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Acronyms

CEMP	Construction Environmental Management Plan
DAF	Department of Agriculture and Fisheries (Qld)
DES	Department of Environment and Science (Qld)
EDQ	Economic Development Queensland (Qld)
EHP	Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (Qld) (former, now DES)
EPBC	<i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999</i> (Cth)
EVNT	Endangered, Vulnerable and Near Threatened (as listed in the NCPR & NCAR)
FTMP	Fauna Translocation Management Plan
NCA	<i>Nature Conservation Act 1992</i> (Qld)
NCAR	Nature Conservation (Animals) Regulation 2020 (Qld)
NCPR	Nature Conservation (Plants) Regulation 2020 (Qld)
NESS	Natural Environment Overarching Site Strategy
PDA	Priority Development Area
PMST	Protected Matters Search Tool
PTRP	Pre-clearing Trapping and Release Plan
SHG	Saunders Havill Group
WHIMP	Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan
WPMP	Wildlife Protection and Management Plan
WWBW	Waterway Barrier Works

Reference Documents

ADR	<i>Acceptable Development Requirements for operational work that is constructing or raising waterway barrier works</i> , prepared by Queensland Government (dated 3 July 2017)
FSRDM	<i>Fauna Sensitive Road Design Manual: Volume 2- Preferred Practices</i> , prepared by the Department of Transport and Main Roads (dated June 2010).
The Code	<i>Code of Practice for Welfare of Wild Animals Affected by Land Clearing and Other Habitat Impacts and Wildlife Spotter /Catchers (Draft)</i> , prepared by Wildlife Warriors and Voiceless.
VMP	<i>Vegetation Management Plan (8045 E 01-18 Tranche 2 VMP A)</i> , prepared by SHG (dated Dec 2020).

1. Introduction

Saunders Havill Group (SHG) was engaged by Pioneer Fortune Pty Ltd C/ - Haricot Development Management to prepare a Fauna Management Plan (FMP) for the proposed Tranche 2 area of the Undullah Property (hereafter referred to as 'the site'). The site is located within the Greater Flagstone Priority Development Area (PDA). This FMP has been prepared to manage impacts and protect native animals during clearing and construction.

Condition 25 of the PDA Development Approval dated 29th October 2012 (DEV2012/248) required a Natural Environment Overarching Site Strategy to be prepared for the Undullah Property Development on Wyatt Road to provide for the strategic management of environmental features. The Wyatt Road Undullah *Natural Environment Overarching Site Strategy (NESS)*, version 3.0, prepared by SHG (dated June 9 2017), and endorsed by Economic Development Queensland (EDQ) (dated 20 June 2017) (DEV2012/248). The NESS dictates subsequent environmental plans and strategies to be prepared as part of operational works applications. The NESS requires a FMP to be prepared for each stage of development involving vegetation clearing.

This FMP has been prepared for clearing for the Tranche 2 area of the Undullah Property. Refer to Figure 1 for Site Context and Figure 2 for Site Aerial.

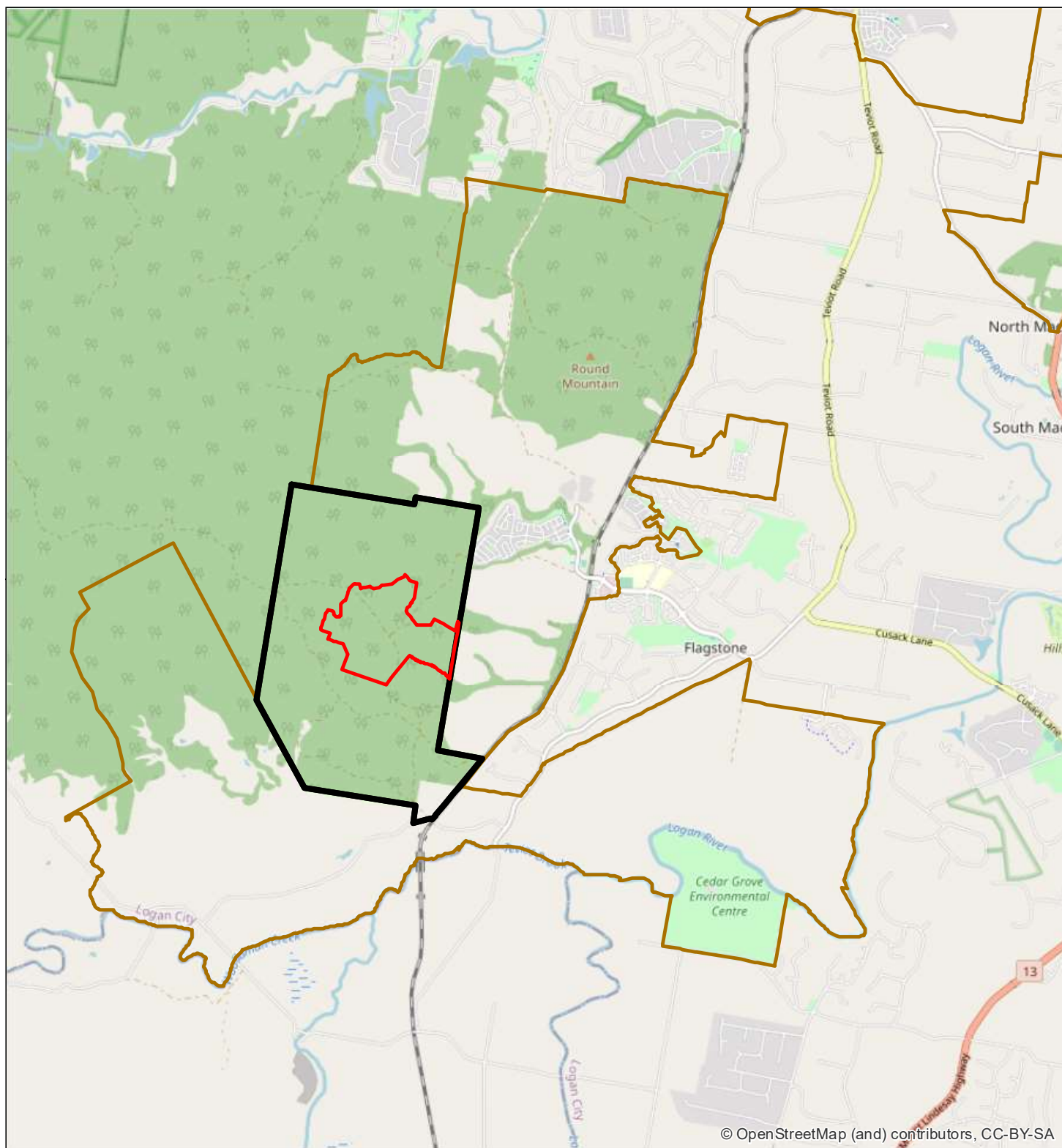
This FMP includes step by step procedures for the management of fauna prior to, during and post-vegetation clearing and construction activities to reduce potential impacts. Fauna management specifications and principles incorporated into this FMP apply generally to all native animals and focus on incorporating measures to minimise disturbance and avoid conflicts. Compliance with this FMP is compulsory and incorporates the use of expert consultants, including a registered and Department of Environment and Science (DES) approved Fauna Spotter Catcher. **Section 3** outlines the methodology and content for this FMP. In accordance with the stretch target espoused within the NESS, this FMP adopts aspects of the *Code of Practice for Welfare of Wild Animals Affected by Land Clearing and Other Habitat Impacts and Wildlife Spotter/Catchers (Draft)* (the Code).

1.1. Property Summary

Key site details are provided in Table 1 below.

Table 1: Property Summary

Address	Wyatt Road, Undullah, Greater Flagstone
RPD	Lot 3 on RP45236, Lot 28 on CP S311174 and Lot 3 on RP 49296
Local Government Area	Logan City Council
Administering Authority	Economic Development Queensland
Priority Development Area	Greater Flagstone PDA
Planning Scheme	Greater Flagstone Urban Development Area Development Scheme
Area Classification / Zone	Urban Living
Existing Land Use	Vacant



Legend

-  Site Boundary
-  Tranche 2 clearing extent
-  Greater Flagstone PDA

Figure 1
Site Context

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Project Rice Road, Undullah

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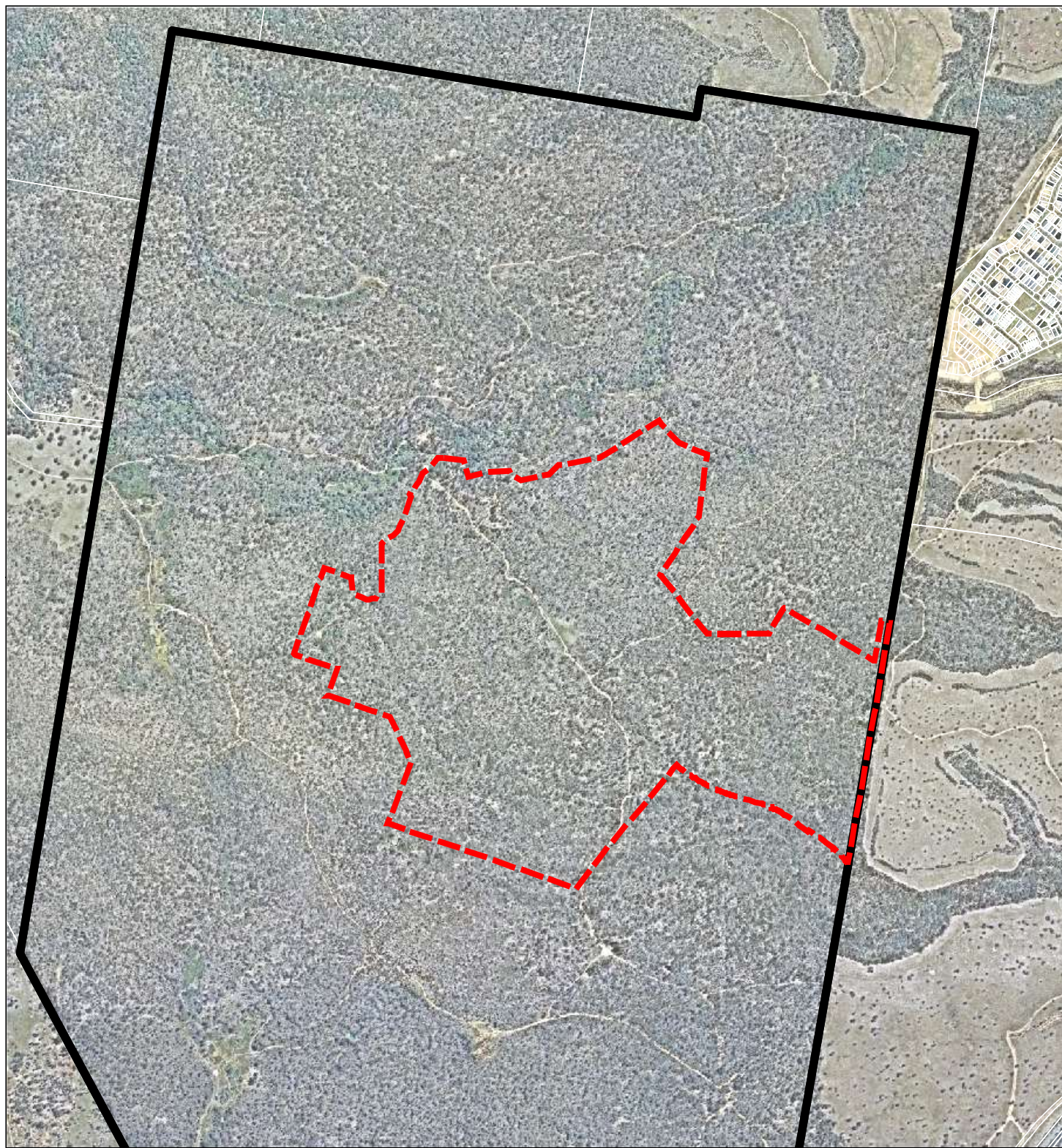
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Legend

-  Site Boundary
-  Tranche 2 clearing extent
-  Qld DCDB

Figure 2

Site Aerial

File ref. 8045 E Figure 2 T2_ FMP Site Aerial B

Date 15/11/2021

Project Rice Road, Undullah

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2. Legislative Context

2.1. Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

The Australian Government's key piece of environmental legislation is the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act). The EPBC Act aims to protect and manage matters of environmental significance which include nationally and internationally important flora, fauna, ecological communities and heritage places.

A Protected Matters Search for the allotment was undertaken through the EPBC Act's online Protected Matters Search Tool (PMST). The search provides a list of wetlands of international significance, threatened ecological communities and threatened species which have the potential to be temporarily or permanently located within a 5 kilometre (km) radius of the development site. **Table 2** lists a summary of these results relevant to site fauna. The complete results of this search are included in **Appendix A**. The Undullah Property retains a full approval achieved under the EPBC Act (2015/7530). Mandatory aspects of this approval are included in this FMP.

Table 2: EPBC Act Protected Matters Search Tool Results (Fauna)

Wetlands of International Importance (RAMSAR)		
Moreton Bay		
Threatened Ecological Communities		
Coastal Swamp Oak (<i>Casuarina glauca</i>) Forest of New South Wales and South East Queensland ecological community - Endangered		
Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia - Critically Endangered		
Poplar Box Grassy Woodland on Alluvial Plains - Endangered		
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland – Critically Endangered		
Threatened Species		
Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Birds		
<i>Anthochaera phrygia</i>	Regent Honeyeater	Critically Endangered
<i>Botaurus poiciloptilus</i>	Australasian Bittern	Endangered
<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	Curlew Sandpiper	Critically Endangered
<i>Erythrorhynchus radiatus</i>	Red Goshawk	Vulnerable
<i>Falco hypoleucos</i>	Grey Falcon	Vulnerable
<i>Geophaps scripta scripta</i>	Squatter Pigeon (southern)	Vulnerable
<i>Grantiella picta</i>	Painted Honeyeater	Vulnerable
<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	White-throated Needletail	Vulnerable
<i>Lathamus discolor</i>	Swift Parrot	Critically Endangered
<i>Numenius madagascariensis</i>	Eastern Curlew	Critically Endangered
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian Painted Snipe	Endangered
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	Black-breasted Button-quail	Vulnerable

Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Insects		
<i>Argynnis hyperbius inconstans</i>	Australian Fritillary	Critically Endangered
Mammals		
<i>Chalinolobus dwyeri</i>	Large-eared Pied Bat, Large Pied Bat	Vulnerable
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i> (SE mainland population)	Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population)	Endangered
<i>Petauroides volans</i>	Greater Glider	Vulnerable
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby	Vulnerable
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i> (combined populations of Qld, NSW and the ACT)	Koala (combined populations of Queensland, New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory)	Vulnerable
<i>Potorous tridactylus tridactylus</i>	Long-nosed Potoroo (SE mainland)	Vulnerable
<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying-fox	Vulnerable
Reptiles		
<i>Delma torquata</i>	Collared Delma	Vulnerable
<i>Furina dunmalli</i>	Dunmall's Snake	Vulnerable

2.2. Nature Conservation Act 1992

The *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (NCA) classifies and protects significant areas (protected areas) and protects threatened plant and animal species. The *Nature Conservation (Animals) Regulation 2020* (NCAR) lists animal species presumed extinct, critically endangered, endangered, vulnerable, near threatened, least concern, international or prohibited. The schedules of this regulation were considered in this FMP using DES's Wildlife Online database search for a 5 km radius of the site. Fauna species listed under the NCAR with the potential to occur around the subject site are shown in **Table 3**. The complete results of this search are included **Appendix B**.

Table 3: NCA Wildlife Online Search Results (fauna)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Birds		
<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami</i>	Glossy Black-cockatoo	Vulnerable
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	Vulnerable
<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	white-throated needletail	Vulnerable
Mammals		
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i> (Southeast Queensland bioregion)	Koala (Southeast Queensland bioregion)	Vulnerable

3. Methodology

This FMP forms the stage specific strategy for fauna management inclusive of the Tranche 2 area. It has been developed in response to Condition 25 of the PDA Development Approval (DEV2012/248) and specifications within the NESS. **Figure 3** illustrates the context in which this FMP sits as the overarching plan for native fauna management on the site. Separate FMPs will be prepared for each stage of the development.

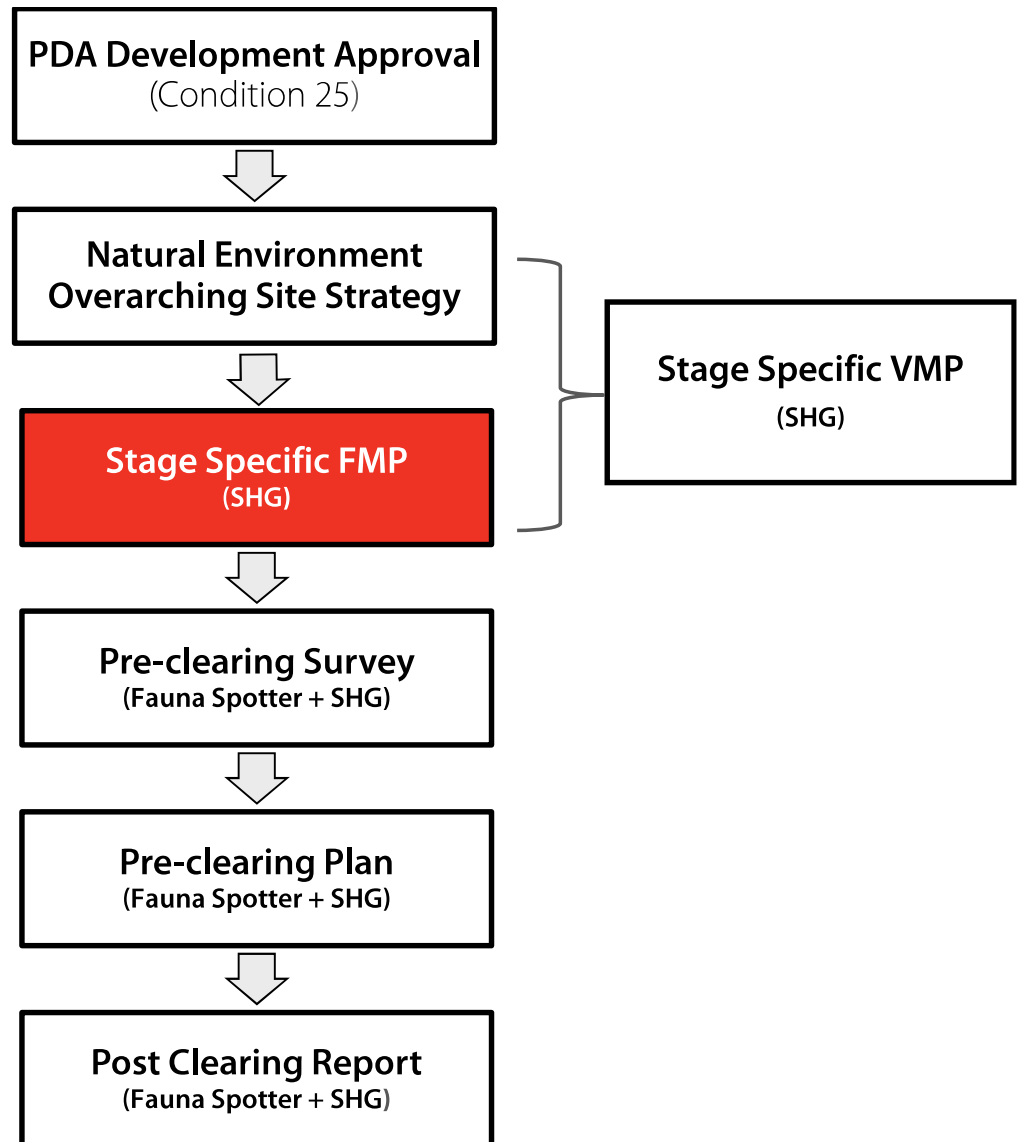


Figure 3: FMP Context and Framework

3.1. FMP Framework

This FMP provides a framework for fauna management within the site. This FMP should form part of the Construction Environmental Management Plan (CEMP) for the stage of works. To assist in achieving a leading practice model for fauna management prior to, during and post the completion of the construction works for the site, all land clearing will be managed generally in accordance with the *Code of Practice for Welfare of Animals effected by Land Clearing and Other Habitat Impacts and Wildlife Spotter/Catchers (Draft)*, as prepared by the Wildlife Warriors and Voiceless. Under the Code, the procedural guide detailed in Sections 3.1.1 – 3.1.2 will be used to inform the framework for clearing works. Ensure no tampering of animal breeding places without approval under the Nature Conservation Act.

This FMP should be read in conjunction with approved Tranche 2 environmental management plans (to be lodged separately), including the Tranche 2 specific Vegetation Management Plan (VMP).

Fauna management and mitigation strategies are discussed in further detail in **Section 5 – Fauna Management Plan Specifications**.

3.1.1 Pre-Clearing Surveys

Action 1 – Developer to Engage a Fauna Spotter Catcher

Action 1 requires that the developer engage a Fauna Spotter Catcher with full registrations and licences issued by the former Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (EHP), now Department of Environment and Science (DES).

Action 2 – Fauna Spotter Catcher to undertake Pre-clearing Survey

A pre-clearing survey will be undertaken by a DES approved Fauna Spotter Catcher prior to the commencement of clearing activities at each stage. This survey must include a fauna assessment of the site, particularly for Koalas and animals using hollows, including bats. The survey must also assess animal breeding places. This survey will inform the Wildlife Protection Management Plan (WPMP) and Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan (WHIMP), as detailed in **Action 3**.

The final pre-clearing survey is to occur no more than two (2) weeks prior to clearing commences. Results from the pre-clearance surveys will be made available to DES and will form part of the Post-clearing report.

Action 3 – Fauna Spotter to Prepare a Wildlife Protection Management Plan and Wildlife and Habitat Impact Mitigation Plan

Informed by the pre-clearing surveys, a WPMP and WHIMP will be prepared by a DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher. These reports will provide extensive detail of the fauna likely to be impacted by the clearing works. The WPMP and WHIMP are prepared using both desktop analysis and field work (i.e. pre-clearing surveys).

The WHIMP will include a Pre-clearing Trapping and Release Plan (PTRP) outlining the methodology for the identification, trapping and relocation of native fauna to be implemented if necessary. Any trappings and releases are to be conducted immediately following identification of fauna requiring relocation. any activity that is required which will tamper with a confirmed native animal breeding place (i.e. that is being used by an animal, or is inactive but is of a species generally known to return to the same place to incubate or rear offspring in each breeding season for the animal) in order to complete the scope of works must be undertaken in accordance with a Species Management Program (SMP) or Damage Mitigation Permit (DMP) approved by Department of Environment and Science. A PTRP should include the following information:

- a description of the project with reference to impacts on wildlife and/or wildlife habitat;

- a pre-development plan of the site showing habitat areas including nests and hollows, features, corridors, riparian habitats and adjacent areas;
- results of any fauna surveys;
- contact details of the nearest veterinarian and agencies to be notified of injured wildlife;
- a wildlife and habitat impact assessment based on the proposed development works; and
- confirmation of the release area.

Action 4 – Fauna Spotter Role at Pre-Start Meeting

Prior to the commencement of any construction works, a pre-start meeting is to be held between the Proponent, Site Supervisor, Environmental Coordinator, Fauna Spotter Catcher and other key project personnel. At the pre-start meeting, the Fauna Spotter Catcher is to outline the clearing process and the requirements of the WPMP and WHIMP.

3.1.2 Clearing and Construction Phase

Action 5 – During Construction

The Fauna Spotter Catcher is to be on-site during all phases of construction which involve potential impacts on wildlife or habitat. This will enable the Fauna Spotter Catcher to make any necessary adjustments to the approved VMP and the WPMP to cater for any specific issues encountered during the clearing works. Should a Koala be encountered during vegetation clearing, clearing will cease immediately within a prescribed perimeter until the animal moves away of its own accord. All other animals that do not move away of their own accord may be relocated by a Fauna Spotter Catcher under the VMP or any operational Fauna Management Program for tampering with animal breeding places.

3.1.3 Post-clearing Wildlife Management Report

Action 6 – Post Works Reporting

During the course of all site works, including the pre-clearance surveys, the DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher is to keep an accurate record of all animals encountered and/or captured, and all incidents and disposals for each stage of the project. The records should form part of the Post-Clearing Wildlife Management Report to be issued under licence requirements to DES. The Post-Clearing Wildlife Management Report should consist of the following three sections:

1. PTRP (if necessary)– Aspects of the 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, as well as updates to describe measures taken to address an incident.
2. Wildlife Capture and Disposal Plan – Should contain details of any animal/s that were caught and/or sighted and released, and the placement of any release/s as well as details of any animals that were destroyed due to injury, given to wildlife rescue groups etc. The following details for each captured animal should be included in the Wildlife Capture and Disposal Plan:
 - 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.
 - l. Disposal method (euthanasia, translocation, re-release).
 - m. Date and time of disposal.
 - n. Details of disposal (GPS points of release).
 - o. For released animals, location relative to point of capture.
3. Animal Injury and Euthanasia Report – similar details for the Wildlife Capture and Disposal Plan should be included in this report.
4. The Post-Clearing Wildlife Management Report will be provided to the Proponent, Environmental Coordinator and EDQ no more than two (2) weeks after clearing activities have ceased.

3.2. Roles and Responsibilities

This section details the key roles and responsibilities for the works.

3.2.1 Proponent

Pioneer Fortune Pty Ltd is the Proponent for the works.

3.2.2 Environmental Coordinator

Saunders Havill Group (SHG) is the Environmental Coordinator for the project and is responsible for the development of this overarching FMP and documentation for overarching environmental management. SHG will be responsible for managing non-compliance by appointed contractors and sub-contractors, including establishing additional management procedures and determining if EDQ notification should be made

3.2.3 Administering Authority

Economic Development Queensland (EDQ) is the government approval authority for this project.

3.2.4 Site Coordinator

The Site Coordinator is a representative of the project team (typically the project engineer) and is responsible for coordinating the project consultants and construction contractor.

3.2.5 Site Supervisor

The Site Supervisor is a representative of the Construction Contractor (to be appointed) and responsible for overseeing all pre-clearing, clearing and construction activities are undertaken in accordance with the approved FMP, PTRP and subsequent environmental management documentation. The Site Contractor will be responsible for engaging and the commission of the DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher.

3.2.6 Fauna Spotter Catcher

A DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher is a person who holds a rehabilitation permit with an extended authority issued by the former Department of Environment and Heritage Protection specifying the holder may take, keep or use an animal whose habitat is about to be destroyed by a human activity. A DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher will be engaged by the proponent for pre-construction and construction stages of the project. It is noted that the Fauna Spotter Catcher must hold a Rehabilitation Permit and a copy of this permit along with their contact details will be passed on to EDQ and the Environmental Coordinator. The engaged Fauna Spotter Catcher will be responsible for undertaking pre-clearing

surveys of the site and developing the WPMP and WHIMP. The Fauna Spotter Catcher must be present on site during all clearing activities and is responsible for the relocation of native fauna. A list of key contacts for the project is contained in **Section 8**.

4. Fauna Summary

4.1. Fauna Habitat Areas and Opportunities

The purpose of this FMP is to control the impacts of clearing activities on-site and to the surrounding area's fauna communities. The 'Greater Flagstone Context Plan' endorsed by EDQ on the 12 January 2018, identified the presence of suitable habitat observed along waterways to be retained by the development as endorsed in the NESS (Refer to **Plan 1** – Habitat Values). This FMP will outline the process for tree removal and the strategy for installation of nest boxes to replace removed hollows.

This FMP should be read in conjunction with the following documents, to be lodged separately:

- Approved Vegetation Management Plan

Ecological features identified for protection within Greater Flagstone PDA include biodiversity corridors along Flagstone Creek and Sandy Creek and biodiversity values associated with the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor. The site is bordered by Sandy Creek to the north and west and cleared land to the east. The area to the west is remnant vegetation proposed to be retained as an environmental corridor. The site is predominately vegetated with remnant vegetation. (**Figure 2**).

Significant biodiversity values around watercourses, including Sandy Creek have been retained except where only for essential works to be rehabilitated afterwards, and have informed development layouts.

Broadly, the areas to be cleared and thus the subsequent habitat features affected are described as the following:

1. Category B vegetation of the Least Concern regional ecosystem 12.9-10.2
2. Category B vegetation of the Of Concern composite regional ecosystem 12.3.11/12.3.6
3. Category B vegetation of the Of Concern composite regional ecosystem 12.9-10.2/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.17a
4. Category X vegetation

(refer to **Plan 1** - Summary of NESS Habitats).

This is an aerial map of a wetland area, likely a marsh or swamp, with various colored overlays and labels. The map shows a large green area, possibly representing water or wetland vegetation, with a red dashed boundary. A yellow line runs through the green area. A purple area is on the left. A grey area is labeled "Tranche 2". Labels include "129-102", "129-103", "129-107", "129-10170", "123-117/123-6", and "non-rem".

Category	Percentage
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Rice Road, Undullah

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The following strategies have been developed as part of this FMP to mitigate the adverse impacts of development on native fauna and provide habitat enhancement and informed the VMP (to be lodged under a separate cover):

1. **Direction of Clearing Plan (Plan 2)** – to direct clearing activities from open areas to fewer open areas allowing fauna to naturally seek shelter in the adjacent habitat;
2. **Fencing Management Strategy** – for the provision of permanent and temporary fencing around roads and construction areas, and
3. **Nest Box/Hollow Strategy (Plan 3 and Plan 4)**– for the installation of nest boxes in mature native trees in retained environmental corridors and the provision of hollow logs and branches to temporarily house translocated animals and provide permanent nesting sites. Habitat features are to be determined by the Environmental Coordinator as part of the VMP and Rehabilitation Plans prepared for the environmental corridor.

4.2. Nest Box and Hollow Strategy

A specific survey of the clearing area was undertaken during November and December 2020 to locate and identify trees retaining hollows. A handheld GPS device (Trimble) is used to record sub metre accurate locations.

The field assessment recorded 121 hollows across 67 hollow bearing trees within Tranche 2 clearing extent (**Plan 3**). The hollow bearing trees are distributed across the clearing area of Tranche 2 and numerous trees retained more than one hollow.

A plan of indicative locations for the nest box to replace the lost hollows is provided as **Plan 4**. The nest boxes are proposed to be located within the greenspace corridor network and will be positioned at least 5 m from the edge of development.

Nest box design determines the type of fauna that can/will use a nest box. Factors such as entrance size and shape, depth, degree of insulation, and location greatly affect the nest box occupancy. For example, nest boxes with small entrance holes (20-30mm diameter) are used by Micro-bats and small Gliders, whereas larger entrance holes (100-200mm diameter) are required by Brushtail Possums, larger Parrots and Owls.

A range of nest box types should be installed within the nest box receiving area, keeping in mind that most species utilise more than one hollow across their home range. For example, Squirrel Gliders require a minimum of five (5) hollows per colony (2-9 individuals). Many species will also change residence according to season therefore it is important to provide boxes for winter and summer.

Nest boxes should be installed in suitable nest box trees, which are defined as *Eucalyptus*, *Corymbia*, *Angophora* and *Lophostemon* species possessing the following attributes:

- a) greater than 200mm-400mm in diameter at breast height (1.3m) and
- b) in a healthy condition;
- c) do not possess existing hollows, or
- d) are unlikely to develop hollows in the near future (i.e. larger trees)

(Franks, A 2017, pers.comm. 24 October).

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An aerial photograph of a coastal area. A large, irregularly shaped region is filled with a green cross-hatched pattern, representing a buffer zone. This zone is bounded by a blue line. Within this green-hatched area, there are numerous small orange dots, which represent sampling points. A red label 'Tranche 2' is oriented vertically in the center of the image. The background is a grayscale aerial photograph showing a mix of land and water. A thick black line runs diagonally across the top of the image.

Hollow bearing trees to remove
67 trees containing 121 hollows

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An aerial photograph of a coastal area. A large, irregularly shaped area is highlighted with a green cross-hatched pattern. This area is labeled 'Tranche 2' in red text. A red dashed line follows the perimeter of this hatched area. The background is a grayscale aerial view showing terrain, water, and some buildings in the top left corner. A thick black line runs diagonally across the top of the image.

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4.3. Observed Fauna Across the Undullah Property

A detailed fauna survey was undertaken by BAAM Pty Ltd and SHG in 2007 and 2009 and 2014 over the entire Undullah property and augmented during vegetation surveys in 2020 across Tranche 2 clearing area to identify significant biodiversity values, specifically the survey of hollow bearing trees to inform the FMP.

The site is identified under the NESS as containing vegetated areas of Koala Habitat within the subject area for which offsets under the federal government approval EPBC 2015/7530.

Three separate surveys have taken place over the broader project area to identify the fauna utilising the site (refer **Appendix C** and references therein for the specific reports). Of the one hundred and fifty-five (155) fauna species recorded on-site (**Table 4**), the Koala was the only EPBC Act listed threatened species observed. The Koala is also listed as Vulnerable under the NCA (**Table 2**). The baseline fauna survey conducted by BAAM (refer **Appendix D within the SHG EAR (Appendix C)**) recorded an active *Ninox strenua* (Powerful Owl) nest in the north-western portion of the project site, and this species is likewise listed as Vulnerable under the NCA.

Overall, fourteen (14) amphibians, ninety-four (94) birds, twenty-five (25) mammals, nineteen (19) reptiles and three (3) fish species were recorded (**Table 4**). Mammal observations included seven (7) bat species recorded using ANABAT ultrasonic call playback (**Table 4**). One listed migratory species, *Merops ornatus* (Rainbow bee-eater) was recorded on-site (**Table 4**), although ideal habitat for this species was lacking. The vast majority of fauna species recorded on-site are considered common to the local area.

Feral mammal species, such as *Canis lupus familiaris* (Dog), *Lupus capensis* (Brown Hare), *Oryctolagus cuniculus* (Rabbit), *Sus scrofa* (Wild Pig) and *Vulpes* (Red Fox) were also recorded on-site (**Table 4**). Both Dogs and Foxes are considered threats to the Koala and other native species. Further, the noxious amphibian *Rhinella marina* (Cane Toad) was very common on-site (**Table 4**), and is considered a significant threat to Spotted-tailed Quoll survival as they prey on the poisonous species.

Table 4: Observed Fauna Species on Whole of Project Site

Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
AMPHIBIANS				
<i>Crinia parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	✓		✓
<i>Cyclorana alboguttata</i>	Striped Burrowing Frog		✓	
<i>Limnodynastes ornatus</i>	Ornate Burrowing Frog		✓	
<i>Limnodynastes peronii</i>	Brown Striped Frog	✓	✓	
<i>Limnodynastes tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Grass Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria dentata</i>	Bleating Tree Frog			✓
<i>Litoria fallax</i>	Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria gracilentia</i>	Dainty Green Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria latopalmata</i>	Broad Palmed Frog		✓	✓
<i>Litoria peronii</i>	Person's Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria rubella</i>	Desert Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria wilcoxii</i>	Stony Creek Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria caerulea</i>	Green Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Rhinella marina</i>	Cane Toad	✓	✓	✓
BIRDS				
<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	Yellow-rumped Thornbill		✓	✓

Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>	Buff-rumped Thornbill		✓	✓
<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>	Eastern Spinebill			✓
<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	Brown Goshawk		✓	
<i>Alectura lathami</i>	Australian Brush-turkey	✓	✓	
<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	Australian King-Parrot		✓	
<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	Pacific Black Duck	✓		
<i>Anthus australis</i>	Australian Pipit		✓	
<i>Aquila audax</i>	Wedge-tailed Eagle	✓	✓	
<i>Ardea ibis</i>	Cattle Egret	✓		
<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>	Bush Stone-curlew	✓	✓	
<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cacomantis flabelliformis</i>	Fan-tailed Cuckoo		✓	
<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	✓	✓	
<i>Chalcites lucidus</i>	Shining Bronze-cuckoo		✓	
<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Australian Wood Duck	✓	✓	
<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	Grey Shrike-thrush		✓	
<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	✓	✓	✓
<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	Cicadabird		✓	
<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	White-throated Treecreeper	✓	✓	✓
<i>Corvus orru</i>	Torresian Crow	✓	✓	✓
<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	Brown Quail	✓	✓	
<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	Pied Butcherbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cracticus tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	Grey Butcherbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	Laughing Kookaburra	✓	✓	✓
<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>	Varied Sittella		✓	✓
<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	Mistletoebird		✓	
<i>Dicrurus bracteatus</i>	Spangled Drongo	✓	✓	
<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>	White-faced Heron	✓		
<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	Blue-faced Honeyeater	✓	✓	✓
<i>Eolophus roseicapillus</i>	Galah	✓	✓	✓
<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	Eastern Yellow Robin		✓	
<i>Eudynamys orientalis</i>	Pacific Koel		✓	
<i>Eurostopodus mystacalis</i>	White-throated Nightjar		✓	
<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	Dollarbird	✓	✓	
<i>Falco berigora</i>	Brown Falcon	✓		
<i>Falco longipennis</i>	Australian Hobby			✓
<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	Dusky Moorhen	✓	✓	
<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	Bar-shouldered Dove	✓	✓	✓
<i>Geopelia striata</i>	Peaceful Dove	✓	✓	✓
<i>Gerygone olivacea</i>	White-throated Gerygone		✓	✓
<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	Little Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>	Magpie Lark	✓		
<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>	Welcome Swallow	✓		
<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	Yellow-faced Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Lichenostomus fuscus</i>	Fuscous Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	Brown Honey-eater	✓	✓	✓
<i>Lopholaimus antarcticus</i>	Topknot Pigeon	✓	✓	
<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	Superb Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	Variegated Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	Red-backed Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	Noisy Minor	✓	✓	

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<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>	Lewin's Honeyeater	✓	✓	✓
<i>Melithreptus albogularis</i>	White-throated Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	✓		✓
<i>Microeca fascinans</i>	Jacky Winter		✓	✓
<i>Myiagra rubecula</i>	Leaden Flycatcher		✓	
<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>	Scarlet Honeyeater		✓	
<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>	Red-browed Finch		✓	✓
<i>Ninox boobook</i>	Southern Boobook		✓	
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl		✓	
<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	Crested Pigeon	✓	✓	
<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	Olive-backed Oriole		✓	
<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	Golden Whistler			✓
<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	Rufous Whistler		✓	✓
<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>	Spotted Pardalote			✓
<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	Striated Pardalote	✓	✓	✓
<i>Petroica rosea</i>	Rose Robin	✓		✓
<i>Phalacrocorax melanoleucos</i>	Little Pied Cormorant		✓	
<i>Phaps chalcoptera</i>	Common Bronzewing	✓	✓	
<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	Noisy Friarbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Platycercus adscitus palliceps</i>	Pale-headed Rosella	✓	✓	
<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	Striped Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Podargus strigoides</i>	Tawny Frogmouth	✓	✓	
<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>	Grey-crowned babbler		✓	✓
<i>Porphyrio</i>	Purple Swamphen		✓	
<i>Psophodes olivaceus</i>	Eastern Whipbird	✓	✓	
<i>Pyrrholaemus sagittatus</i>	Speckled Warbler		✓	✓
<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	Grey Fantail	✓	✓	✓
<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail	✓	✓	✓
<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	Channel-billed Cuckoo	✓	✓	
<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>	White-browed Scrubwren		✓	✓
<i>Smicronis brevirostris</i>	Weebill		✓	✓
<i>Sphecotheres vieillotii</i>	Australasian Figbird		✓	
<i>Strepera graculina</i>	Pied Currawong	✓	✓	✓
<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	Double-barred Finch	✓	✓	✓
<i>Threskiornis molucca</i>	Australian White Ibis	✓		
<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	Straw-necked Ibis		✓	
<i>Todiramphus sanctus</i>	Sacred Kingfisher	✓	✓	
<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Trichoglossus haematodus moluccanus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Vanellus miles</i>	Masked Lapwing	✓	✓	
<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Silveryeye	✓	✓	✓
MAMMALS				
<i>Aepyprymnus rufescens</i>	Rufous Bettong		✓	
<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed Antechinus		✓	✓
<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	Dog	✓	✓	✓
<i>Chalinolobus gouldii</i>	Gould's Wattled Bat		✓	
<i>Isoodon macrourus</i>	Northern Brown Bandicoot		✓	✓
<i>Lepus capensis</i>	Brown Hare	✓	✓	
<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	Eastern Grey Kangaroo	✓	✓	✓
<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked Wallaby		✓	✓
<i>Miniopterus australis</i>	Little Bent-wing Bat		✓	

Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
<i>Mormopterus beccarii</i>	Beccari's Free-tailed Bat		✓	
<i>Nyctophilus sp.</i>	Unidentified Large-eared Bat		✓	
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit	✓	✓	
<i>Petaurus australis</i>	Yellow-bellied Glider		✓	
<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel Glider		✓	
<i>Phascogale tapoatafa</i>	Brush-tailed Phascogale		✓	
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala	✓	✓	
<i>Saccolaimus flaviventris</i>	Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat		✓	
<i>Scotorepens orion</i>	Eastern Broad-nosed Bat		✓	
<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	Common Dunnart		✓	
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig	✓		
<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Short-beaked Echidna			✓
<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	Common Brushtail Possum	✓	✓	✓
<i>Vespadelus darlingtoni</i>	Large Forest Bat		✓	
<i>Vulpes</i>	Red Fox	✓		
<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	Swamp Wallaby	✓	✓	
REPTILES				
<i>Anomalopus verreauxii</i>	Three-clawed Worm-Skink		✓	
<i>Carlia munda</i>	Shaded-Litter Rainbow-skink			✓
<i>Carlia vivax</i>	Tussock Rainbow-skink		✓	✓
<i>Cryptoblepharus virgatus</i>	Wall Skink	✓	✓	✓
<i>Ctenotus taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink		✓	✓
<i>Dendrelaphis punctulatus</i>	Common Tree Snake		✓	
<i>Diporiphora australis</i>	Tommy Roundhead Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Elseya latisternum</i>	Saw-shelled Turtle		✓	
<i>Eulamprus martini</i>	Dark Barsided Skink	✓	✓	✓
<i>Gehyra dubia</i>	Dubious Dtella		✓	
<i>Lampropholis delicata</i>	Dark-flecked Garden Sunskink		✓	
<i>Lygisaurus foliorum</i>	Tree-based Litter Skink		✓	
<i>Morelia spilota</i>	Carpet Python	✓		
<i>Morethia taeniopleura</i>	Fire Tailed Skink		✓	
<i>Physignathus lesueurii</i>	Eastern Water Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Pogona barbata</i>	Bearded Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Pseudechis guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake		✓	
<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>	Red-bellied Black Snake	✓	✓	
<i>Varanus varius</i>	Lace Monitor	✓	✓	
FISH				
<i>Hypseleotris galii</i>	Firetail Gudgeon		✓	
<i>Melanotaenia duboulayi</i>	Crimson-spotted Rainbow Fish		✓	
<i>Mogurnda adspersa</i>	Purple-spotted Gudgeon		✓	

4.4. Potential Fauna Species (Threatened)

Table 2 and **Table 3** (refer to **Appendices A & B** for full search results) list critically endangered, endangered, vulnerable and near threatened species which may occur within the general proximity (5 km) of the development site. These species have been identified through the EPBC Act's online PMST and the NCA Wildlife Online database search (discussed in Section 2).

A habitat suitability and risk assessment for significant fauna was undertaken by SHG in conjunction with the ecological surveys. The assessment focused on identifying habitat features typically associated with threatened species and native fauna groups. Five (5) significant fauna species were considered as possible occurrences on the site (refer to **Table 5**). Two (1) migratory species were considered known or possible occurrences within the site (refer to **Table 6**). The full assessment is contained in **Appendix D – Habitat Suitability and Risk Assessment**.

Table 5: Threatened Species with possible suitable habitat on site.

Scientific Name	Common Name	Habitat	EPBC Status	NCA Status
<i>Calyptorhynchus lathamii</i>	Glossy Black-cockatoo	The species is uncommon although widespread throughout suitable forest and woodland habitats, from the central Queensland coast to East Gippsland in Victoria, and inland to the southern tablelands and central western plains of NSW. The Glossy Black-Cockatoo is highly dependent on the distribution of Allocasuarina species and is found in open forest and woodlands of the coast and the Great Dividing Range where stands of sheoak occur. Black Sheoak (<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>) and Forest Sheoak (<i>A. torulosa</i>) are important foods. Requires tree hollows for breeding.	-	Vulnerable
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	Spot-tailed Quoll	The Spot-tailed Quoll has a preference for mature wet forest habitat. Unlogged forest or forest that has been less disturbed by timber harvesting is also preferable. Habitat requirements include suitable den sites such as hollow logs, tree hollows, rock outcrops or caves. Individuals require an abundance of food such as birds and small mammals, and large areas of relatively intact vegetation through which to forage.	Endangered	Vulnerable
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	The Powerful Owl inhabits a range of vegetation types, from woodland and open sclerophyll forest to tall open wet forest and rainforest.	-	Vulnerable
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala	Koalas are found in a range of habitats, from coastal islands and tall eucalypt forests to low woodlands inland. The species is known from the surrounding area and evidence has been recorded on-site.	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying Fox	Species generally roosts in camps in trees adjacent to larger permanent watercourse. The Grey-headed flying fox requires foraging resources and roosting sites. It is a canopy-feeding frugivore and nectarivore, which utilises vegetation communities including rainforests, open forests, closed and open woodlands, Melaleuca swamps and Banksia woodlands. It also feed son commercial fruit crops.	Vulnerable	-

Table 6: Migratory Species with possible suitable habitat on site

Scientific Name	Common Name	Habitat	Status*
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	The rainbow bee-eater occurs mainly in open forests and woodlands, shrublands, and in various cleared or semi-cleared habitats, including farmland and areas of human habitation.	M

*M: Migratory species are those species that are listed under an international agreement such as JAMBA, CAMBA and Bonn Convention.

4.5. Potential Impacts

Impacts of the proposed development can generally be summarised as the following:

CONSTRUCTION IMPACTS	OPERATIONAL IMPACTS
- Direct removal of site vegetation - Loss of habitat - Loss of food sources - Excavation / compaction/ changes in existing ground levels - Altering of hydrological flows - Noise, vibration and dust - Fragmentation of habitat - Erosion and sedimentation - Threats associated with open cuts etc. and fauna entrapment	- Weed introduction (garden escapees) - Increased hydrology with increased hardstand - Altering of run-off chemical and nutrient components (quality) - Barriers to fauna movement - Vehicle and pedestrian movement and trespass - Introduction of domestic and predatory species

Generally, most impacts for developments are associated directly with vegetation clearing. The VMP will provide provisions for wildlife management to mitigate potential impacts during vegetation clearing and comply with legislative requirements and approval conditions. These will include:

- The DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher must remain on site during all clearing works to undertake pre-clearing surveys, implement the PTRP (if necessary), direct clearing activities and relocate fauna as needed.
- Immediately prior to the commencement of clearing of native vegetation, a daily visual inspection of the area must be carried out by a qualified Fauna Spotter Catcher.
- In the event of a Koala being located an ~~area of 5 m radius~~ ^{exclusion zone} should be established around the tree ^{and all surrounding trees that could impact the koala tree of felled} excluding machinery from the area until the animal has relocated (usually overnight). All clearing must be conducted in accordance with Part 3 of the Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2017.
- Any native fauna orphaned or injured by the development process must be reported to DES via the permit reporting process.
- The site supervisor is responsible for the safe management of site fauna and implementation of these specific fauna requirements.
- Dogs will be restricted on-site during construction activities to encourage fauna movement outside construction hours. Dogs brought onto the premises for security must be controlled and contained.

5. Fauna Management Plan Specifications

5.1. Pre-Construction

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
5.1.1 Temporary Fencing			
Prior to the commencement of clearing activities, the applicant must fence the limits of vegetation strips and install fauna fencing. This fencing shall be inspected by the Environmental Coordinator. Fencing shall be in accordance with the specifications shown in the approved VMP and if modified by the WPMP.			
- Fencing shall be fauna friendly and erected to direct fauna towards vegetation associated with Sandy Creek to the north west and the environmental corridor area to the south west. - Fencing shall be erected prior to the commencement of clearing activities and shall be removed in accordance with the WPMP to enable animals to safely move to refuge areas. - Within the tree protection zone, the following activities are not permitted: storage and mixing of materials, vehicle parking, liquid disposal, machinery repairs and/or refuelling, construction of site office or shed, combustion of any material, stockpiling of soil, rubble or debris, any filling or excavation including trenching, topsoil skimming and/or surface excavation, unless otherwise approved. - Only approved weed management, landscape and revegetation works are to occur beyond the temporary protection fencing. - Fencing shall be reinstated immediately if damaged or knocked down. - Fencing shall remain until the completion of all bulk earthworks and removed just prior to practical completion.			
5.1.2 Contractor Education and Awareness		Two weeks prior to clearing works commencing on-site.	Inspected by Proponent, the Environmental Coordinator or Site Supervisor.

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
All site contractors and sub-contractors will be made aware of their responsibilities to protect native fauna. The Construction Contractor will be responsible for the commissioning of the WPMP and WHIMP. This FMP is provided as a working document to assist on-site management and protection of native animals. This FMP will generally form part of education and training in a broader Construction Environmental Management Plan but as a minimum will include: • A copy of this FMP kept on site (Site Office). • General education and awareness notification of contractors and sub-contractors involved in activities potentially impacting native animals as part of site induction – contractors must know the location of the FMP, key phone numbers including the nominated Fauna Spotter Catcher and DES, and who to report to if potential breaches of the FMP occur. • A list of relevant contact numbers as listed in Section 8 kept in a visible and accessible location in the site office.	Site Supervisor / Proponent.	Prior to the commencement of construction and as part of the site induction for new staff and sub-contractors.	Site Supervisor
5.1.3 Fauna Spotter and Catcher			
A DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher will prepare the WPMP and WHIMP (refer Section 3.1.1). The WPMP must include a full list of fauna species encountered during the site survey, as well as the marking and identification of significant habitat trees. The reports shall be sent to the Environmental Coordinator and Proponent prior to the pre-start meeting, for approval and inspection by the Environmental Coordinator. Any trappings and releases are to be conducted immediately following identification of fauna requiring relocation. In addition, the DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher must assess the site for: • The presence of native fauna and/or supporting habitat on-site. • Available habitat suitable for likely fauna species.	Site Supervisor / Proponent.	Pre-clear surveys are to be conducted no more than two (2) weeks prior to clearing works commencing on site.	Site Supervisor / Environmental Coordinator

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
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- The presence of any fauna that is 'protected wildlife' as defined under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (protected wildlife).
- The presence of any species that is a 'listed threatened species' under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (listed threatened species).

Section 6 details the documentation and actions to be taken if the assessment finds suitable habitat present adjacent to the site or protected/listed species present and/or if the relocation of fauna is required.

The DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher must be present during the pre-start meeting to identify all fauna habitat trees prior to the commencement of works to ensure wildlife is unharmed at the time of tree clearing operations.

Note: The DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher is a person who holds a rehabilitation permit with an extended authority issued by the Department of Environment and Science specifying the holder may take, keep or use an animal whose habitat is about to be destroyed by a human activity.'

5.2. Vegetation Clearing

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
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5.2.1 Fauna Spotter Catcher

For all vegetation clearing:

- Immediately prior to the commencement of clearing of native vegetation a daily visual inspection of the area must be carried out.
- In the event of a koala being located, an area of 5 m radius should be established excluding machinery from the area until the animal has relocated (usually overnight).

Proponent / Site Supervisor / Environmental Coordinator

Must be present for pre-start meeting, during clearing, construction and continue during

and all surrounding trees that could impact the koala tree of felled

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
- If any used hollows or nests are identified from inspection by the Fauna Spotter Catcher, the hollows and nest must be removed by an experienced machinery operator and carefully lowered for inspection and fauna removal by the Fauna Spotter. - The relocating of fauna is only permitted where necessary as per the Rehabilitation Permit held by the Fauna Spotter. There is no approval to relocate fauna as part of operational works onsite, refer to Section 6 of this document for further details. - Any EVNT species of native fauna orphaned or injured by the development process must be immediately reported to the Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service (1300 130 372), the Environmental Coordinator and Proponent. - The Site Supervisor is responsible for the safe management of site fauna and implementation of these specific requirements. - All personnel on-site must undertake all works in accordance with all direction/s given by the DES permitted fauna spotter catcher.		the site clearing operations.	

SPECIFIC KOALA MANAGEMENT NOTES

A DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher with significant Koala Spotting Experience 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 DES to conduct such activities. For example, demonstrably experienced may include a Koala keeper employed by a licenced Wildlife exhibitor (i.e. a zoo) may be capable of demonstrating competence in location Koalas.

Prior to the commencement and during felling operations, it is the responsibility of the DES permitted Fauna Spotter to:

1. Be present at the site of felling operations;
2. Identify any tree at the site which a Koala is present, as well as any tree that has a crown which is intermeshed or overlapping with such tree; and

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
3. Advise the person who is authorised to conduct the felling operation, or that person's representative, of the precise location of each such tree.			
5.2.2 Direction of Clearing			
Vegetation clearing activities must be in accordance with the Direction of Clearing Plan (as shown in the approved VMP or corrected by the WPMP) which directs clearing towards vegetation to be retained.	Site Supervisor / Earthworks Contractor / Sub Contractor.	As part of clearing earthworks operations.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
5.2.3 Monitoring of Clearing/Earthworks			
Works are to be monitored to ensure on-site success of Direction of Clearing Plan (as shown in the approved VMP or corrected by the WPMP) and for immediate reporting of orphaned, injured, distressed, or killed native animals to DES, RSPCA, Environmental Coordinator and Proponent.	DES Fauna Spotter / Catcher as employed by the Construction Contractor.	As part of clearing earthworks operations.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
5.2.4 Timing of Clearing			
No machinery use for vegetation clearing or damage of any kind shall occur on-site between 6 pm and 6 am.	Site Supervisor / Earthworks Contractor / Sub Contractor .	As part of clearing earthworks operations.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
5.2.4 Relocation / Translocation			
Where works will result in unacceptable risks to health and safety of fauna, a range of measures may be used by the approved Fauna Spotted Catcher to minimise risks, including the temporary removal of animals from the site with the aim of returning animals back to habitat on site at the completion of risk associated works or to suitable habitat adjacent to the site. Appropriate measures are to be determined by the approved Fauna Spotter Catcher.	DES Fauna Spotter / Catcher as employed by the Construction Contractor.	As part of clearing earthworks operations.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
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Note: Appropriate wildlife-proof barriers must be used between adjacent habitat and risk associated structures (i.e. roads) where translocation occurs.

5.3. Excavation, Earthworks and Access

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
5.3.1 Minimise Entrapment			
Trenches, manholes, excavation for footings, etc. pose threats to native animal entrapment when left open and should be backfilled as soon as possible. In some locations barriers may be required overnight to eliminate the accidental capture of animals moving through the site.	Site Supervisor / Earthworks Contractor / Sub Contractor	As part of site earthworks.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
When trenches are not backfilled they are to be inspected at the commencement of each day for trapped or injured wildlife.	Site Supervisor	On-going	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
Note: If during the inspection injured wildlife or entrapped native fauna is observed the Site Supervisor is to contact the Fauna Spotter Catcher immediately.			
5.3.2 Regular and Defined Access			
To minimise impacts and conflicts between native animals, vehicular movement and access during construction and site access should be controlled via minimal entry and exit points.	Site Supervisor	On-going	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ.
5.3.3 Stockpile and Rubbish Locations			
Stockpiled vegetation, topsoil and other materials can quickly become temporary habitat for animals displaced during the actual clearing and earthworks. Rubbish, waste and litter provides opportunistic food source for native and exotic animals alike and often encourages predatory and feral species.	Site Supervisor	On-going	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator
Locations for stockpiles, designated rubbish points etc. should occur in cleared sections of the site, away from retained areas, limiting interaction between these areas and core retention areas.			
Fauna Spotter to inspect stockpiled vegetation prior to its removal if the stockpiled vegetation has been in place for more than one week.			

5.4. Nest Box / Hollow Maintenance and Monitoring

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
5.4.1 Installation			
As part of the VMP, the Environmental Coordinator will determine the number of lost habitat values (hollows) that will require replacement. The specific location of nest boxes to be installed in retained vegetation bordering along the waterways and will be directed in the Rehabilitation Plan prepared by the Environmental Coordinator. The Nest Box Management Plan will require that all nest box locations are to be GPS recorded and coordinates provided to the Environmental Coordinator, Proponent and EDQ.	Environmental Coordinator	As per the approval conditions and Nest Box Offset Strategy	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ
5.4.2 Maintenance and Monitoring			
Nest boxes are to be monitored and maintained for 12 months. Maintenance activities include, but are not limited to, the following: • The replacement of failed or damaged nest boxes • The removal of invasive species • The removal of invasive species will be determined by the engaged DES Fauna Spotter Catcher or suitably qualified person.	Nest Box Contractor	12 months	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ
5.4.3 Reporting Schedule and Pro forma			
A reporting schedule and pro forma must be completed to report all nest box maintenance and monitoring activities throughout the construction period of the development. A copy of the reporting schedule and pro forma must be provided to the Environmental Coordinator and Proponent.	Nest Box Contractor	Throughout the construction period of the development.	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ

5.5. Non-compliance, Monitoring and Reporting

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
5.5.1 Non-Compliance Despite the provisions in this FMP, in the unlikely event of a non-compliance or breach, Site Supervisor where a contractor or sub-contractor witnesses or is involved in activities which do not comply with this FMP the following procedure shall be followed: • All breaches of the FMP must immediately be reported to the Proponent. • If possible, prior approval / or communication on the breach should be discussed with the Environmental Coordinator. The Environmental Coordinator is responsible for establishing additional management procedures or determining if EDQ notification should be made. • Non-compliance activities should be halted immediately and impacts rectified (fencing reinstalled, stock piling relocated, etc.). • Site staff should notify the site supervisor who is responsible for either rectifying actions or contacting the Environmental Coordinator. • All major breaches which fundamentally do not achieve the overall outcomes of the FMP and result in lost habitat or distress to native animals must be reported to the Environmental Coordinator, Proponent and applicable regulatory authorities.	Site Supervisor	On-going	Site Supervisor / Proponent / Environmental Coordinator / EDQ
5.5.2 Monitoring and Reporting The site shall be monitored at all times. This should include: • Daily inspections by the Site Supervisor. • Weekly/fortnightly inspections by the Environmental Coordinator. • Random and periodical inspections by the Proponent. The Fauna Spotter Catcher employed during pre-construction and on-site works shall provide a Post-clearing Report, to be given to the Environmental Coordinator, Proponent and Environmental Coordinator no more than two (2) weeks after clearing has finished, specifying the following:	All Site Staff	On-going	EDQ / Environmental Coordinator / Proponent

Management Item	Responsibility	Timing	Reporting
- Length and time of clearing; - Details of any fauna that were caught and/or released and the placement of any release/s; - Inventory of species encountered during tree removal; - Brief summary of any fauna handling, mortalities or other relevant fauna related incidents that may have occurring during tree removal; and The Fauna Spotter Catcher Post-clearing Report is to be submitted to the Environmental Coordinator, Proponent and EDQ following the completion of tree clearing activities and prior to commencement of the use of the premises.			
5.5.3 Orphaned or Injured Fauna			
All native animal fatalities must be reported immediately to the Environmental Coordinator, All Site Staff the Proponent and DES.		On-going	EDQ / DES / Environmental Coordinator / Proponent
Where any site staff (contractors or sub-contractors) witnesses or locates distressed, injured or orphaned animals they should immediately contact the Environmental Coordinator. The Environmental Coordinator will notify the proponent and authorities. Works within the area of the animal must cease until further instruction is provided.			

Refer to **Section 8** for a list of key contacts.

Refer to Section 8 for the contact details of responsible entities. The Environmental Coordinator's role has been to prepare this FMP and liaise with EDQ, Pioneer Fortune and the approved Fauna Spotter Catcher (to be appointed) and the Construction Contractor (to be appointed) to achieve the outcomes of this plan.

6. Fauna Spotter Catcher Assessment

The Fauna Spotter Catcher assessment as part of the pre-clearing surveys and WPMP and WHIMP may reveal suitable fauna habitat adjacent on land within the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor for protected/listed species present on the site and/or the requirement for relocation of fauna. The following table details the actions to be taken in these events.

DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher required – suitable habitat present adjacent to the site	If the engaged Fauna Spotter Catcher's assessment determines that no protected wildlife or listed species are present but such threatened fauna may be present within suitable habitat existing adjacent to the site, the following must be included in the WPMP and WHIMP: • Fauna Spotter Catcher credentials and for handling of anticipated protected species • A list of anticipated species; and • PTRP (if necessary).
Fauna Spotter Catcher required – protected / listed species present and/or relocation of fauna required	If the Fauna Spotter Catcher's Assessment determines that any protected wildlife or listed species are present, and/or threatened fauna are to be systematically relocated, a Fauna Translocation Management Plan (FTMP) must be prepared. The FTMP must be submitted to DES for endorsement. The following must then be submitted to EDQ with a development application for operational works (vegetation clearing): • Fauna Spotter Catcher credentials and for handling of anticipated protected species • A list of anticipated species; and • DES endorsement of the proposed FTMP; and • A copy of the DES endorsed FTMP.

7. Koala Habitat

The site is not identified as within a State mapped assessable Koala habitat area, however, does include Koala habitat mapped under State Planning Policy and the following should be complied with as part of this FMP to ensure safe removal should any Koalas be encountered on site:

- During construction phases measures are taken in construction practices to not increase the risk of death or injuries to Koalas as specified within this FMP.
- Native vegetation clearing is undertaken as sequential clearing under the guidance of a DES permitted Fauna Spotter Catcher with significant Koala Spotting experience where the native vegetation is a non-juvenile Koala habitat tree.
- Landscape activities provide food, shelter and movement opportunities for Koala consistent with the site design.

