		
Rhinella marina		
Cane Toad [83218]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Mammals		
Bos taurus		habitat
Domestic Cattle [16]	Species or species likely to occur within	nabitat n area
Canis lupus familiaris		
Domestic Dog [82654]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Equus caballus		
Horse [5]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
Felis catus		
Cat, House Cat, Domestic Cat [19]	Species or species likely to occur within	habitat n area
_epus capensis		
Brown Hare [127]	Spacios or spacios	

Name	Status	Type of Presence
		habitat likely to occur with area
Mus musculus		
House Mouse [120]		Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Orvctolagus cuniculus		
Rabbit European Rabbit [128]		Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Battus norvegicus		
Brown Rat, Norway Rat [83]		Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Rattus rattus		
Black Rat, Ship Rat [84]		Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Sus scrofa		
Pig [6]		Species or species habitat
- 2015		likely to occur within area
Vulpes vulpes		
Red Fox, Fox [18]		Species or species habitat
		incervito occur within area
Plants		
Cabomba caroinnana Cabomba, Fanwort, Carolina Watershield. Fish Gras	S,	Species or species habita
Washington Grass, Watershield, Carolina Fanwort,		likely to occur within area
Common Cabomba [51/1]		
Bitou Bush, Bonosood [19092]		Species or species hebita
Bilou Bush, Boheseed [16963]		may occur within area
Fichhornia crassines		
Water Hyacinth Water Orchid Nile Lilv [13466]		Species or species habitat
		likely to occur within area
Genista monspessulana		
Montpellier Broom, Cape Broom, Canary Broom,		Species or species habitat
Common Broom, French Broom, Soft Broom [20126]	l.	likely to occur within area
Lantana camara		
Lantana, Common Lantana, Kamara Lantana. Laroe	-	Species or species habitat
leaf Lantana, Pink Flowered Lantana, Red Flowered		likely to occur within area
Lantana, Red-Flowered Sage, White Sage, Wild Sag	le	
[10892] Parkinsonia aculeata		
Parkinsonia, Jerusalem Thorn, Jelly Bean Tree, Hors	se	Species or species habita
Bean [12301]		likely to occur within area
Parthenium hysterophorus		
Parthenium Weed, Bitter Weed, Carrot Grass, False		Species or species habita
Ragweed [19566]		likely to occur within area
Salix spp. except S.babylonica, S.x calodendron & S	.x reichardtii	
Willows except Weeping Willow, Pussy Willow and		Species or species habita
Sterne Fussy Willow [06497]		likely to occur within area
Salvinia molesta	5.4	
Saivinia, Giant Saivinia, Aquarium Watermoss, Karib Weed [13665]	a	Species or species habitat
Senecio madagascariensis		Conscion on operation had the
Groundsel [2624]		likely to occur within area
Solanum elaegonifolium		
Silver Nightshade, Silver-leaved Nightshade White		Species or species habita
g,		
Horse Nettle, Silver-leaf Nightshade, Tomato Weed.		likely to occur within area
Name Silverleaf-nettle, Trompillo [12323]	Status	Type of Presence
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Hemidactylus frenatus Asian House Gecko [1708]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Nationally Important Wetlands		[Resource Information]
Name <u>Greenbank Army Training Area C</u>		QLD

### Caveat

The information presented in this report has been provided by a range of data sources as acknowledged at the end of the report.

This report is designed to assist in identifying the locations of places which may be relevant in determining obligations under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999. It holds mapped locations of World and National Heritage properties, Wetlands of International and National Importance, Commonwealth and State/Territory reserves, listed threatened, migratory and marine species and listed threatened ecological communities. Mapping of Commonwealth land is not complete at this stage. Maps have been collated from a range of sources at various resolutions.

Not all species listed under the EPBC Act have been mapped (see below) and therefore a report is a general guide only. Where available data supports mapping, the type of presence that can be determined from the data is indicated in general terms. People using this information in making a referral may need to consider the qualifications below and may need to seek and consider other information sources.

For threatened ecological communities where the distribution is well known, maps are derived from recovery plans, State vegetation maps, remote sensing imagery and other sources. Where threatened ecological community distributions are less well known, existing vegetation maps and point location data are used to produce indicative distribution maps.

