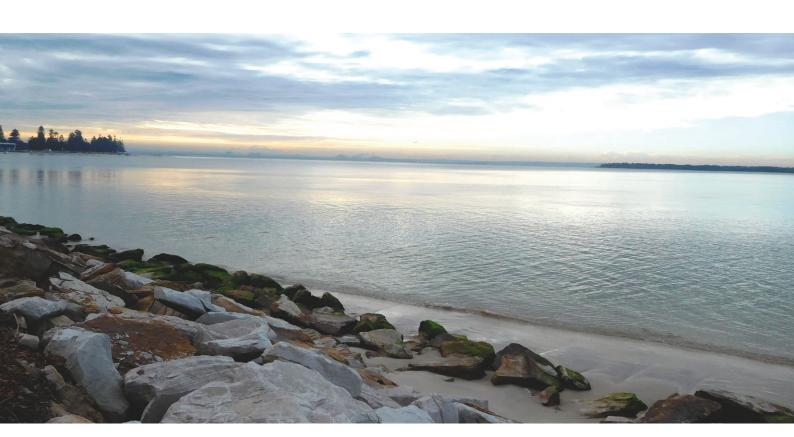


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# GEORGES RIVER CATCHMENT AND GRCCC MEMBER COUNCILS



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# CHAIRPERSON'S FOREWORD



It has been a busy and exciting year for the GRCCC. The team at the GRCCC have successfully implemented significant changes to our Award winning core on ground programs and delivered a solid performance over the year.

The GRCCC Riverkeeper Program, co-ordinated by Tony Wales collected 99.7 tonnes of rubbish this year from our river. The program also saw the implementation of four new on ground bush regeneration teams including the Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team and three Green Army Teams working across the Upper, Mid and Lower Georges River. This has strengthened the GRCCC biodiversity conservation outcomes and helped to rehabilitate vast areas of bushland along the Georges River. I thank all four teams and Corrective Services NSW for its commitment to the Program. Similarly, I acknowledge the National Parks and Wildlife Service for the use of their premises as our Riverkeeper headquarters at Revesby.

The River Health program continues to provide member councils with valuable water quality data and engages numerous community groups, volunteers, school children and Council staff while undertaking field sampling. The changes implemented to the program see continual improvement to ensure it is a best practice ecological monitoring program.

The GRCCC was also successful in obtaining a new Greater Sydney Local Land Services Grant to engage a bush regeneration company to restore high priority bushland on Council sites. This grant will be delivered over the 2015-16 period.

The GRCCC has been involved in numerous advocacy and lobbying actions and communications and engagement activities over the year. We saw the delivery of the River Health and Riverkeeper Report Cards, Annual Reports and Executive Summaries. We have also attended and organised numerous events, volunteer engagements and presentations, engaged the media and managed the GRCCC website. This has raised both the GRCCC and member Councils profile and highlighted our joint efforts to improve the overall health of the Georges River and the broader catchment.

I would like to thank GRCCC staff including the Programs Manager, Svetlana Kotevska, Riverkeeper Program Coordinator, Tony Wales, former River Health Coordinator, Claire Evans and David Reid (current coordinator) and Lisa Smith, Administration Assistant for their hard work and commitment to the GRCCC.

I thank the GRCCC Executive Group members, Ms Alison Hanlon and Councillors Peter Scaysbrook and Councillor Andrew Tsounis for their ongoing support of the GRCCC through their regular participation at monthly Executive Meetings and bi-monthly Committee meetings and their invaluable input and ideas. On behalf of all member Councils, I thank Hurstville City Council for hosting the GRCCC since 2009. This has helped manage our financial, assets and human resources, ensured good governance and efficient operations. The GRCCC is a strong incorporated association of nine member Councils and this will continue into the future. I would like to extend my appreciation to all our member Councillors, staff, community representatives, stakeholders and partner organisations for their enthusiasm and support, assistance, attending our meetings and sharing responsibility for the environmental management of the Georges River.

Cr Naji Peter Najjar GRCCC Chairperson



# PROGRAM MANAGER'S REPORT



Over the year, the GRCCC has demonstrated that it is working hard towards improving the overall condition of the Georges River. Our on ground works programs, advocacy and community engagement activities have made significant progress towards addressing our overall vision and mission statement for the Georges River that are:

Vision: For the Georges River to be a balanced ecosystem that an engaged community can enjoy

Mission: For the GRCCC to be an effective not-for-profit organisation which advocates by developing programs and partnerships, and by lobbying government organisations and other stakeholders to protect, conserve and enhance the Georges River

The GRCCC major focus over 2014-2015 was the delivery of our highly reputable and successful on ground works programs and implementation of key program changes. This includes the recommendations of the River Health review to further advance our River Health ecological monitoring program and ensure it represents best practice.

