



## UPPER KANGAROO VALLEY BUSHCARE ACTION PLAN

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

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<b>Reserve Name:</b>	Picnic Area
<b>Reserve No:</b>	Part of road reserve
<b>Land Tenure:</b>	SCC
<b>Comm. Land Type:</b>	Road Reserve

### 1. BUSHCARE GROUP GOALS

<p>Aim</p> <p>Maintain and improve the endemic vegetation in the riparian area of the Upper Kangaroo River from Gerringong Creek Road to Parish's Road being part of the Shoalhaven Council's Road Side picnic area.</p>
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2. **SHOALHAVEN BUSHCARE GROUP ACTIVITIES TABLE (to be in conjunction with attached site map)**  
**NOTE: Priority should be rated as H = High (within 12 months); M = Medium (1-3 years); L = Low**

GROUP ACTION	PRIORITY	METHOD	TIME
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Eradicate new outbreaks of Madeira Vine and assist with mapping and promoting Council Madeira control program in the Bushcare site area</li> <li>• Keep area free of Large and Small Leaf Privet</li> <li>• Keep area free of Lantana</li> <li>• Control Japanese Honeysuckle</li> <li>• Keep area free of Moth Vine and Cape Ivy</li> <li>• Keep area free of Blackberry</li> <li>• Plant Hypolepsis and other endemic understory plants in designated areas where Tradescantia can be controlled</li> </ul>	<p>H H H M M H M</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spot spray with recommended herbicide and follow up scrape and paint with vigilant®</li> <li>• Cut and paint or hand pull</li> <li>• Cut and paint or spot spray</li> <li>• Scrape and paint or spot spray</li> <li>• Hand pull or spot spray</li> <li>• Council to include on spraying program</li> <li>• Divide existing ferns and transplant in the understory</li> </ul>	<p>On Going</p>

### 3. UPPER KANGAROO VALLEY BUSHCARE GROUP ACTION PLAN MAP



#### 4. BUSHCARE GROUP WHS EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

Type of Activity	Yes	SWMS name included
Manual weed control (cut and paint, scrape and paint etc)	√	SWMSNR040 Weed Control Activities
Chemical control (spraying of herbicides)	√	SWMSNR040 Weed Control Activities
Planting	√	SWMSNR030 Planting, Propagation and Seed Collection
Minor construction (walking track, fencing, outdoor furniture)		
Propagation and seed collection		
Education (school groups, field days etc)		
Other		

#### 5. COUNCIL SUPPORT

Technical advice and support

- b. Tools and first Aid kit
- c. Materials/Plants (within limit of budget)
- d. Training support
- e. Assistance with weed control
- f. Inspection and maintenance of pedestrian suspension bridge and river access tracks

#### 6. HAS A SITE HAZARD AND RISK ASSESSMENT BEEN COMPLETED FOR THE BUSHCARE SITE?

Yes

**7. LIST THE PERSONAL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR VOLUNTEERS WHILST WORKING ON THE SITE**

<b>PPE Equipment Required</b>	<b>Date issued</b>
First Aid Kit	2012
Gloves	2012
Sunscreen	2012
Insect repellent	2012

**8. POSSIBLE FUTURE FUNDING**

<b>Project</b>	<b>Funding source</b>
Assistance with weed control	SCC or SRCMA

**9. PLEASE LIST OTHER LOCAL OR REGIONAL MANAGEMENT PLANS OR STRATEGIES THAT THIS PLAN RELATES TO**

<b>Name of document</b>	<b>Year it was produced</b>	<b>Produced by</b>
Catchment Action Plan	2008	SRCMA

**10. RECOMMENDED PLANTING/REVEGETATION SPECIES LIST**

<b>UNDERSTOREY (grasses, herbs, climbers)</b>	
<b>Botanical</b>	<b>Common</b>
<i>Adiantum formosum</i>	Giant Maiden Hair Fern
<i>Geranium homeanum</i>	Northern Cransbill
<i>Histiopteris incisa</i>	Batwing Fern
<i>Hypolepis muelleri</i>	Harsh Ground Fern
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Spiny Matt Rush
<i>Pteridium esculentum</i>	Bracken Fern
<i>Urtica incisa</i>	Native Thistle