Threatened, migratory and marine species distributions have been derived through a variety of methods. Where distributions are well known and if time permits, maps are derived using either thematic spatial data (i.e. vegetation, soils, geology, elevation, aspect, terrain, etc) together with point locations and described habitat; or environmental modelling (MAXENT or BIOCLIM habitat modelling) using point locations and environmental data layers.

Where very little information is available for species or large number of maps are required in a short time-frame, maps are derived either from 0.04 or 0.02 decimal degree cells; by an automated process using polygon capture techniques (static two kilometre grid cells, alpha-hull and convex hull); or captured manually or by using topographic features (national park boundaries, islands, etc). In the early stages of the distribution mapping process (1999-early 2000s) distributions were defined by degree blocks, 100K or 250K map sheets to rapidly create distribution maps. More reliable distribution mapping methods are used to update these distributions as time permits.

Only selected species covered by the following provisions of the EPBC Act have been mapped:

- migratory and

- marine

The following species and ecological communities have not been mapped and do not appear in reports produced from this database:

- threatened species listed as extinct or considered as vagrants
- some species and ecological communities that have only recently been listed
- some terrestrial species that overfly the Commonwealth marine area

- migratory species that are very widespread, vagrant, or only occur in small numbers

The following groups have been mapped, but may not cover the complete distribution of the species:

- non-threatened seabirds which have only been mapped for recorded breeding sites
- seals which have only been mapped for breeding sites near the Australian continent

Such breeding sites may be important for the protection of the Commonwealth Marine environment.

## Coordinates

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## 9. Appendix C: Wildlife Online Extract



## Wildlife Online Extract

Search Criteria: Species List for a Specified Point Species: Animals Type: All Status: All Records: All Date: All Latitude: -27.6881 Longitude: 152.8961 Distance: 5 Email: 371072@gmail.com Date submitted: Friday 24 Feb 2017 13:37:10 Date extracted: Friday 24 Feb 2017 13:40:03

The number of records retrieved = 321

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As the DSITIA is still in a process of collating and vetting data, it is possible the information given is not complete. The information provided should only be used for the project for which it was requested and it should be appropriately acknowledged as being derived from Wildlife Online when it is used.

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I.	Q	А	Records
animals	amphibians	Bufonidae	Rhinella marina	cane toad	Y			60
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria dentata	bleating treefrog		С		1
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria peronii	emerald spotted treefrog		С		2
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria rubella	ruddy treefrog		C		8
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria caerulea	common green treefrog		С		6
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria wilcoxii	eastern stony creek frog		C		5
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria gracilenta	graceful treefrog		C		13
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria latopalmata	broad palmed rocketfrog		C		9
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria brevipalmata	green thighed frog		C		1
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Cyclorana alboguttata	greenstripe frog		C		1
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria fallax	eastern sedgefrog		C		19
nimals	amphibians	Hylidae	Litoria nasuta	striped rocketfrog		C		6
nimals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Limnodynastes tasmaniensis	spotted grassfrog		C		2
nimals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Platyplectrum ornatum	ornate burrowing frog		C		23
nimals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Limnodynastes peronii	striped marshfrog		C		8
nimals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Adelotus brevis	tusked frog		V		1
nimals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	Limnodynastes terraereginae	scarlet sided pobblebonk		C		7
nimals	amphibians	Myobatrachidae	Mixophyes fasciolatus	great barred frog		C		9
nimals	amphibians	Myobatrachidae	Crinia parinsignifera	beeping froglet		C		4
nimals	amphibians	Myobatrachidae	Pseudophrvne raveni	copper backed broodfrog		С		7
nimals	amphibians	Mvobatrachidae	Pseudophrvne maior	great brown broodfrog		C		1
nimals	amphibians	Myobatrachidae	Uperoleia rugosa	chubby gungan		С		2
nimals	amphibians	Mvobatrachidae	Pseudophrvne coriacea	red backed broodfrog		C		2
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Acanthiza nana	vellow thornbill		C		9
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Acanthiza pusilla	brown thornbill		C		18
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Acanthiza lineata	striated thornbill		C		8
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Gervaone mouki	brown gervaone		C		7
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Gervaone olivacea	white-throated gervgone		C		56
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Acanthiza reguloides	buff-rumped thornbill		C		37
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Sericornis frontalis	white-browed scrubwren		C		36
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Acanthiza chrvsorrhoa	vellow-rumped thornbill		C		11
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Chthonicola sagittata	speckled warbler		C		26
nimals	birds	Acanthizidae	Smicrornis brevirostris	weebill		C		52
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Elanus axillaris	black-shouldered kite		C		11
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Aquila audax	wedge-tailed eagle		С		31
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Accipiter fasciatus	brown goshawk		C		13
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Aviceda subcristata	Pacific baza		С		37
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Haliastur sphenurus	whistling kite		С		1
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Hieraaetus morphnoides	little eagle		С		1
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Accipiter cirrocephalus	collared sparrowhawk		С		2
nimals	birds	Accipitridae	Accipiter novaehollandiae	grey goshawk		С		3
nimals	birds	Aegothelidae	Aegotheles cristatus	Australian owlet-nightiar		С		11
nimals	birds	Alcedinidae	Ceyx azureus	azure kingfisher		С		8
nimals	birds	Alcedinidae	Ceyx pusillus	little kingfisher		С		1
nimals	birds	Anatidae	Anas superciliosa	Pacific black duck		С		52
nimals	birds	Anatidae	Chenonetta iubata	Australian wood duck		C		36