The GRCCC Riverkeeper Program was successful in attracting significant additional resources and grants from the Australian Government. As a result the year was characterized by implementing and establishing the new grant and projects. This includes setting up the 3 year plan and Aboriginal and Project Steering Committees for the Australian Governments \$1.78 million Biodiversity Fund grant project called 'Building Indigenous Knowledge and Skills to Restore Urban Waterways'. This project sees a team of young Aboriginal trainees working across the Georges River catchment to restore and rehabilitate bushland and work commenced in July 2014.

The GRCCC also successfully applied for three Green Army Teams under the Australian Government Green Army programme. The GRCCC coordinates their work for member Councils across the Georges River catchment. Work commenced in October 2014.

Together, these grants and programs have brought in significantly more resources and value to each of our member Councils. The programs have also advanced our environmental outcomes in accordance with the GRCCC strategic framework and our plans and policies including the Management and Implementation Plan and the NSW State Plan targets for natural resource management.

The GRCCC submitted a successful Expression of Interest to the Greater Sydney Local Land Services to engage an Aboriginal (preferred) bush regeneration team to protect endangered and threatened flora and fauna including Koala and Flying Fox habitat. This project will be delivered in the forthcoming year.

The GRCCC developed briefs and managed multiple contracts on behalf of our member Councils. This includes contractors involved in estuarine and freshwater monitoring and also producing the Statistical Study and report cards for the River Health program.

The GRCCC \$1.78 million Biodiversity Grant Program involves managing multiple contracts for the Aboriginal Riverkeeper Teams and coordinating on ground works for member Councils. We have worked closely with Aboriginal community in the catchment to run events, do Aboriginal cultural heritage assessments, and engage the trainees. I am

grateful to the Aboriginal community for their support and improving our understanding of Aboriginal culture and ecological management.

The certification by the Minister of the Georges River Coastal Zone Management Plan was a significant achievement for member Councils and the Estuary management program. Councils have been implementing the recommended actions in the CZMP and three members were successful with their estuary management grant applications to the State Government.

The GRCCC communications and engagement activities saw the delivery of the Annual Report and Executive Summary, maintenance of the GRCCC website, the issue of numerous media releases and attraction of positive media attention. The GRCCC staff attended and co-ordinated numerous events and engagement activities including volunteer days and presentations helping to raise awareness on the importance of protecting the Georges River and raising the profile of the work of the GRCCC and its member Councils.

The GRCCC is grateful to our program partners and stakeholders as our partnerships provide a strong program base and add considerable value to our on ground environmental outcomes. A special mention goes to Corrective Services NSW for the ongoing successful partnership with our Riverkeeper program. This saw the removal of significant volumes of rubbish across the catchment and its prevention from entering the Georges River. Similarly, working with the Georges River Environment Education Centre on our Community River Health Monitoring program sees continual engagement of schools and students in the field, further educating the community on the value of the Georges River.

The GRCCC has also been proactive in advocating on behalf of our members, meeting with State and Federal Members of Parliament, making numerous submissions on issues of concern to members and influencing government strategic policy developments.

I thank the highly skilled and experienced team at the GRCCC including Tony Wales, Lisa Smith and Claire Evans (former River Health Coordinator) and now David Reid, whose hard work, dedication, and professionalism has resulted in the delivery of the on ground program outcomes we see. To all our members on the committee and community representatives, I thank you for your help and commitment to our programs. I would also like to acknowledge the hard work and commitment of the GRCCC's Executive Group, whom meet monthly including Cr Naji Peter Najjar (Chair- Bankstown City Council), Cr Peter Ristevski (Liverpool City Council - former Treasurer), Cr Peter Scaysbrook (Vice-Chair, Sutherland Shire Council), Clr Andrew Tsounis (Rockdale City Council- current Treasurer/Public Officer) and Alison Hanlon, host Council Manager Environmental Sustainability at Hurstville City Council. Their ongoing commitment and support to the GRCCC is invaluable as is the support of our current hosts Hurstville City Council whom have greatly assisted the GRCCC and I am grateful for their support. The GRCCC strong governance structure as an Incorporated Association, together with our ability to deliver on ground works and add considerable value to environmental outcomes on behalf of our members, will ensure we are resilient and able to adapt to any changes our member Councils may experience in the future as a result of the NSW Governments proposed restructure of local government in NSW.