8. Site Contacts

Role	Contact Details
Proponent	Darren Jonsson Haricot Development Management Ph. 0411 235 003
Site Supervisor	<i>To be appointed.</i>
Environmental Coordinator	Andrew Ridley Saunders Havill Group Ph. (07) 3251 9446
Administering Authority	Brandon Bouda Economic Development Queensland Ph. (07) 3452 7422
Council	Adam Avalos Logan City Council Ph. (07) 3412 4874
Construction Contractor	<i>To be appointed.</i>
Fauna Spotter and Catcher	<i>To be appointed.</i>
Veterinarian (in closest proximity to application site)	VetLove Flagstone Veterinary Clinic Shop 7, Corner Wild Mint Drv & Homestead Drv, Jimboomba QLD 4280 Mon-Fri: 8:00am – 6:00pm, Sat: 8:00am – 12:00pm, Sun: Closed Ph. (07) 5546 0315
Department of Environmental and Heritage Protection	For wildlife incidents and licensing and permits: Ph. 1300 130 372
RSPCA Queensland	For reporting injured, sick or orphaned wildlife: Ph. 1300 ANIMAL (1300 264 625)

9. Appendices

Appendix A

Protected Matters Search Tool

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

Appendix B

Wildlife Online Search

Nature Conservation Act 1992

Appendix C

Ecological Assessment Report EPBC Act Referral

Appendix D

Habitat Suitability Assessment

Appendix A

Protected Matters Search Tool

*Environment Protection and Biodiversity
Conservation Act 1999*



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.

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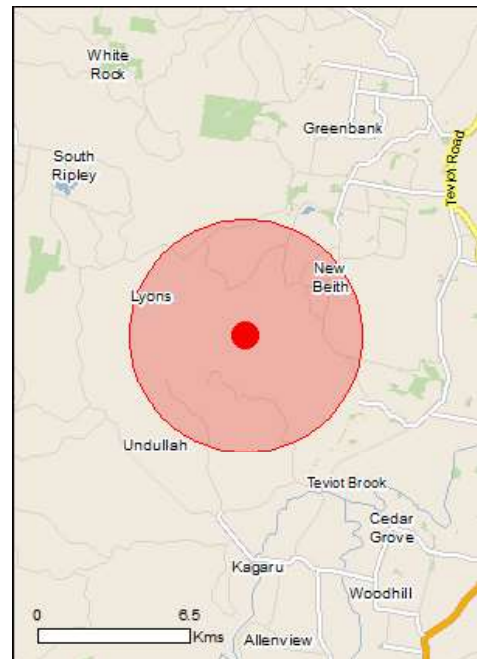
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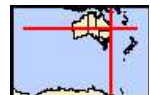
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Summary

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:	1
Great Barrier Reef Marine Park:	None
Commonwealth Marine Area:	None
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities:	4
Listed Threatened Species:	41
Listed Migratory Species:	16

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 [permit](#) 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:	None
Commonwealth Heritage Places:	None
Listed Marine Species:	21
Whales and Other Cetaceans:	None
Critical Habitats:	None
Commonwealth Reserves Terrestrial:	None
Australian Marine Parks:	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:	None
Regional Forest Agreements:	None
Invasive Species:	34
Nationally Important Wetlands:	None
Key Ecological Features (Marine)	None

Details

Matters of National Environmental Significance

Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar)		[Resource Information]
Name		Proximity
Moreton bay		30 - 40km upstream

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.

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Coastal Swamp Oak (Casuarina glauca) Forest of New South Wales and South East Queensland ecological community	Endangered	Community may occur within area
Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia	Critically Endangered	Community may occur within area
Poplar Box Grassy Woodland on Alluvial Plains	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		
Australasian Bittern [1001]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may 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
Erythrorchis radiatus		
Red Goshawk [942]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Falco hypoleucos		
Grey Falcon [929]	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
Hirundapus caudacutus		
White-throated Needletail [682]	Vulnerable	Species or species

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Lathamus discolor Swift Parrot [744]	Critically Endangered	habitat known to occur within area Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Numenius madagascariensis Eastern Curlew, Far Eastern Curlew [847]	Critically 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		
Argynnis hyperbius inconstans Australian Fritillary [88056]	Critically 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 maculatus maculatus (SE mainland population) Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population) [75184]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Petauroides volans Greater Glider [254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Petrogale penicillata Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby [225]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely 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
Potorous tridactylus tridactylus Long-nosed Potoroo (SE Mainland) [66645]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Pteropus poliocephalus Grey-headed Flying-fox [186]	Vulnerable	Foraging, feeding or related behaviour known to occur within area
Plants		
Arthraxon hispidus Hairy-joint Grass [9338]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Bosistoa transversa Three-leaved Bosistoa, Yellow Satinheart [16091]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Cryptostylis hunteriana Leafless Tongue-orchid [19533]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Cupaniopsis shirleyana Wedge-leaf Tuckeroo [3205]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Cupaniopsis tomentella Boonah Tuckeroo [3322]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Dichanthium setosum bluegrass [14159]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Fontainea venosa [24040]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may 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 [6581]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Notelaea ipsviciensis Cooneana Olive [81858]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Notelaea lloydii 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
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
Rhodamnia rubescens Scrub Turpentine, Brown Malletwood [15763]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Rhodomyrtus psidioides Native Guava [19162]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Samadera bidwillii Quassia [29708]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Thesium australe Austral Toadflax, Toadflax [15202]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Reptiles		
Delma torquata Adorned Delma, Collared Delma [1656]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Furina dunmalli Dunmall's Snake [59254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Listed Migratory Species		[Resource Information]
* Species is listed under a different scientific name on the 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
Migratory Terrestrial Species		

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
Cuculus optatus Oriental Cuckoo, Horsfield's Cuckoo [86651]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Hirundapus caudacutus White-throated Needletail [682]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Monarcha trivirgatus Spectacled Monarch [610]		Species or species habitat may 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 likely to occur within area
Migratory Wetlands Species		
Actitis hypoleucos Common Sandpiper [59309]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Calidris acuminata Sharp-tailed Sandpiper [874]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Calidris ferruginea Curlew Sandpiper [856]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Calidris melanotos Pectoral Sandpiper [858]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Gallinago hardwickii Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe [863]		Species or species habitat known to 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 Common Greenshank, Greenshank [832]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act

Listed Marine Species		[Resource Information]
* Species is listed under a different scientific name on the EPBC Act - Threatened Species list.		
Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
Birds		
Actitis hypoleucos Common Sandpiper [59309]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
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 ibis Cattle Egret [59542]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Calidris acuminata Sharp-tailed Sandpiper [874]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Calidris ferruginea Curlew Sandpiper [856]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Calidris melanotos Pectoral Sandpiper [858]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Gallinago hardwickii Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe [863]		Species or species habitat known to 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]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Lathamus discolor Swift Parrot [744]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Merops ornatus Rainbow Bee-eater [670]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Monarcha trivirgatus Spectacled Monarch [610]		Species or species habitat may 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

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
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
Rhipidura rufifrons Rufous Fantail [592]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Rostratula benghalensis (sensu lato) Painted Snipe [889]	Endangered*	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Tringa nebularia Common Greenshank, Greenshank [832]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Extra Information

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

Name	Status	Type of Presence within area
Sturnus vulgaris Common Starling [389]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Frogs		
Rhinella marina Cane Toad [83218]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Mammals		
Bos taurus Domestic Cattle [16]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Canis lupus familiaris Domestic Dog [82654]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Equus caballus Horse [5]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Felis catus Cat, House Cat, Domestic Cat [19]		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
Oryctolagus 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]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Cabomba caroliniana Cabomba, Fanwort, Carolina Watershield, Fish Grass, Washington Grass, Watershield, Carolina Fanwort, Common Cabomba [5171]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Chrysanthemoides monilifera Bitou Bush, Boneseed [18983]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Eichhornia crassipes Water Hyacinth, Water Orchid, Nile Lily [13466]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Genista monspessulana Montpellier Broom, Cape Broom, Canary Broom, Common Broom, French Broom, Soft Broom [20126]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Lantana camara Lantana, Common Lantana, Kamara Lantana, Large- leaf Lantana, Pink Flowered Lantana, Red Flowered Lantana, Red-Flowered Sage, White Sage, Wild Sage [10892]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Parkinsonia aculeata Parkinsonia, Jerusalem Thorn, Jelly Bean Tree, Horse Bean [12301]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Parthenium hysterophorus Parthenium Weed, Bitter Weed, Carrot Grass, False Ragweed [19566]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
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
Salvinia molesta 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
Ramphotyphlops braminus Flowerpot Blind Snake, Brahminy Blind Snake, Cacing Besi [1258]		Species or species habitat may occur within area

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.

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Appendix B

Wildlife Online Search

Nature Conservation Act 1992



Queensland Government

WildNet species list

Search Criteria: Species List for a Specified Point

Species: All

Type: All

Queensland status: Rare and threatened species

Records: Confirmed

Date: Since 1980

Latitude: -27.7863

Longitude: 152.9063

Distance: 5

Email: lisafray@saundershavill.com

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I	Q	A	Records
animals	birds	Apodidae	<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	white-throated needletail		V	V	1
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami lathami</i>	glossy black-cockatoo (eastern)		V		1
animals	birds	Strigidae	<i>Ninox strenua</i>	powerful owl		V		3
animals	mammals	Phascolarctidae	<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	koala		V	V	7
plants	land plants	Myrtaceae	<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>			E		3

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 (EX), Extinct in the Wild (PE), Critically Endangered (CR), Endangered (E), Vulnerable (V), Near Threatened (NT), Special Least Concern (SL) and Least Concern (C).

A - Indicates the Australian conservation status of each taxon under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.

The values of EPBC are Extinct (EX), Extinct in the Wild (XW), Critically Endangered (CE), Endangered (E), Vulnerable (V) and Conservation Dependent (CD).

Records - The first number indicates the total number of records of the taxon (wildlife records and species listings for selected areas).

This number is output as 99999 if it equals or exceeds this value. A second number located after a / indicates the number of specimen records for the taxon.

This number is output as 999 if it equals or exceeds this value.

Appendix C

Ecological Assessment Report EPBC Act Referral

environmental management



Ecological Assessment Report EPBC Act Referral

Lots 3 on RP45236, 3 on RP49296 and 28 on CP
S311174 in the Greater Flagstone Priority
Development Area

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I. Introduction

The *Environmental Management Division* of **Saunders Havill Group** was engaged by **Pioneer Fortune Pty Ltd** to prepare an Ecological Assessment Report for Lots 3 on RP45236, 3 on RP49296 and 28 on CP S311174 (refer **Appendix A** for preliminary Land Use plan) located within the *Greater Flagstone Priority Development Area* (PDA). This report is intended to support a referral under the Commonwealth *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) and provides a review of the site's ecological values in accordance with Commonwealth and State Government legislation.

The proposed residential development area covers approximately 520 hectares of the 1,024 hectare site and is located approximately 25 kilometres south-east of Ipswich City and 27 kilometres south-west of Logan City. The surrounding landscape contains a mixture of cleared agricultural land and vacant bushland, however, the majority of adjoining allotments, including those to the north, east, south and south-west are included within the PDA and are either earmarked for or under development. The south-east boundary adjoins the Sydney-Brisbane railway line and rural residential allotments contained within the existing Flagstone East residential community. The Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor flanks the property's western boundary. The site context is displayed in **Figure 1** and site aerial in **Figure 2**.

The proposed residential development footprint occurs within mapped remnant vegetation. Smaller patches scattered throughout the site have been identified as non-remnant vegetation, while a relatively substantial watercourse known as Sandy Creek traverses the northern portion of the site and is adjoined by various tributaries. The site has been subject to several flora and fauna assessments to address various approval requirements including targeted surveys carried out specifically for referral under the EPBC Act. The results of these assessments are summarised and presented in this report.

Overall, the site was found to be relatively disturbed by historical clearing and pastoral practices, extractive industry activities, ongoing logging, rubbish dumping and an abundance of weeds and feral animals. The Koala (*Phascolarctos cinereus*) and its habitat were the only listed threatened Matters of National Environmental Significance (MNES) recorded on-site, with the most suitable Koala habitat concentrated within the Sandy Creek riparian corridor. The vast majority of the site contained less suitable Koala habitat. The EPBC Act listed Migratory species, *Merops ornatus* (Rainbow Bee-eater) was recorded on-site but ideal habitat for this species was lacking. Although the Grey-headed Flying Fox (*Pteropus poliocephalus*) was not located on-site, the abundance of suitable *Eucalyptus* food trees would provide foraging habitat for this species.

At the State level, the Powerful Owl (*Ninox strenua*) and Swamp Tea-tree (*Melaleuca irbyana*) are listed as Vulnerable and Endangered, respectively, under the *Nature Conservation Wildlife Regulation, 2009* and were recorded on-site. Swamp Tea-tree occurred only as individual specimens or isolated small stands and did not constitute the critically endangered Threatened Ecological Community, Swamp Tea-tree (*Melaleuca irbyana*) Forest of South-east Queensland, listed under the EPBC Act as a MNES.

The proposal includes the important Sandy Creek as well as other corridors and a substantial buffer along the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor for conservation to ensure continued habitat connectivity across the site and to minimise potential edge effects of the development on neighbouring habitat values to the west. Significantly, more land is being retained for environmental outcomes than the extent zoned within the *Greater*



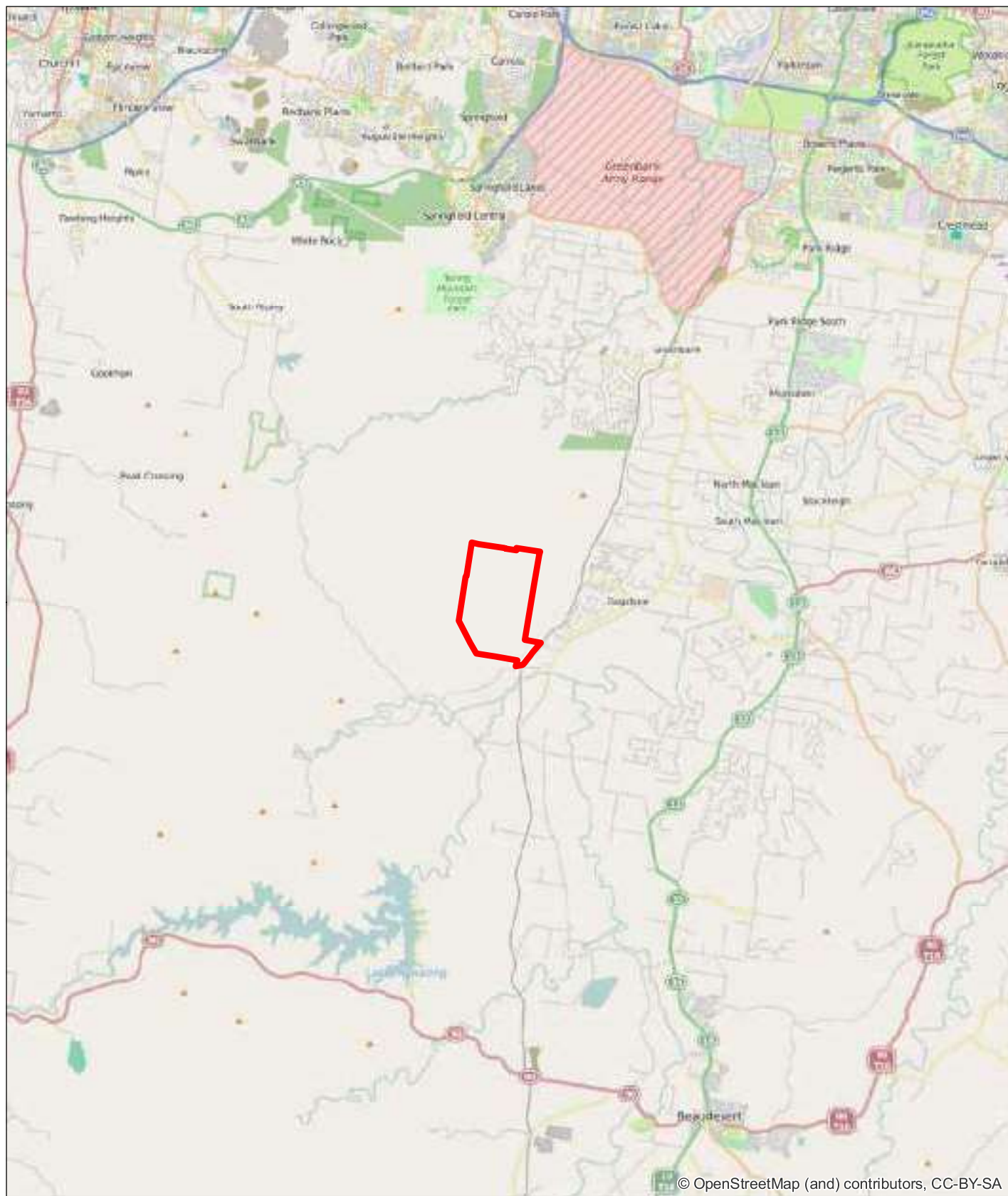
Flagstone Priority Development Area Development Scheme. The dedication of these areas has been defined by site survey and occurs equally on land designated for residential development and land zoned for environmental protection. These conservation areas encapsulate the most suitable Koala habitat on-site as well as the Powerful Owl nest in the north-west portion of the property. This is a significantly larger conservation outcome than that approved under a recent Material Change of Use application for the site (DEV2012/248). For these reasons, the land use proposal is considered to minimise impacts on listed threatened species with potential to utilise the site.

I.1. Key Site Details

Address	Wayatt Road, Undullah
RPD	Lot 3 on RP45236, Lot 3 on RP 49296, Lot 28 on CP S311174
Area	1,024 hectares
VMA 1999	Category B remnant vegetation, made up of Least Concern, Of Concern and Endangered Regional Ecosystems. Smaller portions of Category X non-remnant vegetation.
Koala SPRP	Outside of SPRP Trigger Area - mixture of Medium and Low Value Bushland and Medium and Low Value Rehabilitation Habitat Areas
SPP & SARA	- Protected Plants Trigger Area - Waterways for Waterway Barrier Works - MSES Wildlife Habitat, Regulated Vegetation, Regulated Vegetation intersecting a Watercourse - SPP Class A and B Agricultural Land - SPP Natural Hazards

I.2. Purpose of the Report

The purpose of this Ecological Assessment Report (EAR) is to present and comment on the outcomes of field surveys undertaken to assess potential environmental impacts of the proposed master planned multi-use development on any MNES.



Legend



Project area

Figure 1 Site Context

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Date 15/07/2015

Project Rice Road, Undullah - EAR

0 1 2 4 Kilometers

Scale (A4): 1:200,000 [GDA 1994 MGA Z56]



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Legend

- Project area
- DCDB - Logan

Figure 2 Site Aerial

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Date 7/11/2014
Project Rice Road, Undullah - EAR

0 200 400 800 m
 Scale (A4): 1:22,500 [GDA 1994 MGA Z56]



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2. Ecological Assessment Methodology and Process

The following steps were undertaken in the preparation of this assessment:

1. Desktop Analysis
2. Legislation and Policy Review
3. Review of previous ecological assessments
4. Field Survey
5. Analysis and Recommendations

2.1. Desktop Analysis

Prior to the commencement of field surveys, a desktop analysis was conducted to identify relevant information for the site. The following information was reviewed:

- Search of the Commonwealths EPBC Protected Matters Search Tool
- Search of EHP's Wildlife Online Database for the study area and surrounds
- Commonwealth and State Government Environmental Databases
- State Government Environmental Overlay Mapping (i.e. SARA and SPP Mapping)
- Existing ecological reports and plans for the subject site

A review of aerial photography history was undertaken to assist with the broad delineation of vegetation communities and determine historical disturbance patterns to local vegetation communities.

2.2. Field Survey

A number of detailed flora and fauna surveys have been undertaken over the application site. These have been carried out using various survey methods to describe on-site habitat and vegetation characteristics. Survey activities undertaken on-site have included:

- General Searches & Species Identification – The site was walked to ensure all vegetation communities and species were recorded and identified. Particular attention was paid to any threatened species that were listed as possibly occurring on or within the vicinity of the application site and specific micro assemblages which may support these threatened species.
- Observational Survey – Detailed observational surveys of the vertebrate fauna present on or that may utilise the study area, including faunal lists and significance status of species under the Commonwealth's *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) that includes the Japan – Australia Migratory Bird Agreement and the Bonn Convention; and Queensland's *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (NCA). Methods included:
 - Infra-red camera surveys
 - Diurnal and crepuscular bird surveys



- Nocturnal spotlight surveys
- Surveys targeting Koala were conducted, including:
 - Direct observational surveys
 - SAT – The Spot Assessment Technique
 - Koala Food Tree habitat assessments as per **Australian Koala Foundation** guidelines
- Identification – Identification of habitat values within the area relevant to terrestrial vertebrate fauna, including ecological corridors; and
- Description – A description of the major fauna habitats present

Previous surveys undertaken have included:

- An assessment of remnant vegetation and Regional Ecosystem status resulting in the submission of a Property Map of Assessable Vegetation
- An assessment of the extent of *Lantana* spp. infestation on-site
- Baseline Terrestrial and Aquatic Vertebrate Assessment (June 2007 & January 2009)
 - Elliot, cage and pitfall trapping
 - Cage trapping of aquatic fauna
 - Infra-red camera surveys
 - Bird surveys and general observations of fauna and fauna habitat
 - Nocturnal ultrasonic call playback bat surveys
- Koala Habitat Assessment and Mapping (2009)
 - Searches for Koala and evidence of usage (scats)
 - Koala Habitat transects



3. Legislation, Policy and Planning Instruments

3.1. Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999

The Australian Government's key piece of environmental legislation is the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act, 1999* (EPBC Act). The EPBC Act aims to protect and manage matters of environmental significance which include nationally and internationally important flora, fauna, ecological communities and heritage places.

A Protected Matters Search for the allotment was undertaken through the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Online Protected Matters Search Tool (PMST). The search provides a list of wetlands of international significance, threatened ecological communities and threatened species which have the potential to be temporarily or permanently located within a ten (10) kilometre radius of the development site.

Table 1 lists a summary of the search results relevant to the site. The complete results of this search are included in **Appendix B**.

Table 1: EPBC Act 1999 Protected Matters Search Results

Wetlands of International Importance (RAMSAR)		
Moreton Bay		
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities		
Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia	Critically Endangered	Community may occur within area
Swamp Tea-tree (<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>) Forest of South-east Queensland	Critically Endangered	Community likely to 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		
Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Birds		
<i>Anthochaera phrygia</i>	Regent Honeyeater [82338]	Endangered
<i>Botaurus poiciloptilus</i>	Australasian Bittern [1001]	Endangered
<i>Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni</i>	Coxen's Fig-Parrot [59714]	Endangered
<i>Dasyornis brachypterus</i>	Eastern Bristlebird [533]	Endangered
<i>Erythrorhynchus radiatus</i>	Red Goshawk [942]	Vulnerable
<i>Geophaps scripta scripta</i>	Squatter Pigeon (southern) [64440]	Vulnerable



Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
<i>Lathamus discolor</i>	Swift Parrot [744]	Endangered
<i>Poephila cincta cincta</i>	Black-throated Finch (southern) [64447]	Endangered
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian Painted Snipe [77037]	Endangered
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	Black-breasted Button-quail [923]	Vulnerable
Fish		
<i>Maccullochella mariensis</i>	Mary River Cod [83806]	Endangered
Insects		
<i>Phyllodes imperialis smithersi</i>	Pink Underwing Moth [86084]	Endangered
Mammals		
<i>Chalinolobus dwyeri</i>	Large-eared Pied Bat, Large Pied Bat [183]	Vulnerable
<i>Dasyurus hallucatus</i>	Northern Quoll [331]	Endangered
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i> (SE mainland population)	Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population)	Endangered
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby [225]	Vulnerable
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala (combined populations of Queensland, New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory) [85104]	Vulnerable
<i>Potorous tridactylus tridactylus</i>	Long-nosed Potoroo (SE mainland) [66645]	Vulnerable
<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying-fox [186]	Vulnerable
Other		
<i>Cycas ophiolitica</i>	[55797]	Endangered
Plants		
<i>Arthraxon hispidus</i>	Hairy-joint Grass [9338]	Vulnerable
<i>Bosistoa selwynii</i>	Heart-leaved Bosistoa [13702]	Vulnerable
<i>Bosistoa transversa</i>	Three-leaved Bosistoa [16091]	Vulnerable
<i>Bulbophyllum globuliforme</i>	Miniature Moss-orchid, Hoop Pine Orchid [6649]	Vulnerable
<i>Cupaniopsis tomentella</i>	Boonah Tuckeroo [3322]	Vulnerable
<i>Lepidium peregrinum</i>	Wandering Pepper-cress [14035]	Endangered
<i>Notelaea ipsviciensis</i>	Cooneana Olive [81858]	Critically Endangered
<i>Notelaea lloydii</i>	Lloyd's Olive [15002]	Vulnerable



Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
<i>Phaius australis</i>	Lesser Swamp-orchid [5872]	Endangered
<i>Phebalium distans</i>	Mt Berryman Phebalium [81869]	Critically Endangered
<i>Planchonella eerwah</i>	Shiny-leaved Condoo, Black Plum, Wild Apple [17340]	Endangered
<i>Plectranthus habrophyllus</i>	[64589]	Endangered
<i>Thesium australe</i>	Austral Toadflax, Toadflax [15202]	Vulnerable
Reptiles		
<i>Coeranoscincus reticulatus</i>	Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink [59628]	Vulnerable
<i>Delma torquata</i>	Collared Delma [1656]	Vulnerable
<i>Furina dunmalli</i>	Dunmall's Snake [59254]	Vulnerable

3.2. Nature Conservation Act 1992

The *Nature Conservation Act, 1992* (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 schedules of this regulation were considered in this report using a Wildlife Online Database Search with a five (5) kilometre radius from the site. Species listed under the NCWR with the potential to occur around the subject site are shown in

Table 2. Refer to **Appendix C** for full search results.

Table 2: NCA Wildlife Online Search Results

Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
Amphibians		
<i>Litoria brevipalmata</i>	green thighed frog	Near Threatened
<i>Adelotus brevis</i>	tusked frog	Vulnerable
Birds		
<i>Accipiter novaehollandiae</i>	grey goshawk	Near Threatened
<i>Stictonetta naevosa</i>	freckled duck	Near Threatened
<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	cotton pygmy-goose	Near Threatened
<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami</i>	glossy black-cockatoo	Vulnerable
<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>	black-necked stork	Near Threatened
<i>Stipiturus malachurus</i>	southern emu-wren	Vulnerable
<i>Melithreptus gularis</i>	black-chinned honeyeater	Near Threatened
<i>Lewinia pectoralis</i>	Lewin's rail	Near Threatened
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian painted snipe	Vulnerable
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	powerful owl	Vulnerable



Scientific Name	Common Name	Status
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	black-breasted button-quail	Vulnerable
Mammals		
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	spotted-tailed quoll (southern subspecies)	Vulnerable
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	brush-tailed rock-wallaby	Vulnerable
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i> (southeast Queensland bioregion)	koala (southeast Queensland bioregion)	Vulnerable
Plants		
<i>Marsdenia coronata</i>	slender milkvine	Vulnerable
<i>Plectranthus habrophyllus</i>	-	Endangered
<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>	-	Endangered
<i>Cupaniopsis tomentella</i>	Boonah tuckeroo	Vulnerable
<i>Planchonella eerwah</i>	-	Endangered

Amendments to the 'protected plants' regulatory framework under the NCA commenced on 31 March 2014, establishing new approval triggers and processes for clearing protected plants. A protected plant is defined as all Extinct, Endangered, Vulnerable and/or Near Threatened (EVNT) plant species listed by name in Schedules 1-5 of the NCWR and Least Concern wildlife, not listed by name but identified as a plant indigenous to Australia in Schedule 6.

A search of the Flora Survey Trigger Map identifies that the site is partially located within a 'High Risk' Area (**Figure 3**). If a protected plant is identified on the subject site, under the amended NCA, a protected plant that is in the wild must not be 'taken', which includes being cleared, unless taking is under:

- A conservation plan applicable to the plant;
- A license, permit or other authority under a regulation.; or
- An exemption under a regulation.

3.3. Vegetation Management Act 1999

The *Vegetation Management Act, 1999* (VMA) is the key mechanism by which the Queensland Government protects the state's environmental resources pertaining to vegetation. Under the VMA, a series of maps delineate vegetation features across the landscape which are each assigned a conservation value directly related to the remaining extent of these features in the landscape. The VMA also protects 'essential habitat' vegetation where listed threatened species have been known to occur.

Under the *Vegetation Management Framework Amendment Act 2013* (VMFAA), regulated Vegetation Management Mapping shows vegetation categories used to determine clearing requirements. While areas shown on the map as Category X are not regulated under the VMA, those shown as a Category A, B, C or R are subject to clearing requirements. The latter vegetation categories can only be cleared in accordance with an exemption, self-assessable vegetation clearing code, area management plan or development approval. A supporting map defining Regional Ecosystems, wetlands, watercourses and essential habitat is provided with



the Regulated Vegetation Management Map. Approval for clearing of native vegetation is required under the *Sustainable Planning Act 2009* (SPA); specifically assessment is required against *Module 8: Native Vegetation Clearing* of the State Development Assessment Provisions (SDAP).

A property search of the Regulated Vegetation Management Map identifies that the site contains Category B Regulated Vegetation which is protected under the VMA (**Figure 4**). The Vegetation Management Support Map in **Figure 5** indicates the site is mapped with the following Regional Ecosystems:

- RE 12.3.3 (Endangered)
- RE 12.3.7 (Least Concern)
- RE 12.3.11 (Of Concern)
- RE 12.9-10.2 (Least Concern)
- RE 12.9-10.3 (Of Concern)
- RE 12.9-10.7 (Of Concern)
- RE 12.9-10.17 (Least Concern)

Table 3 provides the Regional Ecosystem descriptions applicable to the mapping:

Table 3: Regional Ecosystem Descriptions

Regional Ecosystem	Status	Description
RE 12.3.3	Endangered	<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> woodland. <i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> and <i>E. moluccana</i> are sometimes present and may be relatively abundant in places, especially on edges of plains and higher level alluvium. Other species that may be present as scattered individuals or clumps include <i>Angophora subvelutina</i> or <i>A. floribunda</i> , <i>Corymbia clarksoniana</i> , <i>C. intermedia</i> , <i>C. tessellaris</i> , <i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i> and <i>E. melanophloia</i> . Occurs on Quaternary alluvial plains, terraces and fans where rainfall is usually less than 1000mm/y. (BVG1M: 16c). Vegetation communities in this regional ecosystem include: 12.3.3a: Floodplain (other than floodplain wetlands). <i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> , <i>C. tessellaris</i> woodland to open forest. Other species that may be present as scattered individuals or clumps include <i>Corymbia clarksoniana</i> , <i>Eucalyptus melanophloia</i> , <i>E. tereticornis</i> and <i>C. citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> . Occurs on high level alluvial plains, terraces and fans where rainfall is usually less than 1000mm/y. (BVG1M: 18b). 12.3.3b: Floodplain (other than floodplain wetlands). Open forest to woodland of <i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> and/or <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> and <i>E. crebra</i> , with a sparse to mid-dense understorey of <i>Melaleuca irbyana</i> . Occurs on margins of Quaternary alluvial plains. (BVG1M: 13d). 12.3.3c: Floodplain (other than floodplain wetlands). <i>Melaleuca irbyana</i> low open forest or thicket. Emergent <i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> , <i>E. crebra</i> , <i>E. tereticornis</i> or <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> may be present. Occurs on Quaternary alluvial plains where drainage of soils is impeded. (BVG1M: 21b). 12.3.3d: Floodplain (other than floodplain wetlands). <i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> woodland. Other frequently occurring species include <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> , <i>E. crebra</i> , <i>E. siderophloia</i> and <i>Corymbia</i>



Regional Ecosystem	Status	Description
		<i>intermedia</i> . Occurs on margins of Quaternary alluvial plains usually adjacent sedimentary geologies. (BVG1M: 13d).
RE 12.3.7	Least Concern	Narrow fringing woodland of <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> , <i>Casuarina cunninghamiana</i> subsp. <i>cunninghamiana</i> +/- <i>Melaleuca viminalis</i> , <i>Waterhousea floribunda</i> . Other species associated with this RE include <i>Melaleuca bracteata</i> , <i>M. trichostachya</i> , <i>M. linariifolia</i> and <i>M. fluviatilis</i> in north of bioregion. <i>Lomandra hystrix</i> often present in stream beds. Occurs on fringing levees and banks of rivers and drainage lines of alluvial plains throughout the region. (BVG1M: 16a). Vegetation communities in this regional ecosystem include: 12.3.7a: Riverine wetland or fringing riverine wetland. <i>Melaleuca bracteata</i> open forest. Occurs in drainage depressions on Quaternary alluvial plains. (BVG1M: 22c). 12.3.7b: Riverine wetland or fringing riverine wetland. Naturally occurring waterholes and lagoons, both permanent and intermittent. Includes exposed stream bed and bars. Occurs in the bed of active (may be intermittent) river channels. (BVG1M: 16d). 12.3.7c: Palustrine wetland (e.g. vegetated swamp). Billabongs and ox-bow lakes containing either permanent or periodic water bodies. Old river beds now cut off from regular flow. (BVG1M: 34d). 12.3.7d: Palustrine wetland (e.g. vegetated swamp). Aquatic vegetation usually fringed with <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> . Closed depressions on alluvial plains. (BVG1M: 34d).
RE 12.3.11	Of Concern	<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> +/- <i>E. siderophloia</i> and <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> open forest to woodland. <i>Corymbia tessellaris</i> , <i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i> and <i>Melaleuca quinquenervia</i> frequently occur and often form a low tree layer. Other species present in scattered patches or low densities include <i>Angophora leiocarpa</i> , <i>E. exserta</i> , <i>E. grandis</i> , <i>C. trachyphloia</i> , <i>C. citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> , <i>E. latisinensis</i> , <i>E. tindaliae</i> , <i>E. racemosa</i> and <i>Melaleuca sieberi</i> . <i>E. seeana</i> may be present south of Landsborough. Occurs on Quaternary alluvial plains and drainage lines along coastal lowlands. Rainfall usually exceeds 1000mm/y. (BVG1M: 16c). Vegetation communities in this regional ecosystem include: 12.3.11a: Open forest of <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> and/or <i>E. siderophloia</i> with vine forest understorey. Other canopy species include <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> , <i>Araucaria cunninghamii</i> and <i>Agathis robusta</i> . Frequently occurring understorey species include <i>Flindersia</i> spp., <i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i> , <i>L. confertus</i> , <i>Cupaniopsis parvifolia</i> , <i>Acronychia</i> spp., <i>Alphitonia excelsa</i> and <i>Acacia dispartima</i> subsp. <i>dispartima</i> . Occurs on sub-coastal Quaternary alluvial plains. Rainfall usually exceeds 1000mm/y. (BVG1M: 16c).
RE 12.9-10.2	Least Concern	<i>Corymbia citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> open forest or woodland usually with <i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> . Other species such as <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> and <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> may be present in scattered patches or in low densities. Understorey can be grassy or shrubby. Shrubby understorey of <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> (whipstick form) often present in northern parts of bioregion. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 10b).



Regional Ecosystem	Status	Description
RE 12.9-10.3	Of Concern	<i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> +/- <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> open forest. Other species include <i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i> or <i>E. crebra</i> , <i>E. tereticornis</i> . Understorey generally sparse but can become shrubby in absence of fire. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments, especially shales. Prefers lower slopes. (BVG1M: 13d).
RE 12.9-10.7	Of Concern	<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> +/- <i>E. tereticornis</i> , <i>Corymbia tessellaris</i> , <i>Angophora leiocarpa</i> , <i>E. melanophloia</i> woodland. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 13c). Vegetation communities in this regional ecosystem include: 12.9-10.7a: <i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i> , <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> +/- <i>E. tereticornis</i> and <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> open forest. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments in near coastal areas. (BVG1M: 12a).
RE 12.9-10.17	Least Concern	Open forest to woodland complex generally with a variety of stringybarks, grey gums, ironbarks and in some areas spotted gum. Canopy trees include <i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i> , <i>E. propinqua</i> or <i>E. major</i> , <i>E. acmenoides</i> or <i>E. portuensis</i> , <i>E. carnea</i> and/or <i>E. microcorys</i> and/or <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> . Other species that may be present locally include <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> , <i>C. trachyphloia</i> , <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> , <i>E. biturbinata</i> , <i>E. moluccana</i> , <i>E. longirostrata</i> , <i>E. fibrosa</i> subsp. <i>fibrosa</i> and <i>Angophora leiocarpa</i> . <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> or Whipstick <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> often present in gullies and as a sub canopy or understorey tree. Mixed understorey of grasses, shrubs and ferns. Hills and ranges of Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 9a). Vegetation communities in this regional ecosystem include: 12.9-10.17a: <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> dominated open forest. Occurs in gullies and southern slopes on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 28e). 12.9-10.17b: <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> open forest to woodland. Other canopy trees include <i>Eucalyptus acmenoides</i> , <i>Angophora leiocarpa</i> , <i>E. siderophloia</i> , <i>E. carnea</i> , <i>E. propinqua</i> and <i>C. intermedia</i> . Other species that may be present locally include <i>Corymbia trachyphloia</i> , <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> , <i>E. longirostrata</i> , <i>E. fibrosa</i> subsp. <i>fibrosa</i> and <i>Angophora leiocarpa</i> . <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> (tree form and whipstick form) often present in gullies and as a sub canopy or understorey tree. Mixed understorey of grasses and shrubs. Hills and ranges on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 10b). 12.9-10.17c: Open forest of <i>Eucalyptus carnea</i> and/or <i>Eucalyptus tindaliae</i> +/- <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> , <i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> , <i>Eucalyptus major</i> , <i>Corymbia henryi</i> , <i>Angophora woodsiana</i> , <i>C. trachyphloia</i> , <i>E. siderophloia</i> , <i>E. microcorys</i> , <i>E. resinifera</i> and <i>E. propinqua</i> . <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> often present in gullies and as a sub canopy or understorey tree. Occurs on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 9a). 12.9-10.17d: Open forest generally containing <i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i> , <i>E. propinqua</i> , <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> . Other characteristic species include <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> , <i>Eucalyptus microcorys</i> and <i>E. acmenoides</i> or <i>E. portuensis</i> . Other species that may be present locally include <i>Corymbia trachyphloia</i> subsp. <i>trachyphloia</i> , <i>C. citriodora</i> subsp. <i>variegata</i> , <i>E. longirostrata</i> , <i>E. carnea</i> , <i>E. moluccana</i> and occasional vine forest species. Hills and ranges on Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 9a). 12.9-10.17e:



Regional Ecosystem	Status	Description
		<i>Eucalyptus acmenoides</i> , <i>E. propinqua</i> , <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> +/- <i>E. microcorys</i> , <i>Lophostemon confertus</i> open forest. Mixed understorey of grasses, shrubs and ferns. Hills and ranges of Cainozoic and Mesozoic sediments. (BVG1M: 9a).

The clearing of Category B Regulated Vegetation is exempt under the VMA in a Priority Development Area (see **Section 3.7**).

Sandy Creek is mapped traversing the northern portion of the site, while a number of associated tributaries are also mapped across the site extent (**Figure 5**). In addition, the majority of site vegetation is mapped as essential habitat for the Koala (*Phascolarctos cinereus*) (**Figure 5**).

3.3.1 PMAV

A Property Map of Assessable Vegetation exists for the site (**Figure 6**). The following Regional Ecosystems have been confirmed on-ground:

- Endangered RE 12.3.3
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.3.11/12.3.7
- Composite Least Concern RE 12.9-10.2/12.9-10.17
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.9-10.2/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.17
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.9-10.2/12.9-10.3/12.9-10.7/12.9-10.17
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.3.11/12.3.6
- Least Conner RE 12.9-10.2 (Majority of site)

Least Concern RE 12.3.6 was not originally mapped for the site.

RE 12.3.6 – Least Concern

Description	<i>Melaleuca quinquenervia</i> +/- <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> , <i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i> , <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> open forest to woodland with a grassy ground layer dominated by species such as <i>Imperata cylindrica</i> . <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> may be present as an emergent layer. Occurs on Quaternary floodplains and fringing drainage lines in coastal areas. (BVG1M: 22a).
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Legend

-  Project area
-  DCDB - Logan
-  High Risk Area

Figure 3 NCA - Protected Plants Flora Survey Trigger

File ref. 7391 E Figure 3 NCA flora A

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Legend

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|---|--|
| Project area | Category C area -
High value regrowth
vegetation |
| DCDB - Logan | Category R area -
Reef regrowth
watercourse vegetation |
| VM Regulated Vegetation v1.7 | Category X area -
Vegetation not regulated
under the VMA |
| Category A area -
Vegetation Offset/Compliance
notices/VDecs | Water |
| Category B area -
Remnant vegetation | Area not categorised |

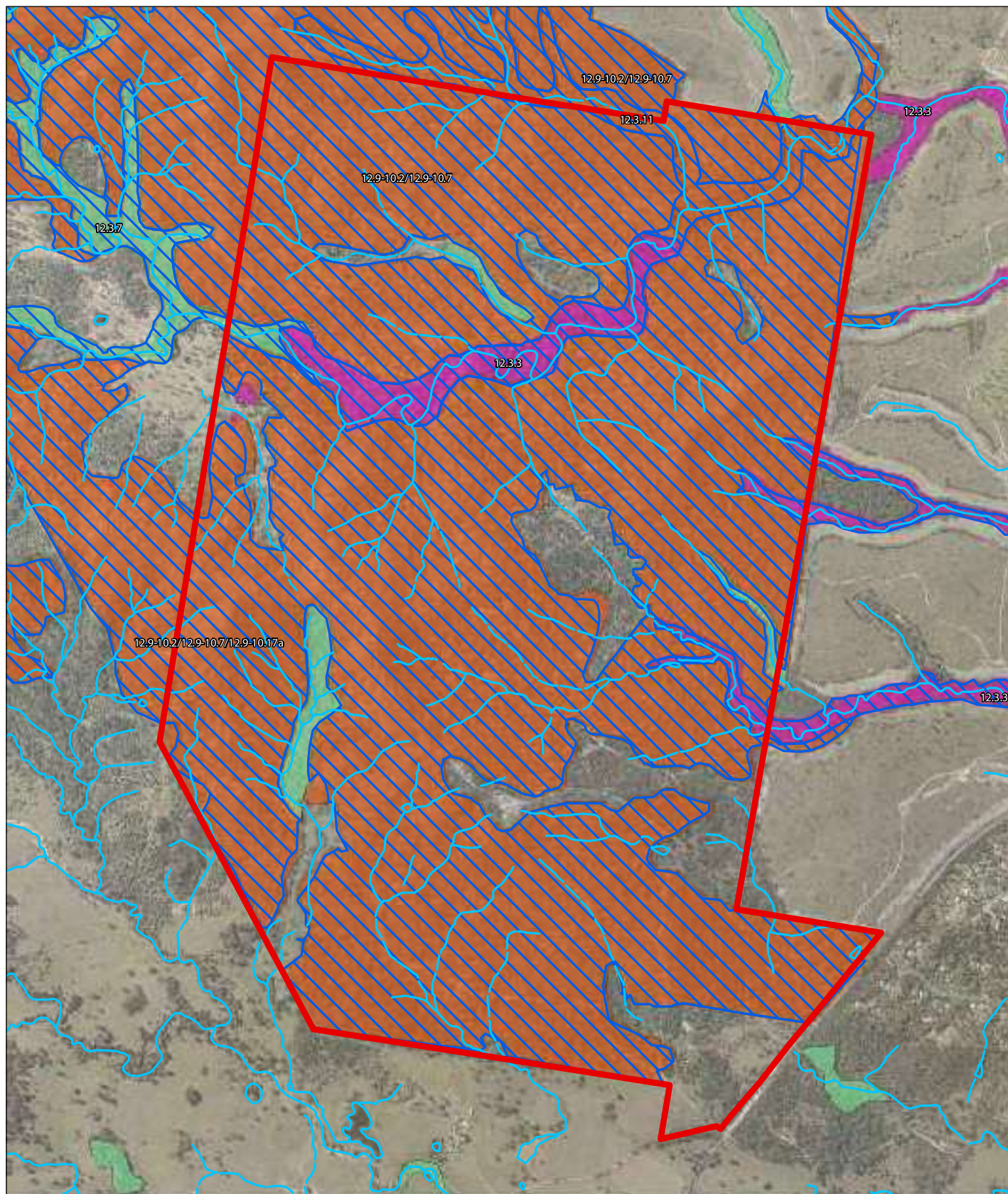
Figure 4 VM Regulated Vegetation

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Legend

- Project area
- VM Watercourse 25K v1.3
- VM Essential Habitat v4.10

VM Regional Ecosystems v8

- Category A or B area containing endangered regional ecosystems
- Category A or B area containing of concern regional ecosystems
- Category A or B area that is a least concern regional ecosystem

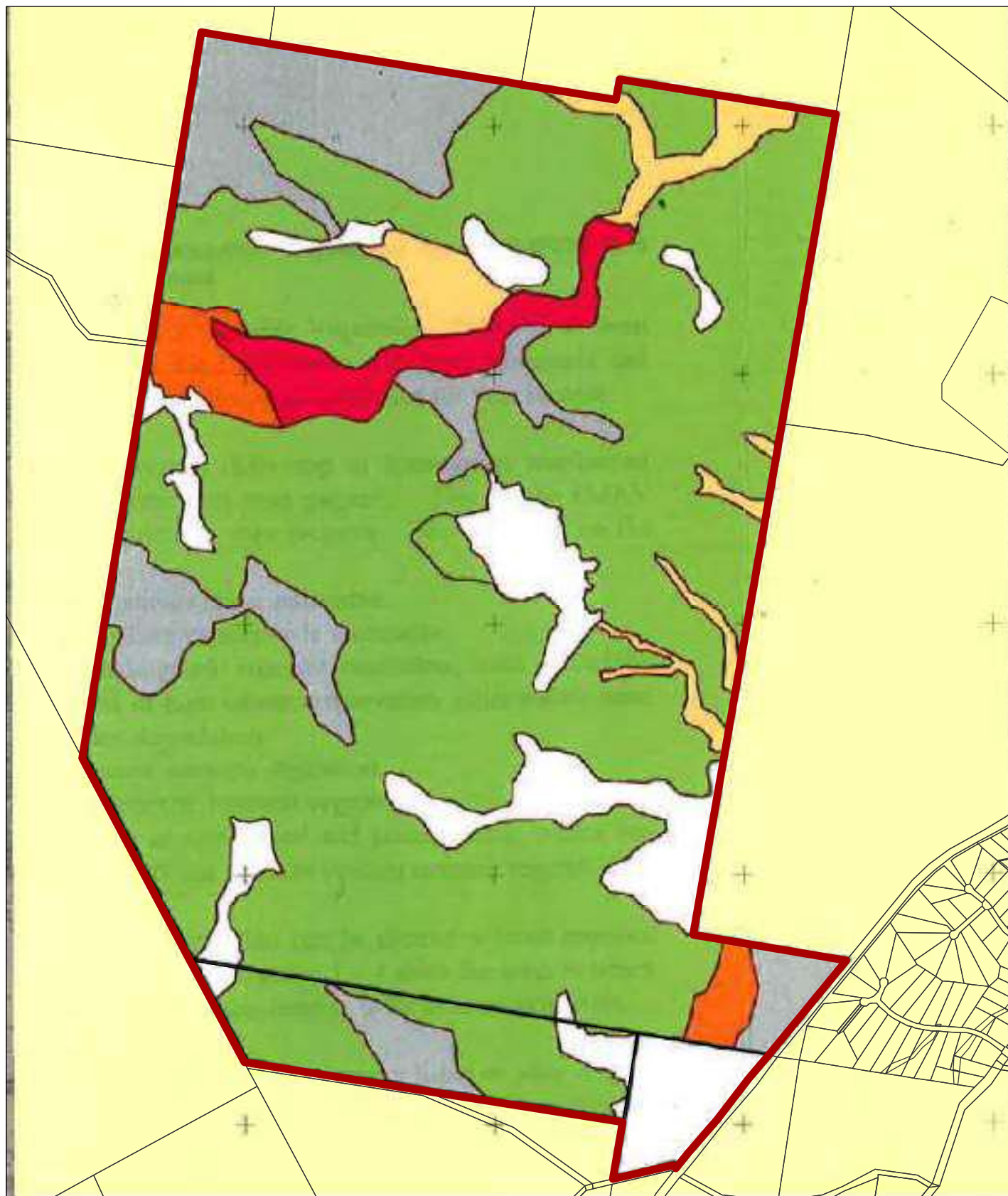
Figure 5 VM Supporting Map

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|  | Project site |  | Category X area |
|  | Logan City DCDB |  | Area not part of this application |
|  | Category 1 dominant | | |
|  | Category 2 dominant | | |
|  | Category 2 sub-dominant | | |
|  | Category 3 area | | |

Figure 6 Certified Property Map
of assessable vegetation
(2007/007509)

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3.4. South East Queensland Koala Conservation State Planning Regulatory Provisions

The *South East Queensland Koala Conservation State Planning Regulatory Provisions* (SEQ Koala Conservation SPRP) came into effect in May 2010, aiming to protect areas of highest priority for Koala conservation action by regulating new development at the assessment stage. It therefore targets areas of the Koala Coast and Pine Rivers (Priority Koala Assessable Development Areas) and prohibits clearing bushland habitat in these areas, as well as areas outside the urban footprint. It also covers Koala Assessable Development Areas which are areas managed under previous state koala conservation initiatives.

The site is not constrained under the SEQ Koala Conservation State Planning Regulatory Provisions (SPRP) (**Figure 7**). The State Planning Policy for Koala Conservation in South East Queensland (SPP 2/10) Koala habitat values mapping identifies the site as containing Medium and Low Value Bushland Habitat and Medium and Low Value Rehabilitation Habitat (**Figure 8**).

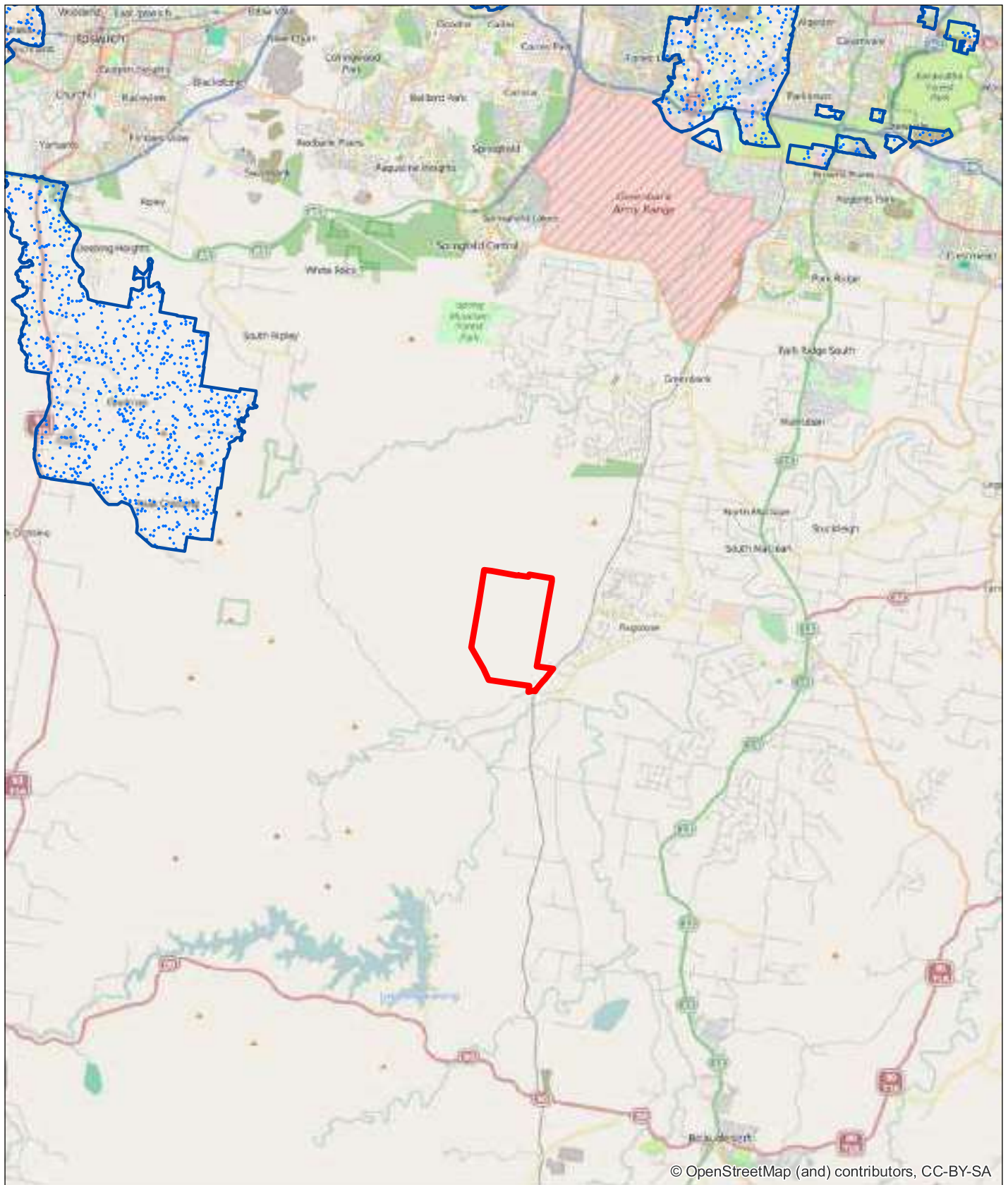
3.5. Fisheries Act 1994

The *Fisheries Act 1994* deals with the use, conservation and improvement of Queensland's fisheries resources and fish habitats. The Fisheries Act seeks to ensure adequate provision for fish movement and habitat access during development processes that include:

- Building work in or adjacent to a declared Fish Habitat Area (FHA);
- Carrying out operational work completely or partly within a declared fish habitat area;
- Carrying out operational work that is the removal, destruction or damage of marine plants; and
- Carrying out Waterway Barrier Works.

Developments that involve any of these above activities require assessment against *Module 5: Fisheries Resources* of the SDAP.

The proposed residential development does not occur within a FHA or within tidal waterways. The site does contain Fisheries mapped waterways. One High (Red) watercourse known as Sandy Creek traverses the northern portion of the site, while various Low (Green) to Moderate (Amber) tributaries are mapped across the site (**Figure 9**). The proposed works will therefore require assessment against *Module 5: Fisheries Resources* of the SDAP.



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Legend

-  Project area
-  DCDB - Logan
-  Koala Assessable Development Area (KADA)

Figure 7 SEQ Koala SPRP Map

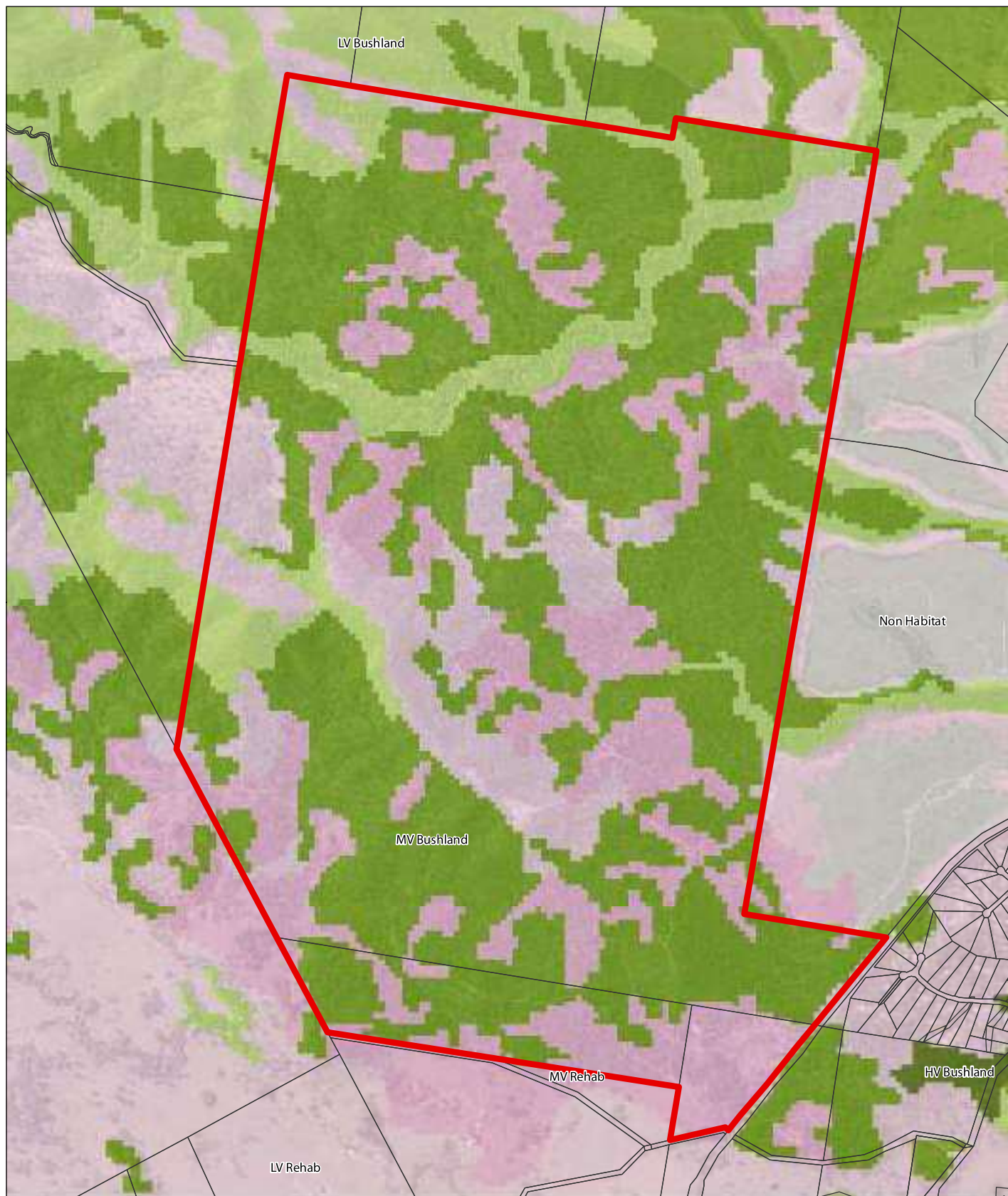
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 Project area	 Medium Value Rehabilitation
 DCDB - Logan	 Low Value Rehabilitation
SPP Koala Bushland Habitat Values	
Bushland Habitat	
 High Value Bushland	 Other Areas of Value
 Medium Value Bushland	 High Value Other
 Low Value Bushland	 Medium Value Other
 Suitable for Rehabilitation	 Low Value Other
 High Value Rehabilitation	 Generally not suitable
	 Water

Figure 8 Koala SPP Bushland Habitat Values Map

File ref. 7391 E Figure 8 Koala Bushland A

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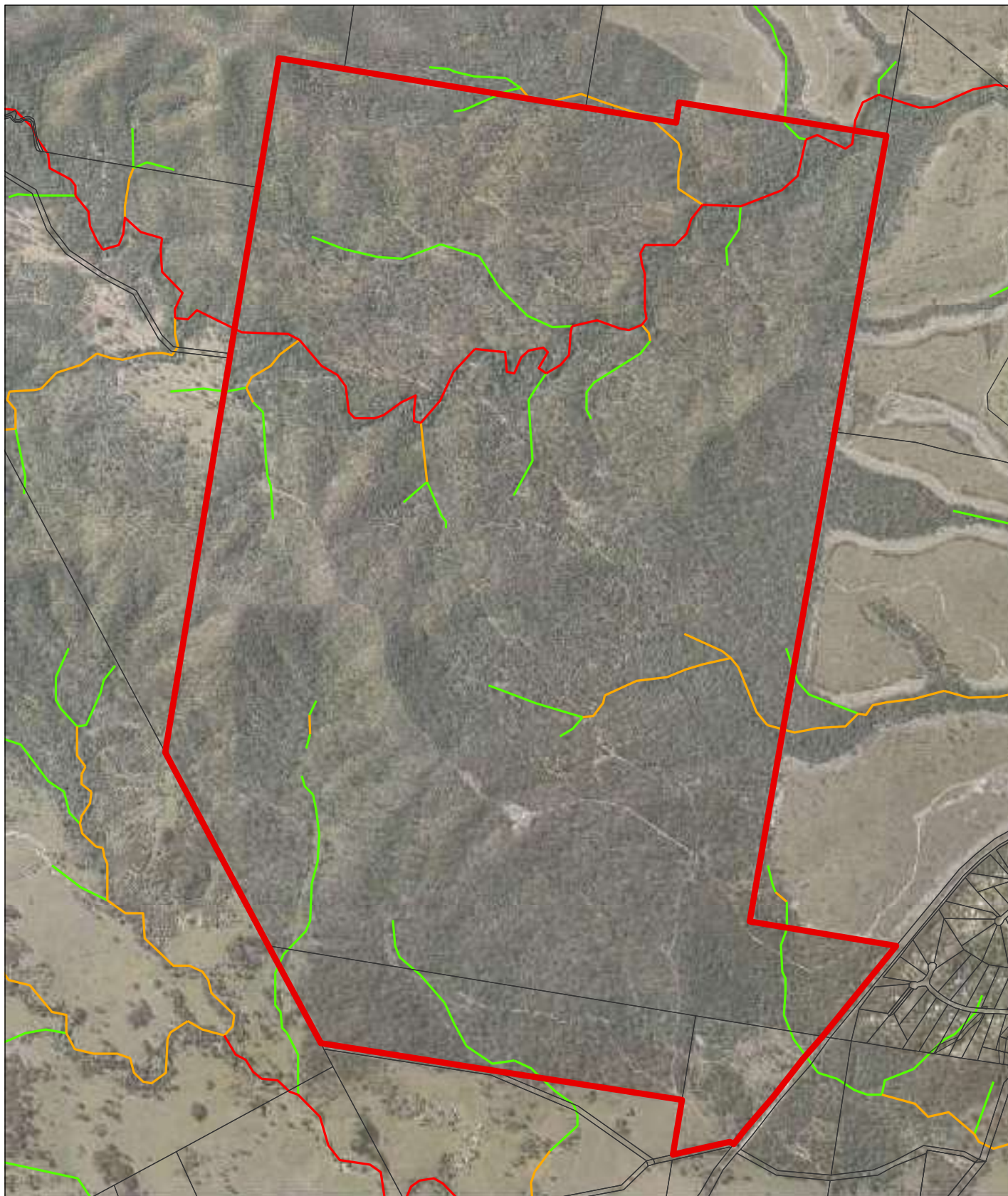
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Legend

- Project area
- DCDB - Logan

Qld WWBW (streams)

Risk of Impact

- 1 - Low
- 2 - Moderate
- 3 - High
- 4 - Major

Figure 9 Fisheries - Waterways for Waterway Barrier Works

File ref. 7391 E Figure 9 Fisheries A

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3.6. Australian Soil Resource Information System

The Australian Soil Resource Information System (ASRIS) collates and maintains the best available, nationally consistent soil and land resource information for Australia. It provides a scientific information infrastructure for assessing and monitoring the condition of Australia's soil and land resources and contains a set of spatial and temporal databases that maintain national soil and land information in a consistent and usable format.