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	1	Q	Α	Records
animals	birds	Anseranatidae	Anseranas semipalmata	magpie goose		С		2
animals	birds	Apodidae	Hirundapus caudacutus	white-throated needletail		SL		10
animals	birds	Apodidae	Apus pacificus	fork-tailed swift		SL		1
animals	birds	Ardeidae	Bubulcus ibis	cattle egret		С		25
nimals	birds	Ardeidae	Ardea pacifica	white-necked heron		С		7
nimals	birds	Ardeidae	Ardea intermedia	intermediate egret		С		2
nimals	birds	Ardeidae	Nycticorax caledonicus	nankeen night-heron		C		29
nimals	birds	Ardeidae	Egretta novaehollandiae	white-faced heron		C		63
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Cracticus nigrogularis	pied butcherbird		С		82
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Artamus superciliosus	white-browed woodswallow		C		1
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Artamus leucorvnchus	white-breasted woodswallow		C		2
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Cracticus torquatus	arev butcherbird		C		116
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Artamus cvanopterus	dusky woodswallow		C		12
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Strepera graculina	pied currawong		C		113
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Cracticus tibicen	Australian magpie		Č		132
nimals	birds	Artamidae	Cracticus sp	/ det allan magpie				4
nimals	birds	Burbinidae	Burbinus grallarius	hush stone-curlew		C		1
nimals	birds	Cacatuidae	Cacatua galerita	sulphur-crested cockatoo		č		64
nimals	birde	Cacatuidae	Cacatua sanguinea	little corolla		č		3
nimale	birds	Cacatuidae	Calvatorbynchus lathami lathami	alossy black-cockatoo (eastern)		V		5
nimals	birde	Cacatuidae	Calvptorhynchus hankaii	red tailed black eachatea		Ċ		5
nimals	birds	Cacatuldae	Eolophus roseicapilla	galah		č		57
nimals	birde	Cacatuldae	Lologo lougomolo	yalan variad trillar		č		57
nimals	birdo	Campephagidae	Caracina novachallandica	block food suckes shrike		č		102
nimais	birds	Campephagidae	Coracina novaenollandiae	plack-faced cuckoo-shrike		č		103
nimais	birds	Campephagidae	Coracina tenurostris			C		51
nimais	birds	Campephagidae	Coracina papuensis	white-bellied cuckoo-shrike		č		0
nimais	birds	Campepnagidae	Lalage tricolor	white-winged triller		C		2
nimals	birds	Campephagidae	Coracina maxima	ground cuckoo-shrike		C		1
nimals	birds	Charadriidae	Vanellus miles	masked lapwing		C		3
nimais	birds	Charadriidae	Vanellus miles novaenollandiae	masked lapwing (southern subspecies)		C		30
nimals	birds	Cisticolidae	Cisticola exilis	golden-headed cisticola		C		25
nimals	birds	Climacteridae	Climacteris attinis	white-browed treecreeper		C		1
nimals	birds	Climacteridae	Cormobates leucophaea	white-throated treecreeper		C		6
nimals	birds	Climacteridae	Cormobates leucophaea metastasis	white-throated treecreeper (southern)		C		55
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Columba livia	rock dove	Y			2
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Geopelia striata	peaceful dove		С		38
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Ocyphaps lophotes	crested pigeon		С		35
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Phaps chalcoptera	common bronzewing		С		22
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Chalcophaps indica	emerald dove		C		5
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Geopelia humeralis	bar-shouldered dove		С		70
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Macropygia amboinensis	brown cuckoo-dove		С		24
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Streptopelia chinensis	spotted dove	Y			15
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Leucosarcia melanoleuca	wonga pigeon		С		1
nimals	birds	Columbidae	Lopholaimus antarcticus	topknot pigeon		С		7
nimals	birds	Coraciidae	Eurystomus orientalis	dollarbird		С		59
nimals	birds	Corvidae	Corvus coronoides	Australian raven		С		1