Svetlana Kotevska GRCCC Program Manager

# GRCCC EXECUTIVE GROUP SUMMARY

The Executive Group are a dedicated team of of three member Councillors supported by the GRCCC Programs Manager and the Hurstville City Council host Manager. At the Annual General Meeting, nominations are sought from Councillors each year for three positions on the Executive Group including the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and Treasurer/Public officer.

During 2014-15, the Executive Group focused on delivery of the Committee's Management and Implementation Plan, and in particular the financial, business and operational management of the GRCCC. The group has worked hard to ensure the GRCCC continues to plan for and meet the long term strategic needs of the Committee's programs. The Executive also oversees issues such as staffing, financial and governance matters. A snapshot of each GRCCC Executive Group member over the year is highlighted below.

#### **COUNCILLOR NAJI PETER NAJJAR**

GRCCC Chairperson since 2012, Clr Najjar has been an active and committed member on the GRCCC Executive since 2009. Clr Najjar has acted in both Vice-Chairperson and Chairperson capacities. Clr Najjar is proactive on advocating for the protection of the Georges River on behalf of the GRCCC and its members. He is very supportive of the GRCCC efforts to showcase our important work to our members and the community at large to improve awareness of the Georges River for instance through our events and community engagement activities such as Clean Up Australia Day. Clr Najjar brings his experience as a member of several Council catchment groups to the GRCCC as he is a representative on a number of regional committees.

#### COUNCILLOR PETER SCAYSBROOK

Councillor Peter Scaysbrook has been an active member of the GRCCC Executive since 2012 as Vice-Chairperson. Clr Scaysrboork regularly provides advice and ideas at our monthly meetings to ensure the management and functioning of the GRCCC is effective and to ensure our advocacy efforts are targeted. Clr Scaysbrook solid commitment to the GRCCC ensures we operate in accordance with the Executive Terms of Reference and Code of Conduct. Clr Scaysbrook has also provided ongoing advice and support ensuring the GRCCC direction into the future remains strong and that the organisation is equipped with the resources and prepared for changes that may impact on our operations.

#### COUNCILLOR ANDREW TSOUNIS

Councillor Andrew Tsounis is the GRCCC newest member, in the role of Public Officer and Treasurer. He joined the Executive Group at the AGM on 30th October 2014 as he was keen to gain a more intimate understanding of the GRCCC programs and operations after meeting with the Executive at the monthly meetings that rotate across the catchment. Clr Tsonuis as Treasurer, provides regular bi-monthly Treasurer's reports to the committee; presents the Annual budgets and also assists with monitoring the GRCCC monthly financial statements. Clr Tsounis is proactive with advising the GRCCC on local environmental issues impacting the Georges River and has indicated he is impressed with the GRCCC good governance and financial management structure.



Cr Naji Peter Najjar Chairperson



Cr Peter Scaysbrook Vice Chairperson



Cr Andrew Isounis
Treasurer

#### **ALISON HANLON**

As the Hurstville City Council host Manager, and former GRCCC Program Manager, Ms Alison Hanlon has provided invaluable and ongoing advice and support to the GRCCC Program Manager. As a valued Executive Group member, Alison has helped to oversee the management and functions of the GRCCC between meetings by providing input and strategic advice. As host Council manager, she has supported the GRCCC on Assessment and Selection Panels for staff recruitment and contract procurement. Also Alison has actively been involved with the Executive and Committee ensuring good governance, accountability and transparency of decision making and providing regular input into reporting and budgetary matters as required by the Programs Manager.

#### SVETLANA KOTEVSKA

Svetlana Kotevska, Program Manager ensures the GRCCC operates in accordance with Association Incorporations Act 2009, the governance and financial management framework in place and also that the GRCCC core programs are delivered in accordance with our Grant milestones and Management and Implementation Plan. Svetlana has also engaged with numerous stakeholders, liaising with Council officers to improve our programs and develop partnerships and networks with other organisations. Svetlana also organises the Bi monthly Committee Meetings and monthly Executive Meetings, including presenters and monthly Financial Statements and Treasurer Reports; Estuary Management program report and Executive Outcome Report updates and advises of matters impacting the Georges River that the Committee can jointly lobby and advocate on and explores and applies for grant funding opportunities. Svetlana also prepares annual budgets, monitors the audited financial statements, prepares the Annual Report and Annual General Meetings; oversees the GRCCC programs including River Health and Riverkeeper programs and assists with Report Cards preparation and Program Cluster Technical Groups and manages the Steering Committees for the Biodiversity Grant fund.