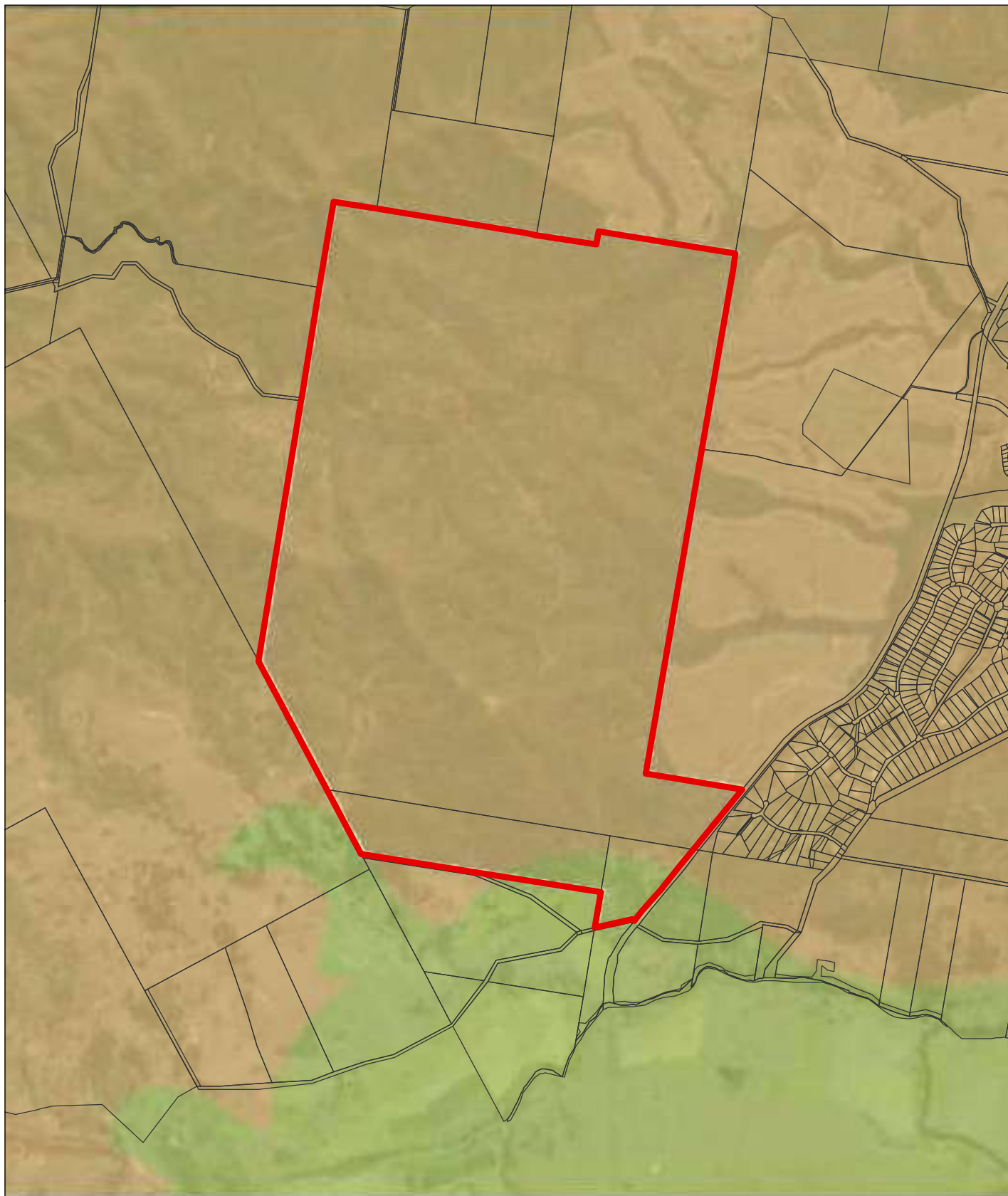
The ASRIS maps the site as containing mostly Chromosols with small areas of Dermosols to the south (**Figure 10**). In addition, Chromosols are considered a component of Land Zone 9-10 Regional Ecosystems as mapped for the site (**Section 3.3**). The pH is estimated to be about 4.8-5.5, indicating acidic soils, while the texture has been mapped as mostly loam, sandy or silty loam or sandy clay loam with a clay content of 20-30%.

Chromosols

Description	Chromosols have a strong contrasting texture. They are not strongly acidic or sodic in the upper B horizon. The parent material of Chromosols ranges from highly siliceous, siliceous to intermediate in composition. These soils are found in imperfectly drained and well-drained sites. These soils have moderate agricultural potential with moderate chemical fertility and water-holding capacity. They can be susceptible to soil acidification and soil structure decline.
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Dermosols

Description	Dermosols do not have strong texture contrast. They have a well-structured B2 horizon containing low levels of free iron. The parent materials of dermosols range from siliceous, intermediate to mafic in composition. The soils are found in imperfectly drained and well-drained sites. Dermosols generally have high agricultural potential with good structure and moderate to high chemical fertility and water-holding capacity.
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Legend

- Project area
- DCDB - Logan
- Chromosols
- Dermosols

Figure 10 ASRIS Soils Map

File ref. 7391 E Figure 10 Soils A

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3.7. State Planning Policy

On 2 December 2013, the Queensland Government's single State Planning Policy (SPP) came into effect replacing the previous ten (10) State Planning Policies. **Part A** of the SPP confirms the hierarchical order of the State planning instruments, with the SPP placed third below the SPA and State Planning Regulatory Provisions (SPRPs), but above Regional Plans, Standard Planning Scheme Provisions and Local Planning Instruments. **Part B** confirms the application of the SPP to:

1. The making or amending of a planning scheme,
2. Designation of land for community infrastructure by a Minister,
3. Making or amending a regional plan,
4. Assessment of a development application mentioned in **Part E**, to the extent that the SPP has not been identified in the planning scheme as being appropriately integrated in the planning scheme, and
5. Carrying out of self-assessable development mentioned in **Part F**.

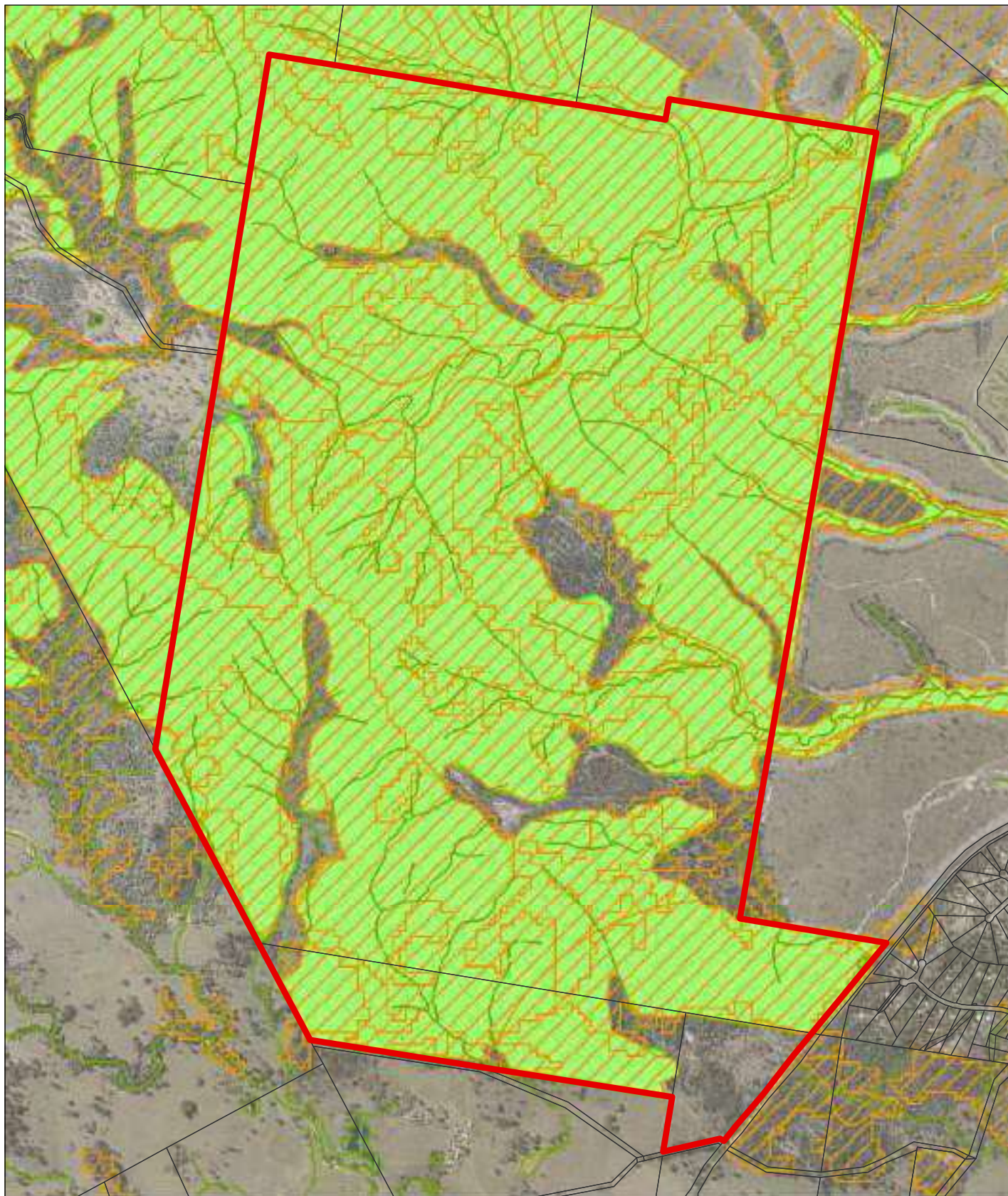
The core of the SPP is contained in **Part D**, where it identifies sixteen (16) Matters of State Environmental Significance (MSES) in land use planning and development, arranged into five (5) broad categories. These State interests will be consequently integrated into Local Government Planning Schemes across Queensland. Four (4) State interests are included within the category of Environment and Heritage, which are:

1. Biodiversity
2. Coastal Environment
3. Cultural Heritage
4. Water Quality

Importantly, **Part E** of the SPP provides interim development assessment requirements which ensures that State interests are considered by local government when assessing development applications where the local government planning scheme does not yet integrate the State interests in the SPP. Interim development assessment requirements have been prepared for eight (8) of the sixteen (16) State interests, including Biodiversity, Coastal Environment and Water Quality. In essence, any development application across a site containing a State interest identified in **Part E** will need to demonstrate compliance with the interim development assessment requirements.

The subject site is mapped as containing Matters of State Environmental Significance (Wildlife Habitat, Regulated Vegetation and Regulated Vegetation intersecting a watercourse) (**Figure 11**).

Greater Flagstone has been designated by **Economic Development Queensland** as a *Priority Development Area*, which are parcels of land within Queensland identified for specific accelerated development with a focus on economic growth. State Government works with Local Councils to streamline the planning, approval and development processes for PDAs to get results. This intention is reflected under SARA mapping, which designates the investigation area as within the Regional Plan Urban Footprint.



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-  Project area
-  DCDB - Logan
-  MSES - Regulated vegetation (intersecting a watercourse)
-  MSES - Wildlife habitat
-  MSES - Regulated vegetation

Figure 11 Matters of State
Environmental Significance

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Project Rice Road, Undullah - EAR

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4. Ecological Assessment

4.1. Introduction

The application site has been subject to numerous on-ground ecological surveys to identify existing ecological values. Specific studies have been conducted by **Saunders Havill Group** and **Biodiversity Assessment and Management Pty Ltd** (BAAM), two leading environmental consultancy firms with extensive knowledge of the local area.

The results presented within this report are based on the following surveys conducted throughout the assessment area;

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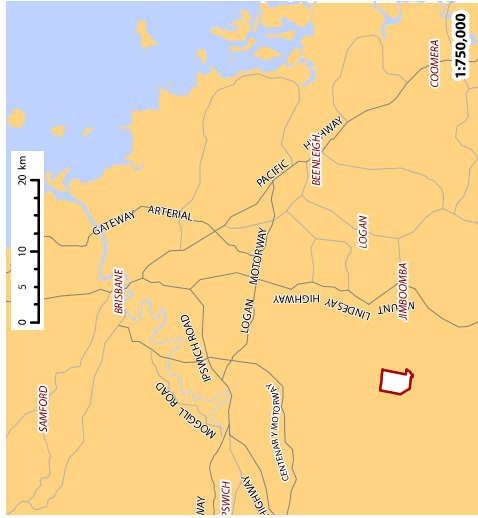
- An assessment of remnant vegetation and Regional Ecosystem status resulting in the submission of a Property Map of Assessable Vegetation (Certified 24.04.2008 – **Section 3.3.1**)
- An assessment of the extent of *Lantana* spp. infestation on-site (2007 and amended in 2014)
- Koala Spot Assessment Techniques (SAT) surveys to determine Koala habitat use throughout the property (2014 – **Plan 1**, next page)
- Koala Habitat assessment based on the Australian Koala foundation's species selection of Primary and Secondary Koala Food Trees (2014 – **Plan 1**)
- Spot lighting, bird surveys and general observations for fauna and fauna habitat (2014 – **Plan 1**)
- Baited infra-red camera surveys (2014 – **Plan 1**)
- Assessment of vegetation communities and searches for all listed species (2007 & 2014 – **Plan 1**)

Biodiversity Assessment and Management Pty Ltd

- Baseline Terrestrial and Aquatic Vertebrate Assessment (June 2007 & January 2009 – **Appendix D**)
 - Elliot, cage and pitfall trapping
 - Infra-red camera surveys
 - Bird surveys and general observations of fauna and fauna habitat
- Koala Habitat Assessment and Mapping (2009 – **Appendix E**)
 - Searches for Koala and evidence of usage (scats)
 - Koala Habitat transects

Two Senior Ecologists from **Saunders Havill Group** carried out extensive flora and fauna assessments focussing on MNES most recently over five days in August and another five days in October 2014. The survey encompassed the entire site including all vegetation communities comprising the Sandy Creek buffer area, mapped drainage lines, the peaks and ridges within the highest portions of the site and the remaining balance area over lower slopes (the most dominant vegetation community) and constructed dams.

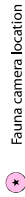
The site was accessed by vehicle due to the size of the property, however, this was restricted to the dirt tracks. The majority was also traversed by foot to record ecological values and evaluate the composition of tree species and habitat values. Attention was paid to all threatened species that were listed as possibly occurring on or within the vicinity of the application site and any vegetation communities that may support these listed threatened species.



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Project area



Fauna camera location



Spotlighting tracklog



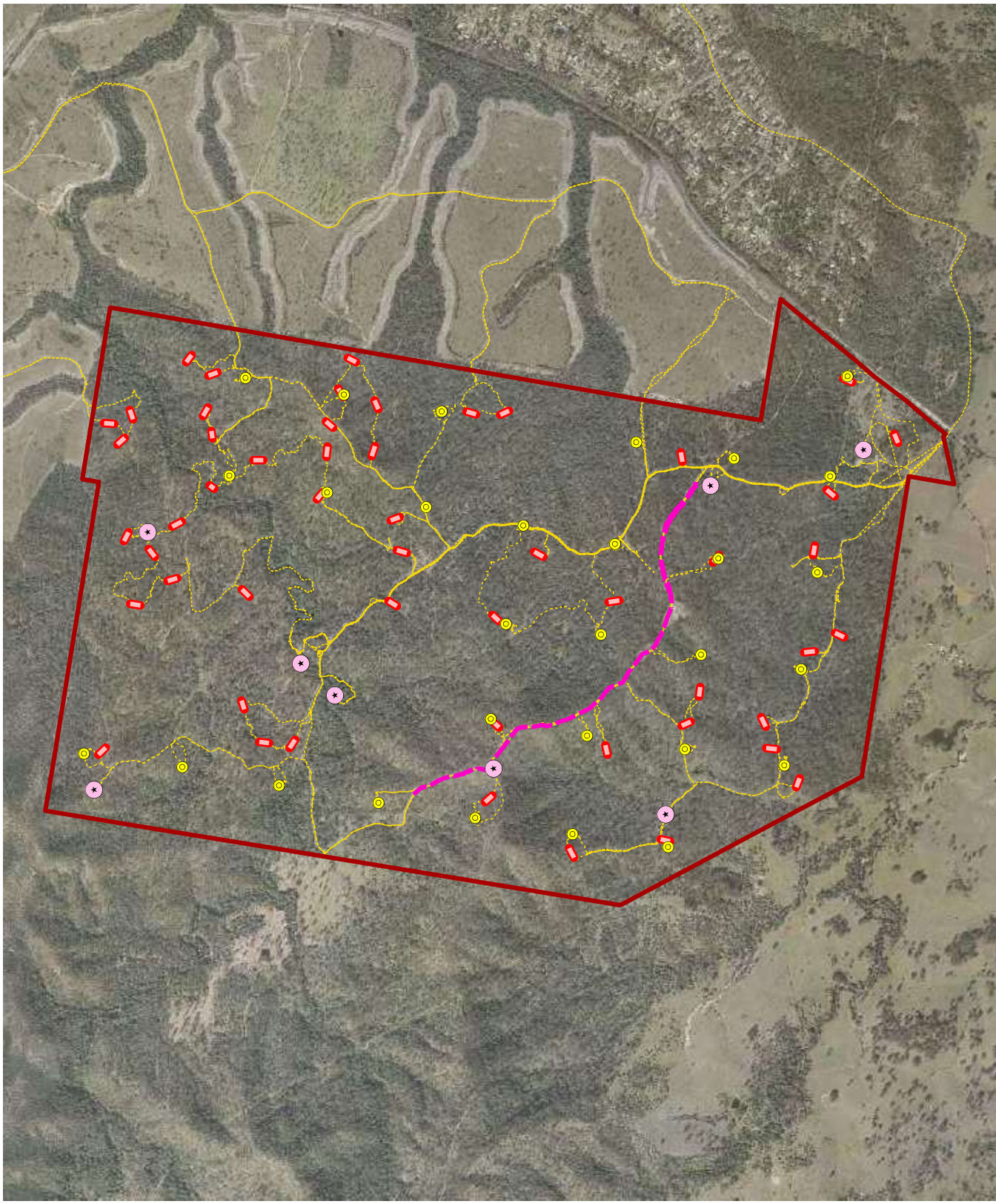
Spot Assessment Technique (Koala)



Habitat Assessments (Koala)



Survey tracklogs



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A	15/07/2013	Initial layout	TEC	ROM



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Field Survey Effort

Date: 15/07/2013
Scale: 1:20,000 @ A3
Data Information:
Universal Transverse Mercator
GDA 1994 MGA Zone 56
Client: Jetstream International Pty Ltd
Project: Undullah masterplan community
Address: 100 Undullah, Logan City Council
Source: QCRS (2008), 2013, Aerial (QCRS 2013)
RE & HW (2013)

Plan 1

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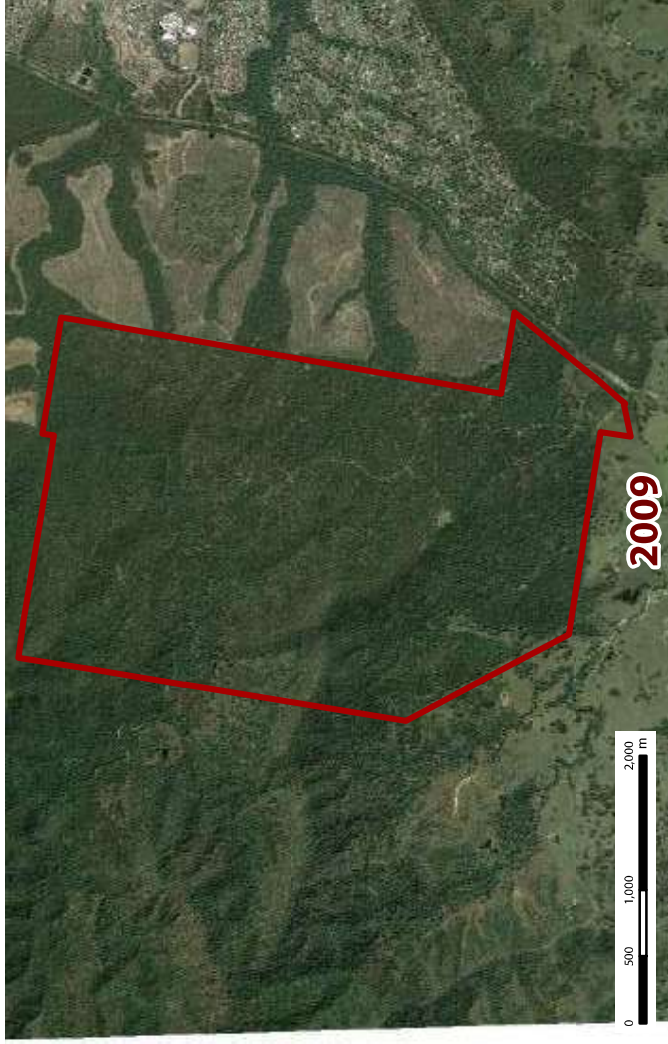
4.2. General Flora Observations

The following general flora observations have been made based on all field surveys and reports conducted throughout the assessment area:

- A Protected Mattes Search generated under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (EPBC Act) identified 3 listed Threatened Ecological Communities (TEC) that may occur in the area - *Lowland Rainforest of Subtropical Australia*, *White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland* and *Swamp Tea-tree (Melaleuca irbyana) Forest of South-east Queensland*. **No TECs were recorded on the application site**, but individual specimens and isolated stands of *Melaleuca irbyana* (Swamp Tea-tree) were recorded throughout the assessment area. None of these specimens were recorded within the mapped Regional Ecosystem 12.3.3 along Sandy Creek (Endangered RE 12.3.3a *M. irbyana* forest is a component of *Swamp Tea-tree (Melaleuca irbyana) Forest of South-east Queensland* TEC). Other flora species or elements of these TECS were not observed across the site.
- Fifteen (15) plant species, including a *Cycas ophiolitica*, have been listed under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth) (EPBC Act) as potentially occurring on the application site. No listed species were observed throughout field surveys, but potential habitat to support two (2) species, *Plectranthus habrophyllus* (Plectranthus) and *Thesium australe* (Austral Toadflax), is considered present on-site.
- Five (5) threatened plant species are listed under Queensland's *Nature Conservation Act* as possibly occurring on site. Only one species, *Melaleuca irbyana* (Swamp Tea-tree), was recorded throughout the assessment site as individuals or isolated stands.
- As per the certified PMAV, almost 70% of the site is mapped as containing Least Concern Regional Ecosystem 12.9-10.2, described as *Corymbia citriodora +/- Eucalyptus crebra open forest on sedimentary rocks*.
- Approximately 17% of the site contains Of Concern Regional Ecosystem communities. These polygons are comprised of four (4) composite communities containing both Least Concern and Of Concern Regional Ecosystems which occur across two Land Zones. They generally have a relatively high proportion of eucalypt species, including *Eucalyptus crebra* (Narrow Leaf Ironbark), and *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum) and are generally associated with the peaks and ridgelines mapped towards the site's western and north-western boundaries. The remaining two (2) remnant Of Concern polygons contain singular Of Concern Regional Ecosystem communities identified as RE 12.3.11 and RE 12.9-10.3. These Of Concern communities are associated with a number of drainage lines, including Sandy Creek and a low lying area dominated by *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum Topped Box) located towards the south-east property boundary.
- Approximately 32 hectares, or just over 3%, of the site is mapped as containing the Endangered Regional Ecosystem 12.3.3 described as *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum) *woodland on quaternary alluvium*. This polygon is associated with vegetation along Sandy Creek.
- Approximately 10% of the site is mapped as Category X and comprises non-remnant vegetation.
- Ninety-seven (97) flora species have been identified throughout the site. Of the species recorded, thirty-seven (37) are introduced.
- The site has a history of disturbance, including logging, vegetation clearing, grazing and extractive industries, the signs of which are evident in historical aerial history (**Plan 2**) and in current floristic assemblages.
- Access to the site is from the south eastern corner along Wyatt Road and it is only accessible by 4wd.



- A significant number of illegal rubbish dumping sites containing household rubbish and garden waste, household goods, building waste, tyres and car bodies, chemical drums and paint tins and the occasional pile of old fibrous cement sheets were observed throughout the site, especially towards the south-east corner of the application site.
- The property has a long history of logging with almost all of the site having undergone some tree removal seen through evidence of old stumps. Although logging has occurred throughout the whole application site, it appeared that the majority of the logging occurred south of Sandy Creek with a small number of canopy trees retaining a trunk DBH greater than 500 mm. It was also noted that the site contained very few trees with hollows for local fauna.
- Apart from the highest peaks and ridges throughout the property, *Lantana* has severely affected the understorey of the application site (**Plan 3**). The infestation has worsened considerably since initial mapping conducted in 2007. The infestations in most areas was so thick that without a brush hook, penetration through the site was almost impossible. This weed infestation is not confined to gully lines but has also affected the lower slopes and almost all mapped drainage lines throughout the property. In some cases the *Lantana* had infested the canopy of the T2 layer.
- A small disused quarry (extraction area) less than 2 ha in size was observed towards the middle of the southern portion of the site.
- Remnants from when the property was historically used for cattle were observed along the southern embankment of Sandy Creek where the access track intersects with the riparian zone. The old cattle yards and what appears to be a cattle dip, as well as an old partly demolished hut are located amongst tall *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum Topped Box) specimens in an area mapped as containing a composite Regional Ecosystem community 12.9-10.2 / 12.9-10.7 / 12.9-10.17.



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Project area



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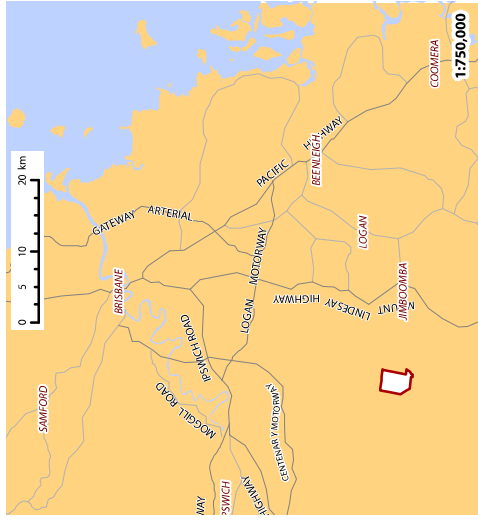
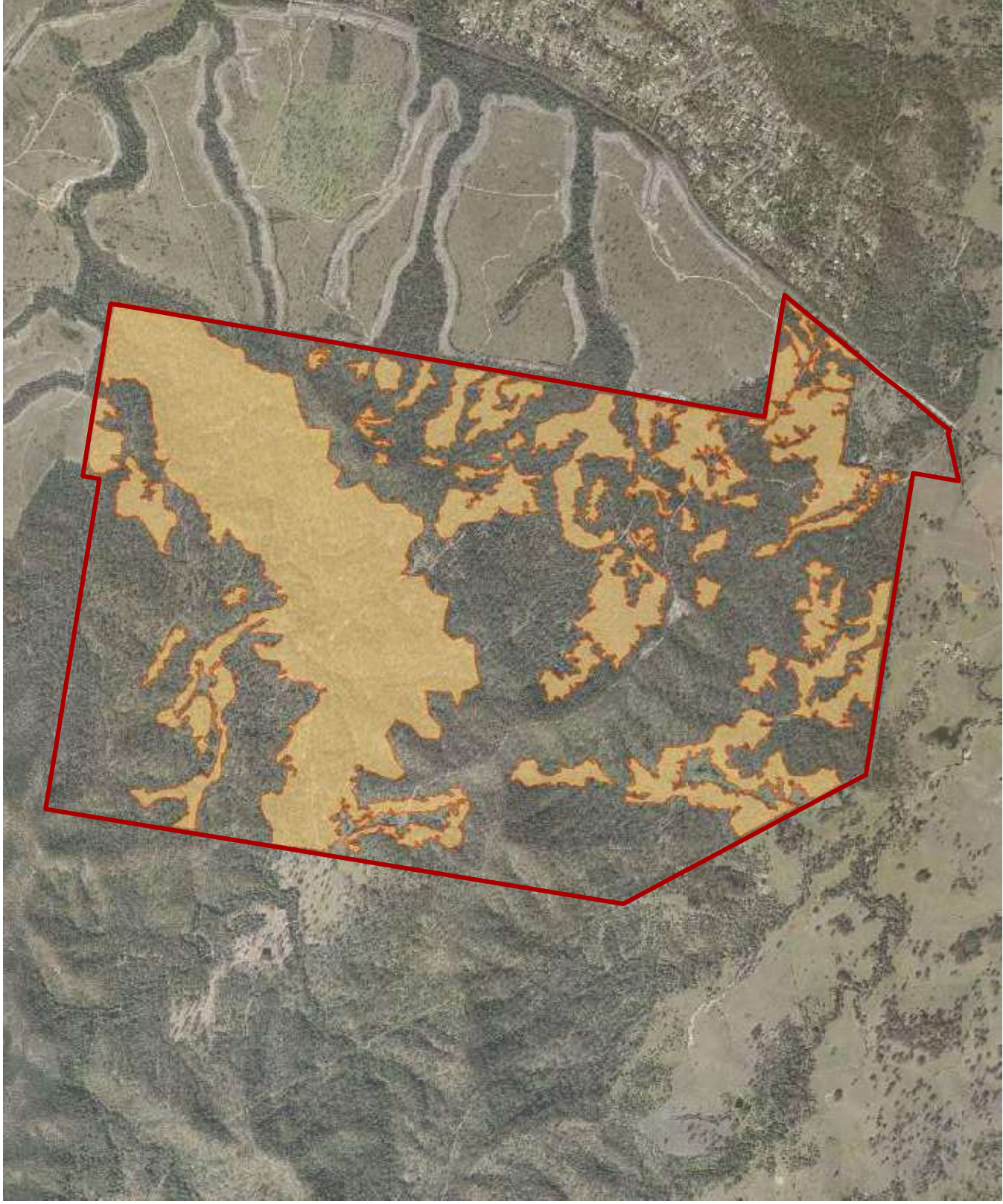
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Historical Aerial Imagery

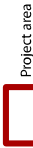
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 Client: Undullah International Pty Ltd
 Address: 100 Undullah, Logan City Council
 Source: QCAO (1984, 1993, Aerial Google 2004 / QLD Gov 2014)

Plan 2

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Project area



Major Lantana infestation
(Lantana) infestation



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Major Lantana Infestations

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Data Information
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GDA 1994 MGA Zone 56
Client : Johnson International Pty Ltd
Project : Undullah masterplan community
Address/PO : Undullah, Logan City Council
Source : QCRS (GDA 1994, 2013) & field (QCRS 2013)
RE & HW (E 03 EAR 2013)

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4.3. Broad Vegetation Communities

For the purpose of the EPBC Act field surveys in 2014, the site was separated into five (5) Broad Vegetation Communities (BVCs) (**Plan 4**) based on the results of previous surveys, including the Property Map of Assessable Vegetation, habitat assessments and ecological features. The characteristics of each BVC survey zone are summarised in **Table 4**, below.

Table 4: Broad Vegetation Communities

Broad Vegetation Communities	Total Area (ha)	Percentage of Site (%)
Sandy Creek Buffer Area	143	14.0
Other Drainage Lines	68	6.6
Peaks and Ridge Tops	171	16.7
Lower Slopes	534	52.1
Non-remnant / Category X Areas	108	10.6
Total Area	1024	100.00

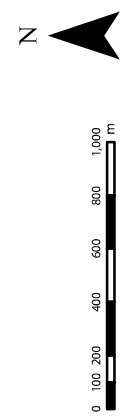
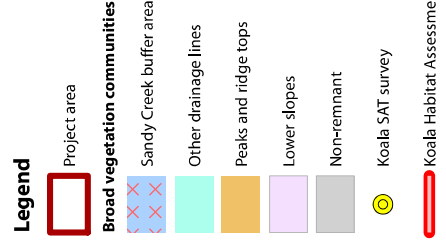
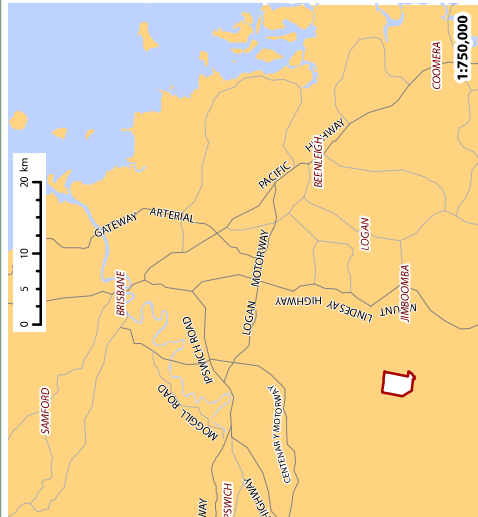
4.3.1 Sandy Creek Buffer Area

For the purpose of this report, the Sandy Creek Buffer Area refers to the portion of the site containing Sandy Creek and immediate tributaries and surrounding low lying areas and includes a variety of mapped remnant Regional Ecosystem communities, the most significant being Endangered Regional Ecosystem 12.3.3 (**Plan 4**). The total area of this BVC is 143 ha and it comprises approximately 14% of the site (**Table 4**). This BVC contains the following Regional Ecosystem communities;

- Endangered RE 12.3.3
- Of Concern RE 12.3.11
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.9-10.2 / 12.9-10.7 / 12.3.7 (70/20/10)
- Composite Of Concern RE 12.9-10.2 / 12.9-10.7 / 12.9-10.17a (70/20/10)
- Least Concern RE 12.9-10.2.

Although this BVC is comprised of a number of Regional Ecosystems across two Land Zones, the area generally consists of vegetation associated with Sandy Creek and low lying areas adjacent to this alluvial system. The following observations have been made throughout this assessment zone;

- Eighty-two (82) flora species were recorded throughout this zone (**Tables 5 & 6**). The dominant species are consistent with mapped Regional Ecosystem polygons, with *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum) and *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum Topped Box) dominating the T1 layer adjacent to the banks of Sandy Creek and specifically throughout the mapped Endangered polygon (RE 12.3.3).
- Almost 60% of the species recorded are native to the local area (**Table 5**) with the remaining introduced species containing approximately 10% listed under the *Land Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002* as either Class 2 or Class 3 pest species (**Table 6**).



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Broad Vegetation Communities & Koala Survey Locations

Date | 26/11/2014
Scale | 1:20,000 @ A3
Data Information:
 Universal Transverse Mercator
 GDA 1994 MGA Zone 56
Client | Jotown International Pty Ltd
Project | Undallah masterplan community
Address/PPD | Undallah, Logan City Council
Source | DCBD (DNRM, 2013), Aerial (QLD GL)

Plan 4

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- The T2 layer contains a number of native species typical to this environment. The banks of Sandy Creek are dominated by *Casuarina cunninghamii* (River She Oak), *Lophostemon suaveolens* (Swamp Box), and as a result of disturbances, a number of common *Acacia* species. The edge of the lower bank is dominated by *Melaleuca viminalis* (Weeping Bottlebrush).
- Although the shrub layer contains a number of native species, *Lantana camara* (Lantana) is the dominant species throughout this creek and closely associated drainage lines.



Photo: Sandy Creek



Photo: Sandy Creek



Photo: Sandy Creek



Table 5: Sandy Creek Buffer Area Native Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name
<i>Acacia concurrens</i>	Black Wattle
<i>Acacia disparrima</i>	Hickory Wattle
<i>Acacia fimbriata</i>	Fringed Wattle
<i>Acacia leiocalyx</i>	Early Black Wattle
<i>Acacia maidenii</i>	Maiden's Wattle
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	Black She Oak
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	Soap Tree
<i>Angophora leiocarpa</i>	Smooth Bark Apple
<i>Angophora subvelutina</i>	Broad-leaved Apple
<i>Banksia integrifolia</i>	Coastal Banksia
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Coffee Bush
<i>Cassytha glabella</i>	Dodder Laurel
<i>Casuarina cunninghamiana</i>	River She Oak
<i>Cheilanthes distans</i>	Bristle Cloak Fern
<i>Corymbia citriodora</i>	Spotted Gum
<i>Corymbia intermedia</i>	Pink Bloodwood
<i>Corymbia tessellaris</i>	Moreton Bay Ash
<i>Cymbopogon refractus</i>	Barbed Wire Grass
<i>Cyperus difformis</i>	Dirty Dora
<i>Dianella caerulea</i>	Blueberry Lilly
<i>Dianella longifolia</i>	Lilly
<i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i>	Grey Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i>	Narrow Leaf Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i>	Gum Topped Box
<i>Eucalyptus seeana</i>	Narrow Leaf Red Gum
<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i>	Forest Red Gum
<i>Eustrephus latifolius</i>	Wombat Berry
<i>Exocarpos cupressiformis</i>	Native Cherry
<i>Ficus coronata</i>	Creek Sandpaper Fig
<i>Geitonoplesium cymosum</i>	Scrambling Lilly
<i>Glochidion sumatranum</i>	Large-leaved Cheese Tree
<i>Goodenia rotundifolia</i>	Goodenia
<i>Grevillea robusta</i>	Silky Oak
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i>	Native Sarsaparilla
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Blady Grass
<i>Juncus usitatus</i>	Common Rush
<i>Lomandra hystrix</i>	Creek Mat Rush
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Mat Rush
<i>Lophostemon confertus</i>	Brush Box



Species Name	Common Name
<i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i>	Swamp Box
<i>Ludwigia octovalvis</i>	Native Willow Primrose
<i>Lygodium microphyllum</i>	Climbing Maidenhair Fern
<i>Melaleuca quinquenervia</i>	Broad Leaf Paperbark
<i>Melaleuca viminalis</i>	Weeping Bottlebrush
<i>Muellerina eucalyptoides</i>	Gum-leaved Mistletoe
<i>Parsonsia straminea</i>	Monkey Rope Vine
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	Bracken
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass
<i>Trema tomentosa</i>	Poison Peach

Table 6: Sandy Creek Buffer Area Introduced Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Ageratina riparia</i>	Mistflower	
<i>Ageratum houstonianum</i>	Blue Billygoat Weed	
<i>Asparagus plumosus</i>	Climbing Asparagus	
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	Groundsel Bush	Class 2
<i>Bidens pilosa</i>	Cobbler's Pegs	
<i>Celtis sinensis</i>	Chinese Elm	Class 3
<i>Chloris gayana</i>	Rhodes Grass	
<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i>	Camphora Laurel	Class 3
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle	
<i>Commelina diffusa</i>	Wandering Jew	
<i>Corymbia torelliana</i>	Cadaghi	
<i>Desmodium uncinatum</i>	Silver-leaved Desmodium	
<i>Gomphocarpus physocarpus</i>	Balloon Cotton Bush	
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	Flat Weed	
<i>Ipomoea cairica</i>	Mile-a-minute	
<i>Lantana camara</i>	Lantana	Class 3
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	Creeping Lantana	Class 3
<i>Leucaena leucocephala</i>	Leucaena	
<i>Nephrolepis cordifolia</i>	Fishbone Fern	
<i>Ochna serrulata</i>	Ochna	
<i>Opuntia tomentosa</i>	Velvet Tree Pear	Class 2
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky Passionfruit	
<i>Psidium guajava</i>	Guava	
<i>Schefflera actinophylla</i>	Umbrella Tree	
<i>Senecio madagascariensis</i>	Fireweed	Class 2
<i>Senna pendula</i>	Easter Cassia	
<i>Sida cordifolia</i>	Flannel Weed	



Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Solanum mauritianum</i>	Wild Tobacco Tree	
<i>Solanum seafortianum</i>	Brazilian Nightshade	
<i>Swainsona galegifolia</i>	Darling Pea	
<i>Tecoma stans</i>	Yellow Bells	Class 3
<i>Thunbergia alata</i>	Black-eyed Susan	
<i>Verbena bonariensis</i>	Purpletop Verbena	

4.3.2 Other Drainage Lines

This BVC refers to the mapped drainage lines not linked to Sandy Creek with associated vegetation that retains a high diversity of flora species relative to slopes and ridges (**Plan 4**), including drainage lines mapped as containing composite Regional Ecosystem community 80% Of Concern RE12.3.11 and 20% Least Concern RE12.3.6. This BVC also includes areas towards the southern portion of the site mapped as Of Concern RE 12.9-10.3 and portions mapped as Least Concern RE12.9-10.2. The following ecological features were observed throughout this BVC:

- This portion of the site refers to approximately 68 ha or 6.6% of the total site area (**Table 4**).
- Sixty-seven (67) flora species were recorded throughout this zone (**Tables 7 & 8**). The canopy layer contains a mix of *Eucalyptus* and *Corymbia* species, including *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum), *Eucalyptus siderophloia* (Grey Ironbark), *Corymbia intermedia* (Pink Bloodwood) and *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum Topped Box).
- The T2 layer includes *Melaleuca quinquenervia* (Broad Leaf Paperbark), *Lophostemon suaveolens* (Swamp Box), and a number of *Acacia* species including *Acacia leiocalyx* (Early Flowering Black Wattle), *Acacia concurrens* (Black Wattle) and *Acacia disparrima* (Hickory Wattle).
- The shrub layer was dominated by *Lantana*.
- Forty-three (43) flora species were native (**Table 7**) and there were twenty-four (24) introduced species (**Table 8**) within this BVC.
- The portion of this zone mapped as containing Land Zone 3 is located along the site's eastern property boundary. These drainage features form the upper reaches of drainage lines which extend further east into the adjacent property where vegetation clearing for residential purposes has occurred outside of linear vegetation retention areas along flow paths.



Photo: Other Drainage Lines



Photo: Other Drainage Lines



Table 7: Other Drainage Lines Native Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name
<i>Acacia concurrens</i>	Black Wattle
<i>Acacia disparrima</i>	Hickory Wattle
<i>Acacia fimbriata</i>	Fringed Wattle
<i>Acacia leiocalyx</i>	Early Black Wattle
<i>Acacia maidenii</i>	Maiden's Wattle
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	Black She Oak
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	Soap Tree
<i>Angophora leiocarpa</i>	Smooth Bark Apple
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Coffee Bush
<i>Cheilanthes distans</i>	Bristle Cloak Fern
<i>Corymbia citriodora</i>	Spotted Gum
<i>Corymbia intermedia</i>	Pink Bloodwood
<i>Corymbia tessellaris</i>	Moreton Bay Ash
<i>Cymbopogon refractus</i>	Barbed Wire Grass
<i>Dianella caerulea</i>	Blueberry Lilly
<i>Dianella longifolia</i>	Lilly
<i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i>	Grey Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i>	Narrow Leaf Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i>	Gum Topped Box
<i>Eucalyptus seeana</i>	Narrow Leaf Red Gum
<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i>	Forest Red Gum
<i>Eustrephus latifolius</i>	Wombat Berry
<i>Ficus coronata</i>	Creek Sandpaper Fig
<i>Gahnia aspera</i>	Sawsedge
<i>Glochidion sumatranum</i>	Large-leaved Cheese Tree
<i>Geitonoplesium cymosum</i>	Scrambling Lilly
<i>Goodenia rotundifolia</i>	Goodenia
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i>	Native Sarsaparilla
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Blady Grass
<i>Juncus usitatus</i>	Common Rush
<i>Lomandra hystrix</i>	Creek Mat Rush
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Mat Rush
<i>Lophostemon confertus</i>	Brush Box
<i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i>	Swamp Box
<i>Lygodium microphyllum</i>	Climbing Maidenhair Fern
<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>	Swamp Tea-tree
<i>Melaleuca quinquenervia</i>	Broad Leaf Paperbark



Species Name	Common Name
<i>Muellerina eucalyptoides</i>	Gum-leaved Mistletoe
<i>Parsonsia straminea</i>	Monkey Rope Vine
<i>Petalostigma pubescens</i>	Quinine Bush
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	Bracken
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass
<i>Trema tomentosa</i>	Poison Peach

Table 8: Other Drainage Lines Introduced Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Ageratina riparia</i>	Mistflower	
<i>Ageratum houstonianum</i>	Blue Billygoat Weed	
<i>Asparagus plumosus</i>	Climbing Asparagus	
<i>Baccharis halimifolia</i>	Groundsel Bush	Class2
<i>Bidens pilosa</i>	Cobbler's Pegs	
<i>Chloris gayana</i>	Rhodes Grass	
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle	
<i>Corymbia torelliana</i>	Cadaghi	
<i>Desmodium uncinatum</i>	Silver-leaved Desmodium	
<i>Eragrostis curvula</i>	African Lovegrass	
<i>Gomphocarpus physocarpus</i>	Balloon Cotton Bush	
<i>Hydrocotyle tripartita</i>	Small-leaved Pennywort	
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	Flat Weed	
<i>Lantana camara</i>	Lantana	Class 3
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	Creeping Lantana	Class 3
<i>Ochna serrulata</i>	Ochna	
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky Passionfruit	
<i>Schefflera actinophylla</i>	Umbrella Tree	
<i>Senecio madagascariensis</i>	Fireweed	Class 2
<i>Senna pendula</i>	Easter Cassia	
<i>Sida cordifolia</i>	Flannel Weed	
<i>Solanum mauritianum</i>	Wild Tobacco Tree	
<i>Solanum seafortianum</i>	Brazilian Nightshade	
<i>Swainsona galegifolia</i>	Darling Pea	



4.3.3 Peaks and Ridge Tops

This BVC refers to the highest peaks on the application site, including three polygons both north and south of Sandy Creek linked to the site's western property boundary and a smaller patch located towards the sites north-east corner (**Plan 4**). These vegetation patches reach higher than ninety-five (95) metres above sea level and generally incorporate very steep slopes. This vegetation category refers to approximately 171 ha of the site or 16.7% (**Table 4**). The following observations have been made across this BVC:

- Forty-two (42) flora species were recorded throughout this zone (**Tables 9 & 10**). Generally, a higher portion of *Eucalyptus crebra* (Narrow Leaf ironbark) was recorded within a large portion of this zone. Other species observed within the T1 layer were identified as *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum), *Corymbia tessellaris* (Morton Bay Ash), *Angophora leiocarpa* (Smooth Bark Apple), and the occasional *Lophostemon confertus* (Brush Box).
- The T2 layer is typical of forests and woodlands dominated by *Eucalyptus* species. Species identified include *Alphitonia excelsa* (Soap Tree), *Acacia leiocalyx* (Early Flowering Black Wattle), *Acacia disparrima* (Hickory Wattle), and *Acacia concurrens* (Black Wattle).
- Twenty-eight (28) flora species were native (**Table 9**) and fourteen (14) were introduced species (**Table 10**) within this BVC.
- A relatively low level of weed infestation occurred throughout this zone with very few patches of *Lantana camara* (Lantana) recorded. However, *Lantana montevidensis* (Creeping Lantana) is more prolific throughout the ground layer.
- The site contained small exposed rocky outcrops which were not large enough to support dens or caves for significant fauna habitation.



Photo: Peaks and Ridge Tops



Photo: Peaks and Ridge Tops



Photo: Peaks and Ridge Top



Table 9: Peaks and Ridge Tops Native Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name
<i>Acacia concurrens</i>	Black Wattle
<i>Acacia disparrima</i>	Hickory Wattle
<i>Acacia fimbriata</i>	Fringed Wattle
<i>Acacia leiocalyx</i>	Early Black Wattle
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	Black She Oak
<i>Allocasuarina torulosa</i>	Forest Oak
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	Soap Tree
<i>Brachychiton populneus</i>	Kurrajong
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Coffee Bush
<i>Cheilanthes distans</i>	Bristle Cloak Fern
<i>Chrysocephalum apiculatum</i>	Yellow Buttons
<i>Corymbia citriodora</i>	Spotted Gum
<i>Cymbopogon refractus</i>	Barbed Wire Grass
<i>Dianella caerulea</i>	Blueberry Lilly
<i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i>	Grey Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i>	Narrow Leaf Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus melanophloia</i>	Silver-leaved Ironbark
<i>Eustrephus latifolius</i>	Wombat Berry
<i>Gahnia aspera</i>	Sawsedge
<i>Geitonoplesium cymosum</i>	Scrambling Lilly
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i>	Native Sarsaparilla
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Blady Grass
<i>Lomandra multiflora</i>	Many-flowered Mat Rush
<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>	Swamp Tea-tree
<i>Muellerina eucalyptoides</i>	Gum-leaved Mistletoe
<i>Petalostigma pubescens</i>	Quinine Bush
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass
<i>Xanthorrhoea johnsonii</i>	Forest Grass Tree

Table 10: Peaks and Ridge Tops Introduced Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Chloris gayana</i>	Rhodes Grass	
<i>Eragrostis curvula</i>	African Lovegrass	
<i>Ipomoea cairica</i>	Mile-a-minute	
<i>Lantana camara</i>	Lantana	Class 3
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	Creeping Lantana	Class 3
<i>Opuntia tomentosa</i>	Velvet Tree Pear	Class 2
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky Passionfruit	
<i>Senecio madagascariensis</i>	Fireweed	Class 2



Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Senna pendula</i>	Easter Cassia	
<i>Sida cordifolia</i>	Flannel Weed	
<i>Solanum mauritianum</i>	Wild Tobacco Tree	
<i>Solanum seafortianum</i>	Brazilian Nightshade	
<i>Swainsona galegifolia</i>	Darling Pea	
<i>Tecoma stans</i>	Yellow Bells	Class 3

4.3.4 Lower Slopes

This BVC refers to the balance of the vegetation on-site and is the largest zone referred to throughout this report (**Plan 4**). It comprises approximately 534 ha or 52.1% of the site (**Table 4**). The dominant vegetation includes Least Concern Regional Ecosystem 12.9-10.2 described as *Corymbia citriodora* (Spotted Gum) +/- *Eucalyptus crebra* (Narrow Leaf Ironbark) open forest on sedimentary rocks. The following observations have been made throughout this BVC zone:

- Sixty (60) flora species were recorded throughout this BVC (**Tables 11 & 12**).
- The dominant species recorded throughout this BVC were identified as *Corymbia citriodora* (Spotted Gum). Other species recorded in relatively low densities included *Eucalyptus crebra* (Narrow Leaf Ironbark), *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum), and *Corymbia intermedia* (Pink Bloodwood).
- The understorey or T2 layer was dominated by *Acacia leiocalyx* (Early Flowering Black Wattle), *Acacia concurrens* (Black Wattle) and *Acacia disparrima* (Hickory Wattle).
- Thirty-eight (38) flora species were native (**Table 11**) and twenty-two (22) were introduced species (**Table 12**) within this BVC.
- The majority of this zone has experienced high levels of logging disturbance as well as evidence of fire. *Lantana camara* (Lantana) dominates the shrub layer.



Photo: Lower Slopes



Photo: Lower Slopes



Photo: Lower Slopes



Table 11: Lower Slopes Native Flora Species List

Species	Common Name
<i>Acacia concurrens</i>	Black Wattle
<i>Acacia disparrima</i>	Hickory Wattle
<i>Acacia fimbriata</i>	Fringed Wattle
<i>Acacia leiocalyx</i>	Early Black Wattle
<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>	Black She Oak
<i>Alphitonia excelsa</i>	Soap Tree
<i>Angophora leiocarpa</i>	Smooth Bark Apple
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Coffee Bush
<i>Cassytha glabella</i>	Dodder Laurel
<i>Chrysocephalum apiculatum</i>	Yellow Buttons
<i>Corymbia citriodora</i>	Spotted Gum
<i>Corymbia intermedia</i>	Pink Bloodwood
<i>Corymbia tessellaris</i>	Moreton Bay Ash
<i>Cymbopogon refractus</i>	Barbed Wire Grass
<i>Cyperus difformis</i>	Dirty Dora
<i>Dianella caerulea</i>	Blueberry Lilly
<i>Dianella longifolia</i>	Lilly
<i>Eucalyptus siderophloia</i>	Grey Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus crebra</i>	Narrow Leaf Ironbark
<i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i>	Gum Topped Box
<i>Eucalyptus seeana</i>	Narrow Leaf Red Gum
<i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i>	Forest Red Gum
<i>Eustrephus latifolius</i>	Wombat Berry
<i>Gahnia aspera</i>	Sawsedge
<i>Geitonoplesium cymosum</i>	Scrambling Lilly
<i>Glochidion sumatranum</i>	Large-leaved Cheese Tree
<i>Goodenia rotundifolia</i>	Goodenia
<i>Hardenbergia violacea</i>	Native Sarsaparilla
<i>Imperata cylindrica</i>	Blady Grass
<i>Lomandra multiflora</i>	Many-flowered Mat Rush
<i>Lophostemon confertus</i>	Brush Box
<i>Lophostemon suaveolens</i>	Swamp Box
<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>	Swamp Tea-tree
<i>Parsonsia straminea</i>	Monkey Rope Vine
<i>Petalostigma pubescens</i>	Quinine Bush
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass
<i>Trema tomentosa</i>	Poison Peach
<i>Xanthorrhoea johnsonii</i>	Forest Grass Tree



Table 12: Lower Slopes Introduced Flora Species List

Species Name	Common Name	LPA
<i>Ageratum houstonianum</i>	Blue Billygoat Weed	
<i>Bidens pilosa</i>	Cobbler's Pegs	
<i>Bryophyllum delagoense</i>	Mother Of Millions	
<i>Chloris gayana</i>	Rhodes Grass	
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i>	Spear Thistle	
<i>Corymbia torelliana</i>	Cadaghi	
<i>Desmodium uncinatum</i>	Silver-leaved Desmodium	
<i>Eragrostis curvula</i>	African Lovegrass	
<i>Gomphocarpus physocarpus</i>	Balloon Cotton Bush	
<i>Harrisia martinii</i>	Harrisia Cactus	Class 2
<i>Hydrocotyle tripartita</i>	Small-leaved Pennywort	
<i>Hypochaeris radicata</i>	Flat Weed	
<i>Lantana camara</i>	Lantana	Class 3
<i>Lantana montevidensis</i>	Creeping Lantana	Class 3
<i>Leucaena leucocephala</i>	Leucaena	
<i>Opuntia tomentosa</i>	Velvet Tree Pear	Class 2
<i>Passiflora suberosa</i>	Corky Passionfruit	
<i>Senecio madagascariensis</i>	Fireweed	Class 2
<i>Senna pendula</i>	Easter Cassia	
<i>Sida cordifolia</i>	Flannel Weed	
<i>Solanum mauritianum</i>	Wild Tobacco Tree	
<i>Solanum seaforthianum</i>	Brazilian Nightshade	

4.3.5 Non-remnant Areas

This BVC refers to areas previously cleared of vegetation values and mapped as Category X on the PMAV (**Section 3.3.1**). These non-remnant or cleared polygons total 108 ha or 10.6% of the site and occur at eight (8) locations, including the entrance towards the south-east property corner, areas associated with minor ridgelines towards the centre portion and eastern property boundary including an area that has been used for extraction purposes, and fertile areas associated with a number of flood plains and gully line features adjacent to the Sandy Creek corridor and also along the sites southern property boundary (**Plan 4**).

The following observations have been made across this vegetation category;

- Each of these polygons are mapped as Category X and contain non-remnant vegetation that lacks the structure and canopy cover to reach minimum remnant status.
- There is evidence that these cleared areas have been used for cattle grazing as well as timber logging. Only the one central patch retained evidence of past extraction industry at a relatively small scale.
- Floodplains and drainage lines within Category X areas contained some smaller regrowth *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum) and *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum Topped Box). Some small patches of regrowth sub-canopy species were also recorded throughout these polygons, dominated by *Alphitonia*



excelsa (Soap Tree), *Acacia leiocalyx* (Early Flowering Black Wattle), *Acacia disparrima* (Hickory Wattle), and *Acacia concurrens* (Black Wattle).

- A reduced level of weed infestation occurred throughout these Category X polygons, with very few patches of *Lantana* recorded in comparison to the Lower Slopes that are adjacent to most of these polygons.
- The Category X polygons associated with the minor ridgelines are located towards the central portion and eastern property boundaries. These polygons contain greater densities of regrowth sub-canopy species including *Acacia leiocalyx* (Early Flowering Black Wattle) and *Acacia disparrima* (Hickory Wattle) and greater infestations of *Lantana*. Some patches of smaller *Corymbia citriodora* (Spotted Gum) regrowth were also observed within these polygons.

Overall, these non-remnant areas were extremely disturbed and are considered unlikely to provide habitat for species other than those adapted to highly disturbed landscapes.

4.4. General Fauna Observations

The following is a summary of fauna observations conducted across the site (refer **Appendices D & E** for specific BAAM Reports). Of the one hundred and fifty-five (155) fauna species recorded on-site (**Table 13**), the Koala was the only EPBC Act listed threatened species observed. The Koala is also listed as Vulnerable under the NCA (**Table 2**). The baseline fauna survey conducted by BAAM (**Appendix D**) recorded an active *Ninox strenua* (Powerful Owl) nest in the north-western portion of the site, and this species is likewise listed as Vulnerable under the NCA.

Overall, fourteen (14) amphibians, ninety-four (94) birds, twenty-five (25) mammals, nineteen (19) reptiles and three (3) fish species were recorded (**Table 13**). Mammal observations included seven (7) bat species recorded using ANABAT ultrasonic call playback (**Table 13**). One listed migratory species, *Merops ornatus* (Rainbow bee-eater) was recorded on-site (**Table 13**), although ideal habitat for this species was lacking. The vast majority of fauna species recorded on-site are considered common to the local area.

Feral mammal species, such as *Canis lupus familiaris* (Dog), *Lupus capensis* (Brown Hare), *Oryctolagus cuniculus* (Rabbit), *Sus scrofa* (Wild Pig) and *Vulpes* (Red Fox) were also recorded on-site (**Table 13**). Both Dogs and Foxes are considered threats to the Koala and other native species. Further, the noxious amphibian *Rhinella marina* (Cane Toad) was very common on-site (**Table 13**), and is considered a significant threat to Spot-tailed Quoll survival as they prey on the poisonous species.