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animals	birds	Corvidae	Corvus orru	Torresian crow		С		174
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Cacomantis pallidus	pallid cuckoo		С		2
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Cacomantis variolosus	brush cuckoo		С		29
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Centropus phasianinus	pheasant coucal		С		55
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Cacomantis flabelliformis	fan-tailed cuckoo		С		40
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Scythrops novaehollandiae	channel-billed cuckoo		С		37
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Chalcites minutillus barnardi	little bronze-cuckoo		С		1
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Chalcites lucidus	shining bronze-cuckoo		С		13
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Chalcites basalis	Horsfield's bronze-cuckoo		С		14
nimals	birds	Cuculidae	Cuculus optatus	oriental cuckoo		SL		5
animals	birds	Cuculidae	Eudynamys orientalis	eastern koel		C		47
nimals	birds	Dicruridae	Dicrurus bracteatus bracteatus	spangled drongo (eastern Australia)		C		1
nimals	birds	Dicruridae	Dicrurus bracteatus	spangled drongo		С		84
nimals	birds	Estrildidae	Lonchura punctulata	nutmeg mannikin	Y			1
animals	birds	Estrildidae	Neochmia modesta	plum-headed finch		С		1
animals	birds	Estrildidae	Lonchura castaneothorax	chestnut-breasted mannikin		C		7
nimals	birds	Estrildidae	Neochmia temporalis	red-browed finch		С		56
animals	birds	Estrildidae	Taeniopygia bichenovii	double-barred finch		C		36
animals	birds	Eurostopodidae	Eurostopodus mystacalis	white-throated nightiar		C		13
nimals	birds	Falconidae	Falco berigora	brown falcon		C		3
nimals	birds	Falconidae	Falco hypoleucos	grev falcon		V		1
nimals	birds	Falconidae	Falco longipennis	Australian hobby		C		2
nimals	birds	Falconidae	Falco cenchroides	nankeen kestrel		C		22
animals	birds	Falconidae	Falco peregrinus	peregrine falcon		C		12
nimals	birds	Halcvonidae	Todiramphus sanctus	sacred kingfisher		C		29
nimals	birds	Halcvonidae	Dacelo novaequineae	laughing kookaburra		C		136
nimals	birds	Halcvonidae	Todiramphus macleavii	forest kingfisher		C		55
nimals	birds	Hirundinidae	Cheramoeca leucosterna	white-backed swallow		C		7
nimals	birds	Hirundinidae	Petrochelidon ariel	fairy martin		č		11
nimals	birds	Hirundinidae	Hirundo neoxena	welcome swallow		Ċ		34
nimals	birds	Hirundinidae	Petrochelidon nigricans	tree martin		C		10
nimals	birds	Maluridae	Malurus lamberti	variegated fairy-wren		č		67
nimals	birds	Maluridae	Malurus cvaneus	superb fairy-wren		C		37
nimals	birds	Maluridae	Malurus melanocephalus	red-backed fairy-wren		C		71
nimals	birds	Megaluridae	Megalurus timoriensis	tawny grassbird		C		7
nimals	birds	Megapodiidae	Alectura lathami	Australian brush-turkey		C		10
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Melithreptus lunatus	white-naped honeveater		C		11
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Philemon corniculatus	noisy friarbird		C		159
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Lichenostomus melanons	vellow-tufted honeveater		C		12
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Manorina melanocephala	noisy miner		č		72
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Mvzomela sanguinolenta	scarlet honeveater		č		120
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Philemon citreogularis	little friarbird		č		30
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Anthochaera chrysoptera	little wattlebird		č		11
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Myzomela erythrocephala	red-headed honeveater		č		1
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Melithreptus albogularis	white-throated honeyeater		č		84
nimale	birds	Meliphagidae	Plectorhyncha lanceolata	striped honeveater		č		15

