

The purpose of the Natural Area Volunteers Group is to act as an advisory and representative group on all matters relating to the future directions of the Bushcare Policy and program. Council acknowledges the group's role as a conduit for strategic input into Council's decision-making processes.

The Group will advise Council on strategic matters pertaining to the Bushcare Program. This will include policies, procedures, resourcing, natural resources management, environmental restoration and preservation techniques and plans, and community and volunteer stakeholder engagement. Natural Area volunteer groups include those managed under Council's Bushcare program that predominantly work on Community Land categorised as 'Natural Area' (*Local Government Act 1993, NSW*). These include Bushcare, Dunecare and similar groups.

- Meetings are held on an 'as required' basis.
- Applications are currently being sort for one (1) member.
- Shoalhaven City Council encourages applications from Aboriginal community members.

1. Details of Applicant

Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms Surname

Given Name:

Email*

Postal Address

Phone: (H)

(M)

(B)

Do you identify as aboriginal? Yes No

*Correspondence with Committee Members will be sent via email unless otherwise advised.

2. I am a member of the following Natural Area volunteer group(s) (e.g., Bushcare, Dunecare group)

3. Please describe your experience and skills in community-based volunteering, particularly pertaining to the sustainable management of Natural Areas. Please include knowledge-sharing and communication skills

4. Please describe how you can represent a cross-section of volunteers that work within Natural Areas in strategic, program-level thinking:

5. Signature of Applicant

Signed:

Date:

Please complete the above form and return by post to “ *The Chief Executive Officer, Shoalhaven City Council , PO Box 42, NOWRA NSW 2541*’ or email it to council@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au

Attachments of further information supporting your application are permitted.

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