Photo: Common Bronzewings



Photo: Lace Monitor



Photo: Feral Pig droppings



Photo: Brushtail Possum tracks



Photo: Red Fox

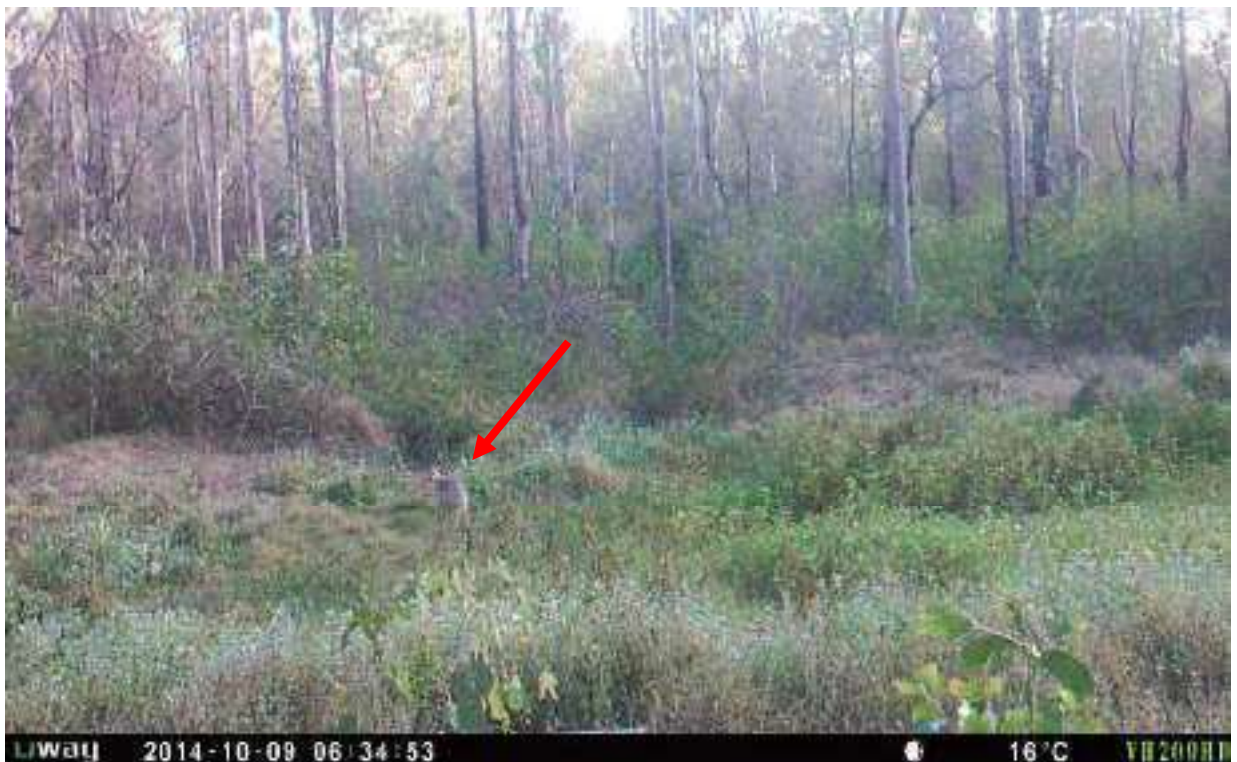


Photo: Camera trap record of Swamp Wallaby



Table 13: Site Fauna Species List

Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
AMPHIBIANS				
<i>Crinia parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	✓		✓
<i>Cyclorana alboguttata</i>	Striped Burrowing Frog		✓	
<i>Limnodynastes ornatus</i>	Ornate Burrowing Frog		✓	
<i>Limnodynastes peronii</i>	Brown Striped Frog	✓	✓	
<i>Limnodynastes tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Grass Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria dentata</i>	Bleating Tree Frog			✓
<i>Litoria fallax</i>	Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria gracilentia</i>	Dainty Green Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria latopalmata</i>	Broad Palmed Frog		✓	✓
<i>Litoria peronii</i>	Person's Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria rubella</i>	Desert Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria wilcoxii</i>	Stony Creek Frog		✓	
<i>Litoria caerulea</i>	Green Tree Frog		✓	
<i>Rhinella marina</i>	Cane Toad	✓	✓	✓
BIRDS				
<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	Yellow-rumped Thornbill		✓	✓
<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>	Buff-rumped Thornbill		✓	✓
<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>	Eastern Spinebill			✓
<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	Brown Goshawk		✓	
<i>Alectura lathami</i>	Australian Brush-turkey	✓	✓	
<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	Australian King-Parrot		✓	
<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	Pacific Black Duck	✓		
<i>Anthus australis</i>	Australian Pipit		✓	
<i>Aquila audax</i>	Wedge-tailed Eagle	✓	✓	
<i>Ardea ibis</i>	Cattle Egret	✓		
<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>	Bush Stone-curlew	✓	✓	
<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cacomantis flabelliformis</i>	Fan-tailed Cuckoo		✓	
<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	✓	✓	
<i>Chalcites lucidus</i>	Shining Bronze-cuckoo		✓	
<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Australian Wood Duck	✓	✓	
<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	Grey Shrike-thrush		✓	
<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	✓	✓	✓
<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	Cicadabird		✓	
<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	White-throated Treecreeper	✓	✓	✓
<i>Corvus orru</i>	Torresian Crow	✓	✓	✓
<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	Brown Quail	✓	✓	
<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	Pied Butcherbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cracticus tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	✓	✓	✓
<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	Grey Butcherbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	Laughing Kookaburra	✓	✓	✓
<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>	Varied Sittella		✓	✓
<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	Mistletoebird		✓	
<i>Dicrurus bracteatus</i>	Spangled Drongo	✓	✓	
<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>	White-faced Heron	✓		
<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	Blue-faced Honeyeater	✓	✓	✓



Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
<i>Eolophus roseicapillus</i>	Galah	✓	✓	✓
<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	Eastern Yellow Robin		✓	
<i>Eudynamys orientalis</i>	Pacific Koel		✓	
<i>Eurostopodus mystacalis</i>	White-throated Nightjar		✓	
<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	Dollarbird	✓	✓	
<i>Falco berigora</i>	Brown Falcon	✓		
<i>Falco longipennis</i>	Australian Hobby			✓
<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	Dusky Morehen	✓	✓	
<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	Bar-shouldered Dove	✓	✓	✓
<i>Geopelia striata</i>	Peaceful Dove	✓	✓	✓
<i>Gerygone olivacea</i>	White-throated Gerygone		✓	✓
<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	Little Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>	Magpie Lark	✓		
<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>	Welcome Swallow	✓		
<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	Yellow-faced Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Lichenostomus fuscus</i>	Fuscous Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	Brown Honey-eater	✓	✓	✓
<i>Lopholaimus antarcticus</i>	Topknot Pigeon	✓	✓	
<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	Superb Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	Variegated Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	Red-backed Fairy-wren	✓	✓	✓
<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	Noisy Minor	✓	✓	
<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>	Lewin's Honeyeater	✓	✓	✓
<i>Melithreptus albogularis</i>	White-throated Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	✓		✓
<i>Microeca fascinans</i>	Jacky Winter		✓	✓
<i>Myiagra rubecula</i>	Leaden Flycatcher		✓	
<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>	Scarlet Honeyeater		✓	
<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>	Red-browed Finch		✓	✓
<i>Ninox boobook</i>	Southern Boobook		✓	
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl		✓	
<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	Crested Pigeon	✓	✓	
<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	Olive-backed Oriole		✓	
<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	Golden Whistler			✓
<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	Rufous Whistler		✓	✓
<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>	Spotted Pardalote			✓
<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	Striated Pardalote	✓	✓	✓
<i>Petroica rosea</i>	Rose Robin	✓		✓
<i>Phalacrocorax melanoleucos</i>	Little Pied Cormorant		✓	
<i>Phaps chalcoptera</i>	Common Bronzewing	✓	✓	
<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	Noisy Friarbird	✓	✓	✓
<i>Platycercus adscitus palliceps</i>	Pale-headed Rosella	✓	✓	
<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	Striped Honeyeater		✓	✓
<i>Podargus strigoides</i>	Tawny Frogmouth	✓	✓	
<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>	Grey-crowned babbler		✓	✓
<i>Porphyrio</i>	Purple Swamphen		✓	
<i>Psophodes olivaceus</i>	Eastern Whipbird	✓	✓	
<i>Pyrrholaemus sagittatus</i>	Speckled Warbler		✓	✓



Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	Grey Fantail	✓	✓	✓
<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail	✓	✓	✓
<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	Channel-billed Cuckoo	✓	✓	
<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>	White-browed Scrubwren		✓	✓
<i>Smicrornis brevirostris</i>	Weebill		✓	✓
<i>Sphecotheres vieillotii</i>	Australasian Figbird		✓	
<i>Strepera graculina</i>	Pied Currawong	✓	✓	✓
<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	Double-barred Finch	✓	✓	✓
<i>Threskiornis molucca</i>	Australian White Ibis	✓		
<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	Straw-necked Ibis		✓	
<i>Todiramphus sanctus</i>	Sacred Kingfisher	✓	✓	
<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Trichoglossus haematodus moluccanus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	✓	✓	✓
<i>Vanellus miles</i>	Masked Lapwing	✓	✓	
<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Silvereeye	✓	✓	✓
MAMMALS				
<i>Aepyprymnus rufescens</i>	Rufous Bettong		✓	
<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed Antechinus		✓	✓
<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>	Dog	✓	✓	✓
<i>Chalinobius gouldii</i>	Gould's Wattled Bat		✓	
<i>Isodon macrourus</i>	Northern Brown Bandicoot		✓	✓
<i>Lepus capensis</i>	Brown Hare	✓	✓	
<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	Eastern Grey Kangaroo	✓	✓	✓
<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked Wallaby		✓	✓
<i>Miniopterus australis</i>	Little Bent-wing Bat		✓	
<i>Mormopterus beccarii</i>	Beccari's Free-tailed Bat		✓	
<i>Nyctophilus sp.</i>	Unidentified Large-eared Bat		✓	
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit	✓	✓	
<i>Petaurus australis</i>	Yellow-bellied Glider		✓	
<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel Glider		✓	
<i>Phascogale tapoatafa</i>	Brush-tailed Phascogale		✓	
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala	✓	✓	
<i>Saccolaimus flaviventris</i>	Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat		✓	
<i>Scotorepens orion</i>	Eastern Broad-nosed Bat		✓	
<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	Common Dunnart		✓	
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig	✓		
<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Short-beaked Echidna			✓
<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	Common Brushtail Possum	✓	✓	✓
<i>Vespadelus darlingtoni</i>	Large Forest Bat		✓	
<i>Vulpes</i>	Red Fox	✓		
<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	Swamp Wallaby	✓	✓	
REPTILES				
<i>Anomalopus verreauxii</i>	Three-dawed Worm-Skink		✓	
<i>Carlia munda</i>	Shaded-Litter Rainbow-skink			✓
<i>Carlia vivax</i>	Tussock Rainbow-skink		✓	✓
<i>Cryptoblepharus virgatus</i>	Wall Skink	✓	✓	✓
<i>Ctenotus taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink		✓	✓



Scientific Name	Common Name	Saunders Havill Group (2014)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2009)	BAAM Pty Ltd (2007)
<i>Dendrelaphis punctulatus</i>	Common Tree Snake		✓	
<i>Diporiphora australis</i>	Tommy Roundhead Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Elseya latisternum</i>	Saw-shelled Turtle		✓	
<i>Eulamprus martini</i>	Dark Barsided Skink	✓	✓	✓
<i>Gehyra dubia</i>	Dubious Dtella		✓	
<i>Lampropholis delicata</i>	Dark-flecked Garden Sunskink		✓	
<i>Lygisaurus foliorum</i>	Tree-based Litter Skink		✓	
<i>Morelia spilota</i>	Carpet Python	✓		
<i>Morethia taeniopleura</i>	Fire Tailed Skink		✓	
<i>Physignathus lesueurii</i>	Eastern Water Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Pogona barbata</i>	Bearded Dragon	✓	✓	
<i>Pseudechis guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake		✓	
<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>	Red-bellied Black Snake	✓	✓	
<i>Varanus varius</i>	Lace Monitor	✓	✓	
FISH				
<i>Hypseleotris galii</i>	Firetail Gudgeon		✓	
<i>Melanotaenia duboulayi</i>	Crimson-spotted Rainbow Fish		✓	
<i>Mogurnda adspersa</i>	Purple-spotted Gudgeon		✓	

4.5. EPBC Act listed Species

A likelihood of occurrence schedule for EPBC Act listed species is presented in **Appendix F**. Neither of the listed plant species considered to have potential to occur on-site, *Plectranthus habrophyllus* (Plectranthus) and *Thesium australe* (Austral Toadflax), were encountered despite targeted searches. Of the fauna species considered to have potential to occur, *Delma torquata* (Collared Delma) is considered highly unlikely and *Pteropus poliocephalus* (Grey-headed Flying-fox) a likely visitor for foraging when *Eucalyptus* are in flower.

Collared Delma (*Delma torquata*)

The Collared Delma is listed as Vulnerable under the EPBC Act. The species prefers open eucalypt and *Acacia* woodland with a sparse understorey of shrubs and tussocks or semi-evergreen vine thicket. The site is covered in relatively disturbed remnant and regrowth vegetation communities dominated by *Eucalyptus* and *Corymbia* species, but no distinct *Acacia* woodland, semi-evergreen vine thicket or tussock understorey occurs. As such, only one of the suite of vegetation components that support the species occurs on-site.

The peaks and ridgelines throughout the site do contain some exposed rocky hillsides where the understorey is sparse, but these areas are isolated and fragmented within the predominant vegetation containing a dense weedy understorey on slopes and flow paths. In addition, the species was not recorded on the subject site during field surveys including pitfall trapping (**Appendix D**). These factors suggest that, although some components of suitable habitat for the Collared Delma occur on-site, their disturbed nature and the absence of other features indicative of suitable habitat would indicate that the species is extremely low risk and unlikely to occur. As such, these areas of the site are considered to constitute marginal habitat for the Collared Delma at best, and are not considered habitat critical to the survival of the species.



Grey-Headed Flying-Fox (*Pteropus poliocephalus*)

The Grey-Headed Flying-Fox is listed as Vulnerable under the EPBC Act. The species was not recorded on the subject site during field surveys, nor were roosting camps observed, however, the availability of eucalypts provides suitable foraging habitat for the species during flowering events. The project area does not currently support a flying-fox roosting camp, and suitable foraging habitat is widespread in the greater Flagstone and Logan region. Overall, this is a common, highly mobile animal that is able to utilise foraging resources over a large area. Given the absence of a roost or roosting habitat on-site, the widespread distribution of the species across Southeast Queensland and the availability of habitat throughout the greater area, the proposal is unlikely to have a significant impact on the Grey-Headed Flying-Fox.

The remaining fauna species with potential to occur on-site, *Dasyurus hallucatus* (Spot-tailed Quoll) and *Phascolarctos cinereus* (Koala), require further consideration.

4.5.1 Spot-tailed Quoll specific surveys

No Spot-tailed Quoll were captured during targeted cage and infra-red camera surveys, and no Quoll latrines were observed on-site. However, the subject site does contain patches of hilly forested habitat potentially suitable for notoriously shy Spot-tailed Quoll. In general, the study area supported only some of the preferred habitat requirements for Spot-tailed Quoll, namely eucalypt woodland and forest providing foraging habitat with good availability of frogs, birds and small to medium-sized mammals that Spot-tailed Quoll prey on. However, the study area generally lacked the following important habitat features for Spot-tailed Quoll:

- Large hollow logs were extremely rare;
- Large, hollow-bearing trees were sparse; extensive historical timber extraction appears to have removed most old-growth trees; and
- Suitable denning habitat in the form of rock caves or boulder piles does not occur; rocky outcrops with small boulders on ridgelines may provide temporary rock crevice refuges but do not provide suitable denning refuges.

Other features that reduce the suitability of the study area for Spot-tailed Quoll include:

- Abundant evidence of dogs (domestic and/or wild) in the form of tracks and scats across the study area, which may prey on Spot-tailed Quolls
- Dense *Lantana* weed infestations (**Plan 3**) across most of the site reduce habitat suitability;
- An abundance of the invasive and poisonous pest Cane Toad *Rhinella marina* in the study area; and
- Proximity of the study area to unsuitable cleared areas, regrowth vegetation and urban development.

Nonetheless, Sandy Creek and the rocky ridgelines do provide connectivity across the study site to much larger areas of more suitable Spot-tailed Quoll habitat to the west, areas that incorporate Spring Mountain Forest Park, White Rock Conservation Park and Flinders Peak Conservation Park. It is possible that Spot-tailed Quoll utilise these connections as infrequent visitors to the site, perhaps as part of larger home ranges or in search of mates during breeding season.

4.5.2 Koala specific surveys

Two adult male Koala were observed on site during targeted surveys by BAAM in 2009 (**Appendix D**). Extensive habitat assessments conducted at the same time utilised survey techniques adapted from Dique et al. (2003) and concluded that Koala food trees were present throughout the site, and that higher value Koala habitat was concentrated along waterways within the study area (**Appendix E**). Evidence of Koala utilisation in the form of scats



was recorded beneath fifty-seven (57) trees, mostly located near sighted Koalas, during transect surveys (**Appendix E**).

In August and October 2014, Senior Ecologists from **Saunders Havill Group** conducted field surveys in accordance with EPBC Draft Guidelines for the Koala across the site with weather conditions fine and sunny. The purpose of the survey was to determine the level of Koala usage across the site and to assess the availability of suitable habitat. The assessment involved the following methods:

- Spot Assessment Technique (SAT) developed by Philips & Callaghan (2011)
- Koala Habitat Assessments
- Opportunistic searches

SAT Surveys

The Regularised-grid SAT method is an assessment of Koala activity involving a search for any Koalas and signs of Koala usage. The SAT involves identifying the non-juvenile Koala habitat tree nearest to a pre-determined grid point and recording any evidence of Koala usage on that tree including presence, identifiable scratches or scats. The nearest tree is then identified and the same data recorded. The next closest tree is then assessed and so on until the 30 trees nearest to the original tree in a radial survey have been recorded. The number of trees showing evidence of Koalas is expressed as a percentage of the total number of trees sampled to indicate the frequency of Koala usage. Assessment of each tree involves a systematic search for Koala scats beneath the tree within 1 m radius of the trunk. After approximately 1 minute of searching for scats, the base of the trunk is observed for scratches.

Overall, evidence of Koala usage in the form of scats was low to non-existent and, despite intensive searches, no Koalas were observed. Twenty-nine (29) SAT surveys were conducted across the site in a regularised grid pattern, as shown in **Plan 4** (refer **Appendix G** for specific SAT results). **Table 14**, below, summarises Koala usage in the form of scats from SAT surveys, with roughly a third of the SATs recording relatively few scats.

Usage estimates were taken from the Australian Koala Foundation Koala activity level classification table (ex Phillips & Callaghan 2011) using the East Coast (med-high) Activity Category, which is applicable in habitats dominated by residual, transferal or alluvial type landscapes considered med-high nutrient soils with good water holding capacity (Steve Phillips, personal communication). Chromosols predominate with patches of Dermosols in the south of the application area (**Section 3.6**) and these soils suit this landscape description.

Table 14: SAT Survey Results Summary

SAT (Spot Assessment Technique) Assessment No.	Evidence of Koala Use (%)	Koala Use (High / Medium / Low)
1	-	-
2	-	-
3	6.66	Low
4	3.33	Low
5	10	Low
6	-	-
7	-	-



SAT (Spot Assessment Technique) Assessment No.	Evidence of Koala Use (%)	Koala Use (High / Medium / Low)
8	3.33	Low
9	-	-
10	-	-
11	6.66	Low
12	-	-
13	-	-
14	3.33	Low
15	-	-
16	-	-
17	-	-
18	-	-
19	6.66	Low
20	-	-
21	-	-
22	-	-
23	6.66	Low
24	6.66	Low
25	-	-
26	-	-
27	6.66	Low
28	6.66	Low
29	-	-

Habitat Assessments

Queensland's Koala Habitat Values Map (**Figure 7**) overlays the site with a mosaic of vegetation classified as Medium and Low Value Rehabilitation with areas of Medium and Low Value Bushland Habitat. Regional Ecosystem Mapping (**Figure 5**) suggests that the majority of the site is mapped as Category B (remnant vegetation) and most of this is considered to provide 'essential habitat' for the Koala. This does not take into account the significant changes to Regional Ecosystem mapping rectified by PMAV (**Section 3.3.1**).

A total of fifty-two (52) habitat assessments were conducted across the site (**Plan 4** – refer to **Appendix H** for specific habitat assessment results). This involved recording the species of significant trees within randomised 50 x 20 metre transects. The purpose of the Habitat Assessment was to assess the species composition of site trees to determine the value of site habitat for Koalas, based on the **Australian Koala Foundation's** (AKF) National Koala Tree Protection List for the Logan City area, extracted below. Species listed in **Bold** are considered to be primary Koala Food Trees while the other listed species are Secondary Koala Food Trees.



Local Government Area	Elevation	Scientific Name and/or subspecies	Common Name	Soil and Location
LOGAN CITY	2-800	<i>E. muelleriana</i>	Grey Gum	edges of forest, medium fertility, annual rainfall > 1000 mm
LOGAN CITY	2-1000	<i>E. nitida</i>	Maroon/Grooved Red Ironbark, Ironbark, Maroon Ironbark (Ironbark)	well-drained dry forest or scrub/woodly clay soils of medium fertility, >550 mm rainfall
LOGAN CITY	2-1000	<i>E. grandis</i>	Hooded Gum, Rose Gum	moist, fertile, well-drained, deep, loamy soils of a forest or sub-forest, 725-1500 mm
LOGAN CITY	2-800	<i>E. ovata</i>	Grey Gum	well-drained forests on soils of low to medium fertility
LOGAN CITY	2-1500	<i>E. muelleriana</i>	Yellow Gum, Honey Gum, Yellow Ironbark	gentle slopes, sheltered or on high rain catchment areas, soils include alluvials, basins and clays, forest and drought tolerant, 500-1400 mm
LOGAN CITY	2-950	<i>E. muelleriana</i>	Tall Ironbark	on slopes or deeper moderate to fertile soils, well-drained but more
LOGAN CITY	2-1050	<i>E. muelleriana</i>	Coastal Grey Gum, Grey Gum, Gum-topped gum	large soils of moderate to high fertility for partial shade and longer, tolerate saline soils
LOGAN CITY	2-1000	<i>E. pleurocarpa</i>	Maroon/Grooved Red Ironbark, Hooded Gum	dry to damp soil, forest or woodland on sandy soils or coastal sand
LOGAN CITY	2-950	<i>E. pleurocarpa</i>	Spotted Gum, Grey Gum	well-drained forest on soils of low to medium fertility, drought and frost tolerant
LOGAN CITY	2-1050	<i>E. muelleriana</i> ssp. <i>muelleriana</i>	Sensitivity Gum	shallow to moderate sandy soil, coastal areas or near wetlands
LOGAN CITY	2-100	<i>E. muelleriana</i> ssp. <i>karri</i> (Ironbark)	Rain Ironbark	moist to wet, drained to the side, drought and frost tolerant
LOGAN CITY	2-900	<i>E. nitida</i>	Silky Ironbark	moist, occasionally waterlogged soils, very moist fertile soils, basins, clay, sandy clay, alluvial deposits
LOGAN CITY	2-900	<i>E. nitida</i>	Maroon/Grooved Red Gum	poorly drained shallow soils, extremely sandy soils
LOGAN CITY	2-100	<i>E. pleurocarpa</i>	Ironbark, Black Ironbark	well-drained soils of moderate fertility
LOGAN CITY	2-800	<i>E. muelleriana</i> ssp. <i>muelleriana</i>	Forest red gum, Blue gum, Red Mangum	alluvial soils, 800-2000 mm, tolerate salinisation coastal sands, tolerate saline soils, medium heavy clay, does not tolerate waterlogging and soils
LOGAN CITY	2-1100	<i>E. nitida</i>	Timber Ironbark	poor to rich in high rainfall forest, often derived from granite

Bolded entries indicate primary tree species

A summary of the habitat assessment results is shown in **Table 15**, however, the full results for each habitat assessment, including species lists, have been included in **Appendix H**.

Table 15: Habitat Assessment Results Summary

Transect	Percentage Primary KFT	Percentage Secondary KFT	Percentage Total KFT
1	31.3%	2.1%	33.3%
2	7.0%	16.3%	23.3%
3	86.4%	0.0%	86.4%
4	2.8%	2.8%	5.6%
5	2.2%	28.9%	31.1%
6	11.5%	50.0%	61.5%
7	5.6%	11.1%	16.7%
8	1.9%	61.1%	63.0%
9	1.7%	20.7%	22.4%
10	5.0%	12.5%	17.5%
11	4.8%	0.0%	4.8%
12	0.0%	8.7%	8.7%
13	56.3%	12.5%	68.8%
14	31.3%	3.1%	34.4%
15	19.6%	2.2%	21.7%
16	20.4%	4.1%	24.5%
17	10.8%	0.0%	10.8%
18	23.3%	2.3%	25.6%



Transect	Percentage Primary KFT	Percentage Secondary KFT	Percentage Total KFT
19	16.7%	2.8%	19.4%
20	6.9%	17.2%	24.1%
21	5.7%	8.6%	14.3%
22	9.1%	29.5%	38.6%
23	18.4%	13.2%	31.6%
24	26.1%	2.2%	28.3%
25	3.0%	15.2%	18.2%
26	9.1%	54.5%	63.6%
27	16.1%	3.2%	19.3%
28	6.5%	67.7%	74.2%
29	0.0%	3.7%	3.7%
30	4.8%	9.5%	14.3%
31	0.0%	26.9%	26.9%
32	2.3%	18.6%	20.9%
33	4.3%	19.6%	23.9%
34	0.0%	26.3%	26.3%
35	14.0%	0.0%	14.0%
36	32.3%	6.5%	38.7%
37	35.6%	6.7%	42.2%
38	2.7%	5.4%	8.1%
39	31.4%	0.0%	31.4%
40	19.2%	3.8%	23.1%
41	6.7%	6.7%	13.3%
42	16.7%	0.0%	16.7%
43	2.9%	5.7%	8.6%
44	2.0%	2.0%	4.0%
45	8.3%	16.7%	25.0%
46	13.3%	11.7%	25.0%
47	3.9%	23.5%	27.5%
48	8.3%	18.3%	26.7%
49	26.4%	17.0%	43.4%
50	0.0%	19.1%	19.1%
51	3.6%	8.9%	12.5%
52	12.9%	8.1%	21.0%

The site was primarily dominated by *Eucalyptus citriodora* (Spotted Gum) along ridgelines and slopes with the addition of *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Forest Red Gum) and *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum-topped Box) along drainage



lines and Sandy Creek. Of the dominant canopy species, *Eucalyptus tereticornis* is classified as a Primary Koala Food Tree by the AKF in the Logan City area.

Table 16, below, categorises Koala habitat assessments as per site Broad Vegetation Communities (BVCs -discussed earlier) and outlined in **Plan 4**. In summary, noteworthy Koala habitat was located in the Sandy Creek Buffer Area and Other Drainage Lines. Remaining BVCs contained relatively poor quality habitat. Low level Koala activity in the form of scats was recorded within each BVC (**Plan 4**).

Table 16: Koala habitat assessments within Broad Vegetation Communities

BVC	Habitat assessment summary
Sandy Creek Buffer Area	Twelve (12) habitat assessment transects were completed throughout this BVC. The results of these show a higher proportion of primary and secondary Koala Food Trees, based on the AKF preferred food tree list. In the case of Sandy Creek, there were higher densities of <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> (Forest Red Gum) and <i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> (Gum Topped Box).
Other Drainage Lines	Eight (8) habitat assessment transects were completed throughout this BVC. The results of these show a higher proportion of primary and secondary Koala Food Trees, based on the AKF preferred food tree list. In other drainage lines, there were higher densities of <i>Eucalyptus tereticornis</i> (Forest Red Gum), <i>Eucalyptus seeana</i> (Narrow Leaf Red Gum) and <i>Eucalyptus moluccana</i> (Gum Topped Box).
Peaks and Ridge Tops	Seven (7) habitat assessment transects were completed throughout this BVC. The results of these show a lower proportion of primary and secondary Koala Food Trees, based on the AKF preferred food tree list. Although some secondary food trees were recorded, including <i>Eucalyptus crebra</i> (Narrow Leaf Ironbark), a significant proportion of <i>Corymbia</i> species, including <i>Corymbia tessellaris</i> (Moreton Bay Ash) and <i>Corymbia intermedia</i> (Pink Bloodwood), were recorded within the transects.
Lower Slopes	Twenty-five (25) habitat assessment transects were completed throughout this BVC. The results of these show a high proportion of <i>Corymbia citriodora</i> (Spotted Gum) in all transects and very low densities of primary and secondary Koala Food Trees, based on the AKF preferred food tree list.

Due to past logging and pastoral practices, the site contained a fairly high abundance of invasive weeds, including *Harrisia martinii* (Harrisia Cactus), *Opuntia tomentosa* (Velvety Tree Pear), *Senecio madagascariensis* (Fireweed), *Lantana camara* (Lantana), *Lantana montevidensis* (Creeping Lantana), *Tecoma stans* (Yellow Bells), *Celtis sinensis* (Chinese Elm) and *Cinnamomum camphora* (Camphor Laurel). Vast swathes of *Lantana* in particular cover most disturbed areas of the site (**Plan 3** and **Photos** next page). Other disturbances included significant vegetation clearing, creation of vehicle tracks, prevalence of dogs and impacts from surrounding land uses.



Photos: *Lantana* infestation on-site

Outside of the Sandy Creek riparian corridor, the site was found to contain mostly poorer quality habitat unlikely to provide primary habitat values to Koalas. This is based on the relatively low abundance of Primary Koala Food Trees and the prevalence of weeds within site vegetation.

The key findings from the Koala field assessment are:

- No Koalas were observed on or surrounding the site during contemporary EPBC Act targeted surveys;
- Evidence of Koala suggests Low to No Usage throughout the site;
- The site was dominated by canopy species not listed by the AKF.
- Overall, the site was significantly disturbed as a result of historical vegetation clearing and thinning, invasion of weeds, disturbance from feral animals and impacts from surrounding land uses.



5. Conclusions

This report presents and summarises the results of numerous ecological studies conducted over the Undullah master planned multi-use development site. These studies both examined and rectified vegetation community structure and status and included surveys that focused on listed threatened flora and fauna species. The most recent surveys were designed to assess the likelihood of occurrence and potential impact of the proposed development on Matters of National Environmental Significance.

The following conclusions have been made:

- None of the EPBC Act listed Threatened Ecological Communities (TECs) considered to have potential to occur were recorded on-site. Individual specimens and small isolated stands of *Melaleuca irbyana* (Swamp Tea-tree) were recorded but these examples did not constitute *Swamp Tea-tree Forest of South-east Queensland* TEC. This species is listed as Endangered under the provisions of the *Nature Conservation Act, 1992* (NCA).
- Potential habitat for EPBC Act listed threatened plants, *Plectranthus habrophyllus* (Plectranthus) and *Thesium australe* (Austral Toadflax), is considered to be possibly present on-site, but neither species was recorded despite targeted surveys (**Section 4.5**).
- The EPBC Act listed Migratory species, *Merops ornatus* (Rainbow Bee-eater) was recorded on-site, although ideal habitat for this highly mobile species was lacking (**Section 4.4**).
- Of the threatened fauna species listed under the EPBC Act with the potential to occur on-site, *Pteropus poliocephalus* (Grey-headed Flying-fox) and *Dasyurus maculatus maculatus* (Spot-tailed Quoll) are considered potential infrequent visitors to the site (the former when eucalypts are in flower and the latter potentially when in search of mates) as optimal habitat for these species is present within the broader surrounding landscape. Evidence of each species was not recorded despite targeted surveys, and ideal roosting and denning habitat was not located on-site (**Section 4.5**). While the potential for these species to visit the site is present, it is considered most likely a rare occurrence as the site constitutes relatively degraded habitat.
- Components of potential habitat for EPBC Act listed *Delma torquata* (Collared delma) were present on-site, however, these areas were considered of very low quality and located in isolated patches on peaks and along ridge tops. As such, these areas are considered to constitute marginal rather than critical habitat for the Collared Delma. Further, the species was not recorded on-site. For these reasons, it is considered extremely unlikely this species occurs on-site (**Section 4.5**).
- Of the threatened species listed under the EPBC Act with the potential to occur on-site, only the Koala was recorded (**Section 4.5.2**). Two adult male specimens were observed in 2007 (**Appendix D**), but only low to non-existent usage as evidenced in the form of scats was recorded during recent SAT studies (**Table 14**). When recorded, Koala scats were located at low densities at various locations throughout the site.



- To refine habitat assessments, the site was broken into five Broad Vegetation Communities (BVCs – **Plan 4**), summarised below.
 - The Sandy Creek Buffer Area totalled 143 ha and contained noteworthy habitat according to AKF guidelines. Canopy species were dominated by *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (River Red Gum) and *Eucalyptus moluccana* (Gum-topped Box) indicative of Endangered Regional Ecosystem 12.3.3, however, the understorey was infested with *Lantana*. This BVC was relatively disturbed by ongoing logging and past pastoral practices.
 - Other Drainage Lines totalled 68 ha and also contained noteworthy habitat according to AKF guidelines. The canopy of this BVC was dominated by a mix of *Eucalyptus* and *Corymbia* species and the understorey was infested with *Lantana*. These areas comprise the upper reaches of flow paths extending into neighbouring properties, and are highly disturbed.
 - The Peaks and Ridge Tops of the site constitute 171 ha of sparser vegetation dominated by *Eucalyptus crebra* (Narrow-leaved Ironbark) with a mix of other *Eucalyptus* and *Corymbia* species. This BVC contained relatively poor habitat as per AKF guidelines. Relatively minor rocky outcrops are scattered through this BVC, but none were of sufficient size or structure to constitute habitat for threatened species.
 - Lower Slopes comprised the majority of the site (534 ha or 52%) and were dominated by *Corymbia citriodora* (Spotted Gum). The low proportion of Koala Food Trees in this BVC meant it did not contain suitable habitat as per AKF guidelines. The area is heavily disturbed by past clearing, ongoing logging practices and *Lantana* infestation.
 - Non-remnant areas constitute 108 ha of the site and generally contained very limited habitat values due to reduced or absent vegetative cover.
- Most of the site is mapped as Regulated Vegetation classed as essential habitat for the Koala under the *Vegetation Management Act 1999*. A large proportion of mapped composite Of Concern Regional Ecosystems has been rectified on-ground to mostly Least Concern RE 12.9-10.2. In general, site vegetation was highly disturbed by past clearing for pastoral practices (**Plan 2**), ongoing logging, extractive industry works, vehicular tracks, rubbish dumping and weed infestation.
- The site contained a fairly high abundance of invasive weeds, including *Harrisia martinii* (Harrisia Cactus), *Opuntia tomentosa* (Velvety Tree Pear), *Senecio madagascariensis* (Fireweed), *Lantana camara* (Lantana), *Lantana montevidensis* (Creeping Lantana), *Tecoma stans* (Yellow Bells), *Celtis sinensis* (Chinese Elm) and *Cinnamomum camphora* (Camphor Laurel). Vast swathes of *Lantana* in particular cover most disturbed areas of the site (**Plan 3**).
- Fauna species recorded on-site included fourteen (14) amphibians, ninety-four (94) birds, twenty-five (25) mammals, nineteen (19) reptiles and three (3) fish (**Table 13**). Almost all were considered common species likely to be encountered in the area.



- The NCA listed threatened species *Ninox strenua* (Powerful Owl) was recorded on-site actively utilising a nest near the western property boundary during baseline terrestrial fauna surveys in 2007 (**Appendix D**). The species was not sighted during contemporary fauna studies.
- Feral mammal species, such as *Canis lupus familiaris* (Dog), *Lupus capensis* (Brown Hare), *Oryctolagus cuniculus* (Rabbit), *Sus scrofa* (Wild Pig) and *Vulpes vulpes* (Red Fox) were also recorded on-site (**Table 13**). Both Dogs and Foxes are considered threats to native species including the Koala. Further, the noxious amphibian *Rhinella marina* (Cane Toad) was very common on-site (**Table 13**), and is considered a significant threat to the survival of predatory species.

The Undullah site forms part of the *Greater Flagstone Priority Development Area* designated by **Economic Development Queensland** and, as such, along with the majority of the surrounding landscape, is slated for urban development. The size and locality of established infrastructure and current state of the environment in the area represents an important opportunity to provide residential development in one of the fastest growing regions of Australia without exacerbating existing environmental impacts. Despite the relatively disturbed nature of the site, there is scope to enhance and maintain areas of higher habitat value on-site and to ensure the ongoing integrity of the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor to the west.

As proposed (**Appendix A**), the development includes the important Sandy Creek riparian corridor and a substantial buffer to the west along the Flinders-Karawatha Bioregional Corridor as areas for conservation. Along with a network of interconnected conservation areas, this will help ensure continued habitat connectivity across the site and minimise potential edge effects of the development on neighbouring habitat values. These conservation areas encapsulate the most suitable Koala habitat on-site as well as the Powerful Owl nest in the north-west portion of the property, and constitute a significantly larger conservation outcome than that approved under a recent Material Change of Use application for the site. For these reasons, the land use proposal is considered to largely mitigate impacts on listed threatened species with the potential to utilise the site.



6. Appendices

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Preliminary Land Use Plan

Appendix B

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 Protected Matters Database Search

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Nature Conservation Act 1992 (Qld) Wildlife Online Database Search Results

Appendix D

BAAM Baseline Terrestrial and Aquatic Vertebrate Assessment

Appendix E

BAAM Koala Habitat Assessment and Mapping

Appendix F

Likelihood of Occurrence Schedule for EPBC Act Listed MNES

Appendix G

SAT Survey Results

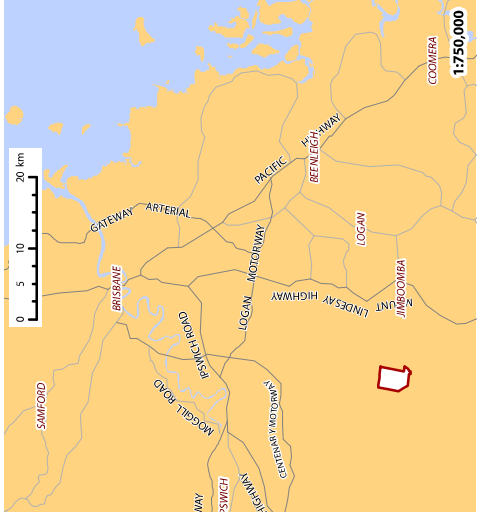
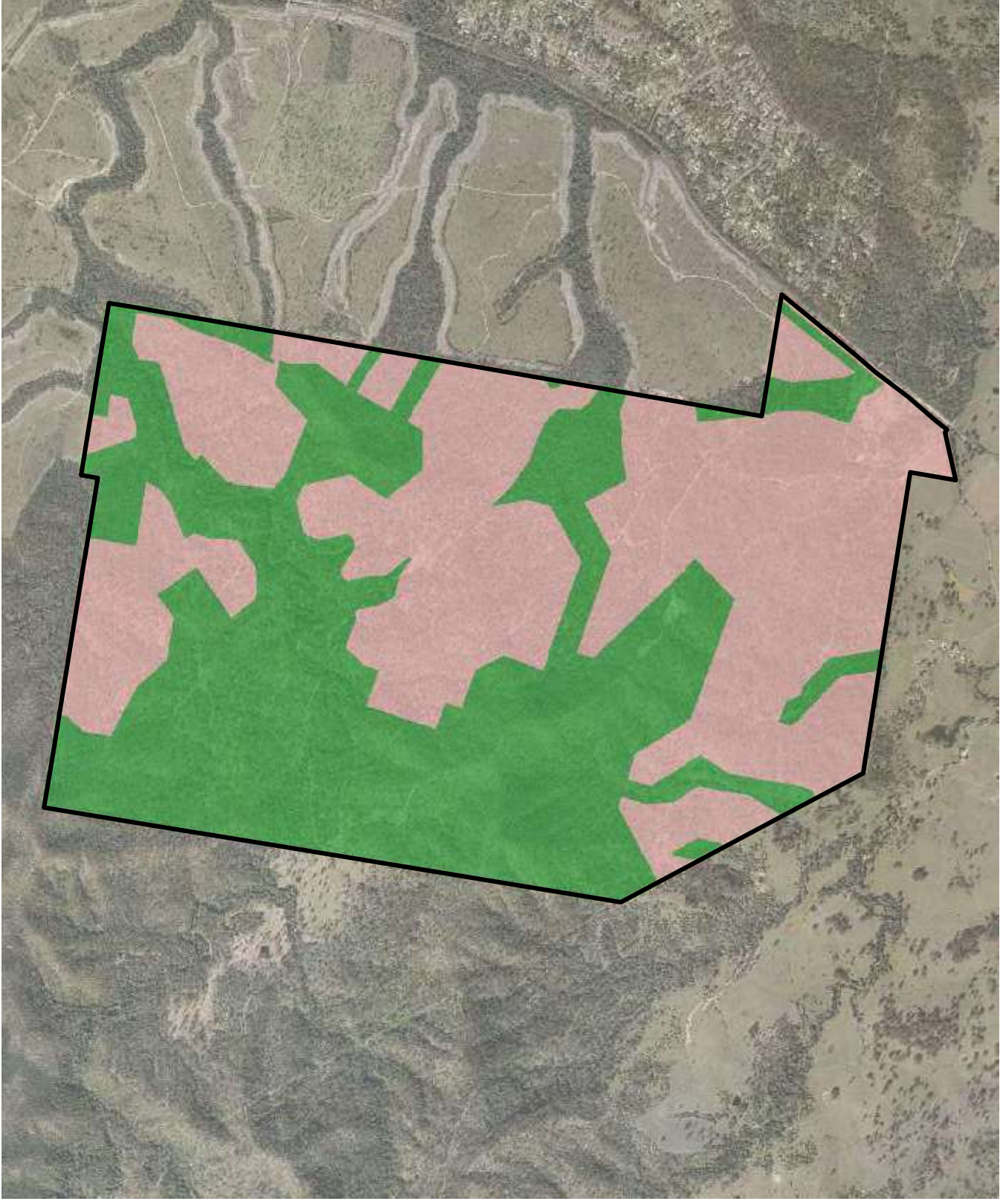
Appendix H

AKF Koala Habitat Assessment Results



Appendix A

Preliminary Land Use Plan



Legend



Referral area

Structure Plan



Proposed development land



Conservation land



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DATE	DESCRIPTION	DATE	DESCRIPTION	DATE	DESCRIPTION	DATE	DESCRIPTION
A	21/11/2014	1	Initial Draft	1	Initial Draft	1	Initial Draft
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C		3	Final Draft	3	Final Draft	3	Final Draft

Undullah
Land Use Plan

Plan 1



Appendix B

Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999
Protected Matters Database Search



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.

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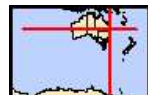
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Summary

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:	1
Great Barrier Reef Marine Park:	None
Commonwealth Marine Area:	None
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities:	3
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/index.html>

A [permit](#) 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:	None
Commonwealth Heritage Places:	None
Listed Marine Species:	15
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:	3
Regional Forest Agreements:	None
Invasive Species:	39
Nationally Important Wetlands:	None
Key Ecological Features (Marine)	None

Details

Matters of National Environmental Significance

Wetlands of International Importance (Ramsar)	[Resource Information]
Name	Proximity
Moreton bay	Upstream from Ramsar

Listed Threatened Ecological Communities	[Resource Information]
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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
Swamp Tea-tree (<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>) Forest of South-east Queensland	Critically Endangered	Community likely to 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]
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Name	Status	Type of Presence
Birds		
Anthochaera phrygia		
Regent Honeyeater [82338]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Botaurus poiciloptilus		
Australasian Bittern [1001]	Endangered	Species or species habitat 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
Erythrorchris 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
Lathamus discolor		
Swift Parrot [744]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Poephila cincta cincta		
Black-throated Finch (southern) [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

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Turnix melanogaster Black-breasted Button-quail [923]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Fish		
Maccullochella mariensis Mary River Cod [83806]	Endangered	Translocated population known 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 [331]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Dasyurus maculatus maculatus (SE mainland population) Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population) [75184]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely 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
Potorous tridactylus tridactylus 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 selwynii Heart-leaved Bosistoa [13702]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Bosistoa transversa Three-leaved Bosistoa, Yellow Satinheart [16091]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Bulbophyllum globuliforme Miniature Moss-orchid, Hoop Pine Orchid [6649]	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
Lepidium peregrinum Wandering Pepper-cress [14035]	Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Notelaea ipsviciensis Cooneana Olive [81858]	Critically Endangered	Species or species habitat may occur within area
Notelaea lloydii 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
Phebalium distans 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
Thesium australe Austral Toadflax, Toadflax [15202]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Reptiles

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 may occur within area
Furina dunmalli Dunmall's Snake [59254]	Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area

Listed Migratory Species

[[Resource Information](#)]

* Species is listed under a different scientific name on the 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

Migratory Terrestrial Species

Haliaeetus leucogaster White-bellied Sea-Eagle [943]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Hirundapus caudacutus White-throated Needle-tail [682]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Merops ornatus Rainbow Bee-eater [670]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Monarcha trivirgatus Spectacled Monarch [610]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
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]		Species or species habitat 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 cristatus Eastern Osprey [82411]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Rostratula benghalensis (sensu lato) Painted Snipe [889]	Endangered*	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act

Listed Marine Species		[Resource Information]
* Species is listed under a different scientific name on the EPBC Act - Threatened 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]		Species or species habitat 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
Haliaeetus leucogaster White-bellied Sea-Eagle [943]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
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Lathamus discolor Swift Parrot [744]	Endangered	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Name	Threatened	Type of Presence
Merops ornatus Rainbow Bee-eater [670]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Monarcha melanopsis Black-faced Monarch [609]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Monarcha trivirgatus Spectacled Monarch [610]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Myiagra cyanoleuca Satin Flycatcher [612]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Pandion haliaetus Osprey [952]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Rhipidura rufifrons Rufous Fantail [592]		Species or species habitat known to occur within area
Rostratula benghalensis (sensu lato) Painted Snipe [889]	Endangered*	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

Extra Information

State and Territory Reserves	[Resource Information]
Name	State
Henderson Reserve	QLD
Koolena	QLD
Stewartdale	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 Resources 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

Name	Status	Type of Presence
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
Sturnus vulgaris Common Starling [389]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Frogs		
Rhinella marina Cane Toad [83218]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Mammals		
Bos taurus Domestic Cattle [16]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Canis lupus familiaris Domestic Dog [82654]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Equus caballus Horse [5]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Felis catus Cat, House Cat, Domestic Cat [19]		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
Oryctolagus 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		
Alternanthera philoxeroides Alligator Weed [11620]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Anredera cordifolia Madeira Vine, Jalap, Lamb's-tail, Mignonette Vine,		Species or species

Name	Status	Type of Presence
Anredera, Gulf Madeiravine, Heartleaf Madeiravine, Potato Vine [2643]		habitat likely to occur within area
Cabomba caroliniana		
Cabomba, Fanwort, Carolina Watershield, Fish Grass, Washington Grass, Watershield, Carolina Fanwort, Common Cabomba [5171]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Chrysanthemoides monilifera		
Bitou Bush, Boneseed [18983]		Species or species habitat may occur within area
Chrysanthemoides monilifera subsp. rotundata		
Bitou Bush [16332]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Cryptostegia grandiflora		
Rubber Vine, Rubbervine, India Rubber Vine, India Rubbervine, Palay Rubbervine, Purple Allamanda [18913]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Dolichandra unguis-cati		
Cat's Claw Vine, Yellow Trumpet Vine, Cat's Claw Creeper, Funnel Creeper [85119]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Eichhornia crassipes		
Water Hyacinth, Water Orchid, Nile Lily [13466]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Genista monspessulana		
Montpellier Broom, Cape Broom, Canary Broom, Common Broom, French Broom, Soft Broom [20126]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Hymenachne amplexicaulis		
Hymenachne, Olive Hymenachne, Water Stargrass, West Indian Grass, West Indian Marsh Grass [31754]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Lantana camara		
Lantana, Common Lantana, Kamara Lantana, Large-leaf Lantana, Pink Flowered Lantana, Red Flowered Lantana, Red-Flowered Sage, White Sage, Wild Sage [10892]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Opuntia spp.		
Prickly Pears [82753]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Parkinsonia aculeata		
Parkinsonia, Jerusalem Thorn, Jelly Bean Tree, Horse Bean [12301]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
Parthenium hysterophorus		
Parthenium Weed, Bitter Weed, Carrot Grass, False Ragweed [19566]		Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
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
Salvinia molesta		
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

Name	Status	Type of Presence within area
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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.

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Appendix C

Nature Conservation Act 1992 (Qld)
Wildlife Online Database Search Results



Wildlife Online Extract

Search Criteria: Species List for a Specified Point

Species: All

Type: All

Status: Rare and threatened species

Records: All

Date: All

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Distance: 10

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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I	Q	A	Records
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	<i>Litoria brevipalmata</i>	green thighed frog		NT		1
animals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	<i>Adelotus brevis</i>	tusked frog		V		3
animals	birds	Accipitridae	<i>Accipiter novaehollandiae</i>	grey goshawk		NT		5
animals	birds	Anatidae	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	cotton pygmy-goose		NT		1
animals	birds	Anatidae	<i>Stictonetta naevosa</i>	freckled duck		NT		1
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami</i>	glossy black-cockatoo		V		5
animals	birds	Ciconiidae	<i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>	black-necked stork		NT		11
animals	birds	Maluridae	<i>Stipiturus malachurus</i>	southern emu-wren		V		1
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Melithreptus gularis</i>	black-chinned honeyeater		NT		1
animals	birds	Rallidae	<i>Lewinia pectoralis</i>	Lewin's rail		NT		1
animals	birds	Rostratulidae	<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian painted snipe		V	E	1
animals	birds	Strigidae	<i>Ninox strenua</i>	powerful owl		V		6
animals	birds	Turnicidae	<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	black-breasted button-quail		V	V	2
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	spotted-tailed quoll (southern subspecies)		V	E	5
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	brush-tailed rock-wallaby		V	V	11
animals	mammals	Phascolarctidae	<i>Phascolarctos cinereus (southeast Queensland bioregion)</i>	koala (southeast Queensland bioregion)		V	V	99
plants	higher dicots	Apocynaceae	<i>Marsdenia coronata</i>	slender milkvine		V		3/2
plants	higher dicots	Lamiaceae	<i>Plectranthus habrophyllus</i>			E	E	1/1
plants	higher dicots	Myrtaceae	<i>Melaleuca irbyana</i>			E		4
plants	higher dicots	Sapindaceae	<i>Cupaniopsis tomentella</i>	Boonah tuckeroo		V	V	1
plants	higher dicots	Sapotaceae	<i>Planchonella eerwah</i>			E	E	2/1

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 D

BAAM Baseline Terrestrial and Aquatic Vertebrate Assessment



WYATT ROAD, UNDULLAH

BASELINE TERRESTRIAL AND AQUATIC VERTEBRATE ASSESSMENT

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared for TRE Developments for the purpose of providing an independent and comprehensive baseline assessment of the terrestrial and aquatic fauna and associated habitat values of the site of the Undullah development area (the 'study site'), located in south-east Queensland.

The study site is located 41 km south of Brisbane city and 10 km west of Jimboomba. The site comprises approximately 1000 hectares and is located within a largely constant vegetation matrix to the north and west. Lands to the south and south-west are cleared for cattle grazing and other land uses.

Much of the project area has historically been used for grazing activity and selective logging. Large areas have suffered lantana infestation. Despite this much of the study site retains vegetation cover in varying stages of maturity.

RESULTS OF THE ASSESSMENT

Examination of state and federal databases for the subject site and surrounds indicated 16 possible fauna species of conservation significance (under the NC Act and/or EPBC Act) identified from the vicinity of the subject site. Analysis of the NRW certified RE mapping for the subject site indicates that the whole of the site is considered 'essential habitat' for the Koala, and there are small areas considered 'essential habitat' for the Wallum Froglet. It is acknowledged that the official RE mapping may not accurately reflect the existing on-ground vegetation communities.

Following field surveys two species of conservation significant fauna were identified – Koala and Powerful Owl. Detailed habitat assessment on the study site indicated the potential occurrence of a further four species of conservation significant fauna protected under the provisions of the NC Act and/or the

EPBC Act. A further 13 species recorded during the surveys are considered as regionally significant species under the EPA's BAMM mapping methodology.

An analysis of the faunal assemblage revealed the presence of 142 terrestrial vertebrates (24 mammals, 87 birds, 17 reptiles and 14 amphibians), and three aquatic vertebrates (fish).

HABITAT VALUES OF THE STUDY SITE

Despite disturbance from previous vegetation removal and cattle grazing, the site contains some important vegetation and landscape features that provide habitat for a range of fauna species. This is particularly apparent along Sandy Creek, which, in addition to permanent water in the form of isolated stream pools, provides dense cover, hollows, foraging resources (seeds, fruit, nectar, invertebrate and vertebrate prey for numerous small birds, raptors and mammals) and a high diversity of micro-habitat for ground dwelling mammals, reptiles and amphibians.

Vegetation on the study site is dominated by eucalypt woodlands with some areas of riparian vegetation and artificial dam/wetland areas. Due to historical landuse, eucalypt woodland on the study site often has reduced canopy cover, particularly in the southern half of the site. Woodland to the north of Sandy Creek generally appeared to be substantially less disturbed and more mature than areas to the south. Despite this, habitat values on the site support a diverse range of open forest/woodland fauna including two EVR and several regionally significant species such as Yellow-bellied and Squirrel Gliders.

The site has been subject to weed invasion with extensive Lantana thickets, particularly along drainage lines, however these also provide valuable shelter for native fauna in the absence of native vegetation.

The site is bounded to the north, west and east by largely continuous tracts of vegetation which form part of a bushland corridor linking several EPA estates from Mount Barney in the south to Flinders Peak then east to Karawatha. The status of this corridor is currently being reviewed and areas within this corridor may be elevated to being of state or regional significance in the future (EPA 2006b). This also links a major east-west bushland corridor connecting the McPherson and Main Ranges in the south to four regionally significant corridors in the north (EPA 2006b), including a regionally significant corridor extending from Greenbank-Karawatha to Moreton Bay.

Lands to the south and south-west are largely cleared for pastoral activities and hold reduced potential for fauna movement. The study site itself remains well-vegetated for the most part, providing an important habitat remnant in conjunction with surrounding vegetated properties, as well as contributing to regional fauna movement and dispersal.

The riparian vegetation along Sandy Creek facilitates the movement of species restricted to more dense vegetation types, and connects with riparian vegetation east of Flagstone and along the Logan River.

CONSTRAINTS TO FUTURE DEVELOPMENT

The riparian zone along Sandy Creek and adjoining habitat should be considered as strategically important for fauna movement purposes as well as for providing important habitat for a number of significant species.

The most important habitat value of the site, while providing good quality habitat for a range of species, is its connection with the extensive bushland to the north and north-west. For species such as Powerful Owl and Spotted-tailed Quoll which have large home ranges, their continued presence on the subject site depends on the maintenance of these adjoining habitats. Conversely, habitat within the site contributes to the habitat value of the larger remnant area. Biodiversity Planning Assessment mapping affords this riparian zone and habitats to the north both regional and state significance for their ecosystem value, relative ecosystem size, ecosystem diversity and context and

connection. For adjoining habitat south of Sandy Creek, field assessment has shown that the habitat present is suitable for Koalas and Yellow-bellied Gliders in particular.

Taking into account the fauna habitat values and the proximity to adjacent fauna habitats a fauna habitat constraints map was produced for the site (refer to **Figure 5.1**).

Any future development planning will also need to incorporate fauna management in conservation areas, particularly habitat restoration, weed management, pest animal management and the control of fire.

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BAAM	Biodiversity Assessment and Management Pty Ltd
BAMM	Biodiversity Assessment and Mapping Methodology
BPA	Biodiversity Planning Assessment
BSC	Beauresort Shire Council
LCC	Logan City Council
DEWHA	Commonwealth Department of Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts
DPIF	Queensland Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries
EPA	Queensland Environmental Protection Agency
EPBC Act	Commonwealth <i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999</i>
EVR	Endangered, Vulnerable or Rare
IP Act	<i>Integrated Planning Act 1997</i>
LGA	Local Government Area
LP Act	Queensland <i>Lands Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002</i>
NC Act	Queensland <i>Nature Conservation Act 1992</i>
NRW	Queensland Department of Natural Resources and Water
RE	Regional Ecosystem
SEQ	South-east Queensland
VM Act	Queensland <i>Vegetation Management Act 1999</i>

1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared for TRE Developments for the purpose of providing an independent assessment of the terrestrial and aquatic vertebrate fauna habitat values of the property located at Wyatt Road, Undullah.

The specific aims of the report are to provide:

- An assessment of the terrestrial and aquatic vertebrate fauna present on, or that may utilise, the study area, including a list of species and their significance under the Commonwealth's *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (EPBC Act) (that includes species listed under the Japan-Australia Migratory Bird Agreement, the China-Australia Migratory Bird Agreement and the Bonn Convention), Queensland's *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (NC Act) and the Biodiversity Assessment and Mapping Methodology (BAMM) (EPA 2002).
- An evaluation and comment on the presence or absence of any at-risk, migratory or otherwise significant species of terrestrial and aquatic vertebrate fauna of the area and the implications of such for the proposed development;
- An assessment and comment on any significant terrestrial and aquatic vertebrate faunal habitats within the study area, including their contribution to faunal movement corridors; and
- A preliminary account of potential constraints to the project under relevant legislation based on the survey findings, including any potential need for further, more detailed assessments.

All following observations and recommendations are based on a review of available literature and site investigations undertaken by Adrian Caneris, Brett Taylor and Adam Abbott on 12th to 16th January 2009 (inclusive).

2.0 STUDY AREA DESCRIPTION

2.1 LOCATION

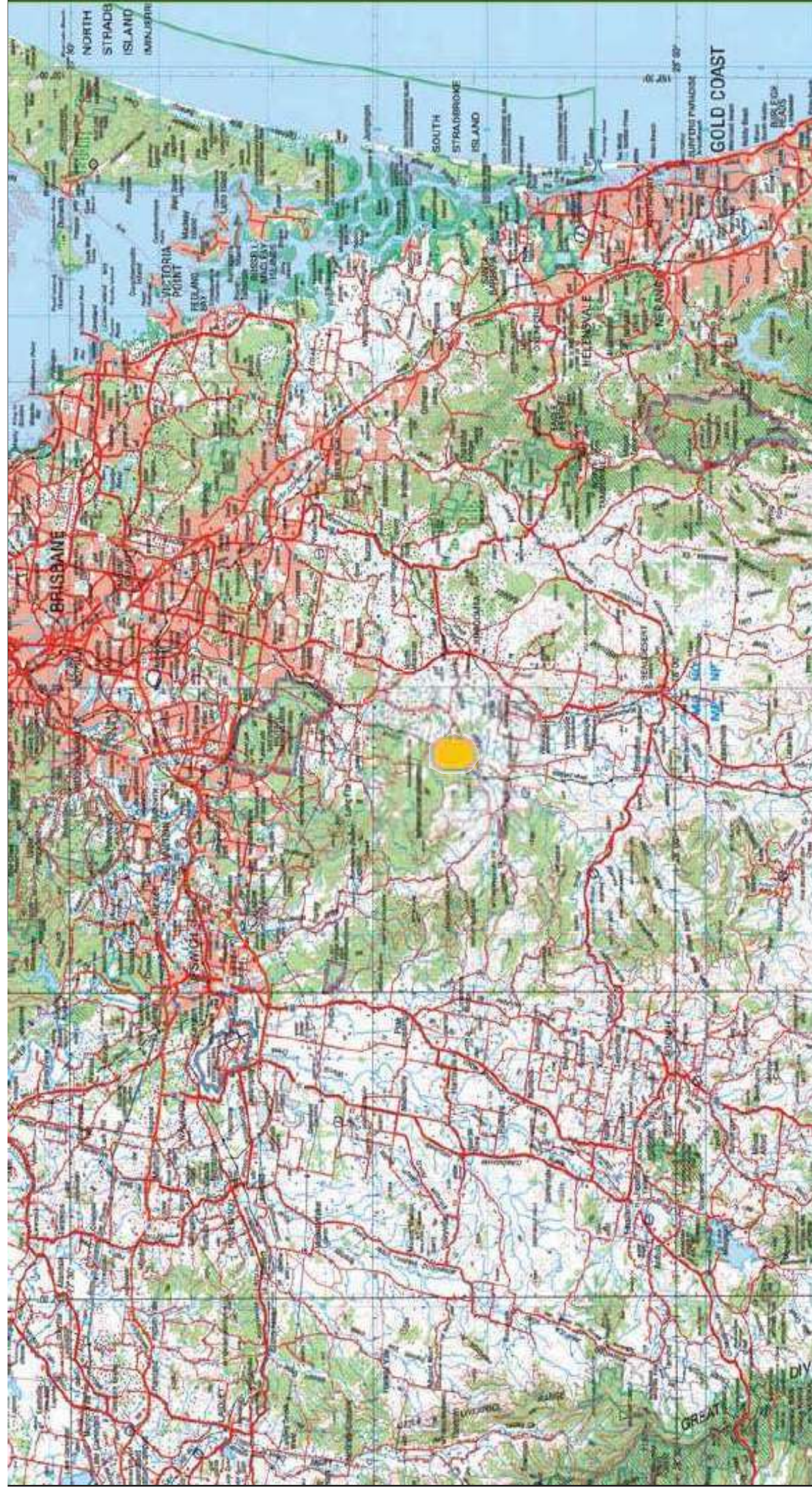
The study site is located 41 km south of Brisbane city and 10 km west of Jimboomba (**Figure 2.1**). The site comprises two properties under the jurisdiction of the Logan City Council (formerly under the Beaudesert Shire) described as Lot 3 on RP45236 and Lot 28 on S311174. The properties are located on Wyatt Road, west of the Brisbane-Sydney rail line and adjoin the Flagstone Community. Rice Road traverses the properties, heading north from the south-east corner before leaving through the western boundary, approximately following Sandy Creek.

The site is surrounded by privately owned lands and comprises approximately 1000 hectares. The properties are located within a largely constant vegetation matrix to the north and west. Lands to the south and south-west are cleared for cattle grazing and other land uses.

2.2 LAND USE AND TERRESTRIAL FEATURES

The site is largely occupied by eucalypt forest/woodland in varying stages of maturity with some native riparian vegetation along Sandy Creek. Due to past land uses, weed infestation, dominated by *Lantana camara*, is present throughout the site, particularly along drainage lines.

The site has been subject to cattle grazing and was largely cleared in the past. Related structures in various states of disrepair are distributed throughout the property. There is also a small disused quarry present in the southern portion of the site. Historically, much of the site has been selectively logged, particularly in the less steep and more accessible portions of the study site. This landuse is ongoing and parts of the site were subject to logging as recently as 2008, which has resulted in a much degraded tree canopy in some areas.



Legend:



Site Location



FIGURE 2.1

STUDY AREA LOCALITY

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2.3 DRAINAGE FEATURES

The study site is located in undulating sandstone terrain with a maximum elevation of approximately 180 m in the north-west of the site and a minimum of 50 m in the south-east corner. Several ridgelines of varying grades cross the property in the northern and western sections of the study site. Sandy Creek is an ephemeral creekline with several permanent pools, running approximately west to east in the northern section of the site. Several small farm dams/waterbodies are also distributed throughout the property.

3.0 ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING FRAMEWORK

The environmental planning framework for the study area incorporates legislation at the Commonwealth, State and local levels. In addition, planning for this area should have regard for the intent of regional statutory planning instruments.

3.1 COMMONWEALTH ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AND BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION ACT 1999

The EPBC Act protects the environment, particularly matters of National Environmental Significance (Protected matters). It streamlines national environmental assessment and approvals process, protects Australian biodiversity and integrates management of important natural and cultural places.

The EPBC Act, administered by the Commonwealth Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts (DEWHA), is designed to provide for the conservation of biodiversity through the protection of threatened species and ecological communities, migratory, marine and other protected species listed under the Act.

In planning for the study area, there may be a requirement for a referral to DEWHA in accordance with the EPBC Act Policy Statement 1.1: Significant Impact Guidelines, Matters of National Environmental

Significance (DEH 2006) for assessment against the EPBC Act. A requirement for Commonwealth referral in relation to terrestrial vertebrates will be dependant on the species of conservation significance and their associated habitats that are recorded in the study area, and the likelihood of those species and habitats being significantly impacted by any future proposed work.

3.2 QUEENSLAND NATURE CONSERVATION ACT 1992

Planning for the study area must address the guidelines and provisions of Queensland's *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (NC Act). The NC Act is the principal legislation for the conservation and management of the State's native flora and fauna and is administered by the Queensland Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The key goal of the NC Act is the preservation of endangered, vulnerable and rare (EVR) species of flora and fauna as listed under the *Nature Conservation (Wildlife) Regulation 1994*.

The NC Act (Section 68) states that:

'Protected wildlife is to be managed to—

(a) conserve the wildlife and its values and, in particular to—

- (i) ensure the survival and natural development of the wildlife in the wild; and
- (ii) conserve the biological diversity of the wildlife to the greatest possible extent; and
- (iii) identify, and reduce or remove, the effects of threatening processes relating to the wildlife; and
- (iv) identify the wildlife's critical habitat and conserve it to the greatest possible extent; and ...'.

Protected wildlife is linked to the *Vegetation Management Act 1999* (VMA) through the mapping of Remnant Vegetation and associated Essential Habitat contained therein.

3.3 VEGETATION MANAGEMENT ACT 1999

The purpose of the *Vegetation Management Act 1999* is to regulate the clearing of native vegetation (i.e. Remnant Vegetation mapped as Regional Ecosystems (REs) that are: Endangered, Of Concern and Not of Concern) to maintain ecological processes, ensure there is no loss of biodiversity or increase in land degradation from vegetation clearing and manage the effects of clearing. In addition, some areas of remnant vegetation are further classified as Essential Habitat under the VM Act with specific reference to conservation significant species listed under the NC Act.

The VM Act is administered by the Queensland Department of Natural Resources and Water (NRW) certified mapping of Remnant Vegetation and Essential Habitat. Clearing of native vegetation mapped as RE and/or Essential Habitat is subject to assessment by the NRW against the Regional Vegetation Management Code for the Southeast Queensland Bioregion (NRW 2006).

3.4 QUEENSLAND LANDS PROTECTION (PEST AND STOCK ROUTE MANAGEMENT) ACT 2002

The main purpose of the *Lands Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002* (LP Act) legislation is to provide pest management for agricultural lands. The LP Act lists several species of flora and fauna that are considered Class 1, 2 or 3 pests under the Act.

In addition, there may be environmental weeds that are not listed under the LP Act may be present within the study area.