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animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris	eastern spinebill		С		26
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Melithreptus gularis	black-chinned honeyeater		C		6
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Lichmera indistincta	brown honeyeater		С		56
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Entomyzon cyanotis	blue-faced honeyeater		C		55
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	Caligavis chrysops	yellow-faced honeyeater		С		97
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Meliphaga lewinii	Lewin's honeveater		C		81
nimals	birds	Meliphagidae	Ptilotula fusca	fuscous honeveater		C		14
nimals	birds	Meropidae	Merops ornatus	rainbow bee-eater		С		84
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Symposiachrus trivirgatus	spectacled monarch		SL		7
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Mviagra inquieta	restless flycatcher		C		6
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Mviagra rubecula	leaden flycatcher		C		44
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Mviagra cvanoleuca	satin flycatcher		SL		3
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Grallina cvanoleuca	magpie-lark		C		73
nimals	birds	Monarchidae	Monarcha melanopsis	black-faced monarch		SL		17
nimals	birds	Motacillidae	Anthus novaeseelandiae	Australasian pipit		C		5
nimals	birds	Nectariniidae	Dicaeum hirundinaceum	mistletoehird		č		53
nimals	birds	Neosittidae	Daphoenositta chrysontera	varied sittella		C		39
nimals	birds	Oriolidae	Sphecotheres vieilloti	Australasian fighird		C		25
nimale	birde	Oriolidae	Oriolus sadittatus	olive-backed oriole		c		50
nimals	birds	Pachycenhalidae	Colluricincle hermonice	grev shrike-thrush		č		106
nimals	birde	Pachycophalidae	Colluricincia marmonica	little shrike-thrush		č		10
nimals	birds	Pachycephalidae	Pachycenhala rufiventris	rufous whistler		č		86
nimals	birds	Pachycophalidae	Pachycephala nectoralis	coldon whistler		č		60
nimals	birdo	Pachycephalidae	Pachycephala pectoralis	golden whister		C		1
nimals	birde	Pachycephalidae	Fachycephala sp.	procted obrike tit		C		1
nimals	birdo	Pachycephalidae	Pardaletus strictus	crested shirke-it		C		102
nimals	birde	Pardalotidae	Pardalotus stilatus	strated pardalate		č		102
nimals	birde	Pardalolidae	Pardalolus puricialus Resser demostiaus	spotted pardalote	v	C		04
nimais	birds	Passendae	Fasser domesticus	nouse sparrow	Ţ	~		67
inimais	birds	Petroicidae	Eopsaitria australis	eastern yellow robin		č		67
inimais	birds	Petroicidae	Detroise recent	pale-yellow robin		C		20
animais	birds	Petroicidae	Petroica rosea	rose robin		C		36
inimais	biras	Petroicidae	Microeca tascinans	Jacky winter		C		27
animais	birds	Phalacrocoracidae	Microcarbo melanoleucos	little pled cormorant		C		20
animais	birds	Phalacrocoracidae	Phalacrocorax suicirostris	little black cormorant		C		3
animais	birds	Phasianidae	Coturnix ypsilophora	brown quali		C		19
animals	birds	Podargidae	Podargus strigoides	tawny frogmouth		C		42
animals	birds	Podicipedidae	l achybaptus novaehollandiae	Australasian grebe		C		8
animals	birds	Pomatostomidae	Pomatostomus temporalis	grey-crowned babbler		C		18
inimals	birds	Psittacidae	Alisterus scapularis	Australian king-parrot		C		33
inimals	birds	Psittacidae	Platycercus adscitus	pale-headed rosella		C		79
nimals	birds	Psittacidae	Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus	scaly-breasted lorikeet		С		66
nimals	birds	Psittacidae	Platycercus adscitus palliceps	pale-headed rosella (southern form)		С		2
nimals	birds	Psittacidae	Trichoglossus haematodus moluccanus	rainbow lorikeet		С	1.4.4.1	102
animals	birds	Psittacidae	Lathamus discolor	swift parrot		E	CE	1
nimals	birds	Psittacidae	Parvipsitta pusilla	little lorikeet		С		50
animals	birds	Psittacidae	Platycercus elegans	crimson rosella		С		1

