



24<sup>th</sup> January 2021

**RE: Asset Protection Zone Vegetation Removal.**

**Site: William Charlton Village, 181 Allambie Rd, Allambie Heights**

**Development Application Number: DA 2020/0552**

## **Introduction**

Total Earth Care have been engaged by Allambie Heights Village Limited to undertake an ecological survey of the impact of the creation of the Asset Protection Zones (APZ) for the Development.

In undertaking the survey, Total Earth Care only considered the removal of vegetation is proposed within the APZ identified in the Development Application.

On 22 January 2021, Total Earth Care attended site to undertake the survey, the results of which are summarised below.

## **Asset Protection Zones**

### **1. Inner Protection Area**

- Native Flora
  - Native Tree: the removal of 2 mature non-endemic Eucalypts spp, planted street trees.
  - Native shrub: The removal of approximately 75 mature native shrubs.
  - Grass/forb/vine: The management and expansion of all native groundcover species populations.
- Exotic flora
  - The removal of a copse of mature Exotic (weed) Coral Trees,
  - The removal of all weed, shrub, vine and grass weeds beyond the managed landscape areas.
  - The mowing of all weed grass species.

### **2. Outer Protection Area**

- Native Flora
  - Native Tree: the removal of 4 mature endemic Eucalypts spp planted street trees with a diameter at breast height (DBH) of less than 400mm.

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- Native shrub: The removal of approximately 100 square meters of over mature/ senescing (dying) native shrub.
- Grass/forb/vine: The management and expansion of all native groundcover species populations.
- Exotic flora
  - The removal of a copse of mature Exotic (weed) Coral Trees.,
  - The removal of all weed, shrub, vine and grass weeds beyond the managed landscape areas.
  - The mowing of all weed grass species.

The Development proposes no removal of vegetation from the Manly Dam Reserve and hence has no negative effect will occur within the Reserve.

Regards

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