Future planning in the study area should incorporate appropriate weed and pest management.

3.5 DRAFT SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND REGIONAL PLAN 2009-2031

The Draft South East Queensland Regional Plan 2009–2031 and associated regulatory

provisions refines and modifies the strategic directions, principles and policies of the South East Queensland Regional Plan 2005 to respond to the emerging issues. Population projections have been extended to 2031 and the implications for accommodating growth in South East Queensland (SEQ) have been examined and addressed.

Identified Growth Areas are being considered for future urban development subject to investigation into the land capability, suitability, infrastructure requirements and other relevant investigations.

3.6 QUEENSLAND STATE KOALA MAPPING

The *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006-2016* addresses the key threats facing Koalas and sets out strategies to stop the decline of Koala numbers and set in train the species' recovery. The Koala Plan addresses: habitat protection and vegetation clearing, development; State Government infrastructure; vehicle mortality; dog attacks; translocation; research; zoos; public education and the rehabilitation of sick, injured and orphaned Koalas.

The Koala Plan has replaced the SEQ Regional Plan Interim Guideline — Koalas and Development, which provided assessment criteria applying to proposed development in Koala Habitat Areas.

The *draft South East Queensland Koala State Planning Regulatory Provisions* came into effect on 12 December 2008. The Department of Infrastructure and Planning is now the concurrence agency under the *Integrated Planning Act 1997* for defined development in Urban Koala Areas and in Koala Sustainability Areas that are within the Urban Footprint as defined in the South East Queensland Regional Plan 2005-2026.

3.7 BIODIVERSITY PLANNING ASSESSMENT SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND BIOREGION

The EPA has prepared Biodiversity Planning Assessments (BPAs) for a number of Queensland Bioregions (as defined under the VM Act) in order to provide broadscale ecological data to advise a range of planning and decision-making processes.

The BPAs are based on the Biodiversity Assessment and Mapping Methodology (BAMM) (EPA 2002) using vegetation mapping data generated by the Queensland Herbarium. The methodology identifies areas with various levels of significance for biodiversity reasons, such as threatened ecosystems or taxa, large tracts of habitat in good condition, ecosystem diversity, landscape context and connection, and buffers to wetland or other types of habitat important for the maintenance of biodiversity or ecological processes.

The BAMM assigns three levels of Biodiversity Significance:

- State Significance – Areas assessed as being significant for biodiversity at the bioregional or state scales. They also include areas assessed by other studies/processes as being significant at national or international scales;
- Regional Significance – Areas assessed as being significant for biodiversity at the sub-bioregional scale. These areas have lower significance for biodiversity than areas assessed as being of State significance; and
- Local Significance and Other Values – Areas assessed as not being significant for biodiversity at State or Regional scales. Local values are of significance at the local government scale.

The methodology uses seven diagnostic criteria: Habitat for EVR taxa; Ecosystem value; Tract size; Relative size of Regional Ecosystem; Condition; Ecosystem diversity; and Context and connection, utilizing Queensland Herbarium RE mapping and buffered EVR flora and fauna records. Three supplementary criteria refine the mapped

information by incorporating local knowledge and expert opinion. These are: Essential and general habitat for priority taxa; Special biodiversity values; and Corridors. Expert Panel Reports are compiled to document the decision-making process for assessing the supplementary criteria.

3.8 LOGAN CITY COUNCIL (BEAUDESERT SHIRE PLANNING SCHEME 2007)

The study site is located within the boundaries of the Logan City Local Government Area (LGA). This area was previously located within the Beaudesert Shire LGA until March 15, 2008. As such, the study site is subject to the provisions of the Beaudesert Shire Planning Scheme 2007 (BSC Planning Scheme).

4.0 STUDY METHODOLOGY

4.1 DESK TOP

Prior to the field surveys, public databases were searched in order to provide background information regarding terrestrial vertebrates known from the region and local area. This included searches of the Commonwealth's EPBC Online Protected Matters Search Tool, the EPA's WildNet database, Birds Australia's New Atlas database and the Queensland Museum's fauna databases for the study area and surrounds. Information gained from this phase of the study was used to:

- Ensure that survey methods were designed to detect species of significance known from the region; and
- Determine which species were most likely to occur if suitable habitat was located within the study area. Those species known from recent, nearby records are considered more likely to occur if suitable habitat is located.

4.2 FIELD SURVEY

4.2.1 Survey Effort and Site Selection

The terrestrial vertebrate field survey program involved a trap/release program and

passive recording conducted over five days and four nights in January 2009, following the techniques recommended by the EPA's *Guidelines for Flora and Fauna Surveys* (EPA 1999) and in accordance with the EPA's Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service's Scientific Purposes Permit No. WISP02791605 and Queensland Department of Primary Industries' (DPI) Animal Ethics Committee Certification No. CA 2005/10/81.

In order to represent the basic vegetation/habitat types within the study area, a total of five terrestrial trapping sites were established, as follows:

- Site 1: Riparian vegetation along an ephemeral sandy creekline adjacent to open eucalypt forest, open/disturbed canopy with scattered hollows, weedy shrub layer dense adjacent to creek but sparse away from bank, sparse ground layer/litter coverage with few fallen logs;
- Site 2: Riparian vegetation along an ephemeral rocky creekline adjacent to open eucalypt forest, open/disturbed canopy with scattered hollows, weedy shrub layer dense to sparse adjacent to creek but sparse away from bank, dense grassy layer in places, sparse litter coverage with few fallen logs;
- Site 3: Ridgeline open eucalypt woodland with some rocky areas, open/disturbed canopy with scattered hollows, sparse shrub/ground layer with moderate litter coverage and fallen logs;
- Site 4: Hill slope open eucalypt woodland, very open/disturbed canopy with few hollows, weedy shrub layer sparse to dense, ground layer sparse, moderate litter coverage and numerous fallen logs;
- Site 5: Open eucalypt forest adjacent to old dam; canopy layer relatively closed and with more hollows, weedy shrub layer close to water but more scattered in forest, ground layer sparse, moderate litter coverage with numerous fallen logs.

4.2.2 Survey Techniques

Box Traps

At each systematic trapping site, over four nights during the January survey period, 22 Elliot traps (20 type A and two type B) and one cage trap were placed on ground 5-8 m apart using a variety of baits (rolled oats, peanut butter, oil and vanilla +/- salami). Trap placement was influenced by vegetation diversity, the size and shape of the vegetation patches and by naturally occurring features such as logs, rock outcrops, tree bases and clumping vegetation. These traps were cleared early morning and reset in late afternoon in accordance with animal ethics requirements. Additional cage traps were placed where habitat was considered suitable for the EVR species Spotted-tailed Quoll *Dasyurus maculatus maculatus*.

The location of each box trap line is provided in **Table 4.1** and shown on **Figure 4.1**.

Infrared Camera

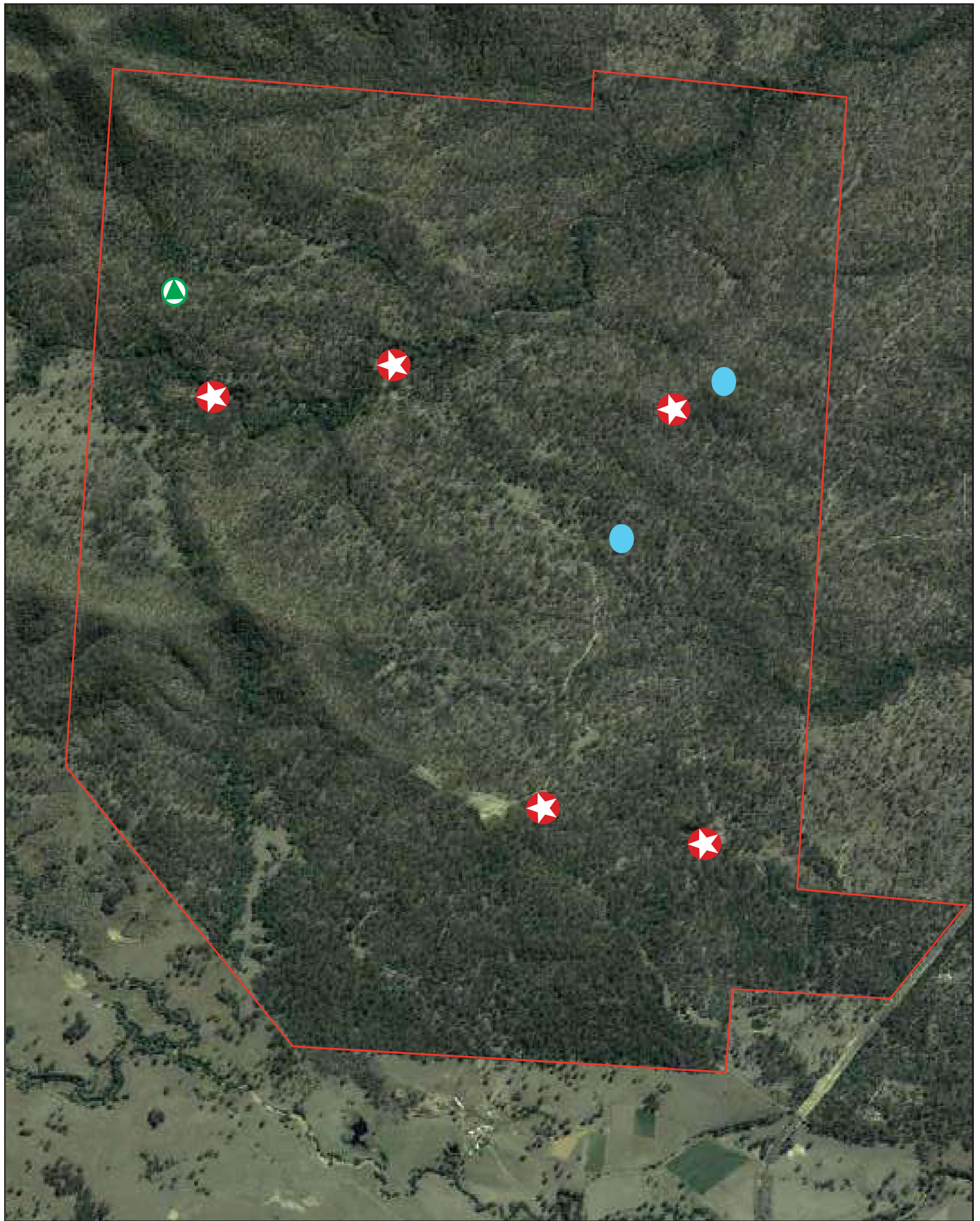
An infrared camera was placed near cage traps targeting Spotted-tail Quoll to capture records of that and other trap-shy species that were attracted to the bait but were unwilling to enter the traps.

Pitfall Traps

Where possible, pitfall lines were established at each systematic trapping site, over four nights during the January survey period. Four pitfall traps (20 or 10 litre containers, depending on substrate) were buried flush to the ground surface and connected by a 20 m drift fence. These traps were cleared early morning and reset in late afternoon in accordance with animal ethics requirements.

The location of each pit trap line is provided in **Table 4.1** and shown on **Figure 4.1**.

Pitfall lines were not established at trapping site S3 due to the nature of the substrate.



Source: Google Earth Pro 2009

Legend:

- Site boundary
- ★ Trapping site
- ▲ Powerful Owl - *Ninox strenua*
- Koala - *Phascolarctos cinerus*



FIGURE 4.1

Survey Site Locations and Records of Significant Species

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Table 4.1. Terrestrial Vertebrate Trapping Site Locations

Trap Site	GPS Location ¹		Habitat Type
	Lat	Long	
1	S27.80826	E152.90880	Riparian vegetation
2	S27.80790	E152.91537	Riparian vegetation
3	S27.81130	E152.92439	Open Woodland
4	S27.82465	E152.91831	Open Woodland
5	S27.82659	E152.92434	Open Woodland

Note: Centre point of site. Map Datum GDA and locations recorded on Garmin GPS.

Harp Traps

Harp traps for trapping micro-bats were not deployed during the January 2009 survey due to the lack of suitable flyways on the study site.

Diurnal Searches

Active diurnal searches were undertaken that involved intensive investigation of ground layer (under logs, rocks and leaf litter), low vegetation (under bark and in tree stumps) and rock crevices for all amphibians, reptiles, bats and animal signs (e.g. scats, owl pellets, orts (bird feeding remnants), remains and tracks). Searches were conducted in conjunction with the morning bird censuses and during the warmer parts of the day when reptile activity was likely to be at its peak.

Turtle/Fish Trapping and Searches

Turtle and fish traps were deployed during the January 2009 survey period. Turtles were also searched for with binoculars in conjunction with the morning bird censuses and during other times throughout each day.

Targeted Searches

During the survey period, special effort was made to detect the presence of species of special conservation significance obtained from the database searches, with particular focus on Koala *Phascolarctos cinereus*, Powerful Owl *Ninox strenua* and Spot-tailed Quolls.

Diurnal Bird Census

Birds were surveyed throughout each habitat type in the morning and afternoon. Birds were identified from either direct observation or their calls.

Nocturnal Surveys

A combination of high-powered spotlights and head torches were used to sample nocturnal mammals (flying, arboreal and terrestrial), birds (owls and nightjars), reptiles and frogs across the study area.

During the spotlighting sessions, species-specific detection was assisted by the use of call playback surveys undertaken for nocturnal birds and nocturnal mammals using the recordings of Stewart (1998a, b)

An ANABAT II ultrasonic bat call detection unit and associated ZCAIM interface module were also used to capture the calls of insectivorous bat species. The use of the ZCAIM unit allows the ANABAT II detector to be left unattended throughout the night, thereby ensuring that peak activity periods for bats are recorded each night.

Incidental (Opportunistic) Records

During the survey period, fauna observations were continuous and species records were obtained outside of the systematic methodology of the survey.

Weather conditions during the January 2009 survey were warm to hot and dry. This may have reduced the frog activity during the

survey leading to an underestimation of the number of frog species on the study site.

5.0 RESULTS

5.1 EXISTING RELEVANT INFORMATION

There is a moderately extensive amount of literature based on the region encompassing the study area and surrounds, however much of this relates to floodplain and catchment management issues with little specific reference to terrestrial or aquatic fauna.

5.2 ESSENTIAL HABITAT MAPPING:

The majority of the study site is mapped as Essential Habitat for Koala. In addition, the areas mapped as Of Concern RE 12.3.11/12.3.6 (80/20) are also mapped as Essential Habitat for the Wallum Froglet *Crinia tinnula*. These species are discussed in further detail below. The Essential Habitat for the study site is shown in **Appendix 6**.

It should be noted that the official RE mapping may not accurately reflect the existing on-ground vegetation communities.

A Property Map of Assessable Vegetation (PMAV) of the study site is being completed through onsite field surveys conducted by the Saunders Havill Group. Currently the entire site is considered as a composite Of Concern RE that is incorporated into the Essential Habitat mapping. Small areas mapped as Not Of Concern (RE 12.9-10.17) are not included as Essential Habitat for Koala. Onsite inspections suggest that much the vegetation on the site should be redefined as the Not Of Concern REs. This may also reduce the amount of Essential Habitat for Koala on the study site.

5.2.1 Koala *Phascolarctos cinereus*

Under the VM Act, Essential Habitat for the Koala is described as:

“Open (structurally complex with mixture young/mature/old growth, especially 30-80cm dbh), mixed (rich in number and species diversity of food trees) eucalypt forest and

woodland at lower altitude in undulating country on relatively deep and usually high nutrient soil (main species - *Eucalyptus tereticornis*, *E. fibrosa*, *E. propinqua*; *E. umbra*, *E. grandis*, *E. microcorys*, *E. tindaliae*, *E. resinifera*, *E. populnea*; *E. robusta*, *E. nigra*, *E. signata* [racemosa]).”

Essential Habitat for Koala has been mapped under the VM Act in remnant vegetation throughout the entire study site. The Essential Habitat includes: RE 12.3.3, open forest to woodland with *Eucalyptus tereticornis* with other eucalypt species; RE 12.9-10.2, open forest to woodland (*Corymbia citriodora* with *E. crebra* and other eucalypt species); RE 12.9-10.7, open forest to woodland (*E. crebra*, *E. tereticornis* with other eucalypt species); and RE 12.9-10.17, open forest with a variety of stringybarks, grey gums, ironbarks and spotted gums (including *E. moluccana*, *C. citriodora*, *E. siderophloia* and *E. propinqua*).

Koalas have a distinct association with eucalypt woodland and forest habitat types containing suitable food trees. Regional Ecosystems with suitable food trees are mapped throughout the study site. Both Koala and Koala habitat on the site are the subject of a separate report (BAAM 2009).

5.2.2 Wallum Froglet *Crinia tinnula*

Under the VM Act Essential Habitat for the Wallum Froglet is described as:

“Vegetation community is a mandatory essential habitat factor for this species. Permanent to ephemeral acidic (pH 4.3 - 5.2), soft freshwater in Melaleuca (e.g. *M. quinquenervia*) swamps, sedgeland, wet and dry heathland (e.g. *Banksia robur*, *Xanthorrhoea*) and wallum (*Banksia aemula* shrubland/woodland) areas coastal lowlands on sand or sandstone, occasionally in adjacent open forest/woodland (e.g. *Eucalyptus racemosa*, *Corymbia citriodora*) with healthy understorey; known to persist in small remnants (<10ha); may be found well away from water.”

Essential Habitat for Wallum Froglet has been mapped under the VM Act in two small areas along the eastern boundary of the study site. The essential habitat includes:

RE 12.3.6, *Melaleuca quinquinervia*, *E. tereticornis* and *Lophostemon suaveolens* woodland; and RE 12.3.11, open forest to woodland (*E. tereticornis*, *E. siderophloia* and *C. intermedia* with other eucalypt species).

The Wallum Froglet is one of the so-called 'acid frogs' (Ingram and Corben 1975) that breed in low pH freshwater swamps on low nutrient soils, usually deep sands. Onsite inspections and the lack of database records for this species indicate it is highly unlikely to occur in the study area. It is also our understanding that if the species does occur, these areas will be protected.

5.3 DRAFT SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND REGIONAL PLAN 2009-2031

Part of the study site (i.e. Lot 3 on RP45236, also identified as Greater Flagstone in the Draft Plan) is identified in the *Draft South East Queensland Regional Plan 2009-2031* as 'Identified Growth Area'.

Greater Flagstone is expected to support the existing urban areas through the creation of new and varied job opportunities. Additional housing opportunities will also be facilitated. However, given its current isolated location, the provision of road and public transport infrastructure is vital to connect the proposed new community to the urban communities of Gold Coast, Logan and Ipswich.

5.4 NATURE CONSERVATION (KOALA) CONSERVATION PLAN 2006 AND MANAGEMENT PROGRAM 2006-2016

The study site lies within Koala District A under the *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006-2016* (EPA 2006a). The study site is not identified as 'Koala Habitat Area' in this management plan, although its inclusion in District A requires consideration of Koala habitat values.

In addition, the study site is not included in the *Draft South East Queensland Koala State Planning Regulatory Provisions Regulatory Maps* mapping of 'Interim Koala Habitat Protection Areas'.

5.5 LOGAN CITY COUNCIL (BEAUDESERT SHIRE PLANNING SCHEME 2007)

The study site is zoned as Mount Lindesay Corridor Future Investigation in the central and northeast of the site and Countryside along the western and southern boundaries, under the Beaudesert Shire Planning Scheme 2007.

The study site is included in several overlays/maps under the planning scheme relevant to this report including but not limited to: Nature Conservation Overlay (OV2.1D: Conservation, OV2.3D: Vegetation Management Area), Development Constraints Overlay (OV3.1D: Bushfire Hazard), Catchment Management, Waterways and Wetlands Overlay (OV6.1D) and Biodiversity Planning Assessment (PM 3.1D). The designations under the abovementioned overlays are listed in **Table 5.1**. It should be noted that the overlay designations are purely desktop based and as a result serve as a trigger for this detailed field assessment.

Table 5.1: Beaudesert Shire Planning Scheme 2007

Overlay/Map	Constraint
Nature Conservation Overlay: Conservation OV2.1D	Regional Nature Conservation Area Local Nature Conservation Area Any proposed development in these areas is subject to compliance with the Nature Conservation Overlay Code (BSC Planning Scheme) Chapter 4, Part 3)
Nature Conservation Overlay: Vegetation Management Area OV2.3D	Vegetation Management Area Any proposed development in these areas is subject to compliance with the Nature Conservation Overlay Code (BSC Planning Scheme, Chapter 4, Part 3)
Development Constraints Overlay: Bushfire Hazard OV3.1D	Medium Bushfire Hazard Any proposed development in these areas is subject to compliance with the Development Constraints Overlay Code (BSC Planning Scheme, Chapter 4, Part 4)
Catchment Management, Waterways and Wetlands Overlay OV6.1D	Pollutant Load Risk – Medium Riparian Habitat Presence Any proposed development in these areas is subject to compliance with the Catchment Management, Waterways and Wetlands Overlay Code (BSC Planning Scheme, Chapter 4, Part 7)
Biodiversity Planning Assessment PM3.1D	State Significance Special Regional Significance Special Local Significance Non Remnant

5.6 PRELIMINARY FAUNA HABITAT ASSESSMENT – UNDULLAH (2007)

A preliminary fauna habitat assessment of the study site was commissioned by Saunders Havill Group and was carried out by BAAM P/L in June 2007. The report (BAAM 2007) aimed to assess the extent and quality of fauna habitat on the study site with a focus on EVR species, particularly Koala and Spotted-tailed Quoll. The methodology used for the assessment was designed to provide a general overview of fauna habitat on the study site and no detailed transect surveys were carried out. Survey methods included limited Elliot and cage trapping, spotlighting and general fauna observations. Records of vertebrate fauna from this assessment are incorporated in this report.

5.7 DATABASE SEARCHES

Species records obtained from the Queensland Museum, EPA WildNet and Birds Australia New Atlas databases are listed in Appendix 2 in their original format.

These records are collated in **Appendix 1** which also includes all BAAM survey records (June 2007 and January 2009). Species records obtained from the EPBC Online Protected Matters Search Tool are listed in **Appendix 3**.

These database searches are based on a larger area than the study area to capture as many records as possible for the local area. Given the timeframe of this project, search results for the EPA WildNet database contain records submitted to the EPA (as part of our permit requirements) that were collected during the current surveys. Where relevant, and when possible, such duplication will be identified.

It should be noted that the results from the EPBC Online Protected Matters Search are predictive only and do not necessarily indicate the presence of a species. Hence they are not included in **Appendix 2** which provides a list of species known for the study area and immediate surrounds.

Species of special conservation significance obtained from the database searches (including the EPBC Online Protected Matters Search Tool) but not detected during the surveys are detailed in **Appendix 4**. Database records are not necessarily obtained from the actual study area and, following the field-based site assessment and consideration of the habitats present within the study area and the known ranges of the animals, only some of those species listed are considered likely to occur. These are discussed in further detail in **Section 6.3**.

Database records listed in the appendices are provided using the nomenclature of the source. There is a lack of uniformity in nomenclature across the organisations that maintain the databases. In an effort to simplify nomenclature this report follows the CSIRO List of Australian Vertebrates (Clayton *et al.* 2006) as it provides a single point of reference for all terrestrial vertebrate groups. Fish follow Allen *et al.* (2002).

5.8 RECORDED TERRESTRIAL VERTEBRATE SPECIES

All terrestrial vertebrate species recorded during the BAAM June 2007 and January 2009 surveys, are listed in **Appendix 5** with location details.

In total, 142 vertebrate species have been recorded from the study area during these surveys, including three fish, 14 frog, 17 reptile, 87 bird and 24 mammal species (**Table 5.2**). The majority of the study area's terrestrial vertebrate species are currently listed in Queensland's NC Act as 'Least Concern' wildlife (i.e. native animals that are not currently listed as 'Presumed Extinct, Endangered, Vulnerable or Rare', although are still prescribed as protected wildlife). All of the recorded fish species are also listed as 'least concern' wildlife.

Under the NC Act, Powerful Owl is listed as Vulnerable, Koala as Vulnerable (SEQ Bioregion) and Culturally Significant, and Short-beaked Echidna *Tachyglossus aculeatus* as Culturally Significant (**Table 5.3**). These species are discussed in **Sections 5.9** and **5.10**. One identified species is considered to be Migratory as listed under the EPBC Act and is discussed in **Section 5.11**. In addition to these, a further 13 species are recognised as regionally significant species under BAMB mapping for the SEQ bioregion, and are discussed in **Section 5.12**.

The locations of significant species recorded from the study area and surrounds are shown on **Figure 4.1**.

Table 5.2. Terrestrial Vertebrate Species Totals from Site Assessment (2009 survey only)

Site	Frogs	Reptiles	Birds	Mammals	Total
1	1	5	25	7	38
2	4	7	31	4	46
3		3	12	3	18
4	1	7	24	4	36
5	10	2	24	4	40
Incidental only	1	3	22	5	31

[^] Only Elliot trapping was conducted at Trapping Site 3
Trapping sites were subject to varying survey effort.

Table 5.3. EVR and BAMB terrestrial vertebrate species detected within the study area by BAAM surveys

Zoological Name	Common Name	NC Act	EPBC Act	BAMB
FROGS				
<i>Limnodynastes tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Grass Frog			X
<i>Litoria dentata</i>	Bleating Tree Frog			X
<i>Litoria peronii</i>	Peron's Tree Frog			X

Zoological Name	Common Name	NC Act	EPBC Act	BAMM
REPTILES				
<i>Morethia taeniopleura</i>	Fire-tailed Skink			X
<i>Diporiphora australis</i>	Tommy Roundhead			X
BIRDS				
<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>	Bush Stone-curlew			X
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	Vulnerable		
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	Special Least Concern	Migratory	
MAMMALS				
<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Short-beaked Echidna	Special Least Concern		
<i>Phascogale tapoatafa</i>	Brush-tailed Phascogale			X
<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	Common Dunnart			X
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala (south-east Queensland bioregion)	Vulnerable Special Least Concern		
<i>Petaurus australis australis</i>	Yellow-bellied Glider (southern subspecies)			X
<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel Glider			X
<i>Aepyprymnus rufescens</i>	Rufous Bettong			X
<i>Scotorepens orion</i>	Eastern Broad-nosed Bat			X
<i>Vespadelus darlingtoni</i>	Large Forest Bat			X

5.9 EVR TERRESTRIAL VERTEBRATES DETECTED DURING THE SURVEYS

Powerful Owl *Ninox strenua*

Status: NC Act Vulnerable.

Occurrence on the subject site: A single individual was heard responding to call playback at Site 1.

Ecology and Habitat: Pairs of Powerful Owls occupy large, probably permanent, home ranges of about 1,000 ha (Higgins 1999; Garnett and Crowley 2000), although in Victoria ranges larger than 4000 ha have been recorded (Soderquist and Gibbons 2007). Their principle prey is medium-sized mammals, particularly possums and gliders, which often represent more than 50% of their diet, but which also includes other birds, flying-foxes, rats and insects (Higgins 1999; Webster *et al.* 1999).

Adult birds roost in a variety of tree species, including exotics. Commonly, the roost tree has thick vegetation in which the owl can

escape from the mobbing activities of smaller avian species. During breeding, adults usually roost in close proximity to the nest tree (Webster *et al.* 1999). The species occurs in mountain rainforests, gullies and forest margins, sparser hilly woodlands, coastal forests, woodlands, scrubs, exotic pine plantations and large trees in private/public gardens (Pizzey and Knight 2003). Powerful Owls are most likely observed at sites with mature dry forest, many live hollow-bearing trees, diverse habitats within two km, and not much pure regrowth within five km (Loyn *et al.* 2001).

Distribution and Breeding: This species is found in south-eastern Australia from Victoria north to Eungella, Queensland, and it is most common on the eastern slopes of the Great Dividing Range (Garnett and Crowley 2000).

Powerful Owls breed once per year from May to August. Nests are located in large tree hollows, usually at a considerable height above the ground (10-40 m) (Beruldsen 2003). Consequently, the presence of large hollow-bearing trees is important for breeding, and smaller hollows are important

for the persistence of prey species. The Powerful Owl has been known to breed successfully in semi-urban areas in Brisbane (Garnett 1993).

Threats: Widespread clearing has reduced the amount of available suitable habitat by almost half. However the species is still persistent and stable in remaining habitats (Garnett and Crowley 2000). Forestry practices have the potential to impact this species through the removal of hollow bearing trees that provide suitable nesting locations or shelter for prey species. However, most logging on mainland Australia now occurs in a mosaic pattern consisting of logged and unlogged areas, and studies have suggested that the Powerful Owl can persist in such mosaics by nesting in unlogged areas and foraging in logged or regrowth areas (Kavanagh *et al.* 1995).

Koala *Phascolarctos cinereus*

Status: NC Act Vulnerable (SEQ Bioregion).

Occurrence on the subject site: Two individuals were observed within the study site during targeted Koala searches (BAAM 2009).

Ecology and Habitat: Throughout SEQ, Koalas have a distinct association with eucalypt woodland and forest habitat types containing suitable food trees (Hume and Esson 1993; Moore and Foley 2000; Martin *et al.* 2008), although they are not necessarily restricted to bushland and remnant areas and are known to exist and breed within farmland and the urban environment (Dique *et al.* 2004). Similarly, movement is not confined to vegetated corridors, as they also move across cleared rural land and through suburbs (Martin *et al.* 2008).

They use a variety of trees, including many non-eucalypts, for feeding, shelter and breeding purposes (Dique *et al.* 2004; Martin *et al.* 2008). They can, however, have distinct, localised preferences throughout their range, selecting some species in preference to others, and are even known to have favourite individual trees due possibly to high leaf moisture content, high leaf

nitrogen content (which is often related to low fibre content making leaves more palatable) and low formylated phloroglucinol compounds (FPC), which are produced by eucalypts to resist herbivory (Pahl and Hume 1990; Hume and Esson 1993; Pass *et al.* 1998; Lawler *et al.* 1998, 2000; Moore and Foley 2000).

Individual animals, although solitary, coexist within overlapping home ranges, which contain a finite number of feed trees that are visited repeatedly and often shared with other individuals.

Distribution and Breeding: Koalas occur throughout north-east, central and south-east Queensland, extending south through Victoria into South Australia and Kangaroo Island.

Threats: Current threats to Koalas include habitat destruction and fragmentation, bushfire and disease. Populations around urban areas are also at increased risk of mortality due to dog attack and road strike (Maxwell *et al.* 1996).

5.10 CULTURALLY SIGNIFICANT VERTEBRATES DETECTED DURING THE SURVEYS

Short-beaked Echidna *Tachyglossus aculeatus*

Status: NC Act Special least concern (Culturally Significant).

Occurrence on the subject site: Scats of this species were positively identified within the study site during the June 2007 survey.

The NC ACT lists the Echidna as a 'Special Least Concern' species. This listing recommends that Governments have regard to "the special cultural significance of the animal" and "the need to conserve existing populations of the animal".

The Short-beaked Echidna is, with the Platypus and the Long-beaked Echidna *Zaglossus bruijnii* of New Guinea, one the three extant species of monotreme, a group of mammals believed to have diverged early

in the evolution of mammals, possibly about 200 million years ago (Augee *et al.* 2008).

Ecology and Habitat: The Short-beaked Echidna is specialised for feeding on ants, termites and beetle larvae. It occurs in almost all terrestrial habitats except for intensively managed farms. The species is active both by day and night and shelters in logs, crevices, burrows and leaf litter (Menkhorst and Knight 2004; Augee 2008).

Distribution and Breeding: This species occurs throughout Australia and can be expected in all well forested areas and many rural residential properties across Brisbane.

Mating takes place in July and August with juveniles seen from September (Augee 2008).

Threats: Short-beaked Echidnas are killed by dingoes/dogs and motor vehicles.

5.11 MIGRATORY SPECIES

Status: Special Least Concern (NC Act); Migratory (EPBC Act).

One terrestrial migratory species has been recorded to date:

Rainbow Bee-eater *Merops ornatus*

Rainbow Bee-eater is a common, widespread species that occurs in a wide variety of habitats, including highly modified land such as pasture. Although the quantity of suitable foraging or transit habitat for this species will be reduced, any adverse impacts will be minor in terms of this species' overall population. The ability of the species to move across the landscape will not be affected.

5.12 BAMB SPECIES

Status: BAMB Non-EVR Priority Species.

Thirteen vertebrate species observed within the study site are listed as regionally significant in the south-east Queensland bioregion (EPA 2002).

- Spotted Grass Frog *Limnodynastes tasmaniensis*
- Bleating Tree Frog *Litoria dentata*
- Peron's Tree Frog *Litoria peronii*
- Fire-tailed Skink *Morethia taeniopleura*
- Tommy Roundhead *Diporiphora australis*
- Bush Stone-curlew *Burhinus grallarius*
- Brush-tailed Phascogale *Phascogale tapoatafa*
- Common Dunnart *Sminthopsis murina*
- Yellow-bellied Glider (southern subspecies) *Petaurus australis australis*
- Squirrel Glider *Petaurus norfolcensis*
- Rufous Bettong *Aepyprymnus rufescens*
- Eastern Broad-nosed Bat *Scotorepens orion*
- Large Forest Bat *Vespadelus darlingtoni*

Spotted Grass Frog and Peron's Tree Frog are relatively common widespread species in the greater Brisbane region. Bleating Tree Frog is also common, but has a patchier distribution in the region (Czechura 2009). Local populations of these species may be reduced by draining of wetland/dam areas on the study site, but it is unlikely to have a significant impact on overall populations in the region.

The Fire-tailed Skink occurs in a wide variety of coastal and sub-coastal habitats, including open forest, woodland and heathland, and is often associated with rock outcrops, tussock grasses, fallen timber and areas of dense leaf litter (Wilson 2005). Suitable habitat is scarce in mainland Brisbane and the Fire-tailed Skink is a locally rare species (Low 1995). This species was observed/trapped at several locations in the study site. Development activities on the study site may have a negative impact on the local population. However, given the extensive tracts of habitat to the north and west, it is unlikely to significantly impact the species' long-term viability in the local landscape, provided these tracts are retained in the future.

The Tommy Roundhead Dragon prefers a variety of dry timbered habitats. This species does not survive well in highly disturbed and urban environments (Low 1995), most likely due to habitat loss and/or fragmentation, inappropriate fire regimes and road networks (Wilson 2003). Development activities on the study site may impact the local population. However, given the extensive tracts of habitat to the north and west, it is unlikely to significantly impact the species' long-term viability in the local landscape, provided these tracts are retained in the future.

Bush Stone-curlews are a nocturnal species preferring sparsely timbered woodland with few shrubs. The species is widespread but patchily distributed across Australia including the Greater Brisbane area. Habitat modification has led to substantial contractions in the species range in the east, south and southwest of Australia (Marchant and Higgins 1993). The species remains relatively common in built up parts of Brisbane and surrounds and it is considered unlikely that development activities on the study site will have a significant impact on the overall population.

Brush-tailed Phascogales inhabit drier forest and woodlands with hollow-bearing trees and sparse ground cover feeding mainly on invertebrates and nectar. They are highly arboreal and are seldom found on the ground. This species is patchily distributed around the coastal areas of Australia, but is generally rare (Menkhorst and Knight 2004).

The species is threatened by loss and fragmentation of habitat through tree clearing, too-frequent burning that reduces the number of hollows, and predation by cats and foxes (NPWS 2002). The species is considered to be declining and near-threatened in the SEQ bioregion, although the species remains under-surveyed (EPA 2006b). One individual was flushed from a hollow log near Trap Site 5 (**Photo 1**). Retention of tree hollows and/or placement of artificial hollows should be a management consideration for future development plans for the site for this species.



Photo 1: Brush-tailed Phascogale – Undullah 2009

The Common Dunnart is a small nocturnal carnivore with a diet consisting primarily of insects and spiders. It is most often found in open forest, woodlands and heath. The species is distributed from Cooktown, along the east coast south to South Australia. Inappropriate fire regimes, habitat loss and predation by cats are the major threats to the species.

Common Dunnarts are considered to be an indicator species for woodland health and are declining in the south-east Queensland bioregion (EPA 2006b). One individual was trapped at Trap Site 4. Development activities on the study site may have a significant impact on the local population. However, given the extensive tracts of habitat to the north and west, it is unlikely to significantly impact the species' long-term viability in the local landscape, provided these tracts are retained in the future.

Yellow-bellied Gliders occur in tall open eucalypt forests patchily distributed along coastal eastern Australia. Family groups nest communally in tree hollows and maintain a home range of 30-60 hectares. Eucalypt sap maintains a significant portion of their diet and is extracted from characteristic v-shaped incisions made using their lower incisor teeth (Goldingay 2008).

The species is considered to be near-threatened and is an indicator of old-growth forest health due to their dependence on tree hollows (EPA 2006b). The only known

remaining population in the lowland Brisbane region is Greenbank, and as a result has a high conservation priority (Low 1995).

They are threatened by clearing of old-growth forest and habitat fragmentation. At least four individuals were observed feeding near Trap Site 3 and another individual was heard calling near Trap Site 4. Although old-growth trees on the study site are restricted to isolated patches, trees bearing the species distinctive feeding incisions (Spotted Gums) were identified throughout the property (**Photo 2**). Retention of important feed trees, tree hollows and/or placement of artificial hollows should be a management consideration for future development plans for the site for this species.



Photo 2: Yellow-bellied Glider feeding evidence on Spotted Gum – Undullah 2009

Squirrel Gliders are associated with dry sclerophyll forests and woodlands dominated by either winter-flowering eucalypts, with an understorey of gum-producing acacias and/or an understorey of winter and autumn flowering banksias (Smith and Murray 2003). They occur along the east and west slopes of the Great Divide from central Cape York to western Victoria (Menkhorst and Knight 2004).

The species is considered to be declining over its range but remains locally abundant in

south-east Queensland (EPA 2006b). One individual was observed foraging near Trap Site 4.

The Rufous Bettong occurs in a variety of habitats, including coastal eucalypt forest, wet sclerophyll forest, and dry open woodland, and prefers areas with a sparse or grassy understorey (Menkhorst and Knight 2004). The species occurs in coastal and sub-coastal eastern Australia from far north Queensland south to Newcastle in New South Wales (Menkhorst and Knight 2004). Low (1995) suggests they are probably locally extinct in Brisbane and they are considered to be declining in south-east Queensland (EPA 2006b). It is susceptible to changes in land use, predation by foxes and competition from rabbits (Dennis and Johnson 2008). One individual was flushed from a daytime roost at Trap Site 4.

The two micro-bat species, Eastern Broad-nosed Bat and Large Forest Bat, both occur in a variety of habitats including woodlands, wet/dry eucalypt forest and rainforest. Both species require tree hollows for roosting (Churchill 1998) and are threatened by the loss of tree hollows.

5.13 EVR VERTEBRATES NOT DETECTED DURING THE SURVEY BUT PREDICTED TO OCCUR

In addition to those species discussed in **Section 5.10**, four EVR vertebrates not recorded on the study area or nearby are predicted to occur based on suitable habitat and previous local records. These species are discussed in the following sections.

Tusked Frog *Adelotus brevis*

Status: NC Act Vulnerable.

Occurrence on the subject site: Although this species was not recorded during surveys, the prevailing dry conditions were not ideal for locating this species. Database searches based on a wider area located records of this species in the region. It is considered likely to occur on the study site.

Ecology and Habitat: This species inhabits a variety of habitats including rainforest, wet sclerophyll, dry sclerophyll, woodland and vine forest, and can even be found in low numbers in open grazing country (Eyre *et al.* 1997). They occur in slow moving streams and dams, particularly around accumulated leaves and small woody debris. On land, they can be found under logs and in hollows/rock crevices beside streams and ponds (Meyer *et al.* 2001).

Distribution and Breeding: Tusked Frogs occur on the coast and ranges from the Clarke Range in central Queensland to Moss Vale in New South Wales and as far inland as the Blackdown Tableland and Carnarvon Gorge in Queensland. Historically, the species was common on the western slopes of the Great Dividing Range. However, it has declined in many areas including the New England Tableland, western flowing streams of the Main Range, elevated sites in the Clarke Range and from the Lockyer Valley in SEQ (Ingram and McDonald 1993; Eyre *et al.* 1997; Gillespie and Hines 1999).

Males construct nests in concealed sites under leaf litter, vegetation or logs in shallow water at the edge of ponds or stream pools with breeding usually occurring between September and April (Anstis 2002).

Threats: Tusked Frogs occur along streams in suburban parks in Brisbane and are very tolerant of habitat modification (Low 1995). Nonetheless, they are threatened by destruction and disturbance of habitat, reductions in water quality, Chytrid fungal disease, predation of eggs and tadpoles by exotic fish species such as Mosquito Fish *Gambusia holbrooki*, and increased ultraviolet radiation (Gillespie and Hero 1999; NPWS 2003).

Glossy Black-Cockatoo *Calyptrorhynchus lathamii*

Status: NC Act Vulnerable.

Occurrence on the subject site: This species was not observed during the BAAM surveys, however suitable feed trees (casuarina species) were identified within the study site. Database searches based on a wider area

located records of this species in the region. It is considered likely to occur occasionally on the study site.

Ecology and Habitat: The Glossy Black-Cockatoo is an extremely specialist feeder, feeding almost exclusively on the seeds of the cones of she-oaks (Casuarinaceae). Furthermore, although she-oaks are common across the landscape, the birds select and use only a small portion of this resource (Clout 1989; Crowley and Garnett 2001). The species is known to preferentially select she-oak species with greater seed fill and kernel ratio, select trees with greater cone production (usually larger mature trees), and exclusively eat young russet-coloured cones (Cameron and Cunningham 2006).

The birds are usually encountered in small family parties, feeding in groves of she-oaks throughout the day and coming to ground to drink in the early morning or late afternoon. They occur within a range of forests and woodlands, although, due to their dependence on she-oaks, they prefer habitats dominated by this tree type either in the canopy or middle stratum (Higgins 1999). In addition, the species is reliant on suitable large hollows in dead or senescent trees in which they can nest.

Distribution and Breeding: The species has a patchy distribution throughout Eastern Australia south from Eungella to Gippsland and inland to south-central Queensland and the Riverina area of New South Wales. An isolated population is present on Kangaroo Island. They are uncommon and declining, especially in the south-western parts of its range, and are now extinct in mainland South Australia (Garnett and Crowley 2000).

They are winter breeders and breed mainly from March to August, although have been recorded breeding later in Queensland. The female incubates and cares for the young alone within a large hollow tree cavity, but is regularly fed by the male. Only one egg is produced, which hatches in about 30 days. Once hatched the chick fledges in around 60 days, but remains with its parents and is fed for another three months (Garnett *et al.* 1999).

Threats: Clearance of habitat has reduced the species' range in the south and west of the Great Divide (Garnett and Crowley 2000) and remains a serious threat to the species throughout its range. In addition, fire can reduce or remove suitable feed trees from large areas for several years. Once this has occurred, she-oak regeneration can be impeded by grazing.

Fragmentation of habitats may also result in an increase in predation of nestlings and eggs or alternatively result in higher competition for hollows (Downes *et al.* 1997). This threat may be particularly severe where species adapted to altered or open habitats are abundant. These 'edge' species may include species such as Common Brushtail Possum *Trichosurus vulpecula*, Little Corella *Cacatua sanguinea* and Galah *Eolophus roseicapilla*. Without the protection of nest hollows these predators and/or competitors can significantly reduce recruitment (Garnett *et al.* 1999).

Spotted-tailed Quoll *Dasyurus maculatus maculatus*

Status: NC Act Vulnerable; EPBC Act Endangered.

Occurrence on the subject site: No Spotted-tail Quolls were observed/trapped during the BAAM surveys. However, there are several recent confirmed records of the species from the region and quolls living in close proximity to humans may be extremely trap-shy (Burnett and Whyte 2006). Given recent records, the limited nature of the BAAM surveys, and the large tracts of suitable habitat adjacent to the north and west boundaries, it is considered possible that the species occurs within the study site.

Ecology and Habitat: Spotted-tailed Quolls are solitary animals, except during mating, and are predominantly nocturnal and partly arboreal. They shelter in rock caves and hollow logs or trees, with basking sites usually nearby (Menkhorst and Knight 2004). Males occupy overlapping territories while females appear to maintain exclusive territories (Körtner *et al.* 2004). The species feeds on a variety of prey including small and medium-sized mammals, birds, large

arthropods, carrion and food scraps. They do, however, seem to have a preference for mammals (Belcher 1995; Jones and Barmuta 1998, 2000). Spotted-tailed Quolls occur in a wide variety of habitats including rainforests, wet and dry sclerophyll forests, coastal heath, scrub and sometimes Red Gum forests along inland rivers. They are found from sea-level to sub-alpine regions (Menkhorst and Knight 2004).

Distribution and Breeding: The south-east mainland sub-species was formerly distributed from Bundaberg in the north and Chinchilla in the west in Queensland and extended south to Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania (Maxwell *et al.* 1996). However, the species has undergone a range contraction in Queensland and is now rare in most areas throughout its range. Remaining populations are concentrated around the Blackall/Conondale Ranges, southern Darling Downs, Main Range, Lamington Plateau and McPherson/Border Ranges. Mating occurs from April to August (Menkhorst and Knight 2004).

Threats: Spotted-tailed Quolls are threatened by habitat loss and fragmentation, which has been particularly severe in south-east Queensland (Maxwell *et al.* 1996). Other threats include competition with foxes and feral cats, predation by foxes and dogs, and death by ingestion of 1080 or strychnine intended for wild dogs and illegal shooting (Maxwell *et al.* 1996; NPWS 2003).

Grey-headed Flying-fox *Pteropus poliocephalus*

Status: NC Act Least Concern; EPBC Act Vulnerable.

Occurrence on the subject site: No Flying-fox species was observed during BAAM surveys. Database searches based on a wider area located records for this species in the region. Suitable vegetation exists within the study site for foraging (eucalypts and melaleucas) and it is considered likely the species occurs on the study site at times.

Ecology and Habitat: Two habitat characteristics are important for Grey-headed Flying-fox - foraging resources and roosting

sites. As the species is a canopy-feeding frugivore and nectarivore, they utilise vegetation including rainforests, open eucalypt forests, woodlands, melaleuca swamps and banksia woodlands.

Roosts are commonly within dense vegetation close to water, primarily rainforest patches, stands of melaleuca, mangroves or riparian vegetation (Nelson 1965), but colonies may use exotic vegetation in urban areas (Birt *et al.* 1998). The species congregates in large camps of up to 200,000 individuals from early until late summer, with the number of bats within a camp being influenced by the availability of blossom in the surrounding area. Adults normally disperse during the winter and can migrate up to 750 km as individuals or small groups, with the young forming winter camps (Churchill 1998).

Distribution and Breeding: Regular or frequently used camps have been located between Rockhampton in Queensland south to around Mallacoota in East Gippsland, Victoria. They are generally recorded between the coast and the western slopes of the Great Dividing Range. Recent surveys have failed to locate camps or regular records of this species from the Rockhampton Area or north of Hervey Bay, Queensland. Furthermore, despite one regular camp in Melbourne (Menkhorst 1995), the southern range of the species has also appeared to have considerably retracted (Duncan *et al.* 1999). Historical records suggest they have also declined in Brisbane, although they remain abundant and widespread, and are regularly recorded from gardens and parks and from numerous camps across the city, particularly during eucalypt flowering (Low 1995).

Breeding occurs during the spring months when food resources are at their most plentiful.

Threats: Grey-headed Flying-foxes are subject to several threatening processes, the most severe being loss of habitat. It has been suggested that this resulted in a 50% decline in the population by the 1930s (Duncan *et al.* 1999). The loss of habitat, particularly important habitat such as reliable

winter resources along the east coast, has continued to lead to population decline. The species will also forage within commercial fruit farms, sometimes significantly reducing their yield. This has resulted in direct culling or the destruction of camps by harassment.

Other threatening processes include accumulation of lethal levels of lead in urban areas (Hariono *et al.* 1993), electrocution on overhead powerlines, which kills disproportionately high numbers of lactating females (Duncan *et al.* 1999), and conversion of old-growth forests and woodlands to young, even-aged stands due to too-frequent burning (NPWS 2002).

5.13.1 Feral Terrestrial Vertebrate Species

The feral terrestrial vertebrate species noted during the survey and from database searches are listed in **Table 5.6**. Four of these species are recognised as Class 2 pests under the *Lands Protection (Pest and Stock Route Management) Act 2002* (LP Act).

Under the LP Act, a Class 2 pest is one that “is established in Queensland and has, or could have a substantial adverse economic, environmental, or social impact. The management of these pests requires co-ordination and they are subject to local government-, community or landowner-led programs. Landowners must take reasonable steps to keep land free from Class 2 pests.”

Table 5.6. Feral Terrestrial Vertebrate Species Recorded During Survey

Zoological Name	Common Name	LP Act Status
<i>Bufo marinus</i>	Cane Toad	
<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	Common Starling	
<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	Common Myna	
<i>Mus musculus</i>	House Mouse	
<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	Red Fox	Class 2
<i>Canis lupus</i>	Dog/Dingo	Class 2
<i>Lepus capensis</i>	Brown Hare	
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit	Class 2
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig	Class 2

None of these species is unexpected and all are commonly found in south-east Queensland.

5.14 HABITAT VALUES FOR TERRESTRIAL VERTEBRATE SPECIES

Despite disturbance from previous vegetation removal and cattle grazing, the site contains some important vegetation and landscape features that provide habitat for a range of fauna species. This is particularly apparent along Sandy Creek, which, in addition to permanent water in the form of isolated stream pools, provides dense cover, hollows, foraging resources (seeds, fruit, nectar, invertebrate and vertebrate prey for numerous small birds, raptors and mammals) and a high diversity of micro-habitat for ground dwelling mammals, reptiles and amphibians.

The site has been subject to weed invasion with extensive Lantana thickets, particularly along drainage lines, however these also provide valuable shelter for native fauna in the absence of native vegetation.

Vegetation on the study site is dominated by eucalypt woodlands with some areas of riparian vegetation and artificial dam/wetland areas. The habitat values for each of these are discussed in the following sections.

5.14.1 Open eucalypt forest/woodland

Eucalypt forest/woodland maintains a relatively continuous cover over most of the property with some small cleared areas. Much of the slope/ridgelines are dominated by Spotted Gum *Corymbia citriodora* with some ironbark and other eucalypt species (**Photo 3**). Lower lying alluvial areas also feature large *Eucalyptus tereticornis* and *E. moluccana* (**Photo 4**).



Photo 3: Hill slope Spotted Gum woodland at Site 3 – Undullah 2009.



Photo 4: Alluvial *E. tereticornis* forest at Site 2 – Undullah 2009

These mixed eucalypt forests retain isolated patches of locally important old growth trees that provide a variety and abundance of hollows for breeding birds and arboreal fauna and a complex understorey and groundcover in the form of clumping grasses and shrubs, good leaf litter coverage and fallen logs.

Furthermore, although lacking hollows, the large areas of the site dominated by less mature forests and woodlands provide resources in the form of flowering canopy species for birds and flying-foxes, groundcover complexity for ground-dwelling species and supplementary feeding resources for Koalas in the form of young foliage. As trees within these areas continue to grow and age, they will also provide a

range of potential roosting and nesting habitats for insectivorous micro-bats, arboreal mammals and several species of birds.

Historical cattle grazing and logging practices have reduced canopy cover particularly in the southern half of the site and allowed for extensive invasion of Lantana. Woodland to the north of Sandy Creek generally appeared to be substantially less disturbed and more mature than areas to the south. Some areas of severely reduced canopy cover feature a dense sub-canopy of *Acacia* species. Despite this, habitat values on the site support a diverse range of open forest/woodland fauna including two EVR and several regionally significant species.

The ground layer provides shelter for a range of species with abundant fallen timber in some areas and rocky areas along ridgelines. Although woodland is unsuitable for breeding purposes, several frog species will utilise this habitat for foraging and shelter (under logs) including: Bleating Tree Frog; Green Tree Frog *Litoria caerulea*; Ruddy Tree Frog *L. rubella*; Ornate Burrowing Frog *Limnodynastes ornatus*; and Striped Burrowing Frog *Cyclorana australis*.

Many of the reptiles observed during the BAAM surveys, including regionally significant species such as the Fire-tailed Skink and Tommy Roundhead utilise woodland habitat. Other reptile species include: Three-clawed Worm-Skink *Anomalopus verreauxii*; Copper-tailed Skink *Ctenotus taeniolatus*; Bearded Dragon *Pogona barbata* and Lace Monitor *Varanus varius*. Although few snake species were recorded during the surveys, several common and widespread species will utilise this habitat including: Common Tree Snake *Dendrelaphis punctulatus*; Brown Tree Snake *Boiga irregularis*; Carpet Python *Morelia spilota* and Eastern Brown Snake *Pseudonaja textilis*.

Eucalypt woodlands on the site provide habitat for a range of relatively common and widespread birds including pigeon, parrot, cuckoo, honeyeater and butcherbird species. The Vulnerable Powerful Owl mainly feeds on arboreal mammals and was recorded in

this habitat during BAAM surveys. Areas with casuarinas may be suitable for the Vulnerable Glossy Black-Cockatoo. Woodland with a suitably dense understorey also provide habitat for a range of smaller species including: Speckled Warbler *Pyrrholaemus sagittatus*; fairy-wren species; Grey Fantail *Rhipidura albiscapa* and Double-barred Finch *Taeniopygia bichenovii*.

Despite the often degraded nature of many of the woodland areas; the site provides habitat values for a number of mammal species including one EVR and several regionally significant mammal species. The canopy vegetation provides resources for Koala and possum species. Woodland habitat provides resources such as tree hollows, eucalypt flowers and gum sap for glider species including the regionally significant Squirrel and Yellow-bellied Gliders. Micro-bat species will also utilise tree hollows as roost sites. Flying-fox species, including the Vulnerable Grey-headed Flying-fox, will also utilise flowering gums. The Brush-tailed Phascogale (also regionally significant) will utilise tree hollows for shelter and the canopy for foraging.

Woodland areas with suitable ground cover (dense shrub layer, fallen timber and/or rocky areas) provide habitat for marsupial carnivores such as Yellow-footed Antechinus *Antechinus flavipes*, Common Planigale *Planigale maculate* and Common Dunnart (regionally significant). Rocky areas along ridgelines may also provide den habitat for Spotted-tail Quoll. A number of common macropod species were observed utilising this habitat as well as the regionally significant Rufous Bettong.

5.14.2 Riparian vegetation

The riparian habitat on the study site is largely restricted to the banks of Sandy Creek and is often subject to severe infestations of Lantana. Nonetheless, native tree species such as *Callistemon viminalis*, *Glochidion ferdinandi* and casuarinas line the waterway and many of the larger *Eucalyptus tereticornis* remaining on the property are adjacent to these areas. The creek substrate is a combination of coarse sand and rocky areas (**Photo 5**).



Photo 5: Riparian vegetation at Site 2 – Undullah 2009

Permanent water along the creekline is obviously important to the long-term persistence of native fish species. The only permanent pools noted during the survey were adjacent to Trap Site 2, however search effort was necessarily limited. Many frog species are likely to use permanent pools along the creekline for breeding purposes and several are restricted to permanent water including Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog *Litoria fallax* and Eastern Sign-bearing Froglet *Crinia parinsignifera*. *Litoria wilcoxi* (no common name) is generally restricted to creeklines.

Turtle species such as Saw-shelled Turtle *Elseya latisternum* and Macquarie Turtle *Emydura macquarii* are expected to utilise permanent deep pools along the creek. The creekline and adjacent vegetation provide habitat for a number of reptiles including: Eastern Water-Skink *Eulamprus quoyii*; Water Dragon *Physignathus lesueurii* and Lace Monitor. Several common snake species found in adjacent woodlands are likely to forage in these areas. Species such as Red-bellied Black Snake *Pseudechis porphyriacus* and Freshwater Snake *Tropidonophis mairii* specialise in hunting frogs and are associated with freshwater habitats.

Many of the birds associated with adjacent woodlands will utilise these areas for foraging. However some species are largely restricted to these areas and the associated

dense vegetation including: White-browed Scrubwren *Sericornis frontalis*; Lewin's Honeyeater *Meliphaga lewinii*; Eastern Yellow Robin *Eopsaltria australis* and Eastern Whipbird *Psophodes olivaceus*. Glossy Black-Cockatoo may utilise casuarinas along the creek for foraging.

The dense understorey, fallen timber and rocky areas may provide habitat for small dasyurids such as Yellow-footed Antechinus, Common Dunnart and Common Planigale, as well as native rodents such as Fawn-footed Melomys *Melomys cervinipes* and Bush Rat *Rattus fuscipes*. Creek habitat featuring large rocky crevices may provide suitable den habitat for Spotted-tail Quoll. These areas will also provide suitable habitat for the Northern Brown Bandicoot *Isodon macrourus*. Many of the arboreal mammal species associated with woodland habitats are likely to utilise the large eucalypts adjacent to the riparian zone. In particular, Koala is known to forage in *Eucalyptus tereticornis*.

5.14.3 Artificial dam/wetlands

The study site contains several small artificial waterbodies, scattered throughout the site. These areas are variable in the amount of aquatic and surrounding vegetation at each site. Some Lantana infestation has occurred around waterbodies where the vegetation has been previously cleared (**Photo 6**).



Photo 6: Artificial dam/wetland at Site 5 – Undullah 2009

A conspicuous element of the fauna in this habitat is the frog community. Frog activity

was high at Trap Site 5 despite the dry conditions experienced during the January 2009 survey. Many frog species will utilise these areas for breeding including the Vulnerable Tusked Frog and regionally significant species such as Spotted Grass Frog; Peron's Tree Frog and Bleating Tree Frog.

Other common frog species that will utilise this habitat include: Striped Burrowing Frog; Ornate Burrowing Frog; Striped Marsh Frog *Limnodynastes peronii*; Broad-palmed Frog *Litoria latopalmata*; and Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog. The reptile fauna is similar to that found in riparian habitat with turtle species, Water Dragon and certain snake species.

A number of migratory wetland bird species (e.g. Great Egret *Ardea alba*) may utilise these habitats at times. However the close proximity of tall vegetation to waterbodies on the site limits their value to these species. The bird assemblage is mostly restricted to common waterbirds such as Pacific Black Duck *Anas superciliosus*; Australian Wood Duck *Chenonetta jubata*; Purple Swamphen *Porphyrio porphyrio* and Dusky Moorhen *Gallinula tenebrosa* and cormorant species.

Few mammal species are restricted to this habitat. However the Water Rat *Hydromys chrysogaster* is an amphibious species and is likely to utilise waterbodies on the site.

5.15 MOVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR TERRESTRIAL VERTEBRATE SPECIES

The site is bounded to the north, west and east by largely continuous tracts of vegetation which form part of a bushland corridor of state significance, linking several EPA estates from Mount Barney in the south to Flinders Peak then east to Karawatha. This also links a major east-west bushland corridor connecting the McPherson and Main Ranges in the south to four regionally significant corridors in the north (EPA 2006b), including a regionally significant corridor extending from Greenbank-Karawatha to Moreton Bay.

The site is located within a regional north-south corridor, considered to be important for latitudinal migrant bird species (EPA 2006b),

which move between bioregions and states. Several EPBC Act listed migratory species, such as monarch species, Satin Flycatcher *Myiagra cyanoleuca* and Rufous Fantail *Rhipidura rufifrons* may utilise the riparian corridor along Sandy Creek during seasonal dispersal. Maintenance of these species preferred habitat through their migration path (such as dense riparian vegetation) is therefore important.

Lands to the south and south-west are largely cleared for pastoral activities and hold reduced potential for fauna movement. The study site itself remains well-vegetated for the most part, providing an important habitat remnant in conjunction with surrounding vegetated properties, as well as contributing to regional fauna movement and dispersal.

The riparian vegetation along Sandy Creek facilitates the movement of species restricted to more dense vegetation types, and connects with riparian vegetation east of Flagstone and along the Logan River. The south-east corner of the site also remains linked to bushland patches which form a patchy corridor extending to Teviot Brook-Logan River.

As a whole, the site is used by a wide range of vertebrate species, including at least two EVR species.

It is understood that there will be on-going logging conducted on the subject land under an authorised forestry permit. The ecological impacts of logging have not been addressed in this report, although a reduction in overall fauna habitat and movement values is likely over time. These values can be reinstated following logging through natural regeneration and/or rehabilitation actions.

5.16 SITE CONSTRAINTS

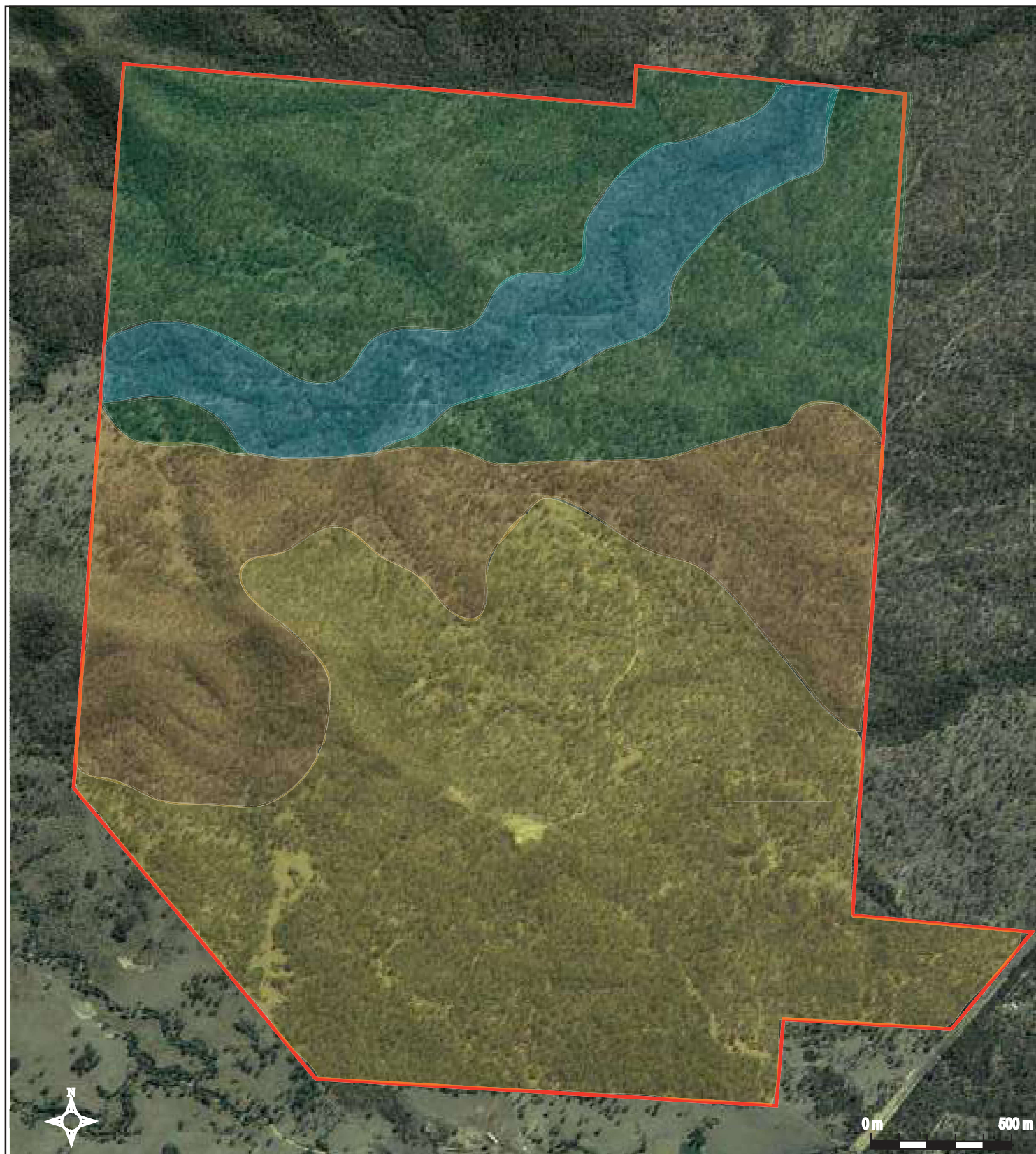
The riparian zone along Sandy Creek and adjoining habitat should be considered as strategically important for fauna movement purposes as well as for providing important habitat for a number of significant species.