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animals	birds	Psittacidae	Platvcercus eximius	eastern rosella		С	13
animals	birds	Psophodidae	Psophodes olivaceus	eastern whipbird		С	54
animals	birds	Psophodidae	Cinclosoma punctatum	spotted quail-thrush		C	20
nimals	birds	Rallidae	Fulica atra	Eurasian coot		C	1
nimals	birds	Rallidae	Gallinula tenebrosa	dusky moorhen		C	7
nimals	birds	Rhipiduridae	Rhipidura leucophrys	willie wagtail		C	60
nimals	birds	Rhipiduridae	Rhipidura albiscapa	grev fantail		C	92
nimals	birds	Rhipiduridae	Rhipidura leucophrys leucophrys	willie wagtail (southern)		C	1
nimals	birds	Rhipiduridae	Rhipidura rufifrons	rufous fantail		SL	40
nimals	birds	Strigidae	Ninox strenua	powerful owl		V	10
nimals	birds	Strigidae	Ninox boobook	southern boobook		Ċ	56
nimals	birds	Sturnidae	Sturnus vulgaris	common starling	Y		15
nimals	birds	Sturnidae	Acridotheres tristis	common myna	Ý		11
nimals	birds	Threskiornithidae	Threskiornis molucca	Australian white ibis		C	13
nimals	birds	Threskiornithidae	Platalea regia	roval spoonbill		č	17
nimals	birds	Threskiornithidae	Platalea flavines	vellow-hilled spoonhill		č	14
nimals	birds	Threskiornithidae	Threskiornis spinicollis	straw-necked ibis		č	23
nimals	birds	Timaliidae	Zosterons lateralis cornwalli	silvereve (eastern)		C	1
nimals	birds	Timaliidae	Zosterops lateralis	silvereve		č	80
nimals	birds	Turnicidao	Turnix varius	nainted button-quail		C	19
nimals	birds	Tutonidao	Tuto novaebollandiae novaebollandiae	masked owl (southern subspacies)		č	10
nimals	birds	Tytonidae	Tyto novaehollandiae	masked owl		č	1
nimals	incosto	Hosporiidaa	Nechopperille venthemere	vellow groce skippor		C	4
nimals	insects	Lycoopidae	Aerodinoso brisbononsis brisbononsis	bronze ent blue			-
nimals	insects	Lycaenidae	Acroupsas brisbarierisis brisbarierisis	promize ant-plue			2
nimais	insects	Lycaenidae	Candalides cyprolus pallescens	copper pencilied-blue			1
nimals	insects	Lycaenidae		Sliky azure			1
nimais	Insects	Lycaenidae	Ogyns zosine zosine	subspecies)			
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Polyura sempronius sempronius	tailed emperor			1
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Acraea andromacha andromacha	glasswing			6
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Danaus plexippus plexippus	monarch			5
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Tirumala hamata hamata	blue tiger			1
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Junonia villida calybe	meadow argus			1
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Melanitis leda bankia	common evening-brown			2
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Euploea core corinna	common crow			2
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Danaus petilia	lesser wanderer			2
nimals	insects	Nymphalidae	Vanessa kershawi	Australian painted lady			2
nimals	insects	Papilionidae	Graphium sarpedon choredon	blue triangle			2
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Eurema hecabe	large grass-yellow			4
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Eurema smilax	small grass-yellow			1
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Delias nigrina	black jezebel			2
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Belenois java teutonia	caper white			1
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Catopsilia pomona pomona	lemon migrant			1
nimals	insects	Pieridae	Eurema brigitta australis	no-brand grass-vellow			1
nimals	mammals	Acrobatidae	Acrobates pygmaeus	feathertail glider		С	1
nimals	mammals	Canidae	Vulpes vulpes	red fox	Y		13