## 11. SITE WEED LIST

Noxious	Environmental	Control Method
<i>Rubus fruticosus</i> (Blackberry)		Scrape and paint canes for small isolated plants or larger plants can be sprayed with selective herbicide during flower and fruit
	<i>Ageratina riparia</i> (Mistflower)	Spray with a selective herbicide or hand pull smaller infestations
	<i>Lonicera japonica</i> (Japanese Honeysuckle)	Spot spray infestations with a non-selective herbicide and remove and bag any ripe seed
	<i>Sida rhombifolia</i> (Paddy's Lucerne)	Hand pull smaller infestations. Larger infestations can be sprayed with a non-selective herbicide
	<i>Tradescantia fluminescens</i> (Wandering Jew)	Roll and rake smaller infestations and remove all plants material. Larger infestations can be treated using a selective herbicide or solarisation by covering with black plastic
	<i>Adredera cordifolia</i> (Madeira Vine)	Small infestations can be stemmed scrapped and neat glyphosate or vigilant® apply. Larger infestation should be sprayed with a registered herbicide such as Starane ®
	<i>Araujia sericifera</i> (Moth Vine)	Stem scrape and paint with undiluted Glyphosate or hand pull smaller plants. Bag and remove all fruit from site
	<i>Delaira odorata</i> (Cape Ivy)	Spot spray with glyphosate at rate of 1%

## 12. BUSHCARE SITE SPECIES LIST

OVERSTOREY TREES	
Botanical	Common
<i>Acacia melanoxylon</i>	Blackwood
<i>Acmena smithii</i>	Lilli Pilli
<i>Backhousia myrtifolia</i>	Grey Myrtle
<i>Casuarina cunninghamiana</i>	River She Oak
<i>Eucalyptus amplifolia</i>	Cabbage Gum
<i>Syzigium australe</i>	Magenta Lilly Pilli
<i>Toona ciliata</i>	Red Cedar
SHRUBS	
Botanical	Common
<i>Acacia maidenii</i>	Maidens Wattle

<i>Acronychia oblongifolia</i>	Acronychia
<i>Breynia oblongifolia</i>	Native Privet
<i>Callicoma serratifolia</i>	Black Wattle
<i>Claoxylon australe</i>	Brittlewood
<i>Cryptocarya glaucescens</i>	Native Laurel
<i>Cyathea cooperi</i>	King Fern
<i>Ehretia acuminata</i>	Koda
<i>Euroschinus falcata</i>	Brush Cudgerie
<i>Hakea sericifolia</i>	Willow Hakea
<i>Hymenanthera dentata</i>	Tree Violet
<i>Notelaea oblongifolia</i>	Mock Olive
<i>Pittosporum revolutum</i>	Rough Fruited Pittosporum
<i>Trema aspera</i>	Native Peach
<i>Tristania laurina</i>	Water Gum
<b>UNDERSTOREY (grasses, herbs, orchids)</b>	
<b>Botanical</b>	<b>Common</b>
<i>Adiantum formosum</i>	Giant Maiden Hair Fern
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<b>UNDERSTOREY (vines &amp; climbers)</b>	
<b>Botanical</b>	<b>Common</b>
<i>Cayratia clematidea</i>	Slender Grape
<i>Eustrephus latifoliosus</i>	Wombat Berry
<i>Pandora pandorana</i>	Wonga Vine
<i>Parsonisa straminea var. straminea</i>	Common Silkpod
<i>Stephania japonica</i>	Snake Vine

**Bushcare Group Name:** .....

**Coordinator Name:**.....

**Signature:** .....

**Date:** ...../...../.....