The most important habitat value of the site, while providing good quality habitat for a

range of species, is its connection with the extensive bushland to the north and north-west. For species such as Powerful Owl and Spotted-tailed Quoll which have large home ranges, their continued presence on the subject site depends on the maintenance of these adjoining habitats. Conversely, habitat within the site contributes to the habitat value of the larger remnant area. Biodiversity Planning Assessment mapping affords this riparian zone and habitats to the north both regional and state significance for their ecosystem value, relative ecosystem size, ecosystem diversity and context and connection. For adjoining habitat south of Sandy Creek, field assessment has shown that the habitat present has values for Koalas and Yellow-bellied Gliders in particular.

Taking into account these habitat values, together with the location of adjacent habitats, **Figure 5.1** represents fauna habitat constraints for the site.

Any future development planning will also need to incorporate fauna management in conservation areas, particularly habitat restoration, weed management, pest animal management and the control of fire.



Legend:

- CONSERVATION. High habitat value. Higher altitude, less-disturbed forest with habitat suitable for EVR species (Powerful Owl, Koala, Gliders, potentially Spotted-tailed Quoll and Brush-tailed Rock Wallaby). Maintain and enhance fauna habitat.
- CONSERVATION. High corridor values. Riparian habitat - significant for Koala, Gliders, Frog species, migratory birds and possibly Spotted-tailed Quoll. Maintain and enhance fauna habitat.
- FAUNA-SENSITIVE URBAN DESIGN. Medium corridor and habitat values., particularly for Koalas and Gliders. Buffer to conservation area. Rural Residential-type development only, building envelopes confined to currently disturbed areas, fauna-friendly fencing, domestic pet control/covenant. Maintain and enhance fauna habitat .
- FAUNA-SENSITIVE URBAN DESIGN. Low corridor and habitat values, particularly for Koalas and Gilders. Subject to detailed design/layout, maintaining fauna corridors. Fauna crossing infrastructure on roads. Domestic pet control/ covenant.

Map Source: Google Earth Pro 2009

FIGURE 5.1

FAUNA HABITAT CONSTRAINTS MAP

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APPENDIX 1:
Terrestrial Vertebrate Species List

Undullah Study Area: Species list derived from BAAM fauna surveys and database searches**Abbreviations**

Data Source: **BAAM** = Data collected by BAAM staff in January 2009 (X) and June 2007 (x); **BA** = Birds Australia New Atlas 1998-2006 database; **QM** = Queensland Museum database; **WN** = Environmental Protection Agency Queensland WildNet database.

Status: **EPBC:** E = Endangered; V = Vulnerable; M = Migratory. **NCA:** E = Endangered; V = Vulnerable; R = Rare; S = Special Least Concern; C = Least Concern; I = Introduced. **BAMM:** X = species of concern for South-East Queensland bioregion.

Unless otherwise noted, this table follows the nomenclature provided by the CSIRO List of Australian Vertebrates (Clayton *et al.* 2006) as it provides a single point of reference for all terrestrial vertebrate groups. Fish follow Allen *et al.* (2002). Any notable variations in common and/or scientific names of conservation significant species are identified in the report text and as footnotes hereunder. With the exception of alterations due to subsequent taxonomic revision, species reported by sources other than BAAM are accepted at face value.

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	BAAM	WN	QM	BA	EPBC Act	NC Act	BAMM
Fish								
ANGUILLIDAE								
<i>Anguilla reinhardtii</i>	Marbled Eel		X					
MELANOTAENIIDAE								
<i>Melanotaenia duboulayi</i>	Crimson-spotted Rainbowfish	X						
MUGILIDAE								
<i>Myxus petardi</i>	Freshwater Mullet		X					
ELEOTRIDAE								
<i>Hypseleotris galii</i>	Firetail Gudgeon	X	X					
<i>Mogurnda adspersa</i>	Purple-spotted Gudgeon	X						
CYPRINIDAE								
<i>Carassius auratus</i>	Goldfish		X				I	
POECILIIDAE								
<i>Gambusia holbrooki</i>	Mosquitofish		X				I	
AMPHIBIANS								
MYOBATRACHIDAE								
<i>Crinia parinsignifera</i>	Eastern Sign-bearing Froglet	x	X					C
<i>Limnodynastes ornatus</i>	Ornate Burrowing Frog	X						C
<i>Limnodynastes peronii</i>	Brown-striped Frog	X	X					C

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<i>Limnodynastes tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Grass Frog	X					C	X
HYLIDAE								
<i>Cyclorana alboguttata</i>	Striped Burrowing Frog	X					C	
<i>Litoria caerulea</i>	Green Tree Frog	X	X				C	
<i>Litoria dentata</i>	Bleating Tree Frog	x	X				C	X
<i>Litoria fallax</i>	Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog	X	X				C	
<i>Litoria gracilenta</i>	Dainty Green Tree Frog	X					C	
<i>Litoria latopalmata</i>	Broad-palmed Frog	Xx	X				C	
<i>Litoria peronii</i>	Peron's Tree Frog	X					C	X
<i>Litoria rubella</i>	Desert Tree Frog	X					C	
<i>Litoria wilcoxii</i>	No common name	X					C	
BUFONIDAE								
<i>Bufo marinus</i>	Cane Toad	Xx	X				I	
REPTILES								
CHELIDAE								
<i>Elseya latisternum</i>	Saw-shelled Turtle	X					C	
GEKKONIDAE								
<i>Gehyra dubia</i>	Dubious Dtelia	X					C	
SCINCIDAE								
<i>Anomalopus verreauxii</i>	Three-clawed Worm-Skink	X					C	
<i>Carlia munda</i>	Shaded-litter Rainbow-Skink	x	X				C	
<i>Carlia vivax</i>	Tussock Rainbow-Skink	Xx	X				C	
<i>Cryptoblepharus virgatus</i>	Cream-striped Shinning-skink	Xx	X				C	
<i>Ctenotus taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink	Xx	X				C	
<i>Eulamprus martini</i>	Dark Barsided Skink	X		X			C	
<i>Lampropholis delicata</i>	Dark-flecked Garden Sunskink	X					C	
<i>Lygisaurus foliorum</i>	Tree-base Litter-Skink	X					C	
<i>Morethia taeniopleura</i>	Fire-tailed Skink	X					C	X
AGAMIDAE								
<i>Diporiphora australis</i>	Tommy Roundhead	X					C	X
<i>Physignathus lesueurii</i>	Water Dragon	X	X				C	
<i>Pogona barbata</i>	Bearded Dragon	X	X				C	
VARANIDAE								
<i>Varanus varius</i>	Lace Monitor	X					C	
COLUBRIDAE								
<i>Dendrelaphis punctulatus</i>	Common Tree Snake	X					C	

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ELAPIDAE								
<i>Pseudechis guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake			X			C	X
<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>	Red-bellied Black Snake	X					C	
BIRDS								
MEGAPODIIDAE								
<i>Alectura lathamii</i>	Australian Brush-turkey	X					C	
PHASIANIDAE								
<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	Brown Quail	X	X		X		C	
ANATIDAE								
<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Australian Wood Duck	X	X	X			C	
<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	Pacific Black Duck		X	X			C	
<i>Anas gracilis</i>	Grey Teal		X				C	
THRESKIORNITHIDAE								
<i>Threskiornis molucca</i>	Australian White Ibis				X		C	
<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	Straw-necked Ibis	X	X		X		C	
<i>Platalea flavipes</i>	Yellow-billed Spoonbill		X				C	
ARDEIDAE								
<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	Cattle Egret		X		X	M	S	
<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>	White-faced Heron		X		X		C	
PELECANIDAE								
<i>Pelecanus conspicillatus</i>	Australian Pelican		X		X		C	
PHALACROCORACIDAE								
<i>Phalacrocorax melanoleucos</i>	Little Pied Cormorant	X	X		X		C	
FALCONIDAE								
<i>Falco berigora</i>	Brown Falcon				X		C	
<i>Falco cenchroides</i>	Australian Kestrel				X		C	
<i>Falco longipennis</i>	Australian Hobby	x			X		C	
ACCIPITRIDAE								
<i>Aviceda subcristata</i>	Pacific Baza		X				C	
<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>	White-bellied Sea-Eagle		X		X	M	S	
<i>Circus assimilis</i>	Spotted Harrier		X					
<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	Brown Goshawk	X	X		X		C	
<i>Aquila audax</i>	Wedge-tailed Eagle	X					C	
RALLIDAE								
<i>Gallirallus philippensis</i>	Buff-banded Rail		X				C	
<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	Purple Swamphen	X					C	
<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	Dusky Moorhen	X	X		X		C	

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BURHINIDAE								
<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>	Bush Stone-curlew	X					C	X
CHARADRIIDAE								
<i>Vanellus miles</i>	Masked Lapwing	X	X		X		C	
COLUMBIDAE								
<i>Macropygia amboinensis</i>	Brown Cuckoo-Dove		X				C	
<i>Phaps chalcoptera</i>	Common Bronzewing	X					C	
<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	Crested Pigeon	X	X				C	
<i>Geopelia placida</i>	Peaceful Dove	Xx	X				C	
<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	Bar-shouldered Dove	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Lopholaimus antarcticus</i>	Topknot Pigeon	X					C	
CACATUIDAE								
<i>Eolophus roseicapilla</i>	Galah	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Cacatua tenuirostris</i>	Long-billed Corella		X		X		C	
<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	Xx	X		X		C	
PSITTACIDAE								
<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	Little Lorikeet	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Platycercus adscitus</i>	Pale-headed Rosella	X	X		X		C	
<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	Australian King-Parrot	X	X		X		C	
CUCULIDAE								
<i>Cacomantis flabelliformis</i>	Fan-tailed Cuckoo	X					C	
<i>Chalcites lucidus</i>	Shining Bronze-Cuckoo	X					C	
<i>Eudynamys orientalis</i>	Pacific Koel	X					C	
<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	Channel-billed Cuckoo	X	X				C	
CENTROPIDIDAE								
<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	X	X		X		C	
STRIGIDAE								
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	X					V	
<i>Ninox boobook</i>	Southern Boobook	X					C	
PODARGIDAE								
<i>Podargus strigoides</i>	Tawny Frogmouth	X	X				C	
CAPRIMULGIDAE								
<i>Eurostopodus mystacalis</i>	White-throated Nightjar	X					C	
CORACIIDAE								
<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	Dollarbird	X	X	X			C	

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HALCYONIDAE								
<i>Dacelo leachii</i>	Blue-winged Kookaburra		X				C	X
<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	Laughing Kookaburra	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Todiramphus sancta</i>	Sacred Kingfisher	X	X		X		C	
ALCEDINIDAE								
<i>Alcedo azurea</i>	Azure Kingfisher (alt)		X		X		C	
MEROPIDAE								
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	x	X		X	M	S	
CLIMACTERIDAE								
<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	White-throated Treecreeper	Xx	X		X		C	
MALURIDAE								
<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	Variagated Fairy-wren	Xx	X				C	
<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	Superb Fairy-wren	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	Red-backed Fairy-wren	Xx	X		X		C	
PARDALOTIDAE								
<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>	Spotted Pardalote	x	X				C	
<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	Striated Pardalote	Xx	x		X		C	
ACANTHIZIDAE								
<i>Pyrholaemus sagittatus</i>	Speckled Warbler	Xx	X				C	
<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>	White-browed Scrubwren	Xx	X				C	
<i>Smicrornis brevirostris</i>	Weebill	Xx	X				C	
<i>Gerygone olivacea</i>	White-throated Gerygone	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>	Buff-rumped Thornbill	Xx	X					
<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	Yellow-rumped Thornbill		X		X		C	
MELIPHAGIDAE								
<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	Yellow-faced Honeyeater	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Lichenostomus fuscus</i>	Fuscous Honeyeater	Xx	X				C	
<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>	Lewin's Honeyeater	Xx	X				C	
<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	Noisy Miner	X	X		X		C	
<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	Blue-faced Honeyeater	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Melithreptus albobogaris</i>	White-throated Honeyeater	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Philemon citreogularis</i>	Little Friarbird		X		X		C	
<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	Noisy Friarbird	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	Striped Honeyeater	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	Brown Honeyeater	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>	Eastern Spinebill	x	X				C	
<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>	Scarlet Honeyeater	X					C	

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PETROICIDAE								
<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	Eastern Yellow Robin	X	X		X		C	
<i>Microeca fasciata</i>	Jacky Winter	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Petroica rosea</i>	Rose Robin	x	X				C	
POMATOSTOMIDAE								
<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>	Grey-crowned Babbler	Xx	X				C	
EUPETIDAE								
<i>Psophodes olivaceus</i>	Eastern Whipbird	X					C	
<i>Cinclosoma punctatum</i>	Spotted Quail-thrush		X				C	
NEOSITTIDAE								
<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>	Varied Sittella	Xx	X				C	
PACHYCEPHALIDAE								
<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	Golden Whistler	x	X		X		C	
<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	Rufous Whistler	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	Grey Shrike-thrush	X	X		X		C	
DICRURIDAE								
<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	Grey Fantail	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Dicrurus bracteatus</i>	Spangled Drongo	X					C	
<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>	Magpie-lark		X		X		C	
<i>Myiagra rubecula</i>	Leaden Flycatcher	X					C	
ARTAMIDAE								
<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	Grey Butcherbird	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	Pied Butcherbird	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Gymnorhina tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Strepera graculina</i>	Pied Currawong	Xx	X				C	
CAMPEPHAGIDAE								
<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	Cicadabird	X	X		X		C	
<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	Xx	X		X		C	
ORIOIDAE								
<i>Sphecotheres vieilloti</i>	Australasian Figbird	X	X		X		C	
<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	Olive-backed Oriole	X	X		X		C	
CORVIDAE								
<i>Corvus orru</i>	Torresian Crow	Xx	X		X		C	
STURNIDAE								
<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	Common Starling				X		I	
<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	Common Myna				X		I	

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HIRUNDINIDAE								
<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>	Welcome Swallow		X		X		C	
ZOSTEROPIDAE								
<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Silvereye	Xx	X		X		C	
SYLVIIDAE								
<i>Megalurus timoriensis</i>	Tawny Grassbird				X		C	
<i>Cisticola exilis</i>	Golden-headed Cisticola				X		C	
ALAUDIDAE								
<i>Mirafra javanica</i>	Horsfield's Bushlark				X		C	
DICAEIDAE								
<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	Mistletoebird	X	X		X		C	
MOTACILLIDAE								
<i>Anthus australis</i>	Australian Pipit	X					C	
ESTRIDIDAE								
<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>	Red-browed Finch	Xx	X				C	
<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	Double-barred Finch	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Lonchura castaneothorax</i>	Chestnut-breasted Mannikin				X		C	
MAMMALS								
ORNITHORHYNCHIDAE								
<i>Ornithorhynchus anatinus</i>	Platypus		X				S	X
TACHYGLOSSIDAE								
<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Short-beaked Echidna	x	X				S	
DASYURIDAE								
<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed Antechinus	Xx	X		X		C	
<i>Phascogale tapoatafa</i>	Brush-tailed Phascogale	X					C	X
<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	Common Dunnart	X	X				C	X
PERAMELIDAE								
<i>Isodon macrourus</i>	Northern Brown Bandicoot	Xx	X				C	
PHASCOLARCTIDAE								
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala (SEQ Bioregion)	X	X				V	
PETAURIDAE								
<i>Petaurus australis australis</i>	Yellow-bellied Glider (southern subspecies)	X					C	X
<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel Glider	X					C	X
PSEUDOCHEIRIDAE								
<i>Pseudocheirus peregrinus</i>	Common Ringtail Possum		X				C	
PHALANGERIDAE								

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<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	Common Brushtail Possum	Xx	X				C	
POTOROIDAE								
<i>Aepyprymnus rufescens</i>	Rufous Bettong	X					C	X
MACROPODIDAE								
<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	Eastern Grey Kangaroo	Xx	X				C	
<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked Wallaby	Xx	X				C	
<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	Swamp Wallaby	X	X				C	
EMBALLONURIDAE								
<i>Saccolaimus flaviventris</i>	Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat	X					C	
MOLOSSIDAE								
<i>Mormopterus beccarii</i>	Beccari's Free-tailed Bat	X					C	
VESPERTILIONIDAE								
<i>Miniopterus australis</i>	Little Bentwing-bat	X					C	
<i>Nyctophilus sp.</i>	Unidentified Large-eared Bat	X					C	
<i>Chalinolobus gouldii</i>	Gould's Wattled Bat	X		X			C	
<i>Scotorepens sp./greyii</i>	Central Eastern/Little Broad-nosed Bat	X					C	
<i>Scotorepens orion</i>	Eastern Broad-nosed Bat	X					C	X
<i>Vespadelus darlingtoni</i>	Large Forest Bat	X		X			C	X
MURIDAE								
<i>Melomys cervinipes</i>	Fawn-footed Melomys			X			C	
<i>Mus musculus</i>	House Mouse		X				I	
<i>Rattus fucipes</i>	Bush Rat		X	X				
<i>Rattus lutreolus</i>	Swamp Rat			X			C	
<i>Rattus tunneyi</i>	Pale Field-Rat		X				C	
CANIDAE								
<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	Red Fox		X				I	
<i>Canis lupus</i>	Dingo/Dog	Xx	X					
LEPORIDAE								
<i>Lepus capensis</i>	Brown Hare	X					I	
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit	X					I	
SUIDAE								
<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Pig		X				I	

APPENDIX 2:

Database Search Results

QUEENSLAND MUSEUM DATABASE SEARCH - DECEMBER 2008

	GENUS	SPECIES	COMMON NAME
FROGS			
MYOBATRACHIDAE			
<i>Adelotus</i>	<i>brevis</i>	Tusked Frog	3Km E of Flinders Peak
<i>Adelotus</i>	<i>brevis</i>	Tusked Frog	Mary Cairncross Park
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km from Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	8Km from Boonah turnoff, Ipswich Rd
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	Boonah Rd, 16Km from Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	Boonah Rd, 20.8Km from Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	8Km S of Ipswich on Beaudesert Rd
<i>Crinia</i>	<i>parinsignifera</i>	Beeping Froglet	16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Crinia</i>	sp	Froglet	Brisbane, Illaweena Rd
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>peronii</i>	Striped Marsh Frog	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Marshfrog	Mt Lindesay Hwy, 11km N of Beaudesert
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Marshfrog	Lancewood Hs, Ripley-Brooklands Rd
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Marshfrog	Boonah-Beaudesert Rd, 16km fm Bdesert
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Marshfrog	Mary Caincross Park
<i>Limnodynastes</i>	<i>tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Marshfrog	16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Mixophyes</i>	<i>fasciolatus</i>	Great Barred-frog	Mary Cairncross Park
<i>Mixophyes</i>	<i>fasciolatus</i>	Great Barred-frog	Mary Cairncross Park
<i>Pseudophryne</i>	<i>major</i>	Great Brown Broodfrog	16Km N of Beaudesert?
<i>Pseudophryne</i>	<i>raveni</i>	Copper-backed Broodfrog	Brisbane, Illaweena Rd
<i>Uperoleia</i>	<i>laevigata</i>	Eastern Gungan	Lancewood Hs, Ripley-Brooklands Rd
<i>Uperoleia</i>	<i>laevigata</i>	Eastern Gungan	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Uperoleia</i>	<i>laevigata</i>	Eastern Gungan	16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Uperoleia</i>	<i>rugosa</i>	Chubby Gungan	Causeway, Bdesert Rd, Jbmba-Cedar Gr
HYLIDAE			
<i>Cyclorana</i>	<i>alboguttata</i>	Green-stripe Frog	Boonah side of Flinders Peak
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>fallax</i>	Eastern Sedgefrog	Brisbane Hwy, 16Km N of Beaudesert
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>latopalmata</i>	Broad-palmed Rocketfrog	Boonah side of Flinders Peak
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>latopalmata</i>	Broad-palmed Rocketfrog	Flinders Peak, Boonah side
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>pearsoniana</i>	Cascade Treefrog	Boonah side of Flinders Peak
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>rubella</i>	Naked Treefrog	Boonah side of Flinders Peak
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>rubella</i>	Naked Treefrog	Azalea Nursery, Park Ridge, Brisbane
<i>Litoria</i>	<i>wilcoxi</i>		Samford Ck, nr Highvale
REPTILES			
CHELUIDAE			
<i>Elseya</i>	<i>latisternum</i>	Saw-shelled Turtle	Jimboomba
<i>Emydura</i>	<i>macquarii</i>	Murray Short-necked Turtle	Flinders Peak Mt, nr
GEKKONIDAE			
<i>Gehyra</i>	<i>dubia</i>	Dubious Dtella	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
SCINCIDAE			
<i>Anomalopus</i>	<i>verreauxii</i>	Verreaux's Skink	Flinders Peak, S of Ipswich
<i>Calyptotis</i>	<i>scutirostrum</i>	Scute-snouted Calyptotis	Mt Flinders, nr
<i>Carlia</i>	<i>foliorum</i>	Burnett's Skink	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Carlia</i>	<i>pectoralis</i>	Open-litter Rainbow-skink	Flinders Mountain Rd, via Peaks Xing
<i>Carlia</i>	<i>vivax</i>	Lively Skink	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Cryptoblepharus</i>	<i>virgatus</i>	Wall Skink	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Cryptoblepharus</i>	<i>virgatus</i>	Wall Skink	Coulson, 11km E
<i>Ctenotus</i>	<i>robustus</i>	Eastern Striped Skink	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Ctenotus</i>	<i>robustus</i>	Eastern Striped Skink	Flinders Peak Rd
<i>Ctenotus</i>	<i>taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Ctenotus</i>	<i>taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink	Flinders Peak, S of Ipswich
<i>Eulamprus</i>	<i>martini</i>	Martin's Skink	Coulson, 11km E

<i>Eulamprus</i>	<i>martini</i>	Martin's Skink	Flagstone ck, nr Jimboomba
<i>Lampropholis</i>	<i>delicata</i>	Garden Skink	Flinders Peak, S of Ipswich
<i>Morethia</i>	<i>taeniopleura</i>	North-eastern Firetail Skink	Coulson, 11km E
AGAMIDAE			
<i>Chlamydosaurus</i>	<i>kingii</i>	Friiled Lizard	Brisbane, Logan Motor Way
<i>Chlamydosaurus</i>	<i>kingii</i>	Friiled Lizard	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Diporiphora</i>	<i>australis</i>	Tommy Round-head	Flinders Peak, 3km E, S of Ipswich
<i>Diporiphora</i>	<i>australis</i>	Tommy Round-head	Flinders Peak, S of Ipswich
<i>Physignathus</i>	<i>lesueurii</i>	Eastern Water Dragon	Flinders Peak, S of Ipswich
<i>Pogona</i>	<i>barbata</i>	Common Bearded Dragon	Greenbank, 36 Thompson Rd
TYPHLOPIDAE			
<i>Ramphotyphlops</i>	<i>proximus</i>	Proximus Blind Snake	Jimboomba, Stockleigh Rd
<i>Ramphotyphlops</i>	<i>wiedii</i>	Brown-snouted Blind Snake	Jimboomba, via Beaudesert
PYTHONIDAE			
<i>Morelia</i>	<i>spilota</i>	Carpet Python	Jimboomba or Greenbank
<i>Morelia</i>	<i>spilota</i>	Carpet Python	Greenbank Stn, nr Brisbane
COLUBRIDAE			
<i>Dendrelaphis</i>	<i>punctulata</i>	Green Tree Snake	Greenbank
<i>Tropidonophis</i>	<i>mairii</i>	Freshwater Snake	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Tropidonophis</i>	<i>mairii</i>	Freshwater Snake	Gleneagle, Beaudesert
ELAPIDAE			
<i>Acanthophis</i>	<i>antarcticus</i>	Common Death Adder	Highvale, Mt Nebo Rd
<i>Brachyurops</i>	<i>australis</i>	Australian Coral Snake	Greenbank, Brisbane (51 farm Rd.)
<i>Brachyurops</i>	<i>australis</i>	Australian Coral Snake	Ipswich, Farmland, Ripley
<i>Cacophis</i>	<i>harrietae</i>	White-crowned Snake	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Cryptophis</i>	<i>nigrescens</i>	Small-eyed Snake	Ipswich, 15km SE
<i>Demansia</i>	<i>psammophis</i>	Yellow-faced Whip Snake	Greenbank
<i>Hoplocephalus</i>	<i>bitorquatus</i>	Pale-headed Snake	Jimboomba, via Beaudesert
<i>Hoplocephalus</i>	<i>bitorquatus</i>	Pale-headed Snake	Woodhill, Beaudesert Line
<i>Hoplocephalus</i>	<i>bitorquatus</i>	Pale-headed Snake	Woodhill, via Beaudesert
<i>Hoplocephalus</i>	<i>bitorquatus</i>	Pale-headed Snake	Greenbank Military Camp, 10km from camp
<i>Pseudechis</i>	<i>guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake	Coleyville, S of Ipswich
<i>Pseudechis</i>	<i>guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake	Jimboomba, via Beaudesert
<i>Pseudechis</i>	<i>guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake	Woodhill, Beaudesert Line
<i>Pseudechis</i>	<i>guttatus</i>	Spotted Black Snake	Greenbank, nr Brisbane
<i>Pseudonaja</i>	<i>textilis</i>	Eastern Brown Snake	Beaudesert, 30km N
<i>Pseudonaja</i>	<i>textilis</i>	Eastern Brown Snake	S MacLean
<i>Pseudonaja</i>	<i>textilis</i>	Eastern Brown Snake	Jimbooma, Candlebark Rd
<i>Vermicella</i>	<i>annulata</i>	Bandy Bandy	Greenbank, nr Brisbane
<i>Vermicella</i>	<i>annulata</i>	Bandy Bandy	Brisbane, Park Ridge
BIRDS			
PHAETHONTIDAE			
<i>Phaethon</i>	<i>lepturus</i>	White-tailed Tropicbird	Ripley
ACCIPITRIDAE			
<i>Accipiter</i>	<i>cirrhocephalus</i>	Collared Sparrowhawk	Jimboomba
<i>Aquila</i>	<i>audax</i>	Wedge-tailed Eagle	Mt Mont, Grandchester, 14km S
<i>Aviceda</i>	<i>subcristata</i>	Crested Hawk	Greenbank
<i>Haliaeetus</i>	<i>leucogaster</i>	White-breasted Sea-Eagle	Jimboomba
TURNICIDAE			
<i>Turnix</i>	<i>pyrrhorthorax</i>	Red-chested Button-Quail	Maclean
ROSTRATULIDAE			
<i>Rostratula</i>	<i>benghalensis</i>	Painted Snipe	Greenbank, near Oxley, Brisbane
COLUMBIDAE			
<i>Phaps</i>	<i>chalcoptera</i>	Common Bronzewing	Jimboomba
LORIIDAE			
<i>Glossopsitta</i>	<i>pusilla</i>	Little Lorikeet	Gbank State School, Gbank Rd. Gbank
<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>chlorolepidotis</i>	Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	Jimboomba
<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Thompson Rd, Greenbank
<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Veresdale

<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Jimboomba
<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Stony Camp Rd, Park Ridge
<i>Trichoglossus</i>	<i>haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	Jimboomba
PSITTACIDAE			
<i>Barnardius</i>	<i>barnardi</i>	Mallee Ringneck	Jimboomba, near Beaudesert
CUCULIDAE			
<i>Cacomantis</i>	<i>flabelliformis</i>	Fantail Cuckoo	Greenbank, Brisbane
CENTROPODIDAE			
<i>Chrysococcyx</i>	<i>lucidus</i>	Shining Bronze-Cuckoo	Dundee Rd, North MacLean
<i>Centropus</i>	<i>phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	Wyaralong
<i>Centropus</i>	<i>phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	Highvale, foot of Mt. Glorious
AEGOTHELIDAE			
<i>Aegotheles</i>	<i>cristatus</i>	Australian Owlet Nightjar	Greenbank, near Brisbane
<i>Aegotheles</i>	<i>cristatus</i>	Australian Owlet Nightjar	Jimboomba
ALCEDINIDAE			
<i>Dacelo</i>	<i>novaeguineae</i>	Laughing Kookaburra	Jimboomba
MALURIDAE			
<i>Malurus</i>	<i>cycnocephala</i>	Emperor Wren	Hubner Rd, Park Ridge, Brisbane
ACANTHIZIDAE			
<i>Smicromis</i>	<i>brevirostris</i>	Weebill	Veresdale
MONARCHIDAE			
<i>Myiagra</i>	<i>rubecula</i>	Leaden Flycatcher	Jimboomba
<i>Rhipidura</i>	<i>leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail	Jimboomba
<i>Rhipidura</i>	<i>rufifrons</i>	Rufous Fantail	Jimboomba, Hives Rd
PACHYCEPHALIDAE			
<i>Pachycephala</i>	<i>rufiventris</i>	Rufous Whistler	Veresdale
PARDALOTIDAE			
<i>Pardalotus</i>	<i>striatus</i>	Striated Pardalote	Jimboomba
MELIPHAGIDAE			
<i>Melithreptus</i>	<i>albugularis</i>	White-throated Honeyeater	Veresdale
<i>Myzomela</i>	<i>sanguinolenta</i>	Scarlet Honeyeater	White Rock Mtn, S of Redbank Plains
ORIOLIDAE			
<i>Oriolus</i>	<i>sagittatus</i>	Olive-backed Oriole	Jimboomba
CRATICIDAE			
<i>Gymnorhina</i>	<i>tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	Jimboomba
<i>Gymnorhina</i>	<i>tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	Woodhill, Beaudesert
MAMMALS			
DASYURIDAE			
<i>Antechinus</i>	<i>flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed antechinus	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Antechinus</i>	<i>flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed antechinus	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Antechinus</i>	<i>flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed antechinus	Brisbane, Jbmba, Mt Alford-Mt French area
<i>Sminthopsis</i>	<i>murina</i>	Common dunnart	Beaudesert ca., Birnum Ra
<i>Sminthopsis</i>	<i>murina</i>	Common dunnart	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Sminthopsis</i>	<i>murina</i>	Common dunnart	Brisbane, Greenbank, 36 Stoney Camp Rd
PERAMELIDAE			
<i>Isodon</i>	<i>macrourus</i>	Northern brown bandicoot	Teviot Brook, base of range
PHASCOLARCTIDAE			
<i>Phascogale</i>	<i>cinereus</i>	Koala	Jimboomba, Logan City, Lot 28 Koolena rd
PETAURIDAE			
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>australis</i>	Yellow-bellied glider	Brisbane, Park Ridge, 4 Stony Camp Rd
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>australis</i>	Yellow-bellied glider	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>breviceps</i>	Sugar glider	Jimboomba
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Brisbane, Jimboomba
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Brisbane, Jimboomba, 38 Mary St
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Nth Maclean, Chadwich Drive
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Jimboomba, Roberta Crt
<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel glider	Brisbane, Greenbank, 18 Lennons Rd
PSEUDOCHEIRIDAE			

<i>Petauroides</i>	<i>volans</i>	Greater glider	Logan, Park Ridge, Chambers Flat Rd
<i>Petauroides</i>	<i>volans</i>	Greater glider	Greenbank, Stoney Camp Rd
ACROBATIDAE			
<i>Acrobates</i>	<i>pygmaeus</i>	Feathertail glider	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Acrobates</i>	<i>pygmaeus</i>	Feathertail glider	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Acrobates</i>	<i>pygmaeus</i>	Feathertail glider	Brisbane, Jimboomba, 28 Klotz Rd
MACROPODIDAE			
<i>Macropus</i>	<i>dorsalis</i>	Black-striped wallaby	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Macropus</i>	<i>giganteus</i>	Grey Kangaroo	Greenbank
<i>Macropus</i>	<i>rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked wallaby	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Macropus</i>	<i>rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked wallaby	Brisbane, Park Ridge
<i>Macropus</i>	<i>rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked wallaby	Woogaroo Ck
<i>Wallabia</i>	<i>bicolor</i>	Swamp wallaby	Woogaroo Ck
VESPERTILIONIDAE			
<i>Chalinolobus</i>	<i>gouldii</i>	Goulds wattled bat	Teviot Brook, nr Killarney
<i>Vespadelus</i>	<i>pumilus</i>	Little cave eptesicus	Teviot Brook, nr Killarney
CANIDAE			
<i>Vulpes</i>	<i>vulpes</i>	Fox	Gbank, cnr Old Goodna Rd/Thompson Rd
MURIDAE			
<i>Melomys</i>	<i>cervinipes</i>	Fawn-footed melomys	Teviot Brook, nr Killarney
<i>Melomys</i>	<i>cervinipes</i>	Fawn-footed melomys	Teviot Brook, nr Killarney
<i>Mus</i>	<i>musculus</i>	House mouse	Brisbane, Greenbank
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>fuscipes</i>	Bush rat	Teviot Brook, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>fuscipes</i>	Bush rat	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>fuscipes</i>	Bush rat	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
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<i>Rattus</i>	<i>fuscipes</i>	Bush rat	Teviot Ck, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>lutreolus</i>	Swamp rat	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>lutreolus</i>	Swamp rat	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>lutreolus</i>	Swamp rat	Teviot Brook, Head Rd, nr Killarney
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>lutreolus</i>	Swamp rat	Jimboomba, Duncan Rd
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>lutreolus</i>	Swamp rat	Jimboomba
<i>Rattus</i>	<i>tunneyi</i>	Pale field rat	Amamoor, Cedar Grove Campsite



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Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I	Q	A	Records
animals	amphibians	Bufonidae	<i>Rhinella marina</i>	cane toad	Y			3
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	<i>Litoria fallax</i>	eastern sedgefrog		C		1
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	<i>Litoria dentata</i>	bleating treefrog		C		2
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	<i>Litoria caerulea</i>	common green treefrog		C		1
animals	amphibians	Hylidae	<i>Litoria latopalmata</i>	broad palmed rocketfrog		C		2
animals	amphibians	Limnodynastidae	<i>Limnodynastes peronii</i>	striped marshfrog		C		1
animals	amphibians	Myobatrachidae	<i>Crinia parinsignifera</i>	beeping froglet		C		5
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>	buff-rumped thornbill		C		11
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>	white-browed scrubwren		C		3
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Chthonicola sagittata</i>	speckled warbler		C		9
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Smicromis brevirostris</i>	weebill		C		7
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	yellow-rumped thornbill		C		2
animals	birds	Acanthizidae	<i>Gerygone albogularis</i>	white-throated gerygone		C		6
animals	birds	Accipitridae	<i>Circus assimilis</i>	spotted harrier		C		1
animals	birds	Accipitridae	<i>Aviceda subcristata</i>	Pacific baza		C		1
animals	birds	Accipitridae	<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>	white-bellied sea-eagle		C		1
animals	birds	Accipitridae	<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	brown goshawk		C		1
animals	birds	Alcedinidae	<i>Ceyx azureus</i>	azure kingfisher		C		2
animals	birds	Anatidae	<i>Anas gracilis</i>	grey teal		C		1
animals	birds	Anatidae	<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	Pacific black duck		C		4
animals	birds	Anatidae	<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Australian wood duck		C		4
animals	birds	Ardeidae	<i>Ardea ibis</i>	cattle egret		C		3
animals	birds	Ardeidae	<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>	white-faced heron		C		4
animals	birds	Artamidae	<i>Cracticus tibicen</i>	Australian magpie		C		23
animals	birds	Artamidae	<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	grey butcherbird		C		10
animals	birds	Artamidae	<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	pied butcherbird		C		8
animals	birds	Artamidae	<i>Strepera graculina</i>	pied currawong		C		2
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	sulphur-crested cockatoo		C		14
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	<i>Cacatua tenuirostris</i>	long-billed corella	Y	C		3
animals	birds	Cacatuidae	<i>Eolophus roseicapillus</i>	galah		C		11
animals	birds	Campephagidae	<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	cicadabird		C		1
animals	birds	Campephagidae	<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	black-faced cuckoo-shrike		C		9
animals	birds	Charadriidae	<i>Vanellus miles</i>	masked lapwing		C		1
animals	birds	Charadriidae	<i>Vanellus miles novaehollandiae</i>	masked lapwing (southern subspecies)		C		1
animals	birds	Climacteridae	<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	white-throated treecreeper		C		1
animals	birds	Climacteridae	<i>Cormobates leucophaea metastasis</i>	white-throated treecreeper (southern)		C		1
animals	birds	Columbidae	<i>Geopelia striata</i>	peaceful dove		C		2
animals	birds	Columbidae	<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	bar-shouldered dove		C		10
animals	birds	Columbidae	<i>Macropygia amboinensis</i>	brown cuckoo-dove		C		1
animals	birds	Columbidae	<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	crested pigeon		C		1
animals	birds	Coraciidae	<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	dollarbird		C		5
animals	birds	Corvidae	<i>Corvus orru</i>	Torresian crow		C		19
animals	birds	Cuculidae	<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	pheasant coucal		C		1
animals	birds	Cuculidae	<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	channel-billed cuckoo		C		1
animals	birds	Estrildidae	<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>	red-browed finch		C		4
animals	birds	Estrildidae	<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	double-barred finch		C		3

Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I	Q	A	Records
animals	birds	Falconidae	<i>Falco berigora</i>	brown falcon		C		1
animals	birds	Falconidae	<i>Falco cenchroides</i>	nankeen kestrel		C		3
animals	birds	Falconidae	<i>Falco longipennis</i>	Australian hobby		C		3
animals	birds	Halcyonidae	<i>Dacelo teachii</i>	blue-winged kookaburra		C		2
animals	birds	Halcyonidae	<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	laughing kookaburra		C		8
animals	birds	Halcyonidae	<i>Todiramphus sanctus</i>	sacred kingfisher		C		6
animals	birds	Halcyonidae	<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>	welcome swallow		C		3
animals	birds	Maluridae	<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	superb fairy-wren		C		3
animals	birds	Maluridae	<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	red-backed fairy-wren		C		13
animals	birds	Maluridae	<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	variegated fairy-wren		C		4
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>	Lewin's honeyeater		C		5
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	noisy friarbird		C		3
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>	eastern spinebill		C		2
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	striped honeyeater		C		7
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Melithreptus albugularis</i>	white-throated honeyeater		C		17
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Philemon citreogularis</i>	little friarbird		C		1
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>	scarlet honeyeater		C		2
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	noisy miner		C		11
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	yellow-faced honeyeater		C		18
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	brown honeyeater		C		5
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	blue-faced honeyeater		C		7
animals	birds	Meliphagidae	<i>Lichenostomus fuscus</i>	fuscous honeyeater		C		6
animals	birds	Meropidae	<i>Merops ornatus</i>	rainbow bee-eater		C		16
animals	birds	Monarchidae	<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>	magpie-lark		C		7
animals	birds	Nectariniidae	<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	mistletoebird		C		1
animals	birds	Neosittidae	<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>	varied sittella		C		4
animals	birds	Oriolidae	<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	olive-backed oriole		C		1
animals	birds	Oriolidae	<i>Sphecotheres vieilloti</i>	Australasian figbird		C		3
animals	birds	Pachycephalidae	<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	grey shrike-thrush		C		1
animals	birds	Pachycephalidae	<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	golden whistler		C		9
animals	birds	Pachycephalidae	<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	rufous whistler		C		13
animals	birds	Pardalotidae	<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	striated pardalote		C		25
animals	birds	Pardalotidae	<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>	spotted pardalote		C		3
animals	birds	Pelecanidae	<i>Pelecanus conspicillatus</i>	Australian pelican		C		1
animals	birds	Petroicidae	<i>Petroica rosea</i>	rose robin		C		8
animals	birds	Petroicidae	<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	eastern yellow robin		C		1
animals	birds	Petroicidae	<i>Microeca fascians</i>	jacky winter		C		4
animals	birds	Phalacrocoracidae	<i>Microcarbo melanoleucos</i>	little pied cormorant		C		2
animals	birds	Phasianidae	<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	brown quail		C		1
animals	birds	Podargidae	<i>Podargus strigoides</i>	tawny frogmouth		C		1
animals	birds	Pomatostomidae	<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>	grey-crowned babbler		C		1
animals	birds	Psittacidae	<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	Australian king-parrot		C		3
animals	birds	Psittacidae	<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	little lorikeet		C		4
animals	birds	Psittacidae	<i>Platycercus adscitus</i>	pale-headed rosella		C		10
animals	birds	Psittacidae	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus moluccanus</i>	rainbow lorikeet		C		5
animals	birds	Psittacidae	<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	scaly-breasted lorikeet		C		17

Kingdom	Class	Family	Scientific Name	Common Name	I	Q	A	Records
animals	birds	Psophodidae	<i>Cinclosoma punctatum</i>	spotted quail-thrush		C		2
animals	birds	Rallidae	<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	dusky moorhen		C		1
animals	birds	Rallidae	<i>Gallirallus philippensis</i>	buff-banded rail		C		1
animals	birds	Rhipiduridae	<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	grey fantail		C		19
animals	birds	Rhipiduridae	<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	willie wagtail		C		14
animals	birds	Threskiornithidae	<i>Platalea flavipes</i>	yellow-billed spoonbill		C		1
animals	birds	Threskiornithidae	<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	straw-necked ibis		C		3
animals	birds	Timaliidae	<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	silveryeye		C		9
animals	bony fish	Anguillidae	<i>Anguilla reinhardtii</i>	longfin eel	Y			1
animals	bony fish	Cyprinidae	<i>Carassius auratus</i>	goldfish				1
animals	bony fish	Eleotridae	<i>Hypseleotris galii</i>	fretail gudgeon				1
animals	bony fish	Mugilidae	<i>Myxus petardi</i>	pinkeye mullet				2
animals	bony fish	Poeciliidae	<i>Gambusia holbrooki</i>	mosquitofish	Y			1
animals	mammals	Canidae	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	red fox	Y			1
animals	mammals	Canidae	<i>Canis familiaris</i>	dog	Y			1
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	common dunnart		C		10
animals	mammals	Dasyuridae	<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>	yellow-footed antechinus		C		24
animals	mammals	Leporidae	<i>Lepus capensis</i>	brown hare	Y			1
animals	mammals	Leporidae	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	rabbit	Y			2
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	swamp wallaby		C		1
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	red-necked wallaby		C		8
animals	mammals	Macropodidae	<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	eastern grey kangaroo		C		7
animals	mammals	Muridae	<i>Mus musculus</i>	house mouse	Y			1
animals	mammals	Muridae	<i>Rattus tunneyi</i>	pale field-rat		C		2
animals	mammals	Muridae	<i>Rattus fuscipes</i>	bush rat		C		2
animals	mammals	Ornithorhynchidae	<i>Ornithorhynchus anatinus</i>	platypus		C		1
animals	mammals	Peramelidae	<i>Isoodon sp.</i>	northern brown bandicoot				1
animals	mammals	Peramelidae	<i>Isoodon macrourus</i>			C		1
animals	mammals	Petauridae	<i>Petaurus sp.</i>					1
animals	mammals	Phalangeridae	<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	common brushtail possum		C		6
animals	mammals	Phascolarctidae	<i>Phascolarctos cinereus (southeast Queensland bioregion)</i>	koala (southeast Queensland bioregion)	Y	V		7
animals	mammals	Pseudocheiridae	<i>Pseudocheirus peregrinus</i>	common ringtail possum		C		1
animals	mammals	Suidae	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	pig	Y			2
animals	mammals	Tachyglossidae	<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	short-beaked echidna		C		1
animals	reptiles	Agamidae	<i>Pogona barbata</i>	bearded dragon		C		1
animals	reptiles	Agamidae	<i>Physignathus lesueurii</i>	eastern water dragon		C		1
animals	reptiles	Scincidae	<i>Carlia munda</i>			C		2
animals	reptiles	Scincidae	<i>Carlia vivax</i>			C		2
animals	reptiles	Scincidae	<i>Ctenotus taeniolatus</i>	copper-tailed skink		C		2
animals	reptiles	Scincidae	<i>Cryptoblepharus pulcher pulcher</i>	elegant snake-eyed skink		C		3

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 Presumed Extinct (PE), Endangered (E), Vulnerable (V), Rare (R), Common (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.

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Data from New Atlas 1998-2009 Species list for the area between 27 46 to 51 and 152 52 to 57

Common Name	Scientific Name	No of sightings (14 surveys)	JAMBA	CAMBA	EPBC marine
Brown Quail	<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	1			
Australian Wood Duck	<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	5			
Pacific Black Duck	<i>Anas superciliosa</i>	5			
Bar-shouldered Dove	<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	6			
Little Pied Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo melanoleucos</i>	1			
Australian Pelican	<i>Pelecanus conspicillatus</i>	1			marine
Cattle Egret	<i>Ardea ibis</i>	2	J	C	marine
White-faced Heron	<i>Egretta novaehollandiae</i>	3			
Australian White Ibis	<i>Threskiornis molucca</i>	1			marine
Straw-necked Ibis	<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	4			marine
White-bellied Sea-Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>	1		C	marine
Brown Goshawk	<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	1			marine
Nankeen Kestrel	<i>Falco cenchroides</i>	3			marine
Brown Falcon	<i>Falco berigora</i>	1			
Australian Hobby	<i>Falco longipennis</i>	1			
Dusky Moorhen	<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	1			
Masked Lapwing	<i>Vanellus miles</i>	2			
Galah	<i>Eolophus roseicapillus</i>	10			
Long-billed Corella	<i>Cacatua tenuirostris</i>	3			
Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	11			
Rainbow Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	3			
Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	10			
Little Lorikeet	<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	1			
Australian King-Parrot	<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	2			
Pale-headed Rosella	<i>Platycercus adscitus</i>	10			
Pheasant Coucal	<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	1			
Azure Kingfisher	<i>Ceyx azureus</i>	1			
Laughing Kookaburra	<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	5			
Sacred Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus sanctus</i>	4			marine
Rainbow Bee-eater	<i>Merops ornatus</i>	5			marine
Dollarbird	<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	5			marine
White-throated Treecreeper	<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	1			
Superb Fairy-wren	<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	2			
Red-backed Fairy-wren	<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	10			
White-throated Gerygone	<i>Gerygone albogularis</i>	1			
Yellow-rumped Thornbill	<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	2			
Striated Pardalote	<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	10			
Yellow-faced Honeyeater	<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	1			
Noisy Miner	<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	2			
Brown Honeyeater	<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	1			
White-throated Honeyeater	<i>Melithreptus albogularis</i>	5			
Blue-faced Honeyeater	<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	2			
Noisy Friarbird	<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	2			
Little Friarbird	<i>Philemon citreogularis</i>	1			
Striped Honeyeater	<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	2			
Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	6			marine
Cicadabird	<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	1			marine
Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	2			
Rufous Whistler	<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	4			
Grey Shrike-thrush	<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	1			

Australasian Figbird	<i>Sphecotheres vieilloti</i>	3			
Olive-backed Oriole	<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	1			
Grey Butcherbird	<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	2			
Pied Butcherbird	<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	2			
Australian Magpie	<i>Cracticus tibicen</i>	13			
Grey Fantail	<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	4			
Willie Wagtail	<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	10			
Torresian Crow	<i>Corvus orru</i>	14			
Magpie-lark	<i>Grallina cyanoleuca</i>	8			marine
Jacky Winter	<i>Microeca fascians</i>	1			
Eastern Yellow Robin	<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	1			
Horsfield's Bushlark	<i>Mirafra javanica</i>	1			
Golden-headed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola exilis</i>	1			
Tawny Grassbird	<i>Megalurus timoriensis</i>	1			
Silvereye	<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	4			marine
Welcome Swallow	<i>Hirundo neoxena</i>	2			marine
Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	2			
Common Myna	<i>Sturnus tristis</i>	1			
Mistletoebird	<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	1			
Double-barred Finch	<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	1			
Chestnut-breasted Mannikin	<i>Lonchura castaneothorax</i>	1			
Australasian Pipit	<i>Anthus novaeseelandiae</i>	1			marine

APPENDIX 3:
Commonwealth EPBC Act Online Protected Matters
Search Tool Results

Protected Matters Search Tool

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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.

You may wish to print this report for reference before moving to other pages or websites.

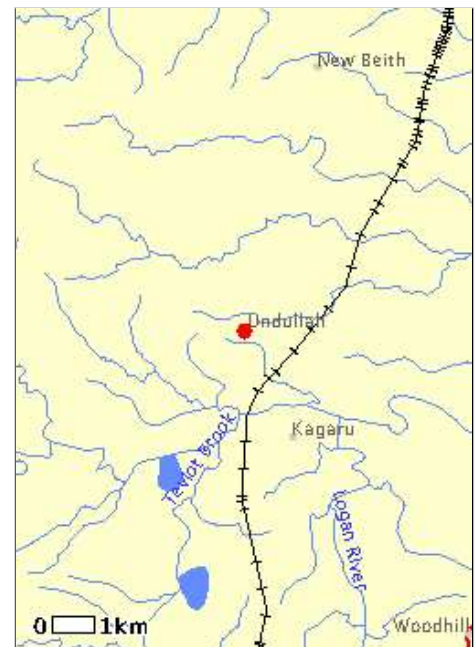
The Australian Natural Resources Atlas at <http://www.environment.gov.au/atlas> may provide further environmental information relevant to your selected area. Information about the EPBC Act including significance guidelines, forms and application process details can be found at <http://www.environment.gov.au/epbc/assessmentsapprovals/index.html>

Search Type: Point
Buffer: 5 km
Coordinates: -27.82333,152.9236



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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 - see <http://www.environment.gov.au/epbc/assessmentsapprovals/guidelines/index.html>.

World Heritage Properties:	None
National Heritage Places:	None
Wetlands of International Significance: (Ramsar Sites)	1

Commonwealth Marine Areas:	None
<u>Threatened Ecological Communities:</u>	1
<u>Threatened Species:</u>	22
<u>Migratory Species:</u>	17

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 and the heritage values of a place on the Register of the National Estate. Information on the new heritage laws can be found at <http://www.environment.gov.au/heritage/index.html>.

Please note that the current dataset on Commonwealth land is not complete. Further information on Commonwealth land would need to be obtained from relevant sources including Commonwealth agencies, local agencies, and land tenure maps.

A permit 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. Information on EPBC Act permit requirements and application forms can be found at <http://www.environment.gov.au/epbc/permits/index.html>.

Commonwealth Lands:	None
Commonwealth Heritage Places:	None
Places on the RNE:	None
<u>Listed Marine Species:</u>	15
Whales and Other Cetaceans:	None
Critical Habitats:	None
Commonwealth Reserves:	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:	None
Other Commonwealth Reserves:	None
<u>Regional Forest Agreements:</u>	1

Details

Matters of National Environmental Significance

Wetlands of International Significance [[Dataset Information](#)]
(Ramsar Sites)

[MORETON BAY](#)

Within same catchment as Ramsar site

Threatened Ecological Communities [[Dataset Information](#)]

Status

Type of Presence

[White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland](#)

Threatened Species [[Dataset Information](#)]

Birds

[Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni](#)

Coxen's Fig-Parrot

[Erythroriorchis radiatus](#)

Red Goshawk

[Geophaps scripta scripta](#)

Squatter Pigeon (southern)

[Lathamus discolor](#)

Swift Parrot

[Rostratula australis](#)

Australian Painted Snipe

[Turnix melanogaster](#)

Black-breasted Button-quail

[Xanthomyza phrygia](#)

Regent Honeyeater

Frogs

[Mixophyes iteratus](#)

Southern Barred Frog, Giant Barred Frog

Mammals

[Chalinolobus dwyeri](#)

Large-eared Pied Bat, Large Pied Bat

[Dasyurus maculatus maculatus \(SE mainland population\)](#)

Spot-tailed Quoll, Spotted-tail Quoll, Tiger Quoll (southeastern mainland population)

[Petrogale penicillata](#)

Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby

[Potorous tridactylus tridactylus](#)

Long-nosed Potoroo (SE mainland)

[Pteropus poliocephalus](#)

Grey-headed Flying-fox

Reptiles

[Coeranoscincus reticulatus](#)

Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink

[Delma torquata](#)

Collared Delma

Plants

[Bosistoa selwynii](#)

Heart-leaved Bosistoa

[Bosistoa transversa](#)

Three-leaved Bosistoa

[Bulbophyllum globuliforme](#)

Miniature Moss-orchid

[Cryptostylis hunteriana](#)

Leafless Tongue-orchid

[Hydrocharis dubia](#)

Frogbit

Critically Endangered Community may occur within area

Status Type of Presence

Endangered Species or species habitat likely to occur within area

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[Notelaea lloydii](#)

Vulnerable	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
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[Taeniophyllum muelleri](#)

Minute Orchid, Ribbon-root Orchid

Vulnerable	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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Migratory Species [[Dataset Information](#)]

Status	Type of Presence
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Migratory Terrestrial Species**Birds**[Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni](#)

Coxen's Fig-Parrot

Migratory	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
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[Haliaeetus leucogaster](#)

White-bellied Sea-Eagle

Migratory	Species or species habitat likely to occur within area
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[Hirundapus caudacutus](#)

White-throated Needletail

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Merops ornatus](#)

Rainbow Bee-eater

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Monarcha melanopsis](#)

Black-faced Monarch

Migratory	Breeding may occur within area
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[Monarcha trivirgatus](#)

Spectacled Monarch

Migratory	Breeding likely to occur within area
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[Myiagra cyanoleuca](#)

Satin Flycatcher

Migratory	Breeding likely to occur within area
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[Rhipidura rufifrons](#)

Rufous Fantail

Migratory	Breeding may occur within area
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[Xanthomyza phrygia](#)

Regent Honeyeater

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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Migratory Wetland Species**Birds**[Ardea alba](#)

Great Egret, White Egret

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Ardea ibis](#)

Cattle Egret

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Gallinago hardwickii](#)

Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Nettapus coromandelianus albipennis](#)

Australian Cotton Pygmy-goose

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Rostratula benghalensis s. lat.](#)

Painted Snipe

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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Migratory Marine Birds[Apus pacificus](#)

Fork-tailed Swift

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Ardea alba](#)

Great Egret, White Egret

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Ardea ibis](#)

Cattle Egret

Migratory	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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Other Matters Protected by the EPBC ActListed Marine Species [[Dataset Information](#)]

Status	Type of Presence
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Birds[Anseranas semipalmata](#)

Magpie Goose

Listed - overfly marine	Species or species habitat may occur within area
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[Apus pacificus](#)

Fork-tailed Swift

area

Listed -
overfly
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Great Egret, White Egret

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Cattle Egret

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area[Gallinago hardwickii](#)

Latham's Snipe, Japanese Snipe

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area[Haliaeetus leucogaster](#)

White-bellied Sea-Eagle

Listed

Species or species habitat likely to occur
within area[Hirundapus caudacutus](#)

White-throated Needletail

Listed -
overfly
marine
areaSpecies or species habitat may occur within
area[Lathamus discolor](#)

Swift Parrot

Listed -
overfly
marine
areaSpecies or species habitat may occur within
area[Merops ornatus](#)

Rainbow Bee-eater

Listed -
overfly
marine
areaSpecies or species habitat may occur within
area[Monarcha melanopsis](#)

Black-faced Monarch

Listed -
overfly
marine
area

Breeding may occur within area

[Monarcha trivirgatus](#)

Spectacled Monarch

Listed -
overfly
marine
area

Breeding likely to occur within area

[Myiagra cyanoleuca](#)

Satin Flycatcher

Listed -
overfly
marine
area

Breeding likely to occur within area

[Nettapus coromandelianus albipennis](#)

Australian Cotton Pygmy-goose

Listed -
overfly
marine
areaSpecies or species habitat may occur within
area[Rhipidura rufifrons](#)

Rufous Fantail

Listed -
overfly
marine
area

Breeding may occur within area

[Rostratula benghalensis s. lat.](#)

Painted Snipe

Listed -
overfly
marine
areaSpecies or species habitat may occur within
area

Extra Information

Regional Forest Agreements [[Dataset Information](#)]

Note that all RFA areas including those still under consideration have been included.

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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 Heritage and Register of National Estate properties, Wetlands of International 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 [migratory](#) and [marine](#) provisions of the Act have been mapped.

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.

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- [Department of Sustainability and Environment, Victoria](#)
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- [Department of Environment and Heritage, South Australia Planning SA](#)
- [Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory](#)
- [Environmental Protection Agency, Queensland](#)
- [Birds Australia](#)
- [Australian Bird and Bat Banding Scheme](#)

- [Australian National Wildlife Collection](#)
- Natural history museums of Australia
- [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](#)
- Other groups and individuals

[ANUCliM Version 1.8, Centre for Resource and Environmental Studies, Australian National University](#) was used extensively for the production of draft maps of species distribution. Environment Australia is extremely grateful to the many organisations and individuals who provided expert advice and information on numerous draft distributions.

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APPENDIX 4:

Comments on Terrestrial Vertebrate Species of Special Conservation Significance Obtained from Database Searches but Undetected in the Study Area

The following list is compiled from Appendices 2 and 3.

Special Status abbreviations are as follows:

Queensland's Nature Conservation Act 1992 (NCA Status): **E** = Endangered, **V** = Vulnerable, **R** = Rare, **S** = Special Least Concern, **C** = Least Concern wildlife.

Commonwealth Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Status): **CE** = Critically Endangered, **E** = Endangered, **V** = Vulnerable, **M** = Migratory Species.

Genus Species	Common Name	NCA Status	EPBC Status	Comments
AMPHIBIANS				
<i>Adelotus brevis</i>	Tusked Frog	V		Considered likely to occur. See Section 5.10.1
<i>Mixophyes iteratus</i>	Giant Barred Frog	E	E	Giant Barred Frogs prefer the edges of deep, slow-flowing creeks in riverine rainforest or wet sclerophyll forest (Meyer <i>et al.</i> 2001). There are no database records for this species. There is no suitable habitat in the study area and it is considered unlikely to occur
REPTILES				
<i>Delma torquata</i>	Collared Delma	V	V	The Collared Delma is a small legless lizard endemic to south-east Queensland. It can be found in eucalypt/acacia dry woodland on rocky slopes and ridges. While there is suitable habitat in the study area, there are no database records and given the history of disturbance on the site it is considered unlikely to occur.
<i>Coeranoscincus reticulatus</i>	Three-toed Snake-toothed Skink	R	V	This species is mostly found in montane rainforest and adjacent wet sclerophyll forest, although populations can be found in rainforest on Fraser Island and the Cooloola Coast. There are no database records for this species and it is considered unlikely to be present in the study area.
BIRDS				
<i>Erythrorhynchus radiatus</i>	Red Goshawk	E	V	The Red Goshawk occurs in a variety of woodland and forest, preferring a mosaic of vegetation types and permanent water, particularly riverine forests. It avoids very open or dense habitats and has a very large home range (up to 200km ²). There are no database records for this species from the local area. There is little suitable habitat and the species is considered unlikely to occur in the study site.
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian Painted Snipe	V	V, M	This species occurs in a variety of terrestrial shallow wetland habitats, feeding on vegetation, seeds and invertebrates. Their cryptic habits make this species difficult to detect. There is little suitable habitat in the study area and no database records. This species is considered unlikely to occur.

APPENDIX 4 – COMMENTS ON TERRESTRIAL VERTEBRATE SPECIES OF SPECIAL CONSERVATION SIGNIFICANCE OBTAINED FROM DATABASE SEARCHES BUT UNDETECTED IN THE STUDY AREA

Genus Species	Common Name	NCA Status	EPBC Status	Comments
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	Black-breasted Button-quail	V	V	This species is predominantly recorded in dry closed rainforest and vine thickets with abundant leaf litter, although it may be found in dry eucalypt forest with a dense understorey. There are no recent database records and little suitable habitat within the study area. This species is considered unlikely to occur.
<i>Geophaps scripta scripta</i>	Squatter Pigeon (southern subspecies)	V	V	This species occurs in open dry sclerophyll woodland with a grassy understorey and near permanent water. The species has declined significantly in southern Queensland (Higgins and Davies 1996). There are no database records for this species from local area and the species is considered unlikely to occur.
<i>Calyptrorhynchus lathamii</i>	Glossy Black-Cockatoo	V		Considered likely to occur. See Section 5.10.2
<i>Cyclopsitta diophthalma coxeni</i>	Coxen's Fig-Parrot	E	E	This critically endangered parrot is poorly known but lives in rainforest, riparian corridors and agricultural/urban areas with fig trees (Garnett and Crowley 2000). It has declined due to habitat loss, weed invasion in its' remaining habitat and a lack of natural recruitment of large, isolated fig trees. There are no database records and the species is considered highly unlikely to occur in the study area.
<i>Lathamus discolor</i>	Swift Parrot	E	E	This species breeds in Tasmania during Spring and Summer. In winter it disperses widely across south-eastern Australia and is infrequently, though possibly annually recorded in south-east Queensland. There are no database records and it is considered unlikely the species occurs in the study area.
<i>Xanthomyza phrygia</i>	Regent Honeyeater	E	E,M	The Regent Honeyeater mainly occurs in dry box-ironbark eucalypt woodland and dry sclerophyll forest (Higgins <i>et al.</i> 2001). It is found mostly on the inland slopes of the Great Dividing Range and occurs north to Pomona in Queensland. Numbers fluctuate greatly, both spatially and temporally and movement outside the breeding season are little known (Garnett and Crowley 2000). It relies on nectar from eucalypts and mistletoes, which influences breeding movements. There are no database records and it is considered unlikely the species occurs in the study area.
MAMMALS				
<i>Ornithorhynchus anatinus</i>	Platypus	S		The Platypus is a solitary animal that inhabits a variety of freshwater habitats. They are primarily nocturnal and crepuscular and can tolerate a wide range of conditions. Although there are database records from the local area, no suitable habitat was observed on the study site and it is considered unlikely to occur.
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	Spotted-tail Quoll (south-east mainland population)	V	E	Considered likely to occur. See Section 5.10.3
<i>Potorous tridactylus tridactylus</i>	Long-nosed Potoroo (south-east mainland)	C	V	Although this species can be found in a variety of vegetation types it is reliant on areas with dense undergrowth. In the greater Brisbane region it may be found in the more heavily wooded coastal ranges. There are no database records in the area and the species is considered highly unlikely to occur in the study area.