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animals	mammals	Canidae	Canis lupus dingo	dingo				7
animals	mammals	Canidae	Canis lupus familiaris	dog	Y			4
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Antechinus flavipes flavipes	yellow-footed antechinus (south-east Queensland)		С		5
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Dasyurus maculatus maculatus	spotted-tailed quoll (southern subspecies)		V	E	1
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Antechinus stuartii	brown antechinus		C		1
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Sminthopsis murina	common dunnart		С		2
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	Planigale maculata	common planigale		С		1
animals	mammals	Emballonuridae	Saccolaimus flaviventris	yellow-bellied sheathtail bat		C		2
animals	mammals	Equidae	Equus caballus	horse	Y			7
animals	mammals	Felidae	Felis catus	cat	Y			8
animals	mammals	Leporidae	Lepus europaeus	European brown hare	Y			16
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Wallabia bicolor	swamp wallaby		С		12/1
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus parryi	whiptail wallaby		C		52
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus dorsalis	black-striped wallaby		С		2
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus robustus	common wallaroo		C		1
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus giganteus	eastern grey kangaroo		С		20
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus sp.					1
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Macropus rufogriseus	red-necked wallaby		С		20
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	Petrogale penicillata	brush-tailed rock-wallaby		V	V	1
animals	mammals	Miniopteridae	Miniopterus schreibersii oceanensis	eastern bent-wing bat		Ċ		1
animals	mammals	Molossidae	Mormopterus lumsdenae	northern free-tailed bat		C		1
animals	mammals	Molossidae	Tadarida australis	white-striped freetail bat		Č		11
animals	mammals	Molossidae	Mormopterus sp			-		1
animals	mammals	Muridae	Rattus rattus	black rat	Y			9
animals	mammals	Muridae	Mus musculus	house mouse	Ý			11
animals	mammals	Muridae	Rattus fuscines	bush rat		C		2
animals	mammals	Muridae	Rattus tunnevi	nale field-rat		C		2
animals	mammals	Peramelidae	Isoodon macrourus	porthern brown bandicoot		č		8
animals	mammals	Petauridae	Petaurus australis australis	yellow-bellied glider (southern subspecies)		č		1
animals	mammals	Petauridae	Petaurus norfolcensis	squirrel alider		C		22
animals	mammals	Petauridae	Petaurus breviceps	sugar glider		C		3
animals	mammals	Phalangeridae	Trichosurus vulpecula	common brushtail possum		č		74
animals	mammals	Phalangeridae	Trichosurus caninus	short-eared possum		C		1
animals	mammals	Phalangeridae	Trichosurus sp	Faita batanin				2
animals	mammals	Phascolarctidae	Phascolarctos cinereus	koala		V	V	83
animals	mammals	Pseudocheiridae	Pseudocheirus perearinus	common ringtail possum		ć		7
animals	mammals	Pseudocheiridae	Petauroides volans volans	southern greater glider		č	V	16
animals	mammals	Pteropodidae	Pteropus poliocephalus	grev-headed flying-fox		c	V	12
animals	mammals	Pteropodidae	Pteronus sp	groy needed nying lov		•		2
animals	mammals	Pteropodidae	Pteropus scapulatus	little red flying-fox		C		9
animals	mammals	Suidae	Sus scrofa	nia	Y	-		2
animals	mammals	Tachyolossidae	Tachvolossus aculeatus	short-beaked echidna		SI		3
animals	mammals	Vesnertilionidae	Scotorepens orion	south-eastern broad-nosed bat		C		3

