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Subject: 'Submission: Draft WDCP - Private Property Tree Management'

'Submission: Draft WDCP - Private Property Tree Management' with the responses below. A full report of all survey submissions is available within the activity report. TRIM PEX2013/0007

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Do you support the proposed changes allowing trees within 3 metres of a building or structure to be removed without requiring approval?	No

Comments.

The proposal does not take account of the tree height, it's root system or the consequences of removal regardless impacts beyond 3Metres

Do you support the proposed changes to include a further 9 tree species to the list of trees that can be removed without approval? (see full list in library)

No

Comments

The value of trees extends beyond human benefits.....habitat, wildlife corridors, International Migratory Conventions are adversely impacted by tree removals.....The renowned Illawarra Flame tree and Bangalow palm would be a losscertain woody weeds is acceptable but locally endemic species should be encouraged

Do you support the proposed changes to increase the minimum height of a tree that requires approval to be removed, from 5 metres to 6 metres?

No

comments

Please include my previous comments and also at 5 metres many trees are maturing in growth, O2 (clean air), ambience and ground stabilisation/ absorption benefits

Any other comments on the proposed changes?

Change is inevitable, however, it is increasingly important such change - however presented - is knowingly detrimental to the environment and therefore humans. The extent and severity of these proposed changes are not neededany errors made can be corrected.

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