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Genus Species	Common Name	NCA Status	EPBC Status	Comments
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	Brush-tailed Rock Wallaby	V	V	Brush-tailed Rock Wallabies inhabit rock piles and cliff lines in vegetation ranging from rainforest to dry sclerophyll forests (Short and Milkovits 1990). The species has been recorded from the area in wider database searches. There is no suitable habitat within the study site. The species is considered unlikely to have a resident population on the study site, although it may occasionally utilise the western area for foraging.
<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying-fox	C	V	Considered likely to occur. See Section 5.10.4
<i>Chalinolobus dwyeri</i>	Large-eared Pied Bat	R	V	The Large-eared Pied Bat has been found roosting in disused mine tunnels, rock overhangs and Fairy Martin nests. In south-east Queensland the species seems associated with montane moist forest and rainforest (Eyre <i>et al.</i> 1997). However recent surveys suggest the species is now only found in the sandstone belt (EPA 2003). There are no database records and the species is considered unlikely to occur on the study site.

APPENDIX 5:
**BAAM Terrestrial Vertebrate Species List and
Locations**

Undullah Study Area: Species list derived from BAAM fauna surveys**Abbreviations.**

Status: EPBC: E = Endangered; V = Vulnerable; M = Migratory. NCA: E = Endangered; V = Vulnerable; R = Rare; S = Special Least Concern; C = Least Concern; I = Introduced. BMM: X = species of concern for South-East Queensland bioregion.

Unless otherwise noted, this table follows the nomenclature provided by the CSIRO List of Australian Vertebrates (Clayton *et al.* 2006) as it provides a single point of reference for all terrestrial vertebrate groups. Any notable variations in common and/or scientific names of conservation significant species are identified in the report text and as footnotes hereunder. With the exception of alterations due to subsequent taxonomic revision, species reported by sources other than BAAM are accepted at face value.

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	Site	EPBC Act	NC Act	BMM
Fish					
MELANOTAENIIDAE					
<i>Melanotaenia duboulayi</i>	Crimson-spotted Rainbowfish	2			
ELEOTRIDAE					
<i>Hypseleotris galii</i>	Firetail Gudgeon	2			
<i>Mogurnda adspersa</i>	Purple-spotted Gudgeon	2			
AMPHIBIANS					
MYOBATRACHIDAE					
<i>Crinia parinsignifera</i>	Eastern Sign-bearing Froglet	Inc		C	
<i>Limnodynastes ornatus</i>	Ornate Burrowing Frog	5		C	
<i>Limnodynastes peronii</i>	Brown-striped Frog	5		C	
<i>Limnodynastes tasmaniensis</i>	Spotted Grass Frog	5		C	X
HYLIDAE					
<i>Cyclorana alboguttata</i>	Striped Burrowing Frog	Inc		C	
<i>Litoria caerulea</i>	Green Tree Frog	5,Inc		C	
<i>Litoria dentata</i>	Bleating Tree Frog	Inc		C	X
<i>Litoria fallax</i>	Eastern Dwarf Tree Frog	2,5		C	
<i>Litoria gracilentia</i>	Dainty Green Tree Frog	5		C	
<i>Litoria latopalmata</i>	Broad-palmed Frog	5,Inc		C	
<i>Litoria peronii</i>	Peron's Tree Frog	5		C	X
<i>Litoria rubella</i>	Desert Tree Frog	2,5		C	
<i>Litoria wilcoxii</i>	No common name	2		C	
BUFONIDAE					
<i>Bufo marinus</i>	Cane Toad	1,2,4,5,inc		I	
REPTILES					
CHELIDAE					
<i>Elseya latisternum</i>	Saw-shelled Turtle	5		C	
GEKKONIDAE					
<i>Gehyra dubia</i>	Dubious Dtella	Inc		C	
SCINCIDAE					
<i>Anomalopus verreauxii</i>	Three-clawed Worm-Skink	1,2		C	
<i>Carlia munda</i>	Shaded-litter	Inc		C	

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	Site	EPBC Act	NC Act	BAMM
	Rainbow-Skink				
<i>Carlia vivax</i>	Tussock Rainbow-Skink	2,4		C	
<i>Cryptoblepharus virgatus</i>	Cream-striped Shinning-skink	1,2,3,4		C	
<i>Ctenotus taeniolatus</i>	Copper-tailed Skink	3,4,Inc		C	
<i>Eulamprus martini</i>	Dark Barsided Skink	4		C	
<i>Lampropholis delicata</i>	Dark-flecked Garden Sunskink	3		C	
<i>Lygisaurus foliorum</i>	Tree-base Litter-Skink	1,2,4		C	
<i>Morethia taeniopleura</i>	Fire-tailed Skink	1,4,Inc		C	X
AGAMIDAE					
<i>Diporiphora australis</i>	Tommy Roundhead	4, Inc		C	X
<i>Physignathus lesueurii</i>	Water Dragon	2,5		C	
<i>Pogona barbata</i>	Bearded Dragon	Inc		C	
VARANIDAE					
<i>Varanus varius</i>	Lace Monitor	1,2		C	
COLUBRIDAE					
<i>Dendrelaphus punctulatus</i>	Common Tree Snake	2		C	
ELAPIDAE					
<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>	Red-bellied Black Snake	Inc		C	
BIRDS					
MEGAPODIIDAE					
<i>Alectura lathamii</i>	Australian Brush-turkey	2		C	
PHASIANIDAE					
<i>Coturnix ypsilophora</i>	Brown Quail	4,Inc		C	
ANATIDAE					
<i>Chenonetta jubata</i>	Australian Wood Duck	Inc		C	
THRESKIORNITHIDAE					
<i>Threskiornis spinicollis</i>	Straw-necked Ibis	Inc		C	
PHALACROCORACIDAE					
<i>Phalacrocorax melanoleucos</i>	Little Pied Cormorant	5		C	
FALCONIDAE					
<i>Falco longipennis</i>	Australian Hobby	Inc		C	
ACCIPITRIDAE					
<i>Accipiter fasciatus</i>	Brown Goshawk	3, Inc		C	
<i>Aquila audax</i>	Wedge-tailed Eagle	Inc		C	
RALLIDAE					
<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	Purple Swamphen	Inc		C	
<i>Gallinula tenebrosa</i>	Dusky Moorhen	Inc		C	
BURHINIDAE					
<i>Burhinus grallarius</i>	Bush Stone-curlew	3		C	X
CHARADRIIDAE					
<i>Vanellus miles</i>	Masked Lapwing	Inc		C	
COLUMBIDAE					
<i>Phaps chalcoptera</i>	Common Bronzewing	Inc		C	
<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	Crested Pigeon	Inc		C	
<i>Geopelia placida</i>	Peaceful Dove	2,3,5,Inc		C	
<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	Bar-shouldered Dove	1,2,Inc		C	
<i>Lopholaimus antarcticus</i>	Topknot Pigeon	Inc		C	
CACATUIDAE					
<i>Eolophus roseicapilla</i>	Galah	Inc		C	
<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	2,5		C	

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	Site	EPBC Act	NC Act	BAMM
PSITTACIDAE					
<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Rainbow Lorikeet	1,4,5		C	
<i>Trichoglossus chlorolepidotus</i>	Scaly-breasted Lorikeet	1,2,4,5		C	
<i>Glossopsitta pusilla</i>	Little Lorikeet	2,Inc		C	
<i>Platycercus adscitus</i>	Pale-headed Rosella	2,Inc		C	
<i>Alisterus scapularis</i>	Australian King-Parrot	1		C	
CUCULIDAE					
<i>Cacomantis flabelliformis</i>	Fan-tailed Cuckoo	Inc		C	
<i>Chalcites lucidus</i>	Shining Bronze-Cuckoo	2,4		C	
<i>Eudnamys orientalis</i>	Pacific Koel	1,Inc		C	
<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	Channel-billed Cuckoo	2,3,4		C	
CENTROPIDIDAE					
<i>Centropus phasianinus</i>	Pheasant Coucal	1,2,3,5		C	
STRIGIDAE					
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	1		V	
<i>Ninox boobook</i>	Southern Boobook	1,3,5		C	
PODARGIDAE					
<i>Podargus strigoides</i>	Tawny Frogmouth	2,5		C	
CAPRIMULGIDAE					
<i>Eurostopodus mystacalis</i>	White-throated Nightjar	1,5		C	
CORACIIDAE					
<i>Eurystomus orientalis</i>	Dollarbird	1,Inc		C	
HALCYONIDAE					
<i>Dacelo novaeguineae</i>	Laughing Kookaburra	1,3,Inc		C	
<i>Todiramphus sancta</i>	Sacred Kingfisher	Inc		C	
MEROPIIDAE					
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	Inc	M	S	
CLIMACTERIDAE					
<i>Cormobates leucophaea</i>	White-throated Treecreeper	1,2		C	
MALURIDAE					
<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	Variegated Fairy-wren	2,5		C	
<i>Malurus cyaneus</i>	Superb Fairy-wren	4		C	
<i>Malurus melanocephalus</i>	Red-backed Fairy-wren	4,5,Inc		C	
PARDALOTIDAE					
<i>Pardalotus punctatus</i>	Spotted Pardalote	Inc		C	
<i>Pardalotus striatus</i>	Striated Pardalote	3,5		C	
ACANTHIZIDAE					
<i>Pyrrholaemus sagittatus</i>	Speckled Warbler	5		C	
<i>Sericornis frontalis</i>	White-browed Scrubwren	2,Inc		C	
<i>Smicronis brevirostris</i>	Weebill	4,Inc		C	
<i>Gerygone olivacea</i>	White-throated Gerygone	4,Inc		C	
<i>Acanthiza reguloides</i>	Buff-rumped Thornbill	4,Inc			
MELIPHAGIDAE					
<i>Lichenostomus chrysops</i>	Yellow-faced Honeyeater	4,5		C	
<i>Lichenostomus fuscus</i>	Fuscous Honeyeater	4		C	
<i>Meliphaga lewinii</i>	Lewin's Honeyeater	1,2		C	
<i>Manorina melanocephala</i>	Noisy Miner	2,5		C	

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	Site	EPBC Act	NC Act	BAMM
<i>Entomyzon cyanotis</i>	Blue-faced Honeyeater	5		C	
<i>Melithreptus albogularis</i>	White-throated Honeyeater	2,3,4,5		C	
<i>Philemon corniculatus</i>	Noisy Friarbird	1,2,4,5		C	
<i>Plectorhyncha lanceolata</i>	Striped Honeyeater	2,5		C	
<i>Lichmera indistincta</i>	Brown Honeyeater	1		C	
<i>Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris</i>	Eastern Spinebill	Inc		C	
<i>Myzomela sanguinolenta</i>	Scarlet Honeyeater	4,Inc		C	
PETROICIDAE					
<i>Eopsaltria australis</i>	Eastern Yellow Robin	1,2		C	
<i>Microeca fascians</i>	Jacky Winter	Inc		C	
<i>Petroica rosea</i>	Rose Robin	Inc		C	
POMATOSTOMIDAE					
<i>Pomatostomus temporalis</i>	Grey-crowned Babbler	5		C	
EUPETIDAE					
<i>Psophodes olivaceus</i>	Eastern Whipbird	1,2		C	
NEOSITTIDAE					
<i>Daphoenositta chrysoptera</i>	Varied Sittella	4		C	
PACHYCEPHALIDAE					
<i>Pachycephala pectoralis</i>	Golden Whistler	Inc		C	
<i>Pachycephala rufiventris</i>	Rufous Whistler	1,3,4,Inc		C	
<i>Colluricincla harmonica</i>	Grey Shrike-thrush	1,2,3,Inc		C	
DICRURIDAE					
<i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>	Grey Fantail	4,Inc		C	
<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail	4,Inc		C	
<i>Dicrurus bracteatus</i>	Spangled Drongo	2,5		C	
<i>Myiagra rubecula</i>	Leaden Flycatcher	2,Inc		C	
ARTAMIDAE					
<i>Cracticus torquatus</i>	Grey Butcherbird	1,2,5		C	
<i>Cracticus nigrogularis</i>	Pied Butcherbird	2,Inc		C	
<i>Gymnorhina tibicen</i>	Australian Magpie	Inc		C	
<i>Strepera graculina</i>	Pied Currawong	5			
CAMPEPHAGIDAE					
<i>Coracina tenuirostris</i>	Cicadabird	1,2,4		C	
<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>	Black-faced Cuckoo-shrike	1,4,Inc		C	
ORIOOLIDAE					
<i>Sphecotheres vieilloti</i>	Australasian Figbird	2		C	
<i>Oriolus sagittatus</i>	Olive-backed Oriole	1,2		C	
CORVIDAE					
<i>Corvus orru</i>	Torresian Crow	1,2,3,4,5,Inc		C	
ZOSTEROPIDAE					
<i>Zosterops lateralis</i>	Silvereye	Inc		C	
DICAEIDAE					
<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>	Mistletoebird	4		C	
MOTACILLIDAE					
<i>Anthus australis</i>	Australian Pipit	Inc		C	
ESTRILDIDAE					
<i>Neochmia temporalis</i>	Red-browed Finch	1,2,Inc		C	
<i>Taeniopygia bichenovii</i>	Double-barred Finch	4,Inc		C	
MAMMALS					
TACHYGLOSSIDAE					
<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Short-beaked Echidna	Inc		S	

Family Scientific Name	Common Name	Site	EPBC Act	NC Act	BAMM
DASYURIDAE					
<i>Antechinus flavipes</i>	Yellow-footed Antechinus	1		C	
<i>Phascogale tapoatafa</i>	Brush-tailed Phascogale	Inc		C	X
<i>Sminthopsis murina</i>	Common Dunnart	4		C	X
PERAMELIDAE					
<i>Isodon macrourus</i>	Northern Brown Bandicoot	Inc		C	
PHASCOLARCTIDAE					
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala (SEQ Bioregion)	Inc		V	
PETAURIDAE					
<i>Petaurus australis australis</i>	Yellow-bellied Glider (southern subspecies)	3		C	X
<i>Petaurus norfolcensis</i>	Squirrel Glider	Inc		C	X
PHALANGERIDAE					
<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	Common Brushtail Possum	5		C	
POTOROIDAE					
<i>Aepyprymnus rufescens</i>	Rufous Bettong	4		C	X
MACROPODIDAE					
<i>Macropus giganteus</i>	Eastern Grey Kangaroo	5,Inc		C	
<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	Red-necked Wallaby	3,5,Inc		C	
<i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	Swamp Wallaby	Inc		C	
EMBALLONURIDAE					
<i>Saccolaimus flaviventris</i>	Yellow-bellied Sheath-tailed Bat	5		C	
MOLOSSIDAE					
<i>Mormopterus beccarii</i>	Beccari's Free-tailed Bat	1		C	
VESPERTILIONIDAE					
<i>Miniopterus australis</i>	Little Bentwinged-Bat	1		C	
<i>Nyctophilus sp.</i>	Unidentified Large-eared Bat	4		C	
<i>Chalinolobus gouldii</i>	Gould's Wattled Bat	1,2,4		C	
<i>Scotorepens sp./greyii</i>	Central Eastern/Little Broad-nosed Bat	1,2,3,4		C	
<i>Scotorepens orion</i>	Eastern Broad-nosed Bat	1		C	X
<i>Vespadelus darlingtoni</i>	Large Forest Bat	2		C	X
CANIDAE					
<i>Canis lupus</i>	Dingo/Dog	1,2			
LEPORIDAE					
<i>Lepus capensis</i>	Brown Hare	Inc		I	
<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	Rabbit	Inc		I	

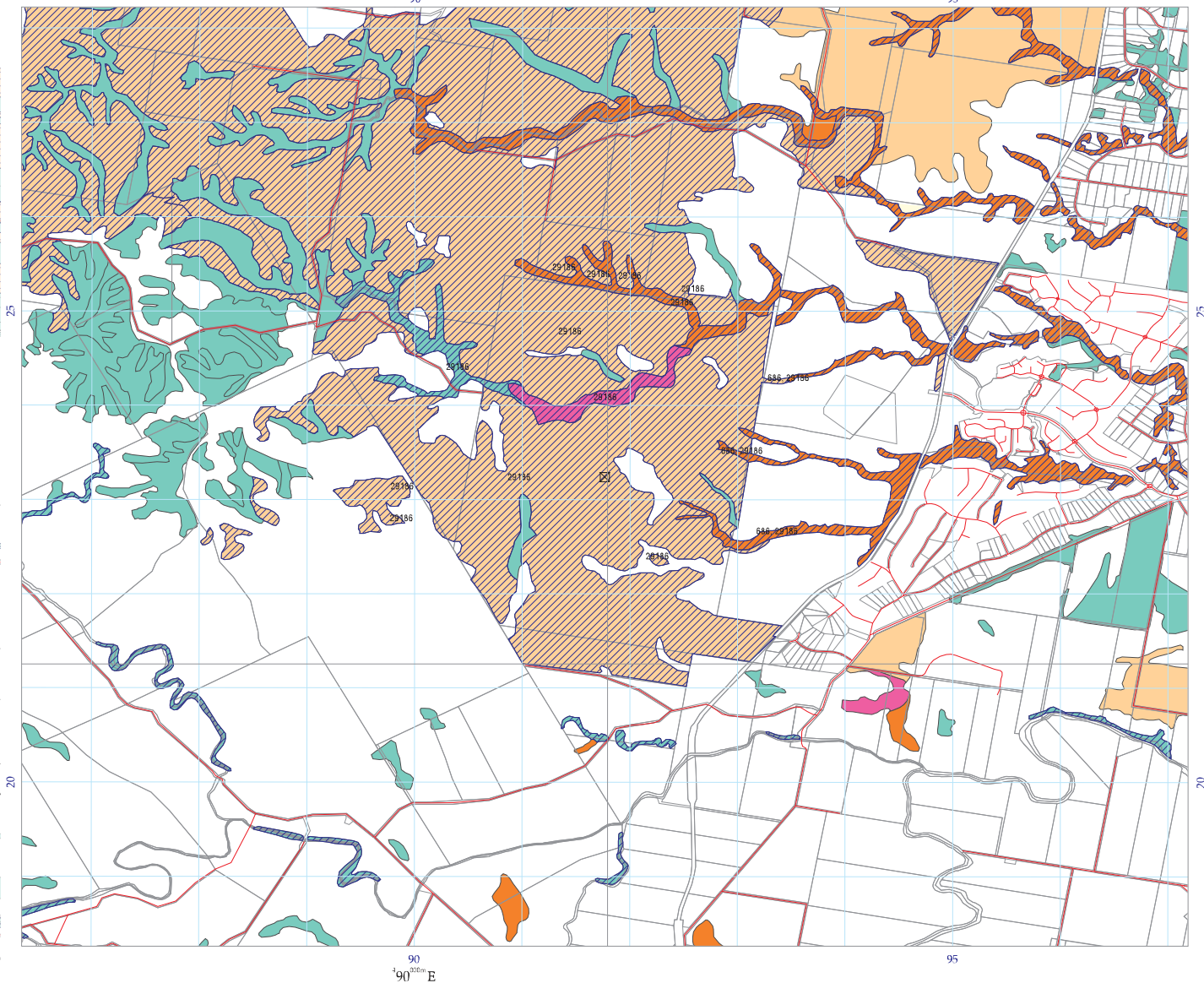
APPENDIX 6:

Essential Habitat Mapping

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VEGETATION MANAGEMENT ACT ESSENTIAL HABITAT MAP

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2003 Remnant endangered regional ecosystem

Dominant

Sub-dominant

2003 Remnant of concern regional ecosystem

Dominant

Sub-dominant

2003 Remnant not of concern regional ecosystem

Non-remnant

Plantation Forest

Dam or Reservoir

2003 Remnant Vegetation Cover (RVC)

Vegetation Management Act Essential Habitat
Area identified as essential habitat by the EPA for a species
of wildlife listed as endangered, vulnerable, near threatened
or rare under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*.

Vegetation Management Act Essential Habitat Species Records

Roads

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Bioregion boundary

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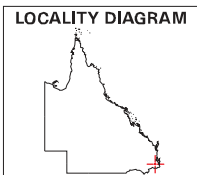
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Towns

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LOCALITY DIAGRAM



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Labels for Vegetation Management Act Essential Habitat are centred
on the area of interest (1.1km surrounding and including a Lot on
Plan or 2.2km around the selected coordinates). Labels relate to
the attached species list.

Regional ecosystem linework has been compiled at a scale of 1:100 000,
except in designated areas where a compilation scale of 1:50 000 is
available. Linework should be used as a guide only. The positional
accuracy of RE data mapped at a scale of 1:100 000 is +/-100 metres.
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Appendix E

BAAM Koala Habitat Assessment and Mapping



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KOALA HABITAT ASSESSMENT AND MAPPING

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared at the request of Stockland for issuing to the Urban Land Development Authority (ULDA). The purpose of this report is to review and update a previous Koala study conducted in 2009 by Biodiversity Assessment And Management (BAAM) on the Undullah property. The findings and mapping within this report are based on field assessment conducted in 2009 and are provided to the ULDA to be considered in the ecological constraints mapping for the Undullah property.

The study area is located within the Logan City local government area and is situated approximately 10 km west of Jimboomba, South East Queensland. The site is approximately 1,000 hectares in size and is located within a largely constant vegetation matrix to the north and west. Lands to the south and south-west have been cleared for cattle grazing and other land uses.

The study area has been subjected to various land uses including cattle grazing, logging and quarrying of sandstone. In 2009, large areas had suffered Lantana infestation. Despite this much of the study site retained vegetation cover in varying stages of maturity.

RESULTS OF THE KOALA HABITAT ASSESSMENT

In general terms, at the time of the field assessment the study area held a mix of low and medium Koala habitat values with higher values generally along waterways within the study area. In January 2009,

much of the site was dominated by regrowth vegetation comprising young Eucalypts, Acacia, exotic weeds and fodder grasses, with mature Eucalypts restricted mainly to the ridge lines that are less accessible to logging. *Corymbia citriodora* was the most dominant canopy species throughout the study area. Dense stands of *Lantana camara* were present along the drainage lines and adjacent to cleared areas.

Potential Koala food trees were identified throughout the majority of the site. The majority of the study area was dominated by *Corymbia citriodora*, with some areas supporting a greater abundance of *Eucalyptus tereticornis* and *E. moluccana*.

Two adult male Koalas were observed during the survey period in January 2009. Both individuals appeared in good health.

The Koala habitat values were found to vary throughout the study area, with some areas providing high value whilst others provided low value habitat for Koalas.

Based on the results of the 2009 site investigation and on previous Koala habitat mapping under the *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006 and Management Program 2006-2015* (Koala Plan), a Koala Habitat Zones Map has been produced (refer to **Figure 5.2**). This figure shows the study area supports four broad categories of Koala habitats, which range in value from high to low. The designated categories are based on the value of Koala habitat identified within the study area in 2009.

KOALA HABITAT ASSESSING AND MAPPING

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Table of Abbreviations

BAAM	Biodiversity Assessment and Management Pty Ltd
EPA	Queensland Environmental Protection Agency
PMVA	Property map of Assessable Vegetation
QPWS	Queensland Parks and Wildlife Services
RE	Regional Ecosystem
ULDA	Urban Land Development Authority
VM Act	Vegetation Management Act 1999

1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report has been prepared at the request of Stockland for the purpose of reviewing and updating a previous Koala habitat study conducted in 2009 by Biodiversity Assessment and Management (BAAM) on the Undullah property.

- The findings and details in this report are based on the original study completed in 2009 for the purpose of providing an assessment and mapping of Koala (*Phascolarctos cinereus*) habitat values within an area proposed for residential development known as Lot 3 on RP45236, Lot 3 on RP49296 and Lot 28 on S311174 and located at Wyatt Road, Undullah (study area)

The specific aims of this report are to:

- Determine the extent and quality of the Koala habitat at the time of the initial field assessment in 2009;
- Provide an estimate of the number of Koalas utilising the study area in 2009; and
- Provide recommendations for areas that require further habitat assessment.

All observations and details provided in this report are based on field surveys conducted between 19 January and 23 January 2009 following a desktop review of existing information.

The field assessment was conducted prior to the release of the *State Planning Policy 2/10: Koala Conservation in South East Queensland* (SPP) and is in accordance with the Koala assessment methodology detailed in the *Nature Conservation (Koala) Conservation Plan 2006* (Koala Plan) in force at the time of the survey.

2.0 SITE DESCRIPTION

The study area is located within the Logan City local government area and is situated approximately 20 km north-west of Beaudesert (**Figure 2.1**). The study area is comprised of two properties described as Lot 3 on RP45236 and Lot 28 on S311174.

The total surface area of the site is approximately 1,025 hectares.

The study area has been subjected to various land uses, including cattle grazing, logging and quarrying of sandstone. At the time of the survey numerous vehicle tracks traversed the site, many of which appeared to be in regular use by trail bike riders.

Several ridgelines of varying grades cross the property in the northern and western portions of the site, which run down to gently sloping alluvial areas. Sandy Creek crosses the site from the west to the north-east portion of the site. The site also supports some smaller ephemeral creeks. Several small farm dams/water bodies are also distributed throughout the property.

3.0 BACKGROUND

3.1 KOALA (*PHASCOLARCTOS CINEREUS*)

Status: Vulnerable in South East Queensland - *Nature Conservation Act 1992* (NC Act)

Ecology: Koalas have a distinct association with eucalypt woodland and forest habitat types containing suitable food trees (Hume and Esson 1993; Moore and Foley 2000; Martin *et al.* 2008). They are not necessarily restricted to bushland or remnant areas and are known to exist and breed within farmland and the urban environment (Dique *et al.* 2004). Similarly, movement is not confined to vegetated corridors, as they also move across cleared rural land and through suburbs (Martin *et al.* 2008).

Koalas use a variety of trees, including many non-Eucalypts, for feeding, shelter and breeding purposes (Dique *et al.* 2004; Martin *et al.* 2008). They can, however, have distinct, localised preferences throughout their range, selecting some species in preference to others (Pahl and Hume 1990). They are also known to favour individual trees for which a variety of reasons have been postulated including high leaf moisture content, high leaf nitrogen content (which is often related to low fibre content making leaves more

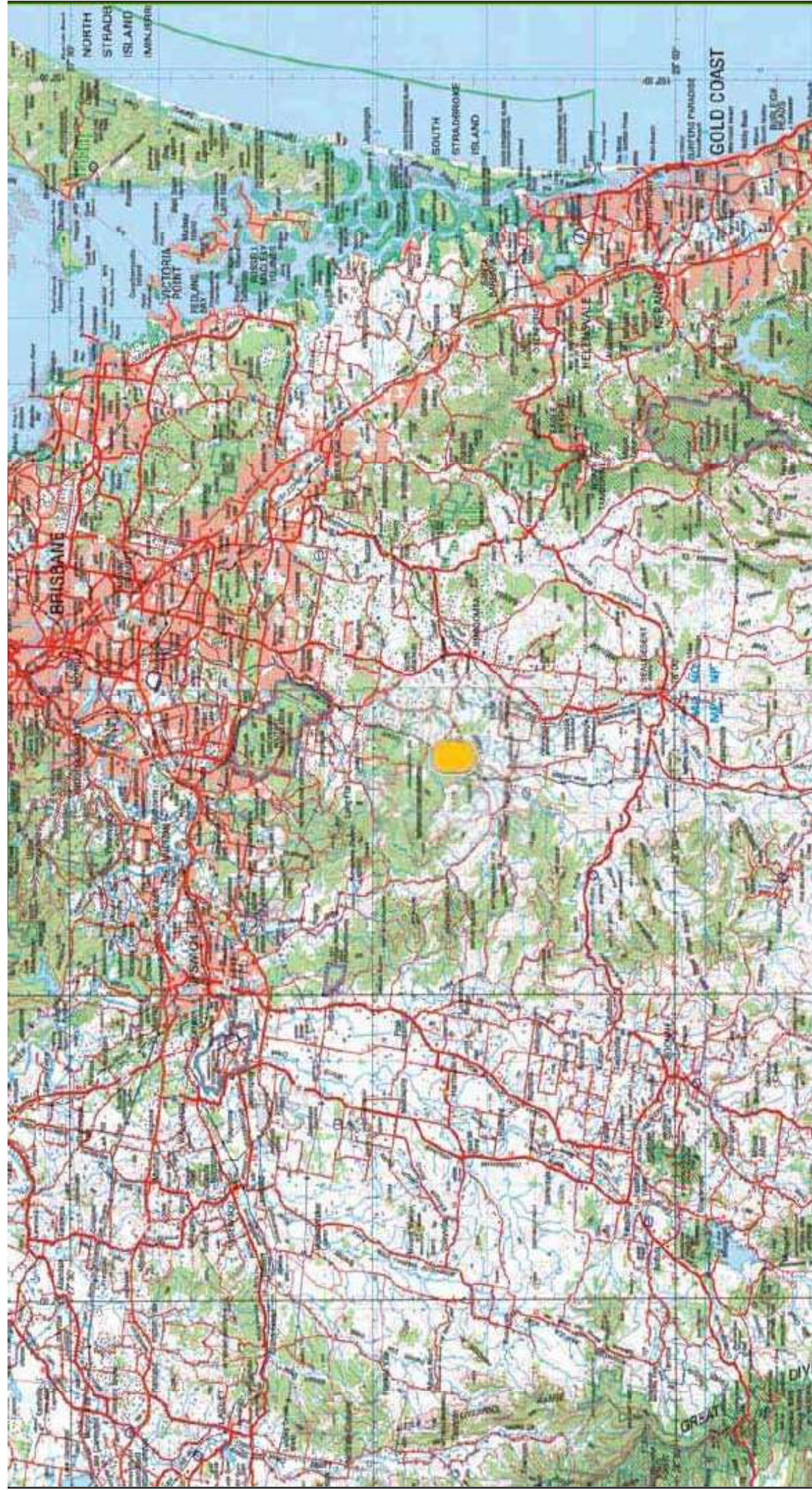
palatable) and low amounts of chemical compounds produced by Eucalypts to resist herbivory (Pahl and Hume 1990; Hume and Esson 1993; Moore and Foley 2000).

Individual animals, although solitary, coexist within overlapping home ranges, which contain a finite number of food trees that are visited repeatedly and often shared with other individuals (Martin *et al.* 2008).

Distribution and Breeding: Koalas occur throughout north-east, central and south-east Queensland, extending south through Victoria into South Australia and Kangaroo Island. In Brisbane, they are renowned throughout the well forested outer suburbs, particularly to the south-east (Low 1995). However, surveys within the 'Koala Coast' region indicate populations have declined by 26 % in recent years (EPA 2007).

Breeding occurs in spring/summer when males become territorial, attacking and fighting rivals and using loud bellows to advertise their presence (Martin *et al.* 2008). Young permanently leave the females pouch after seven months, but continue to ride on the mother's back until 12 months or at the beginning of a new breeding season. After this time adolescent females may remain in the natal habitat, but males generally disperse to new territories between 1-3 years of age (Dique *et al.* 2003; Martin *et al.* 2008).

Threats: Current threats include habitat destruction and fragmentation, bushfire and disease. Populations around urban areas are at increased risk of mortality due to dog attack and road strike (Maxwell *et al.* 1996).



Legend:



Site Location

FIGURE 2.1
Locality Map of the
Subject Site

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3.2 STATUTORY FRAMEWORK

3.2.1 State Planning Policy2/10: Koala Conservation in South East Queensland

The SPP was gazetted in February 2010. The policy is primarily directed at Councils requiring the new rules surrounding Koala habitat conservation to be included into planning scheme amendments, structure plans and other planning instruments. Schedule 1 of the SPP includes maps of Koala Habitat Values. Although the SPP does not apply to U.D.A declared sites, it is likely to form one of the many considerations of the ULDA Development Scheme.

The site is outside of the Urban Footprint of the SEQ regional plan and we note that the SPRP is not applicable to the site. However, the SPP map of Koala Habitat Values for the study area is provided in **Figure 3.1**. It should be understood that the SPP mapping is still in its early days and the accuracy of this mapping is being questioned.

The study undertaken on the Undullah study area as detailed in this report is considered a more reliable measure of Koala habitat values present on the site than the broad-scale SPP mapping.

3.2.2 Vegetation Management Act 1999

The majority of the study area is mapped as Essential Habitat for the Koala under the *Vegetation Management Act 1999* (VM Act) (**Figure 3.2**). However, as per schedule 24 of the *Sustainable Planning Act Regulation 2009*, the VM Act does not apply to declared Urban Development Areas.

Essential Habitat for Koala is described as:

“Open (structurally complex with mixture young/mature/old growth, especially 30-80cm dbh), mixed (rich in number and species diversity of food trees) eucalypt forest and woodland at lower altitude in undulating country on relatively deep and usually high nutrient soil (main species - *Eucalyptus tereticornis*, *E. fibrosa*, *E.*

propinqua; *E. umbra*, *E. grandis*, *E. microcorys*, *E. tindaliae*, *E. resinifera*, *E. populnea*; *E. robusta*, *E. nigra*, *E. signata* [racemosa]).”

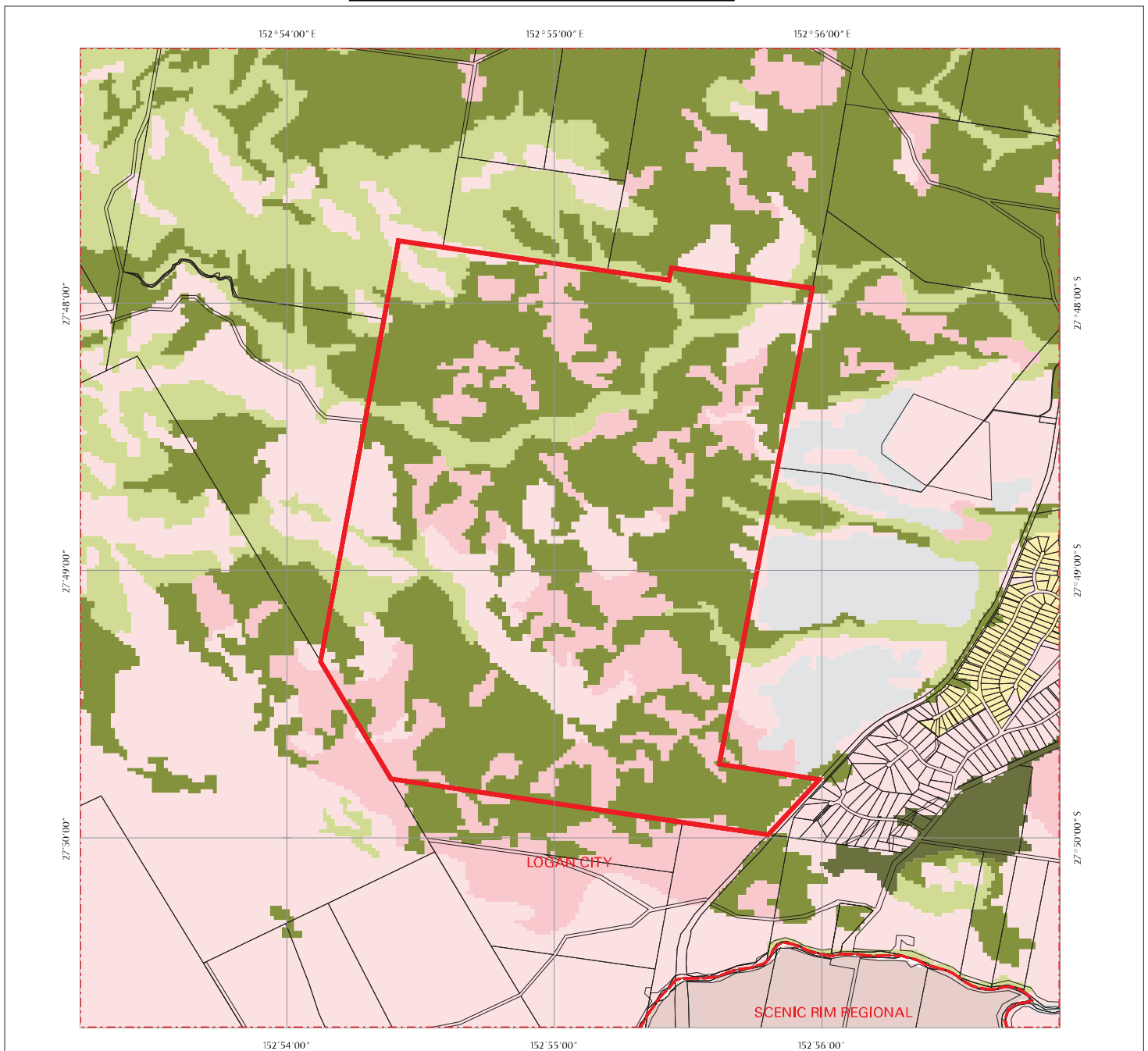
The Essential Habitat within the study area coincides with the following Regional Ecosystem (REs):

- RE 12.3.3: *Eucalyptus tereticornis* open forest to woodland, which can include other Koala food trees of the Eucalypt, *Corymbia*, *Angophora* and *Lophostemon* genera;
- RE 12.9-10.2: open forest to woodland of *Corymbia citriodora* usually with *E. crebra*, and can include other Eucalypt and/or *Corymbia* species;
- RE 12.9-10.7: *E. crebra* and *E. tereticornis* woodland with a variety of other Eucalyptus, *Corymbia*, *Angophora* and/or *Lophostemon* species; and
- RE 12.9-10.17: open forest with a variety of stringybarks, Grey Gums, Ironbarks and Spotted Gums (including *E. moluccana*, *C. citriodora*, *E. siderophloia* and *E. propinqua*).

These REs include a variety of suitable Koala food trees and are mapped throughout the study area.

A Property Map of Assessable Vegetation (PMAV) of the study area was submitted by the Saunders Havill Group. The PMAV was certified on 24 April 2008 and is provided in **Appendix 1**.

Figure 3.1: SPP Map of Koala Habitat Values



Legend

 Area of interest - Road/Lot & Plan

Koala SPP - Habitat Values

Bushland Habitat

- High Value Bushland
- Medium Value Bushland
- Low Value Bushland

Suitable for Rehabilitation

- High Value Rehabilitation
- Medium Value Rehabilitation
- Low Value Rehabilitation

Other Areas of Value

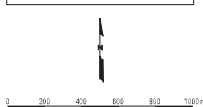
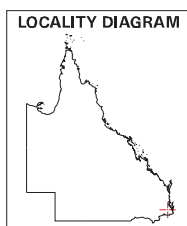
- High Value Other
- Medium Value Other
- Low Value Other
- Generally not suitable
- Water

South East Queensland Koala Habitat Values western SEQ

- Bushland habitat
- Suitable for rehabilitation
- Other areas of value
- Generally not suitable
- Water

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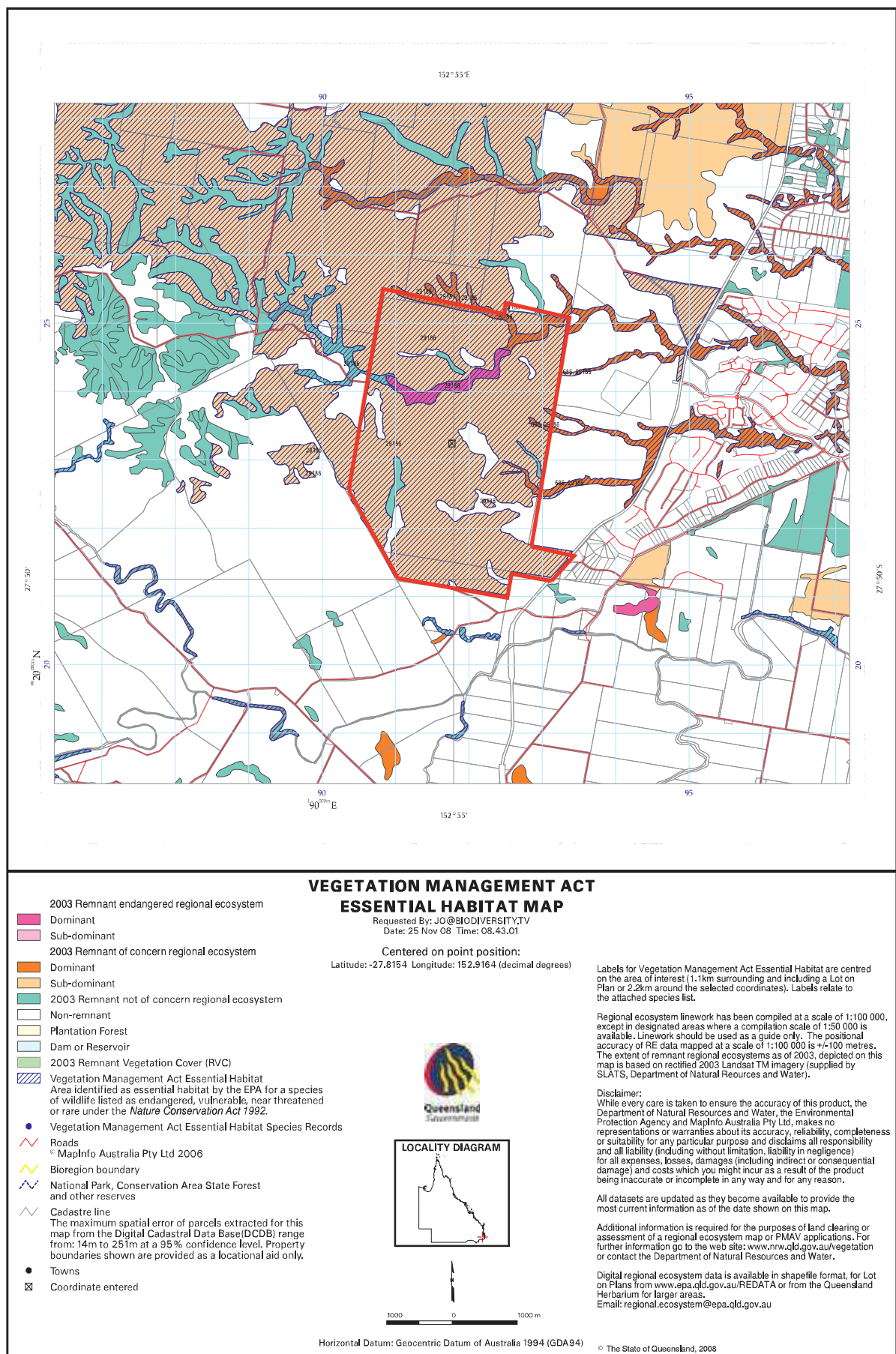
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Cadastral Boundaries
 Local Government Boundaries

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Source:EPA 2009

— Site Boundary

FIGURE 3.2

Essential Habitat Map

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4.0 METHODOLOGY

4.1 DESKTOP

A review of relevant information and survey methodologies was carried out prior to conducting the field surveys. Relevant information included reports pertaining to the project site, literature review with regard to Koalas and field methodologies and relevant local and state planning documentation.

This Koala study was completed prior to the SPP taking effect and therefore does not have for purpose to verify the SPP Koala Habitat Values mapping. The purpose of this study was to carry out field assessment in accordance with Koala assessment methodology standards applicable at the time, to identify the different Koala habitat types on the site and provide a groundtruthed ranking of Koala habitat values.

Prior to the field surveys, remnant vegetation maps and aerial photography were viewed to stratify the area into broad vegetation communities to ensure that field assessment sampled all relevant habitat types.

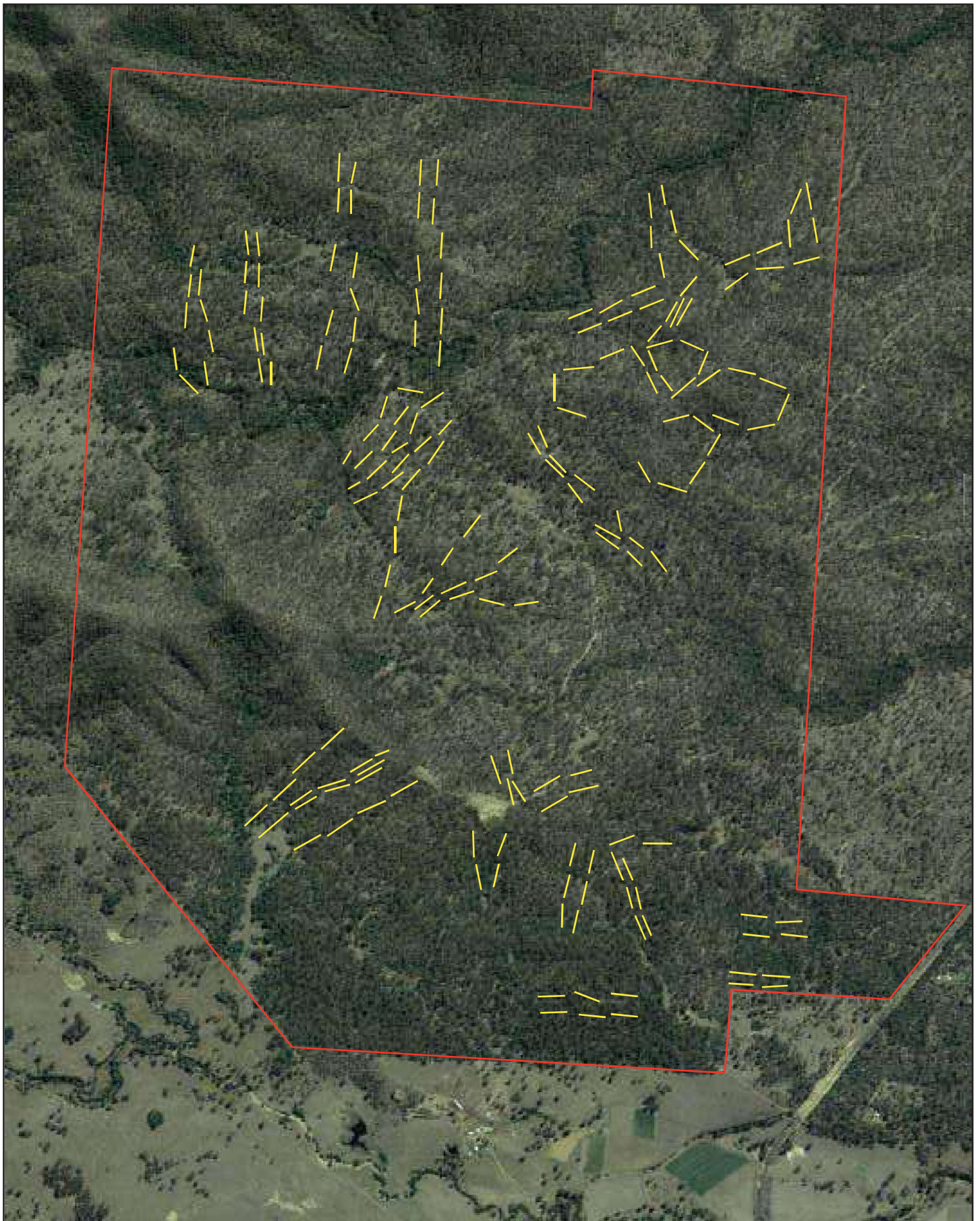
4.2 FIELD SURVEY TECHNIQUES

The field surveys were conducted between 19 and 23 January 2009 using eight experienced field staff.

The systematic survey technique that was used for this Koala assessment followed the recommendations stated in Policy 7 of the Koala Plan. This survey technique was adapted from Dique *et al.* (2003) and involved line-transect sampling. The field staff separated into four pairs of observers to conduct line-transects. In each transect, both field staff were equipped with binoculars and a GPS unit and walked each transect following a set compass bearing. All trees within 10 m either side of the line transects were searched for the presence of Koalas or evidence of their visitation (e.g. scats, skulls). Line-transects were commonly 100m in length and separated by 20 m (see **Figure 4.1**). However, in some areas dense weed infestations (e.g. *Lantana camara*) made movement in a straight line impossible and

the field staff kept their bearing as much as practically possible.

The survey was conducted in accordance with BAAM's Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service's Scientific Purposes Permit No. WISP02791605.



Source: Google Earth Pro 2009

0 m 500 m

Legend:

- Site boundary
- - - Transect



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FIGURE 4.1

Location of Transects

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5.0 RESULTS

5.1 KOALA HABITATS

At the time of field assessment, much of the study area was dominated by regrowth vegetation, comprising young Eucalypt and Acacia species as well as exotic weeds and fodder grasses. Mature Eucalypts were restricted mainly to the ridge lines that are less accessible to logging. Dense stands of *Lantana camara* were present along the drainage lines and adjacent to cleared areas.

Potential Koala food trees were identified throughout the majority of the site, including (but not limited to) the following species:

- *Eucalyptus tereticornis* (Queensland Blue Gum);
- *E. moluccana* (Grey Box);
- *E. fibrosa* (Red Ironbark);
- *E. crebra*/*E. siderophloia* (Narrow-leaved Ironbark/Grey Ironbark);
- *E. acmenoides* (White Mahogany);
- *Corymbia tessellaris* (Moreton Bay Ash);
- *C. intermedia* (Pink Bloodwood);
- *C. citriodora* (Spotted Gum); and
- *Lophostemon suaveolens* (Swamp Box).

The dominant tree species throughout the study area was the *Corymbia citriodora* (Spotted Gum) which is a known Koala food tree. In regard to Koala Food trees the Queensland Blue Gum, Grey Box, and Pink Bloodwood are considered to provide the higher values, where as the Spotted Gum, Moreton Bay Ash and Swamp Box are considered to provide supplementary resources in the local landscape.

5.2 KOALA UTILISATION

A total of 195 line transects were traversed across the study area. The locations of the sampling areas were chosen to enable the maximum amount of representative habitat to be surveyed. The placement of the first transect within each sampling area was randomly chosen. The locations of the survey transects are shown in **Figure 4.1** and GPS coordinates for each transect are provided in **Appendix 2**.

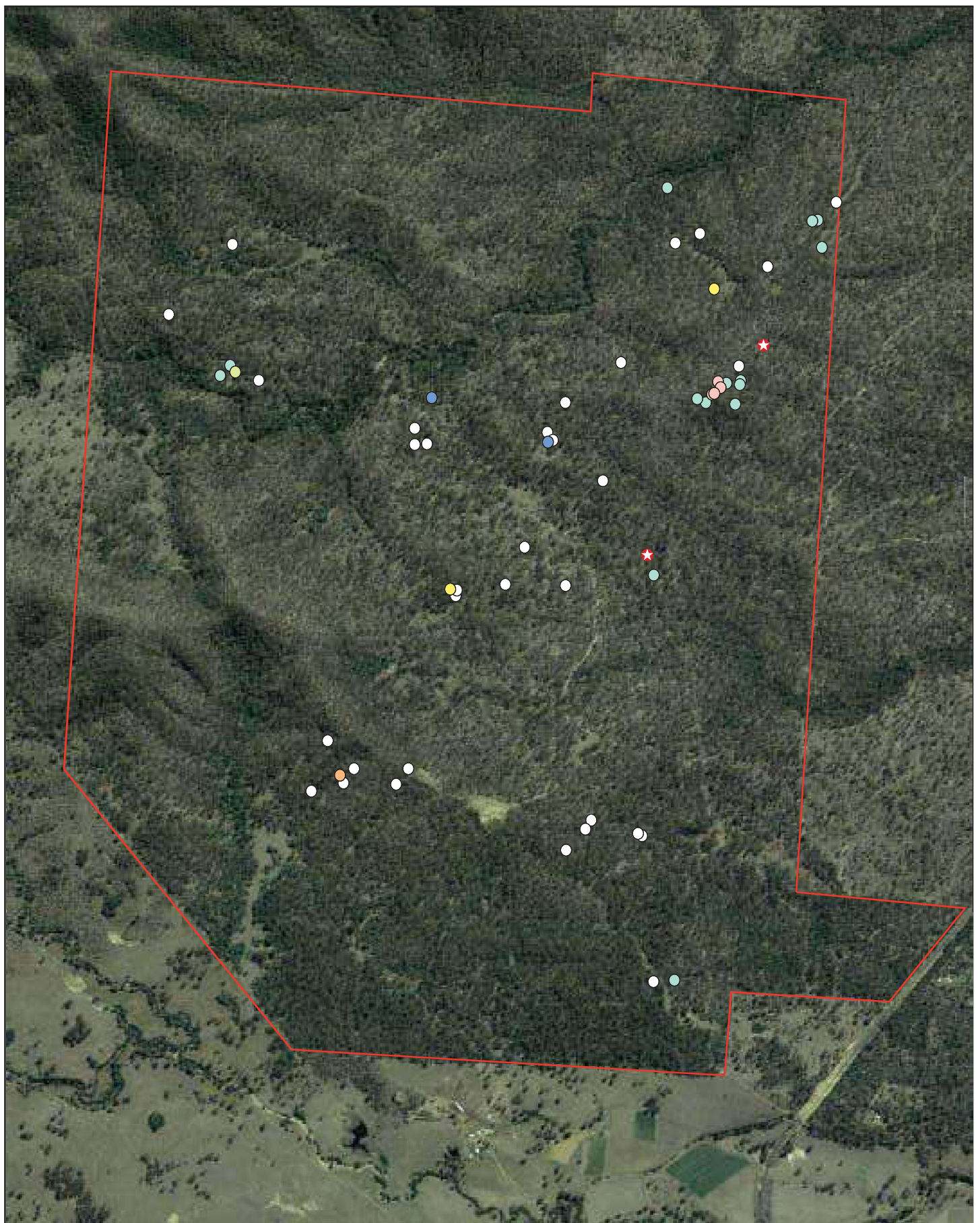
Two adult, male, healthy Koalas were sighted during the systematic surveys (**Figure 5.1**). Evidence of Koala visitation (scats) was observed beneath 57 trees throughout the site. The majority of these trees were *Eucalyptus tereticornis* although visitation was also evident beneath *E. moluccana*, *E. crebra/siderophloia*, *E. acmenoides*, *E. fibrosa*, *Corymbia intermedia* and *C. citriodora*. The locations of trees that showed evidence of Koala utilisation are shown on **Figure 5.1**. Fresh Koala scats were detected only within the habitats adjoining the north-eastern boundary of the subject site, where the two Koalas were observed.

As the numbers of Koalas sighted in this survey were significantly lower than the 60-80 individuals prescribed by Dique *et al.* (2003) to ensure a reliable estimate of Koala density to be made, it is not possible to provide an estimate of Koala density. However, it is expected that the Koala habitats within the subject site, in conjunction with the large bushland areas adjoining the site to the north and west, would support Koalas and would be used for breeding purposes.

5.3 KOALA HABITATS

In the original 2009 report, the study area was divided into four Koala Habitat Zones (see **Figure 5.2**) and they have been ranked based on the results of the field investigation and using the Koala habitat assessment matrix provided in the Koala Plan:

- A2: (High Value)** Remnant bushland with highest Koala habitat values and/or Koala densities relative to the study area;
- B2: (Medium- High Value)** Remnant bushland with generally medium-high habitat values and/or Koala densities relative to the study area;
- C2: (Low- Medium Value)** Remnant bushland with generally low-medium Koala habitat values and/or Koala densities relative to the study area; and
- D2: (Low Value)** Remnant bushland with generally lower Koala habitat values and/or Koala densities relative to the study area.



Legend:

- ★ Koala
- Blue Gum (*Eucalyptus teretecornis*)
- Grey Box (*Eucalyptus mollucana*)
- Ironbark (*Eucalyptus crebra/siderophloia*)
- White Mahogany (*Eucalyptus acmenoides*)
- Pink Bloodwood (*Corymbia intermedia*)
- Spotted Gum (*Corymbia citriodora*)
- Red Ironbark (*Eucalyptus fibrosa*)

Source: Google Earth Pro 2009

0 m 500 m



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FIGURE 5.1

**Location of Koalas
and Trees with Scats**

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Source: Google Earth Pro 2009



Legend:

- Habitat Zone A2 (High Value)
- Habitat Zone B2 (Medium - High Value)
- Habitat Zone C2 (Low - Medium Value)
- Habitat Zone D2 (Low Value)

(Zoning based the Koala Plan (EPA 2006))



FIGURE 5.

Koala Habitat Zones and Values Map

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6.0 CONCLUSIONS AND GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS

At the time of field assessment, the value of Koala habitats varied across the study area with some areas supporting high value habitats, whilst past and ongoing land use practices such as logging and grazing, together with dense weed infestations, had greatly reduced the value of Koala habitats in other areas.

The study area and surrounding lands are considered to support Koalas. Recent clearing on the lands immediately adjoining the study area (to the east and north east) have reduced safe movement options and habitats available for Koalas in the local landscape.

Koalas are recognised as being at risk from ongoing habitat loss, particularly from urban development in South East Queensland. Any change in land use on the subject site should incorporate measures to maintain sufficient habitat and ongoing opportunities for Koala movement to and through the subject site. Vegetated buffers, particularly along the waterways, would act as functional corridors for Koalas as well as for other fauna species. To supplement the corridors' habitat values, the retention of higher ground habitats would provide additional habitat values located outside of floodable lands and would ensure the continued presence of Koalas and other local fauna.

Overall, in respect to Koala habitat and long term security of the species in the landscape, habitat retention should focus on retaining habitat zones A2 & B2 (see figure 5.2) with effective linkages retained or created to the broader landscape.