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animals	mammals	Vespertilionidae	Nyctophilus gouldi	Gould's long-eared bat		С		2
animals	mammals	Vespertilionidae	Scotorepens sp.					2
nimals	mammals	Vespertilionidae	Scotorepens greyii	little broad-nosed bat		C		1
nimals	ray-finned fishes	Eleotridae	Mogurnda adspersa	southern purplespotted gudgeon				1
nimals	reptiles	Agamidae	Pogona barbata	bearded dragon		С		15
imals	reptiles	Agamidae	Diporiphora australis	tommy roundhead		С		5
imals	reptiles	Agamidae	Intellagama lesueurii	eastern water dragon		С		54
imals	reptiles	Boidae	Morelia spilota	carpet python		C		12
imals	reptiles	Chelidae	Wollumbinia latisternum	saw-shelled turtle		С		1
imals	reptiles	Chelidae	Chelodina longicollis	eastern snake-necked turtle		С		1
imals	reptiles	Colubridae	Dendrelaphis punctulatus	areen tree snake		C		27
imals	reptiles	Colubridae	Tropidonophis mairii	freshwater snake		С		5
imals	reptiles	Colubridae	Boiga irregularis	brown tree snake		C		1
imals	reptiles	Diplodactylidae	Diplodactylus vittatus	wood gecko		C		2
imals	reptiles	Diplodactylidae	Nebulifera robusta	robust velvet gecko		C		1
imals	reptiles	Diplodactylidae	Oedura trvoni	southern spotted velvet gecko		C		5
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Cryptophis nigrescens	eastern small-eved snake		C		9
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Pseudechis auttatus	spotted black snake		Ċ		3
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Pseudechis porphyriacus	red-bellied black snake		C		6
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Brachvurophis australis	coral snake		C		3
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Pseudonaia textilis	eastern brown snake		C		3
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Vermicella annulata	bandy-bandy		Č		1
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Demansia sp			-		1
imals	reptiles	Elapidae	Eurina diadema	red-naned snake		C		1
imals	reptiles	Flapidae	Cacophis harriettae	white-crowned snake		č		i
imals	reptiles	Flanidae	Demansia psammophis	vellow-faced whipsnake		č		13
imals	reptiles	Gekkonidae	Hemidactylus frenatus	house decko	Y	-		2
imals	rentiles	Gekkonidae	Gebyra dubia	dubious dtella		C		3
imals	reptiles	Pygopodidae	Lialis hurtonis	Burton's legless lizard		č		8/1
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Ctenotus taeniolatus	copper-tailed skink		č		2
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Lampropholis amicula	friendly sunskink		C		1
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Anomalonus verreauxii	three-clawed worm-skink		č		3
imals	rentiles	Scincidae	l ampropholis delicata	dark-flecked garden sunskink		Č.		14
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Morethia taenionleura	fire-tailed skink		č		2
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Calvototis scutirostrum	scute-snouted calvatotis		č		5
imals	rentiles	Scincidae	Onhioscincus onhioscincus	volk-bellied snake-skink		C		1
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Carlia nectoralis sensu lato	york bened shake skirk		č		3
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Cryptoblepharus pulcher pulcher	elecant snake-eved skink		č		24
imale	roptilos	Scincidae	Lygisaurus foliorum	troo-base litter-skink		č		7
imale	reptiles	Scincidae	Carlia munda	shaded-litter rainbow-skipk		č		1
imale	reptiles	Scincidae	Ctenotus snaldingi	straight-browed stenotus		C		3
imale	reptiles	Scincidae	Tiliqua scinocides	eastern blue-tongued lizerd		č		1
imale	reptiles	Scincidae	Concinnia martini	dark bar-sided skipk		č		1
imale	roptilos	Scincidao	Carlia sobmaltzii	robust rainbow skink		č		2
imals	reptiles	Scincidae	Carlia scrimenzi	open-litter rainbow skink		č		5
imale	reptiles	Scincidae	Ctopotus areanus	preano stonetus		c		1
imais	reptiles	Scincidae	Clenolus arcanus	arcane ctenotus		C		1

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animals	reptiles	Scincidae	Concinnia tenuis	bar-sided skink		с		1
animals	reptiles	Scincidae	Carlia vivax	tussock rainbow-skink		С		19/2
animals	reptiles	Varanidae	Varanus varius	lace monitor		С		12/1

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I - Y indicates that the taxon is introduced to Queensland and has naturalised.

- Q Indicates the Queensland conservation status of each taxon under the Nature Conservation Act 1992. The codes are Extinct in the Wild (PE), Endangered (E), Vulnerable (V), Near Threatened (NT), Least Concern (C) or Not Protected ().
- A Indicates the Australian conservation status of each taxon under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*. The values of EPBC are Conservation Dependent (CD), Critically Endangered (CE), Endangered (E), Extinct (EX), Extinct in the Wild (XW) and Vulnerable (V).

Records – The first number indicates the total number of records of the taxon for the record option selected (i.e. All, Confirmed or Specimens). This number is output as 99999 if it equals or exceeds this value. The second number located after the / indicates the number of specimen records for the taxon. This number is output as 9999 if it equals or exceeds this value.

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## ATTACHMENT 5-

# Contactor Environmental Awareness Acknowledgement

## ENVIRONMETAL AWARENESS

## **CONTRACTOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

I \_\_\_\_\_Tony Hooper, the Contractor (or the Contractor Representative), appointed by Lendlease Communities, acknowledge receipt and acceptance of the Lendlease Communities rules and policies in the **Springfield Rise Site Based Management Plan**. By signing below, I acknowledge that there are mechanisms in place to ensure all material provided within this SBMP will be read and understood by all site contractors and sub-contractors prior to commencing works on site.

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Signature (Contractor / Contractor Representative)

\_Tony Hooper\_\_\_\_\_ Name (Please print)

\_\_\_\_Project Manager\_\_\_\_\_ Title / Position

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Date