The following general recommendations are made with regard to Koalas and any future development on the subject site:

- A detailed Koala Management Plan should be prepared for the site to ensure the long-term viability of the Koala habitat and the local Koala population on the subject site;
 - Ecological corridors should be retained along waterways and should connect to bushland habitats adjoining the subject site in order to provide safe and functional east-west movement corridors for local fauna, including Koalas. Restoration actions, weed management and rehabilitation would contribute to improved overall habitat values and species diversity within those corridors;
 - Where possible and compatible with future land use, Koala food trees should be retained and incorporated into any rehabilitation or landscaping works.
- Detailed assessment of areas proposed for retention should be undertaken at later stages of planning to confirm the suitability of retained areas;

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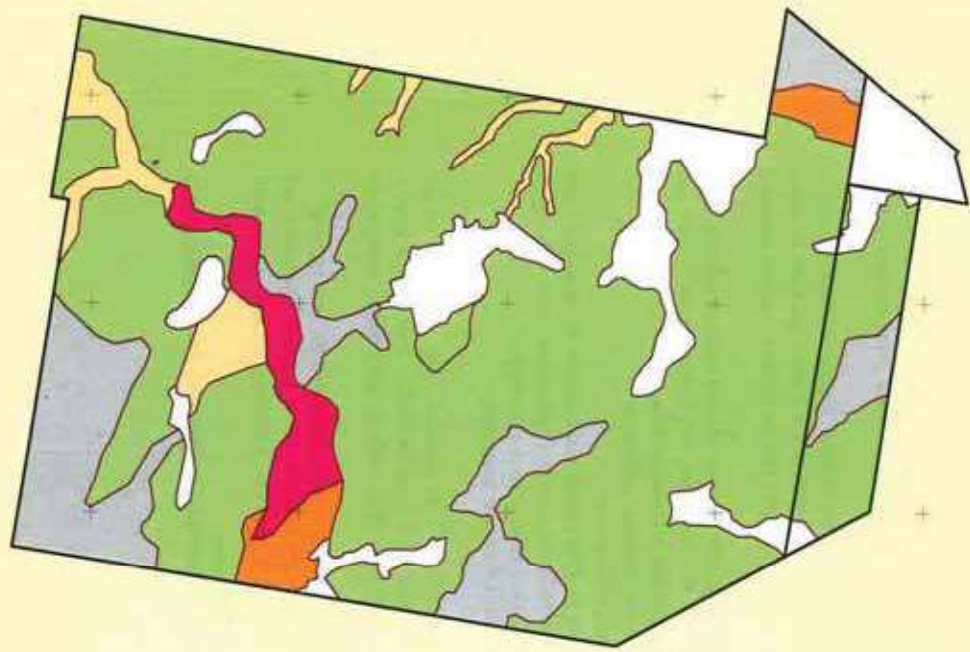
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APPENDIX 1
PROPERTY MAP OF ASSESSABLE
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5. **Business Model Canvas**



APPENDIX 2

GPS LOCATIONS OF SURVEY TRANSECTS, SCATS AND KOALAS

GPS Locations of Survey Transects (start and end points)

Start	End	Start	End
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GPS Locations of Koalas and Scats

Type	Location	Type	Location
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Type	Location	Type	Location
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Scat	56 J 492428 6924005	Scat	56 J 491488 6922333
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Appendix F

Likelihood of Occurrence Schedule for EPBC Listed MNES

HABITAT ASSESSMENT FOR LISTED EPBC SPECIES (7391) 10km Search

Matters of National Environmental Significance						
Name	Status	Type of Presence	Description of Community	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk	
Wetlands of International Importance	RAMSAR Listed	Within 10km of Ramsar	The site is located approximately 15 kilometres directly west of Moreton Bay.		There will be no measurable effect on Moreton Bay.	Low
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities						
Name	Status	Type of Presence	Description of Community	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk	
Lowland rainforest of Subtropical Australia	Critically Endangered	This Threatened Ecological Community is listed as a community that may occur within the area.	Typically there is a relatively low abundance of species from the genera <i>Eucalyptus</i> , <i>Melaleuca</i> and <i>Casuarina</i> . Buttresses are common as an abundance and diversity of vines. This community is usually associated Regional Ecosystems 12.3.1, 12.5.13, 12.8.3, 12.8.4, 12.8.13, 12.11.1, 12.11.10, 12.12.1, and 12.12.16.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.	No Risk	
Swamp Tea Tree (<i>Melaleuca ibyana</i>) forest of South-east Queensland	Critically Endangered	This Threatened Ecological Community is listed as a community likely to occur within the area.	The listed swamp tea-tree forest community is based on two regional ecosystem communities including 12.9-10.11 and 12.3.3c. This community usually comprises low open to closed forest, closed scrub or thickets of <i>Melaleuca ibyana</i> with or without emergent tree layer of scattered <i>Eucalypts</i> .	The Endangered Regional Ecosystem 12.3.3 is mapped along a large portion of sandy creek however does not contain species representative of 12.3.3c. No <i>Melaleuca ibyana</i> specimens were recorded throughout this polygon. Although individual specimens were recorded throughout other regional ecosystem communities throughout the assessment area, no TEC is observed.	No Risk	
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland	Critically Endangered	This Threatened Ecological Community is listed as a community likely to occur within the area.	This threatened community is characterised by a species-rich understorey of native tussock grasses, herbs and scattered shrubs and the dominance of White Box, Yellow Box, or Blakely's red gum trees. This community is usually associated with Regional Ecosystem 11.8.2a, 11.8.8, 11.9.9a, 13.3.1, 13.11.8, and 13.12.9. It can also be a small component of Regional Ecosystem 11.3.23, 12.8.16, 13.3.4, 13.11.3 and 13.11.4.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.	No Risk	
Birds						
Species	Common Name	EPBC Code	Description of Community /Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk	
<i>Anthochaera phrygia</i>	Regent Honeyeater	82338	Regent Honeyeaters mostly occur in dry Box-Ironbark Eucalypt woodland and dry sclerophyll forest associations in areas of low to moderate relief wherein they prefer moister, more fertile sites. These areas are generally associated with creek flats and river valleys and foothills. These woodlands have significantly large numbers of mature trees, high canopy cover and abundance of mistletoes. They are a generalist forager, which mainly feed on nectar from a wide range of eucalypts and mistletoes.	The site is covered in both remnant and regrowth vegetation communities dominated by eucalypt and <i>Corymbia</i> species however all riparian areas are highly disturbed. Very few mature large specimens remain throughout the majority of the site as a result of historical logging practices.	No Risk	
<i>Bataurus poiciloptilus</i>	Australasian Bittern	1001	The Australasian Bittern occurs in terrestrial wetlands and, rarely, estuarine habitats, mainly in the temperate southeast and southwest. It favours wetlands with tall dense vegetation, where it forages in still, shallow water up to 0.3 m deep, often at the edges of pools or waterways, or from platforms or mats of vegetation over deep water. It favours permanent and seasonal freshwater habitats, particularly those dominated by sedges, rushes and / or reeds or cutting grass growing over muddy or peaty substrate. The Australasian Bittern occurs in the far South-East of Queensland; it has been reported North to Baralaba and West to Wyandra, although in most years it is probably confined to a few coastal swamps. It is rarely recorded in Queensland, and possibly survives only in protected areas such as the Coodoola and Fraser regions.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk	
<i>Cyclopsitta diophthalmaoxeni</i>	Coxen's Fig Parrot	59714	The Coxen's fig Parrot occurs in rainforest habitats including subtropical rainforest, dry rainforest, littoral and developing littoral rainforest, and vine forest. Food is mainly taken from figs; however other species fruit have been recorded in their diet including <i>Elaeocarpus grandis</i> , <i>Syzygium corynanthum</i> , <i>Litsea reticulata</i> and <i>Grevillea robusta</i> .	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk	

<i>Dasyornis brachypterus</i>	Eastern Bristlebird	Endangered	533	The Eastern Bristlebird inhabits low dense vegetation in a broad range of habitat types including sedgeland, heathland, swampland, shrubland, sclerophyll forest and woodland. It occurs near the coast, on tablelands and in ranges. The Eastern Bristlebird is found in habitats with a variety of species compositions, but is defined by a similar structure of low, dense, ground or understorey vegetation.	No Risk
<i>Erythrorhynchus radiatus</i>	Red Goshawk	Vulnerable	942	A wide ranging and highly mobile species generally observed over eucalypt habitats. This species prefers forest and woodland with a mosaic of vegetation types, large prey populations (birds) and permanent water. The vegetation types include eucalypt woodland open forest, tall open forest, gallery rainforest, swamp sclerophyll forest and rainforest margins. Habitat has to be open enough for fast attack and manoeuvring in flight, but provide cover for ambushing of prey.	No Risk
<i>Geophaps scripta scripta</i>	Squatter Pigeon (southern)	Vulnerable	64440	This species inhabits open grasslands and woodlands typically with a native understorey although may occur in artificial pasture.	No Risk
<i>Lathamus discolor</i>	Swift Parrot	Endangered	744	Swift Parrots breed in Tasmania during spring to early summer. During autumn and winter the species migrates to the mainland where it follows a nomadic existence linked to the availability and timing of flowering of trees in various locations. While the species is very uncommon in south-east Queensland, its occurrence cannot be completely discounted. There are suitable winter flowing species present on the site which may attract birds during flowing (e.g. E. tereticornis).	No Risk
<i>Peophila cincta cincta</i>	Black-throated Finch (southern)	Endangered	64447	The Black-throated Finch (southern) occurs mainly in grassy, open woodlands and forests, typically dominated by Eucalyptus, Corymbia and Melaleuca, and occasionally in tussock grasslands or other habitats (for example freshwater wetlands), often along or near watercourses, or in the vicinity of water. It occurs at two general locations: in the Townsville region, where it is considered to be locally common at a few sites around Townsville and Charters Towers; and at scattered sites in central-eastern Queensland (between Aramac and Great Basalt Wall National Park). It has been absent from Brisbane and its surrounds since the 1930s.	No Risk
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian Painted Snipe	Endangered	77037	The Australian Painted Snipe is usually found in shallow inland wetlands, either freshwater or brackish, that are either permanently or temporarily filled. The species has a scattered distribution throughout many parts of Australia, with a single record from Tasmania.	No Risk
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	Black-breasted Button-quail	Vulnerable	923	Typical habitat occurs in dry rainforest and vegetation immediately adjacent to rainforest. However the species has also been recorded in a variety of low coastal heathlands around Fraser Island and nearby mainland. Deep leaf litter in which the species can forage appears to be particularly favoured.	No Risk
Fish					
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community /Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence
<i>Maccullochella mariensis</i>	Mary River Cod	Endangered	83806	The Mary River Cod occurs mainly in pools within relatively undisturbed tributaries. They prefer relatively large and deep shaded pools with abundant, slowly flowing water.	No suitable habitat to support this species was observed throughout the assessment area.
Insects					
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community /Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence
<i>Phyllodes imperialis smithersi</i>	Pink Underwing Moth	Endangered	86084	The Pink Underwing Moth is found below the altitude of 600m in undisturbed, subtropical rainforest. It occurs in association with the vine Carronia multiseptalea.	No suitable habitat to support this species was observed throughout the assessment area.
Mammals					
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community /Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence
<i>Chalinolobus dwyeri</i>	Large-eared Pied Bat	Vulnerable	183	The Large-eared Pied Bat roosts on sandstone cliffs and fertile woodland valley habitat within close proximity of each other. However in South-east Queensland habitat includes rainforest and moist eucalypt forest habitats at high elevations.	No confirmed local records of this uncommon species.

<i>Dasyurus hallucatus</i>	Northern Quoll	Endangered	331	The Northern Quoll is known to occur as far south as Gracemere and Mt Morgan, south of Rockhampton and as far north as Cooktown. There have also been occasional records as far south as Maleny on the Sunshine coast hinterland. The species occupies rocky areas, eucalypt forest and woodlands, rainforests, sandy lowlands and beaches, shrubland, grassland and desert. Preferred habitat in Queensland suggests the Northern Quoll are more likely to be present in high relief areas that have shallower soils, greater cover of boulders, less fire impact and were close to permanent water.	This species prefers tropical climates and has only occasionally been recorded in areas to the north of Brisbane. No suitable den sites were observed on site. Sandy Creek may provide suitable foraging habitat but is outside of the known range for the species.	No Risk
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	Spot-tailed Quoll	Endangered	75184	The Spot-tailed Quoll has a preference for mature wet forest habitat. Unlogged forest or forest that has been less disturbed by timber harvesting is also preferable. This predominantly nocturnal species rests during the day in dens. Habitat requirements include suitable den sites such as hollow logs, tree hollows, rock outcrops or caves. Individuals require an abundance of food such as birds and small mammals, and large areas of relatively intact vegetation through which to forage.	Although no suitable den sites were observed on site, it may be possible that the site could be used for foraging purposes, including Sandy Creek which may act as a corridor for species distribution. Lathough no evidence has been found throughout the field assessment, consideration to this species is important.	Low Risk
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby	Vulnerable	225	This species prefers rocky habitats, including loose boulder-piles, rocky outcrops, steep rocky slopes, cliffs, gorges and isolated rock stacks. Most populations have been found on north facing slopes but have occurred on south facing slopes. This species browse on vegetation in and adjacent to rocky areas eating grasses and forbs as well as the foliage and fruits of shrubs and trees.	Although some of the peaks and ridges on the site contained exposed rocks, these areas did not include suitable habitat for the rock wallaby.	No Risk
<i>Phascogale carterii</i>	Koala	Vulnerable	85104	They are found in a range of habitats, from coastal islands and tall eucalypt forests to low woodlands inland. The species is known from the surrounding area and evidence has been recorded on-site.	Extensive searches of this species, including SAT surveys and spotlighting did not find any individual specimens. However some old scats were observed throughout the site in various locations. The site is highly disturbed with intensive logging regimes and severe infestations of Lantana camara have also reduced the quality of habitat for this species.	Medium / High Risk
<i>Potorous tridactylus tridactylus</i>	Long-nosed Potoroo	Vulnerable	66645	Species generally prefers rainforest and adjacent to wet sclerophyll forest, coastal heathlands and similar habitats with a dense understorey. Like all Potoroos, fungi are the major component of the diet and is also known to feed on invertebrates.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying Fox	Vulnerable	186	Species generally roosts in camps in trees adjacent to larger permanent watercourse. The Grey-headed flying fox requires foraging resources and roosting sites. It is a canopy-feeding frugivore and nectarivore, which utilises vegetation communities including rainforests, open forests, closed and open woodlands, Melaleuca swamps and Banksia woodlands. It also feed on commercial fruit crops. The primary food source is blossom from Eucalyptus and related genera.	No camps were observed throughout the assessment area however food resources cover the site. This species is highly likely to occur when the Eucalypts are in flower.	Low Risk
Plants						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community /Habitat		Risk
<i>Arthraxon hispidus</i>	Hairy-joint Grass	Vulnerable	9338	Hairy-joint grass is found in or on the edges of rainforest and in wet eucalypt forest, often near creeks or swamps, as well as woodland.		No Risk
<i>Bosistoia selwynii</i>	Heart-leaved Bosistoia	Vulnerable	13702	The Heart-leaved Bosistoia is similar to the Three-leaved Bosistoia and is conserved within Mt Warning National Park, Numbinah Nature Reserve, Limpinwood Nature Reserve and Whian Whian State Forest. While population information is unavailable, it is thought to be common in its range. It generally grows in wet sclerophyll forest, dry sclerophyll forest and rainforest up to 300 meters in altitude. It is commonly associated with Argemone trifoliatum, Syzygium hodgekinsoniae, Endandra pubens, Dendrocnide photinophylla, Acmena ingens, Diploglottis australis and Diospyros mabacea.		No Risk

<i>Bosistoa transversa</i>	Three-leaved Bosistoa	Vulnerable	16091	The Three-leaved Bosistoa is conserved within Mt Warning National Park, Numbinah Nature Reserve, Limpinwood Nature Reserve and Whian Whian State Forest. While population information is unavailable, it is thought to be common in its range. It generally grows in wet sclerophyll forest, dry sclerophyll forest and rainforest up to 300 meters in altitude. It is commonly associated with Agropyrodendron trifoliatum, Syzygium hodgekinsoniae, Endiandra pubens, Dendrocnide photinophylla, Acmena ingens, Diploglottis australis and Diospyros mabacea.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Bulbophyllum globuliforme</i>	Miniature Moss-orchid, Hoop Pine Orchid	Vulnerable	6649	The species is a host specific species only growing on Araucaria cunninghamii (Hoop Pine), colonising the upper branches of mature trees in upland rainforest.	No Araucaria cunninghamii (Hoop Pine) specimens were recorded throughout the assessment area or regional ecosystem communities to support this species.	No Risk
<i>Cupaniopsis tomentella</i>	Boonah Tuckeroo	Vulnerable	3322	Boonah Tuckeroo is known only from an area between Boonah and Ipswich in south-eastern Queensland. It grows in vine thickets on fertile clay soils.	No regional ecosystems representative of vine thickets or suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Lepidium peregrium</i>	Wandering Pepper-cress	Endangered	14035	The Wandering Pepper-cress occurs in open riparian forests on creek banks, and also in the tussock grassland fringe of the riparian area.	All riparian areas, especially along Sandy Creek contain severe infestations of Lantana camara. No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Notelaea ipsvicensis</i>	Cooneana Olive	Critically Endangered	81858	The Cooneana Olive survives as an understory plant in degraded, eucalypt dominated dry sclerophyll vegetation communities. Soils are of low fertility and sandstone based.	This is regarded as one of the rarest plants in Australia with the only known population occurring within an area of less than 2km2.	No Risk
<i>Notelaea lloydii</i>	Lloyd's Olive	Vulnerable	15002	This species occurs on undulating to hilly terrain either in moist gullies or on gentle to steep dry slopes, but is rarely found on rocky outcrops. It is generally found in the ecotone between eucalypt forests and vine thickets.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Phaius australis</i>	Lesser Swamp Orchid	Endangered	5872	The Lesser Swamp-orchid is commonly associated with coastal wet heath/sedgeland wetlands, swampy grassland or swampy forest and often where Broad-leaved Paperbark or Swamp Mahogany are found. Typically, the Lesser Swamp-orchid is restricted to the swamp-forest margins, where it occurs in swamp sclerophyll forest (Broad-leaved Paperbark/Swamp Mahogany/Swamp Box (Lophostemon suaveolens), swampy rainforest (often with sclerophyll emergent), or fringing open forest. It is often associated with rainforest elements such as Bangalow Palm (Archontophoenix cunninghamiana) or Cabbage Tree Palm (Livistonia australis).	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Pheballium distans</i>	Mt Berryman Pheballium	Critically Endangered	81869	Mt Berryman Pheballium is found in semi-evergreen vine thicket on red volcanic soils, or in communities adjacent to this vegetation type. Geology of the area in which this species occurs is deeply weathered basalt with undulating to hilly terrain. Soils range from red-brown earths to brown clays (derived from siltstone and mudstones), and lithosols to shallow, gravelly krasnozems (very dark brown loam), derived from the Main Range Volcanics of the Tertiary period. Vegetation associations in which Mt Berryman Pheballium occur include microphyll to notophyll vine forest with or without Araucaria cunninghamii and low microphyll vine forest and semi-evergreen vine thicket with or without Araucaria cunninghamii which can be divided further into regional ecosystems depending on substrate geography and associated vegetation species.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Planchonella eerwah</i>	Shiny-leaved Condoo	Endangered	17340	Populations within the Ipswich-Beaudesert areas occur in small remnants of notophyll vine forests with emergent on rocky slopes and drainage lines. These forest types are generally dominated by Flindersia species with occasional emergent Hoop Pine and Harpullia pendula (Tulipwood).	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Plectranthus habrophyllus</i>		Endangered	64589	Plants have been recorded growing on chert or sandstone outcrops, in open woodlands often in shaded situations near vine forests.	This species was considered extinct in Queensland prior to the mid 1980's however collections have since been made, the closest being Glen Rock with recent confirmation at Springfield Lakes area. Although checks have been made for this species, none were observed on site.	Low Risk

<i>Thesium australe</i>	Austral Toadflax	Vulnerable	15202	Austral toadflax is semi-parasitic on roots of a range of grass species, most notably, Themeda triandra (Kangaroo Grass). Previously recorded within open woodland with Eucalyptus tereticornis (Forest Red Gum) and Eucalyptus tindalliae (Tindale's Stringybark).	The site is highly disturbed however some potential habitat is recorded on site along Sandy Creek. Although highly unlikely to occur, this species can not be ruled out from occurring on site.	Low Risk
Other						
<i>Cycas ophiolitica</i>		Endangered	55797	Cycas ophiolitica inhabits open forest and woodland communities with a grassy understorey. It will grow on hills and slopes in sparse, grassy open forest at altitudes ranging from 80-620m above sea level	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Reptiles Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Coeranoscincus reticulatus</i>	Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink	Vulnerable	59628	Found mostly in closed forest and possibly open layered Eucalyptus forest. Generally recorded in moist layered forest on barmy basaltic soils, but also found in closed forest overlying silica sand dunes at Cooloola. Within forests, this species is found in well-mulched, loose, friable rainforest soil in leaf litter, often immediately adjacent to fallen tree trunks. Much of the lowland closed forest within its range has been cleared for agriculture and grazing, pasture improvement, crop production, tropical fruit production, and native forest logging. Suitable habitat has generally been reduced to patches, especially in lowland areas.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Delma torquata</i>	Collared Delma	Vulnerable	1656	In general, the species occurs on rocky hillsides on basalt and lateritic soils supporting open eucalypt and Acacia woodland with a sparse understorey of shrubs and tussocks or semi-evergreen vine thicket.	The site is covered in both remnant and regrowth vegetation communities dominated by eucalypt and Corymbia species. The peaks and ridgelines throughout the site contain exposed rocky hillsides where the understorey is sparse, providing for some habitat for this species.	Low Risk
<i>Furina dunmalli</i>	Dunmall's Snake	Vulnerable	59254	Dunmall's Snake has been found in a broad range of habitats, including forests and woodlands on black alluvial cracking clay and clay loams dominated by Brigalow other Wattles, native Cypress or Bulloak, and various Blue Spotted Gum, Ironbark, White Cypress Pine and Bull oak open forest and woodland associations on sandstone derived soils. Dunmall's Snake occurs primarily in the Brigalow Belt region in the South-eastern interior of Queensland. Records indicate sites at elevations between 200-500 m above sea level. The snake is very rare or secretive with limited records existing. It has been recorded at Archokooro, Oakley, Miles, Glenmorgan, Wallaville, Gladstone, Lake Broadwater, Mount Archer, Exhibition Range National Park, roadside reserves between Inglewood and Texas, Rosedale, Yeppoon and Lake Broadwater Conservation Park.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Listed Migratory Species						
Migratory Marine Birds						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Apus pacificus</i>	Fork-tailed Swift	Migratory	678	This species is almost exclusively aerial and mostly occur over inland plains but sometimes above foothills or in coastal areas.	Possible as a fly over species however no impact to this species is likely to occur.	No Risk
Migratory Terrestrial Species						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>	White-bellied Sea-Eagle	Migratory	943	The White-bellied Sea-eagle is found in coastal habitats and around terrestrial wetlands in tropical and temperate regions of mainland Australia and its offshore islands. The habitats are characterised by the presence of large areas of open water.	Known from the area and regularly recorded. This species would occur over the site but would be unlikely to use the site for feeding due to low value habitats, or nesting due to a lack of suitable trees.	No Risk
<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	White-throated Needle tail	Migratory	682	The White-throated needle tail is almost exclusively aerial. This species has been recorded roosting in trees in forests and woodlands, both among dense foliage in the canopy or in hollows. The species breeds in wooded lowlands and sparsely vegetated hills, as well as mountains covered with coniferous forests.	Low potential to occur on site within roosting periods.	No Risk
<i>Merops ornatus</i>	Rainbow Bee-eater	Migratory	670	The rainbow bee-eater occurs mainly in open forests and woodlands, shrub lands, and in various cleared or semi-cleared habitats, including farmland and areas of human habitation.	Habitat available on site and species recorded throughout field survey.	Low / Medium Risk

<i>Monarcha melanopsis</i>	Black-faced Monarch	Migratory	609	The Black-faced Monarch mainly occurs in rainforest ecosystems, including semi-deciduous vine thickets, complex notophyll vine forests, tropical (mesophyll) rainforest, subtropical (notophyll) rainforest, mesophyll (broadleaf) thicket/shrubland, warm temperate rainforest, dry (monsoon) rainforest and occasionally cool temperate rainforest.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Monarcha trivirgatus</i>	Spectacled Monarch	Migratory	610	The Spectacled Monarchs natural habitats are subtropical or tropical moist lowland forests, subtropical or tropical mangrove forests, and subtropical or tropical moist montane forests. Its preference is for thick understorey areas.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Myiagra cyanoleuca</i>	Satin Flycatcher	Migratory	612	Satin Flycatchers inhabit heavily vegetated gullies in eucalypt dominated forests and taller woodlands, and on migration occur in coastal forests, woodlands, mangroves and drier woodlands and open forests.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Rhipidura rufifrons</i>	Rufous Fantail	Migratory	592	The Rufous fantail mainly inhabits wet sclerophyll forests, often in gullies dominated by Eucalypts such as Eucalyptus microcarpa, Eucalyptus pillularis, Eucalyptus resinifera and a number of other Eucalyptus species.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Migratory Wetland Species						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Ardea alba</i>	Great Egret	Migratory	59541	The Great Egret has been recorded in a wide range of wetland habitats including inland and coastal, freshwater and saline, permanent and ephemeral, open and vegetated, large and small, natural and artificial.	Although a number of small dams were observed throughout the assessment area, no specimens were recorded at the time of the assessment.	No Risk
<i>Ardea ibis</i>	Cattle Egret	Migratory	59542	The Cattle egret occurs in tropical and temperate grasslands, wooded lands and terrestrial wetlands. It often forages away from water on low lying grasslands, improved pastures and croplands and is commonly found in cattle fields and other farm areas that contain livestock.	Observed towards the west of the site where paddocks contained cattle.	No Risk
<i>Gallinago hardwickii</i>	Latham's Snipe	Migratory	863	Latham's Snipe occurs in permanent and ephemeral wetlands. They usually inhabit open, freshwater wetlands with low, dense vegetation.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	Painted Snipe	Endangered/ Migratory	889	The Australian Painted Snipe generally inhabits shallow terrestrial freshwater wetlands, including temporary and permanent lakes, swamps and day pans. The also utilise inundated or waterlogged grassland or saltmarsh, dams, rice crops, sewage farms and bore drains.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Other Matters Protected by the EPBC Act						
Listed Marine Species (others not listed above)						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Anseranas semipalmata</i>	Magpie Goose		978	The magpie goose is mainly found in shallow wetlands with dense growth or rushes or sedges.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Osprey		952	Eastern Ospreys occur in littoral and coastal habitats and terrestrial wetlands of tropical and temperate Australia and offshore islands. They are mostly found in coastal areas but occasionally travel inland along major rivers.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk



Appendix G

SAT Survey Results

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
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Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	430	
2	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	290	
3	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	430	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	500	
5	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	150	
6	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
7	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	220	
8	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	180	
9	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	330	
10	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
11	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	140	
12	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	450	
13	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	200	
14	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	220	
15	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	130	
16	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	140	
17	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	230	
19	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	300	
20	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	170	
21	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	230	
22	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	500	
23	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
24	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
25	Eucalyptus seeana	Narrow-leaved Red Gum	470	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	210	
27	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	150	
28	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	250	
29	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	360	
30	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: Recent fire evidence (burnt understorey), scattered Lantana shrubs, northern end of floodplain

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	320	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
5	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	140	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
7	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
8	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	120	
9	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
10	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	130	
11	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
13	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	150	
14	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	190	
17	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	120	
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	100	
19	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	120	
20	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	130	
21	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
22	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
23	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	210	
24	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	250	
25	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	160	
26	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	190	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
28	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
29	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
30	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	180	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: some fire evidence, greater density of Lantana shrubs

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 3 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492037 • 04 N 6921480 • 40 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	240	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	Koala scat (old)
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	310	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	280	
13	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
14	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	200	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
16	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
17	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	300	
18	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	120	
19	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	150	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
21	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	120	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	380	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	600	Koala scat
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 6.66 Usage: Low

Notes: old evidence of fire, thick shrub layer, regrowth C.citriodora dominated, evidence of cattle

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 4 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 491550 • 99 N 6921564 • 08 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	440	
2	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	110	
3	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	310	
4	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	110	
5	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	130	
6	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	110	
7	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	120	
8	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	120	
9	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	100	
10	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	230	
11	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	200	
12	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	170	
13	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	200	
14	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	120	
15	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	200	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	480	Koala scat (old)
17	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	120	
18	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	140	
19	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	300	
20	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
21	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	260	
22	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	120	
23	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	120	
24	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	
25	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	170	
26	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	100	
27	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	140	
28	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	370	
29	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	320	
30	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	190	

Assessment radius (m): 17 Percentage trees utilised (%): 3.33 Usage: Low

Notes: lower slopes, L.sauveolens dominated

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 5 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 491066 • 03 N 6921648 • 48 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	440	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
5	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	260	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
14	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	120	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
16	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	Koala scat
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
19	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	410	Koala scat
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	330	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	Koala scat
23	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	230	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	700	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	270	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	

Assessment radius (m): 50 Percentage trees utilised (%): 10 Usage: Low

Notes:

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 6 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 490653 • 50 N 6922234 • 04 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	600	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	280	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	480	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	320	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	250	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
16	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	420	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	270	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	260	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	240	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
30	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	600	

Assessment radius (m): 40 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

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Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 7 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 490717 • 43 N 6922718 • 04 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	330	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	330	
3	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	140	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
6	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
8	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	210	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
11	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	180	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	340	
14	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	220	
15	Allocasurina littoralis	Black She Oak	210	
16	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	200	
17	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	750	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
20	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	400	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	440	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
25	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	110	
26	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	240	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	250	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	

Assessment radius (m): 40 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

Notes: south facing slope, evidence of logging, scattered Lantana shrubs

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 8 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 491145 • 21 N 6922149 • 94 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
3	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	200	
4	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	150	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
6	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	230	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
11	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	100	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
14	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	110	
15	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	240	
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	230	
17	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	240	
18	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	200	
19	Lophostemon saueolens	Swamp Box	110	
20	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	310	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	Koala scat (old)
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
26	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	220	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	390	

Assessment radius (m): 40 Percentage trees utilised (%): 3.33 Usage: Low

Notes: high numbers of dead trees, thick shrub (Lantana and wattles), evidence of fire and logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 9 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 491213 • 67 N 6922643 • 64 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	750	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
3	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	220	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	420	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	270	
6	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	280	
7	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	310	
9	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	160	
10	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	170	
11	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	160	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
13	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	300	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
15	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	110	
16	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	300	
17	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	250	
18	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	130	
19	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	140	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	330	
22	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	120	
23	Allocasuarina torulosa	Forest She-Oak	120	
24	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	350	
25	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	300	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
28	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	200	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
30	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	130	

Assessment radius (m): 30 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

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Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	420	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
5	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	160	
6	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	150	
7	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	270	
8	Eucalyptus melanophloia	Silver-leaved Ironbark	320	
9	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
13	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	600	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	110	
17	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	110	
18	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	130	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
22	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	320	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
24	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	130	
25	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	430	
26	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	110	
27	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	420	
28	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	180	
29	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	500	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	

Assessment radius (m):

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Percentage trees utilised (%):

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Usage:

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Notes:

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 11 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492110 • 22 N 6921979 • 97 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
3	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	140	
4	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	190	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	420	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	Koala scat
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	250	
10	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	220	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	340	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
15	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	260	
16	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
17	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	120	
18	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	200	Koala scat
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
20	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	180	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	380	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
24	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	180	
25	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	150	
26	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	210	
27	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	180	
28	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	190	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 6.66 Usage: Low

Notes:

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number: 12 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492614 • 17 N 6921902 • 49 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	240	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	260	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	1000	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	550	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
16	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

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Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 13 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492697 • 15 N 6922395 • 02 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	210	
2	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	170	
3	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
5	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	190	
6	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	180	
7	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	150	
8	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	
9	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	190	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	260	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
13	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	
14	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	100	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	150	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
18	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	130	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
20	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	600	
22	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	210	
23	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	320	
24	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	280	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	310	
27	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	160	
28	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
29	Allocasuarina littoralis	Black She-Oak	120	
30	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	180	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

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Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 14 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492182 • 84 N 6922502 • 25 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	620	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
3	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	350	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
6	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	150	
7	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	290	
8	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
9	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	140	
10	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
11	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	200	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
14	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	230	Koala scat
17	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
18	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	260	
19	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	600	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
22	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
23	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
24	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	500	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	

Assessment radius (m): 40 Percentage trees utilised (%): 3.33 Usage: Low

Notes: moved from open paddock area, Lantana undergrowth

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: **Date:**

Site Number: **Recorder:** **Locality:**

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	360	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
3	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	110	
4	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	130	
5	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
6	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
7	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
8	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
9	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	120	
11	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	110	
12	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	140	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
14	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
15	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
17	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
18	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
20	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	140	
21	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
22	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	180	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
24	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	240	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
27	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	120	
28	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
29	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	400	
30	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	

Assessment radius (m): **Percentage trees utilised (%):** **Usage:**

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Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Date:

Site Number: Recorder: Locality:

Start point: • N • E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
3	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	130	
4	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	130	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
7	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	230	
8	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
9	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
10	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	120	
11	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	140	
12	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	100	
13	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	160	
14	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	210	
15	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	180	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	150	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	290	
19	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	130	
20	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	180	
21	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	130	
22	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	260	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
24	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	230	
25	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	230	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	270	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
28	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	170	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	

Assessment radius (m): Percentage trees utilised (%): Usage:

Notes: very dense Lantana

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Date:

Site Number: Recorder: Locality:

Start point: • N • E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	120	
2	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
3	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	170	
4	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	190	
5	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	210	
6	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
7	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
9	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
10	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	110	
11	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	220	
12	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
13	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	170	
14	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	220	
15	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	180	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	300	
17	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	550	
19	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
20	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	270	
21	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	410	
22	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
23	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	160	
24	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	140	
25	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	220	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
27	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	110	
28	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	140	
29	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	200	
30	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	

Assessment radius (m): Percentage trees utilised (%): Usage:

Notes: very dense Lantana

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:

Undullah

Date:

9.10.2014

Site Number:

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Recorder:

Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start point:

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
4	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	120	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
8	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	110	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
11	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	220	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
15	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	220	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	190	
17	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	220	
18	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	170	
19	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	210	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
22	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	180	
23	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	420	
24	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	140	
25	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	200	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	
27	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	240	

Assessment radius (m):

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Percentage trees utilised (%):

0

Usage:

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Notes: dense Lantana, evidence of logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:

Undullah

Date:

9.10.2014

Site Number:

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Recorder:

Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start point:

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	140	
2	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
5	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
7	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	110	
8	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
9	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	310	Koala scat (old)
10	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	180	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	380	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
13	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	220	Koala scat
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	430	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
21	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	290	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	260	
24	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	260	
25	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	110	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
27	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	190	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
30	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	

Assessment radius (m):

25

Percentage trees utilised (%):

6.66

Usage:

Low

Notes: evidence of logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 20 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492934 • 84 N 6923871 • 36 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
2	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	110	
3	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	220	
4	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	0.21	
5	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	300	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
8	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	100	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
10	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	250	
11	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	150	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
13	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	150	
14	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	300	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	330	
17	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	490	
18	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	100	
19	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	150	
20	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	380	
21	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	290	
22	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
23	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	250	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
25	Eucalyptus moluccana	Gum-topped Box	250	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
27	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	100	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	280	
29	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
30	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	230	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

Notes: little weed coverage, mid slope, evidence of logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 21 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 493019 • 51 N 6924367 • 84 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	370	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	230	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
12	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	110	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	350	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	420	
15	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	110	
16	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	300	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
21	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	410	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	330	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	490	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
30	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	110	

Assessment radius (m): 30 Percentage trees utilised (%): 0 Usage: -

Notes: very dense Lantana

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:

Undullah

Date:

9.10.2014

Site Number:

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Recorder:

Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start point:

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No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	200	
2	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	200	
3	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	150	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	240	
5	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	290	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
7	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	480	
8	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	160	
9	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	400	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	320	
11	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	150	
12	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	590	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
15	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	130	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
17	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	330	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
19	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
20	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	100	
21	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	120	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
23	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
24	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	120	
25	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
29	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	150	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	

Assessment radius (m):

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Percentage trees utilised (%):

0

Usage:

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Notes: very thick regrowth and Lantana

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location: Undullah Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 23 Recorder: Angela/Dave Locality:

Start point: 492440 • 95 N 6923957 • 86 E

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
5	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	120	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
9	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	110	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	170	
11	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	300	
12	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	200	
13	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	200	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	220	
15	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	220	
16	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	120	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	220	
19	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
21	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	130	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	370	Koala scat
25	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
26	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	200	Koala scat
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	300	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
30	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	

Assessment radius (m): 25 Percentage trees utilised (%): 6.66 Usage: Low

Notes: evidence of logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	140	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	160	
3	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
4	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	320	
6	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
7	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	170	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	190	
12	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	210	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
14	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
15	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	450	Koala scat
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
17	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
18	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	480	Koala scat (old)
19	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	190	
20	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	200	
21	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	130	
22	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	380	
23	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	220	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
25	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	100	
26	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
27	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	180	
28	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	360	
30	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: scattered Lantana with some creeping Lantana in ground layer

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	380	
2	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	180	
3	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
4	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	190	
5	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
6	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	220	
7	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
8	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
9	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	300	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
12	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	300	
13	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	410	
14	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	170	
15	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	130	
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
17	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	130	
18	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	320	
19	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	320	
20	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	210	
21	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	120	
22	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	150	
23	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	110	
24	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	210	
25	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	120	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	
27	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	100	
28	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	330	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	340	
30	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	230	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: lower-mid slope (steep), scattered Lantana shrubs, evidence of logging and fire

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	320	
2	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
3	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	320	
4	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	310	
5	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	290	
6	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	350	
7	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	450	
8	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	
9	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	400	
10	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	370	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
12	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	250	
13	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	120	
14	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	200	
15	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	210	
16	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	190	
17	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	100	
18	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	120	
19	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	320	
20	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	110	
21	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	100	
22	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
23	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	400	
24	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	140	
25	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	220	
26	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	300	
27	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	190	
28	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	120	
29	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	380	
30	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: scattered Lantana and thick creeping Lantana in ground layer, evidence of logging

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	400	
2	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	130	
3	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	190	
4	Angophora subvelutina	Broad-leaved Apple	430	
5	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	450	
6	Angophora subvelutina	Broad-leaved Apple	170	
7	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	400	
8	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
9	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	280	
10	Angophora subvelutina	Broad-leaved Apple	200	
11	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	150	
12	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	150	
13	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	240	
14	Angophora subvelutina	Broad-leaved Apple	240	
15	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	430	Koala scat (old)
16	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	130	
17	Angophora subvelutina	Broad-leaved Apple	330	
18	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	120	
19	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	100	
20	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	380	
21	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	290	
22	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	120	
23	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	320	
24	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	420	
25	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	200	
27	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	260	
28	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	100	
29	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	280	Koala scat (old)
30	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	130	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: pig damage

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	620	
2	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	480	
3	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	280	
4	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
5	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
6	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	260	
7	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	380	
8	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	300	
9	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	100	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	300	
11	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	340	
12	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	290	
13	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	260	
14	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	
15	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	320	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	590	
17	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	360	Koala scat
18	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	600	
19	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	300	Koala scat
20	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	260	
21	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	430	
22	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	420	
23	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	260	
24	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	140	
25	Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	230	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	420	
27	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	200	
28	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	360	
29	Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	130	
30	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	600	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes: scattered Lantana

Koala SAT Data Sheet

Location:
Date:

Site Number:
Recorder:
Locality:

Start point: • **N** • **E**

No.	Scientific Name	Common Name	DBH	Fauna Evidence
1	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	490	
2	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	250	
3	Acacia concurrens	Black Wattle	120	
4	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	110	
5	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	590	
6	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	200	
7	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	160	
8	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	580	
9	Banksia integrifolia	Coast Banksia	130	
10	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	400	
11	Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	130	
12	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	540	
13	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	360	
14	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	440	
15	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	420	
16	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	360	
17	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	350	
18	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	700	
19	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	130	
20	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	180	
21	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	130	
22	Lophostemon sauveolens	Swamp Box	120	
23	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	230	
24	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	410	
25	Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	110	
26	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	510	
27	Angophora leiocarpa	Smooth-barked Apple	200	
28	Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	440	
29	Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	170	
30	Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	230	

Assessment radius (m):
Percentage trees utilised (%):
Usage:

Notes:



Appendix H

AKF Koala Habitat Assessment Results

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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:

Undullah

Date:

25.08.2014

Site Number:

4

Recorder:

Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:

492316

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39

N

6923590

•

87

E

End Point:

492299

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59

N

6923634

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32

E

Transect Length (m):

50

Transect Breadth (m):

20

Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)

0

Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather:

Fine

Scientific Name	Common Name	Number	%
Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	13	36.1
Corymbia tessellaris	Moreton Bay Ash	13	36.1
Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	8	22.2
Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	1	2.8
Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	1	2.8

Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:

1

%

2.78

Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:

1

%

2.78

Total Koala Food Trees

No.:

2

%

5.56

Notes:

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location: Undullah

Date: 25.08.2014

Site Number: 5

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	492768
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74

6923924

●	80	E
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End Point:	492800
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76

6923962

● 42 E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather:	Fine
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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	1	%	2.22
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	3	%	28.9
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	13	%	31.11
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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 25.08.2014

Site Number: 11

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	492456
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37 N

6921433

24	24
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E

End Point:	492423
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- 03 N

6921395

25

E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather: Fine

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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	1	%	4.76
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	0	%	0
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	1	%	4.76
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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah				Date:	26.08.2014	
Site Number:	14	Recorder:	Angela/Dave		Locality:		
Start Point:	492009	•	47	N	6924712	•	73 E
End Point:	491995	•	60	N	6924760	•	17 E
Transect Length (m):	50			Transect Breadth (m):	20		
Vegetation Ground Cover (%)				Surface Water Area (%)	0		
Leaf Litter Cover (%)				Distance to Surface Water:			
Evidence of Dogs:				Weather:	Fine		

Scientific Name	Common Name	Number	%
Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	18	56.3
Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	10	31.3
Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	1	3.1
Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	3	9.4

Primary Koala Food Trees	Secondary Koala Food Trees	Total Koala Food Trees
No.: 10 % 31.3	No.: 1 % 3.13	No.: 11 % 34.38

Notes: end of transect near start of waterway (greater no. of E.tereticornis)

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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 26.08.2014

Site Number: 17

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	492240
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18 N

6924958

● 48 E

End Point:	492195
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69 N

6924981

95 E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather:	Fine
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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	4	%	10.8
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	0	%	0
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	4	%	10.81
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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:

Undullah

Date:

26.08.2014

Site Number:

18

Recorder:

Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:

492268

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98

N

6924737

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56

E

End Point:

492294

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58

N

6924690

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10

E

Transect Length (m):

50

Transect Breadth (m):

20

Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)

0

Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather:

Fine

Scientific Name	Common Name	Number	%
Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	15	34.9
Allocasurina littoralis	Black She Oak	6	14.0
Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	1	2.3
Acacia disparrima	Hickory Wattle	6	14.0
Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	10	23.3
Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	3	7.0
Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	1	2.3
Petalostigma pubesens	Quinine Bush	1	2.3

Primary Koala Food Trees

No.: 10 % 23.3

Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.: 1 % 2.33

Total Koala Food Trees

No.: 11 % 25.58

Notes:

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 26.08.2014

Site Number: 22

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	492441
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●

64

N

6923978

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18

E

End Point:	492407
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23

N

6924006

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77

E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:

Evidence of Dogs:

Weather:	Fine
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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	4	%	9.09
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	13	%	29.6
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	17	%	38.64
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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah						Date:	27.08.2014	
Site Number:	25	Recorder:	Angela/Dave			Locality:			
Start Point:	492125	•	76	N	6921500	•	43	E	
End Point:	492174	•	77	N	6921492	•	35	E	
Transect Length (m):		50		Transect Breadth (m):		20			
Vegetation Ground Cover (%)				Surface Water Area (%)		0			
Leaf Litter Cover (%)				Distance to Surface Water:					
Evidence of Dogs:				Weather:		Fine			

Scientific Name	Common Name	Number	%
Corymbia citriodora	Spotted Gum	21	63.6
Corymbia intermedia	Pink Bloodwood	6	18.2
Eucalyptus siderophloia	Grey Ironbark	4	12.1
Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	1	3.0
Eucalyptus crebra	Narrow-leaved Ironbark	1	3.0

Primary Koala Food Trees	Secondary Koala Food Trees	Total Koala Food Trees
No.: 1 % 3.03	No.: 5 % 15.2	No.: 6 % 18.18

Notes: heavily logged and fire damage, thick regrowth

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Undullah

27.08.2014

26

Angela/Dave

491732

22

6921390

34

E

491710

38

6921345

90

E

50

20

0

Distance to Surface Water:

Fine

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2

9.09

12

54.6

14

63.64

Notes: drainage line, T1 dominated by *E. tereticornis* and *E. mollucana*

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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Undullah

27.08.2014

31

Angela/Dave

490691

●

55

N

6922273

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06

E

490681

●

16

N

6922224

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82

E

50

20

0

Fine

[illegible]

Total Koala Food Trees

0

%

0

No.:

7

%

26.9

No.:

7

%

26.92

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Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 8.10.2014

Site Number:	45	Recorder:	Angela/Dave	Locality:	
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Start Point:	492999	●	01	N	6921304	●	64	E
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End Point:	493017	●	55	N	6921349	●	10	E
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Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)	5
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Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)	60
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Distance to Surface Water: ~100m (dam)

Evidence of Dogs:	Fox
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Weather: Fine

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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	5	%	8.3
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	10	%	16.6
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	15	%	25
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Notes: evidence of fire and logging, approx 30% dead wattles

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Undullah

9.10.2014

48

Angela/Dave

491824

33

6923121

71

E

491793

41

6923086

60

E

50

20

60

0

40

Unknown

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Fine

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%	26.6
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Notes: high density of Lantana, evidence of logging, found possible feral pig scats

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 9.10.2014

Site Number: 49

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	491890
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06

N

6922533

60

E

End Point:	491897
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46

N

6922480

54

E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)	70
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Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)	30
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Distance to Surface Water:	Unknown
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Evidence of Dogs:	-
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Weather:	Fine
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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	14	%	26.4
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	9	%	17
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	23	%	43.4
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Notes: high density of Lantana, evidence of logging

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 10.10.2014

Site Number: 50

Recorder: Angela/Dave

Locality:

Start Point:	491291
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18

N

6923123

58

E

End Point:	491255
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- 65

N

6923088

25

E

Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)	85
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Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)	10
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Distance to Surface Water:	Unknown
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Evidence of Dogs:	-
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Weather: Overcast

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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	0	%	-
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	13	%	19.1
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	13	%	19.1
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Notes: exposed rock (5%)

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Location:	Undullah
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Date: 10.10.2014

Site Number:	51	Recorder:	Angela/Dave	Locality:	
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Start Point:	490877	●	66	N	6923157	●	32	E
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End Point:	490912	●	98	N	6923122	●	69	E
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Transect Length (m):	50
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Transect Breadth (m):	20
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Vegetation Ground Cover (%)

Surface Water Area (%)	0
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Leaf Litter Cover (%)

Distance to Surface Water:	Unknown
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Evidence of Dogs:	-
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Weather:	Fine
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Primary Koala Food Trees

No.:	2	%	3.6
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Secondary Koala Food Trees

No.:	5	%	8.9
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Total Koala Food Trees

No.:	7	%	12.5
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Notes: western side of gully, evidence of fire and logging (old), exposed rock

Koala Habitat Transect Data Sheet

Undullah

Date: 10.10.2014

52

Angela/Dave

491118

●

45

N

6925110

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96

E

491155

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15

N

6925073

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27

E

50

20

0

Unknown

Fine

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No.: 8

No.: 5

%	8
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No.: 13

%	20.9
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Notes: scattered Lantana, evidence of fire and logging

Appendix D

Habitat Suitability Assessment

HABITAT ASSESSMENT FOR LISTED EPBC SPECIES

Matters of National Environmental Significance				
Wetlands of International Importance	Moreton Bay	RAMSAR Listed	30-40km upstream	The site is located approximately 30-40 kilometres directly east of Moreton Bay.
No Risk				
Listed Threatened Ecological Communities				
Name	Status	Type of Presence	Description of Community	Likelihood of Occurrence
Coastal Swamp Oak (<i>Casuarina glauca</i>) Forest of New South Wales and South East Queensland	Endangered	Community may occur within the area.	The Coastal Swamp Oak (<i>Casuarina glauca</i>) Forest of New South Wales and South East Queensland ecological community occurs in coastal catchments, mostly at elevations of less than 20 m above sea level that are typically found within 30 km of the coast, however, distance can vary by catchment. The canopy layer is dominated by <i>Casuarina glauca</i> (Swamp Oak) and in Queensland is represented by RE12.1.1 or RE12.3.20. Neither <i>Casuarina glauca</i> (Swamp Oak) nor RE12.1.1 or RE12.3.20 were identified on-site, and therefore the TEC is not present.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.
No Risk				
Lowland rainforest of Subtropical Australia	Critically Endangered	Community may occur within the area.	Typically there is a relatively low abundance of species from the genera <i>Eucalyptus</i> , <i>Melaleuca</i> and <i>Casuarina</i> . Buttresses are common as is an abundance and diversity of vines. This community is usually associated Regional Ecosystems 12.3.1, 12.5.13, 12.8.3, 12.8.4, 12.8.13, 12.11.1, 12.11.10, 12.12.1, and 12.12.16.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.
No Risk				
Poplar Box Grassy Woodland on Alluvial Plains	Endangered	Community may occur within the area.	Typically a grassy woodland with a canopy dominated by <i>Eucalyptus populnea</i> and understorey mostly of grasses and other herbs. This community is usually associated with RE11.3.2, 11.3.17, 11.4.7, 11.4.12 and 12.3.10, none of which are located within or adjacent to the investigation area.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.
No Risk				
White Box-Yellow Box-Blakely's Red Gum Grassy Woodland and Derived Native Grassland	Critically Endangered	Community may occur within the area.	This threatened community is characterised by a species-rich understorey of native tussock grasses, herbs and scattered shrubs and the dominance of White Box, Yellow Box, or Blakely's Red gum trees. This community is usually associated with Regional Ecosystem 11.8.2a, 11.8.8, 11.9.9a, 13.3.1, 13.11.8, and 13.12.9. It can also be a small component of Regional Ecosystem 11.3.23, 12.8.16, 13.3.4, 13.11.3 and 13.11.4.	No species representing these characteristics or vegetation communities were observed within the assessment area.
No Risk				

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Birds						
<i>Anthochaera phrygia</i>	Regent Honeyeater	Endangered	82338	Regent Honeyeaters mostly occur in dry Box-Ironbark Eucalypt woodland and dry sclerophyll forest associations in areas of low to moderate relief, wherein they prefer moister, more fertile sites. These areas are generally associated with creek flats and river valleys and foothills. These woodlands have significantly large numbers of mature trees, high canopy cover and abundance of mistletoes. They are a generalist forager, which mainly feed on nectar from a wide range of eucalypts and mistletoes.	The site is covered in both remnant and non remnant vegetation communities dominated by eucalypt and Corymbia species however all riparian areas are highly disturbed. Very few mature large specimens remain throughout the majority of the site as a result of historical logging practices and vegetation clearing.	No Risk
<i>Botaurus poiciloptilus</i>	Australasian Bittern	Endangered	1001	The Australasian Bittern occurs in terrestrial wetlands and, rarely, estuarine habitats, mainly in the temperate southeast and southwest. It favours wetlands with tall dense vegetation, where it forages in still, shallow water up to 0.3 m deep, often at the edges of pools or waterways, or from platforms or mats of vegetation over deep water. It favours permanent and seasonal freshwater habitats, particularly those dominated by sedges, rushes and / or reeds or cutting grass growing over muddy or peaty substrate. The Australasian Bittern occurs in the far South-East of Queensland; it has been reported North to Baralaba and West to Wyandra, although in most years it is probably confined to a few coastal swamps. It is rarely recorded in Queensland, and possibly survives only in protected areas such as the Cooloola and Fraser regions.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk

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<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	Curlew Sandpiper	Critically Endangered	856	Curlew Sandpipers mainly occur on intertidal mudflats in sheltered coastal areas, such as estuaries, bays, inlets and lagoons, and around non-tidal swamps, lakes and lagoons near the coast, and ponds in salt works and sewage farms. They are also recorded inland, though less often, including around ephemeral and permanent lakes, dams, waterholes and bore drains, usually with bare edges of mud or sand. They occur in both fresh and brackish waters. Occasionally they are recorded around floodwaters.	No suitable foraging or breeding habitat occurs on site, with these habitat features limited to the mouth of the rivers and estuaries in the region. No indication of the species was detected on-site during field surveys consistent with lack of suitable habitat.	No Risk
<i>Erythrorhynchus radiatus</i>	Red Goshawk	Vulnerable	942	A wide ranging and highly mobile species generally observed over eucalypt habitats. This species prefers forest and woodland with a mosaic of vegetation types, large prey populations (birds) and permanent water. The vegetation types include eucalypt woodland, open forest, tall open forest, gallery rainforest, swamp sclerophyll forest and rainforest margins. Habitat has to be open enough for fast attack and manoeuvring in flight, but provide cover for ambushing of prey.	Due to a lack of records within the local area, it is unlikely that this species will occur. However, possible foraging habitat throughout the mapped remnant areas. There is no evidence of permanent residence on site and very few areas containing permanent water.	No Risk
<i>Geophaps scripta scripta</i>	Squatter Pigeon (southern)	Vulnerable	64440	This species inhabits open grasslands and woodlands typically with a native understorey although may occur in artificial pasture.	No confirmed local records. The species is now very rarely observed in southern Queensland. Not expected onsite and no direct impact from proposed actions.	No Risk
<i>Grantiella picta</i>	Painted Honeyeater	Vulnerable	470	This species inhabits Boree/ Weeping Myall (<i>Acacia pendula</i>), Brigalow (<i>A. harpophylla</i>) and Box-Gum Woodlands and Box-Ironbark Forests.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	White-throated Needletail	Vulnerable	682	The White-throated needle tail is almost exclusively aerial. This species has been recorded roosting in trees in forests and woodlands, both among dense foliage in the canopy or in hollows	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk

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<i>Lathamus discolor</i>	Swift Parrot	Endangered	744	Swift Parrots breed in Tasmania during spring to early summer. During autumn and winter the species migrates to the mainland where it follows a nomadic existence linked to the availability and timing of flowering of trees in various locations. While the species is very uncommon in south-east Queensland, its occurrence cannot be completely discounted. There are suitable winter flowing species present on the site which may attract birds during flowing (e.g. <i>E. tereticornis</i>).	Due to a lack of records within the local area and south east Queensland, it is highly unlikely that this species will occur.	No Risk
<i>Numenius madagascariensis</i>	Eastern Curlew	Critically Endangered	847	The species breeds on open mossy or transitional bogs, moss-lichen bogs and wet meadows, and on the swampy shores of small lakes; in the non-breeding season it is essentially coastal, occurring at estuaries, mangrove swamps, saltmarshes and intertidal flats, particularly those with extensive seagrass (<i>Zosteraceae</i>) meadows.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Rostratula australis</i>	Australian Painted Snipe	Endangered	77037	The Australian Painted Snipe is usually found in shallow inland wetlands, either freshwater or brackish, that are either permanently or temporarily filled. The species has a scattered distribution throughout many parts of Australia, with a single record from Tasmania.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Turnix melanogaster</i>	Black-breasted Button-quail	Vulnerable	923	Typical habitat occurs in dry rainforest and vegetation immediately adjacent to rainforest. However the species has also been recorded in a variety of low coastal heathlands around Frazer Island and nearby mainland. Deep leaf litter in which the species can forage appears to be particularly favoured.	Habitats on the site are highly disturbed due to prior logging regimes, weed invasion and prior pastoral/grazing activities. Although this species is known to favour areas with a dense shrub layer, including thick <i>Lantana</i> camara patches, no evidence (i.e.: platelets) has been observed on site. Evidence of feral pigs and dogs may have also contributed to a lack of records.	No Risk
Fish						

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<i>Maccullochella mariensis</i>	Mary River Cod	Endangered	83806	The Mary River Cod occurs mainly in pools within relatively undisturbed tributaries. They prefer relatively large and deep shaded pools with abundant, slowly flowing water.	No suitable habitat to support this species was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Insect						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Argynnis hyperbius inconstans</i>	Australian Fritillary	Critically Endangered	88056	The Australian fritillary is restricted to areas where its larval food plant, <i>Viola betonicifolia</i> (the arrowhead violet), occurs (NSW Scientific Committee 2002). The arrowhead violet is widespread throughout Queensland and NSW, at both high and low altitudes. However, the Australian fritillary appears to only occupy lower altitude sites (<600m), and in these lower altitude regions there has been significant clearing for urban expansion.	No suitable habitat to support this species was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Mammals						
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<i>Chalinolobus dwyeri</i>	Large-eared Pied Bat	Vulnerable	183	The Large-eared Pied Bat roosts on sandstone cliffs and fertile woodland valley habitat within close proximity of each other. However in South-east Queensland habitat includes rainforest and moist eucalypt forest habitats at high elevations.	No confirmed local records of this uncommon species.	No Risk
<i>Dasyurus maculatus maculatus</i>	Spot-tailed Quoll	Endangered	75184	The Spot-tailed Quoll has a preference for mature wet forest habitat. Unlogged forest or forest that has been less disturbed by timber harvesting is also preferable. This predominantly nocturnal species rests during the day in dens. Habitat requirements include suitable den sites such as hollow logs, tree hollows, rock outcrops or caves. Individuals require an abundance of food such as birds and small mammals, and large areas of relatively intact vegetation through which to forage.	Although no suitable den sites were observed on broader site, it may be possible that the site could be used for foraging purposes, including Flagstone Creek which may act as a corridor for species distribution. Although no evidence has been found throughout the field assessment, consideration to this species is important.	Low Risk

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<i>Petauroides volans</i>	Greater Glider	Vulnerable	254	The greater glider is an arboreal nocturnal marsupial, largely restricted to eucalypt forests and woodlands. It is primarily folivorous, with a diet mostly comprising eucalypt leaves, and occasionally flowers. It is typically found in highest abundance in taller, montane, moist eucalypt forests with relatively old trees and abundant hollows/	Although suitable habitat was observed on the broader site, the project area contains very few trees in relation to significant habitat areas to the west.	No Risk
<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby	Vulnerable	225	This species prefers rocky habitats, including loose boulder-piles, rocky outcrops, steep rocky slopes, cliffs, gorges and isolated rock stacks. Most populations have been found on north facing slopes but have occurred on south facing slopes. This species browse on vegetation in and adjacent to rocky areas eating grasses and forbs as well as the foliage and fruits of shrubs and trees.	No suitable habitat located on site.	No Risk
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	Koala	Vulnerable	85104	They are found in a range of habitats, from coastal islands and tall eucalypt forests to low woodlands inland. The species is known from the surrounding area and evidence has been recorded on-site.	Extensive searches of this species, including SAT surveys and spotlighting did not find any individual specimens. However some old scats were observed throughout the site in various locations. The site is highly disturbed with intensive logging regimes and severe infestations of <i>Lantana camara</i> have also reduced the quality of habitat for this species.	Medium Risk
<i>Potorous tridactylus tridactylus</i>	Long-nosed Potoroo	Vulnerable	66645	Species generally prefers rainforest and adjacent to wet sclerophyll forest, coastal heathlands and similar habitats with a dense understorey. Like all Potoroos, fungi are the major component of the diet and is also known to feed on invertebrates.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk

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<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Grey-headed Flying Fox	Vulnerable	186	Species generally roosts in camps in trees adjacent to larger permanent watercourse. The Grey-headed flying fox requires foraging resources and roosting sites. It is a canopy-feeding frugivore and nectarivore, which utilises vegetation communities including rainforests, open forests, closed and open woodlands, Melaleuca swamps and Banksia woodlands. It also feed on commercial fruit crops. The primary food source is blossom from Eucalyptus and related genera.	No camps were observed throughout the assessment area however food resources cover the site. This species is highly likely to occur when the eucalypts are in flower.	Low Risk
Reptiles						
<i>Delma torquata</i>	Collared Delma	Vulnerable	1656	In general, the species occurs on rocky hillsides on basalt and lateritic soils supporting open eucalypt and Acacia woodland with a sparse understorey of shrubs and tussocks or semi-evergreen vine thicket.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Furina dunmalli</i>	Dunmall's Snake	Vulnerable	59254	Dunmall's Snake has been found in a broad range of habitats, including forests and woodlands on black alluvial cracking clay and clay loams dominated by Brigalow other Wattles, native Cypress or Bull-oak, and various Blue Spotted Gum, Ironbark, White Cypress Pine and Bull oak open forest and woodland associations on sandstone derived soils. Dunmall's Snake occurs primarily in the Brigalow Belt region in the South-eastern interior of Queensland. Records indicate sites at elevations between 200–500 m above sea level. The snake is very rare or secretive with limited records existing. It has been recorded at Archokoorra, Oakey, Miles, Glenmorgan, Wallaville, Gladstone, Lake Broadwater, Mount Archer, Exhibition Range National Park, roadside reserves between Inglewood and Texas, Rosedale, Yeppoon and Lake Broadwater Conservation Park.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Saiphos reticulatus</i>	Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink	Vulnerable	88328	The Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink has been found in loose, well mulched friable soil, in and under rotting logs, in forest litter, under fallen hoop pine bark and under decomposing cane mulch. In Queensland, the Three-toed Snake-tooth Skink has been recorded in rainforest, closed forest, wet sclerophyll forest, tall open Blackbutt (Eucalyptus pilularis) forest, tall layered open eucalypt forest and closed Brush Box (Lophostemon confertus) forest.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
Listed Migratory Species						

Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Migratory Marine Birds</i>						
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<i>Apus pacificus</i>	Fork-tailed Swift	Migratory	678	This species is almost exclusively aerial and mostly occur over inland palins but sometimes above foothills or in coastal areas.	Possible as a fly over species however no impact to this species is likely to occur.	No Risk
<i>Migratory Terrestrial Species</i>						
Species	Common Name	Status	EPBC Code	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
<i>Cuculus optatus</i>	Oriental Cuckoo	Migratory	86651	It mainly inhabits forests, occurring in coniferous, deciduous and mixed forest. It feeds mainly on insects and their larvae, foraging for them in trees and bushes as well as on the ground.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Hirundapus caudacutus</i>	White-throated Needle tail	Migratory	682	The White-throated needle tail is almost exclusively aerial. This species has been recorded roosting in trees in forests and woodlands, both among dense foliage in the canopy or in hollows. The species breeds in wooded lowlands and sparsely vegetated hills, as well as mountains covered with coniferous forests.	Low potential to occur on site within roosting periods.	No Risk
<i>Monarcha melanopsis</i>	Black-faced Monarch	Migratory	609	The Black-faced Monarch mainly occurs in rainforest ecosystems, including semi-deciduous vine thickets, complex notophyll vine forests, tropical (mesophyll) rainforest, subtropical (notophyll) rainforest, mesophyll (broadleaf) thicket/shrubland, warm temperate rainforest, dry (monsoon) rainforest and occasionally cool temperate rainforest.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Monarcha trivirgatus</i>	Spectacled Monarch	Migratory	610	The Spectacled Monarchs natural habitats are subtropical or tropical moist lowland forests, subtropical or tropical mangrove forests, and subtropical or tropical moist montane forests. Its preference is for thick understorey areas.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Motacilla flava</i>	Yellow Wagtail	Migratory	644	The yellow wagtail occurs in a variety of damp or wet habitats with low vegetation, from rushy pastures, meadows, hay fields and marshes to damp steppe and grassy tundra. Outside of the breeding season it is also found in cultivated areas. The yellow wagtail typically forages in damp grassland and on relatively	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk

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<i>Myiagra cyanoleuca</i>	Satin Flycatcher	Migratory	612	bare open ground at edges of rivers, lakes and wetlands, but also feeds in dry grassland and in fields of cereal crops	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Rhipidura rufifrons</i>	Rufous Fantail	Migratory	592	The Rufous fantail mainly inhabits wet sclerophyll forests, often in gullies dominated by Eucalypts such as <i>Eucalyptus microcorys</i> , <i>Eucalyptus pilularis</i> , <i>Eucalyptus resinifera</i> and a number of other Eucalyptus species.	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk

HABITAT ASSESSMENT FOR LISTED NCA SPECIES (6207) 10km Search

Species	Common Name	Status	Description of Community / Habitat	Likelihood of Occurrence	Risk
Birds					
<i>Calyptorhynchus lathami</i>	Glossy Black-cockatoo	Vulnerable	The species is uncommon although widespread throughout suitable forest and woodland habitats, from the central Queensland coast to East Gippsland in Victoria, and inland to the southern tablelands and central western plains of NSW. The Glossy Black-Cockatoo is highly dependent on the distribution of Allocasuarina species and is found in open forest and woodlands of the coast and the Great Dividing Range where stands of sheoak occur. Black Sheoak (<i>Allocasuarina littoralis</i>) and Forest Sheoak (<i>A. torulosa</i>) are important foods. Requires tree hollows for breeding.	Flora species utilised for foraging by this species were present in the areas of retained vegetation along watercourses and not within the greater extent of the landscape. Foraging of she-oak species is generally seasonal in nature with birds often returning to areas previously utilised. Limited to no signs of repeated foraging on sheoaks in the area were observed.	Low Risk
<i>Hirundapus caudacutic</i>	White-throated Needletail	Vulnerable	The White-throated needle tail is almost exclusively aerial. This species has been recorded roosting in trees in forests and woodlands, both among dense foliage in the canopy or in hollows	No suitable habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	No Risk
<i>Ninox strenua</i>	Powerful Owl	Vulnerable	The Powerful Owl inhabits a range of vegetation types, from woodland and open sclerophyll forest to tall open wet forest and rainforest.	An active Powerful Owl nest was recorded was recorded west of clearing area in 2009. No suitable	Low Risk

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Mammals					
Phascolarctos cinereus	Koala	Vulnerable	They are found in a range of habitats, from coastal islands and tall eucalypt forests to low woodlands inland. The species is known from the surrounding area and evidence has been recorded on-site.	habitat was observed throughout the assessment area.	Medium Risk
				Extensive searches of this species, including SAT surveys and spotlighting did not find any individual specimens. However some old scats were observed throughout the site in various locations. The site is highly disturbed with severe infestations of Lantana camara throughout the waterways and have also reduced the quality of habitat for this species.	