Svetlana Kotevska GRCCC Program Manager

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# RIVERKEEPER **PROGRAM**

KEY RIVERKEEPER MILESTONES IN 2014 / 2015

Collection of 99.4 tonne of rubbish

169,280 m2 of bush regeneration in remnant bushland within the river

42,815 plantings

38,417 community volunteer hours

A total of 27.3 hours of community engagement via education and

Successful startup and delivery of the Clean Energy Future Biodiversity Fund grant project incorporating the Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team and related

Successful startup and delivery of three Green Army teams over two stages (Stage 1: October 2014 to March 2015 and Stage 2: April to September 2015)

substantial increase in labour resources tonne in 2013/2014 to 99.4 tonne in for the Riverkeeper Program. Additional 2014/2015, a 42% increase. resources have been added under the Australian Government's Clean Energy The majority of extra resource hours were Future Biodiversity Fund grant for the Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team and related

Total resource hours available to the Program in 2014/2015 totalled 39,695 hours compared to 17,812 hours in the previous year, a 123% increase year on year.

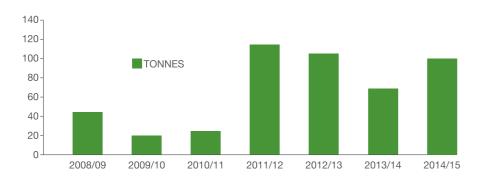
Army Teams.

The 2014/2015 year has seen a Rubbish Removal increased from 70.2

directed into bush regeneration activities with 13.2 hectares of primary weeding and contractors as well as three Green 3.8 hectares of maintenance weeding.

> For the fourth consecutive year the Riverkeeper Program has delivered rubbish collection results significantly above results in previous periods. Figure 1 below shows the annual rubbish collection for the six year period from 2008/09 to 2014/15.

Figure 1: Annual Riverkeeper Rubbish Collection (Tonnes) for Georges River Catchment ANNUAL RUBBISH COLLECTION





# RIVERKEEPER PROGRAM

Table 1 shows the allocation of Riverkeeper team resources (Corrective Services and Green Army) and the rubbish removal results for each local government area. A total of 99,432 kilograms was removed by the program using 19,481 hours.

Table 1: Rubbish Collection by Local Government Area RIVERKEEPER RUBBISH COLLECTION SUMMARY - BY LGA

ГСА	No. Allocated Days	Total Sites Visited	Volunteer Hours	Bags Collected	Bag Weight Kilograms	Extra Kilograms #	Total Kilograms	Downriver Waste Movement Reduction
Bankstown	48	231	2932	1063	15939	64	16003	55434
Campbelltown	35	183	2452	801	12015	1006	13081	0
Fairfield	57	242	3321	1205	18068	341	18409	37025
Hurstville	33	126	1691	408	6120	162	6282	71887
Kogarah	35	192	1838	430	6443	250	6693	78169
Liverpool	49	221	3270	1376	20640	3304	23944	13081
Rockdale	38	169	2088	499	7478	504	7982	84861
Sutherland	36	176	1811	427	6409	181	6590	78169
NPWS	0	0	79	26	390	60	450	
TOTAL	331	1540	19481	6233	93500	5932	99432	

# Extra Kilograms = large items that can't be bagged. Eg. Shopping trollys, crates, tyres and wheels, lounges, metal sheeting etc. Note: Each Council has an equal alloctaion of maximum hours per year of 4320 hours. The number of days allocated depends on which roster and where the roster falls during the month.

A list of rubbish collection work sites and bush regeneration sites are provided in

Through the Australian Government's Clean Energy Future Biodiversity Fund grant project (Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team and contractors) and the three Green Army teams significant resources were allocated to bush regeneration and related activities.









## RIVERKEEPER PROGRAM

Table 2 shows the allocation of teams and resources and bush regeneration results for each local government area. A total of 169,280 m2 (16.9 hectares) was worked by the program and 42,815 plants were installed from 20,214 hours.

Table 2: Bush Regeneration Summary by Local Government Area
RIVERKEEPER BUSH REGENERATION STATISTICS SUMMARY - BY LGA

			W	EED TR	EATMEN	NT		REVEGE	TATION	ОТН	ER
LGA	Resource Hours	Primary Weed Area m²	Maint Weed Area m²	Total Area Worked m²	Weeds Insitu m³	Weeds Existu m³	Total Weeds	No. Plants	Area Reveg m²	Area Mulched m²	Track Work (m)
Bankstown	1491.2	4380	36	4416	32.75	80.05	112.8	0	0	0	0
Campbelltown	2413.3	34030	800	34830	227.25	27.5	252.25	0	0	20	0
Fairfield	6315.6	15915	4200	20115	31.25	77.25	108.5	38960	12450	15400	0
Hurstville	1494.4	5422	0	5422	65.75	77.75	143.5	0	0	0	70
Kogarah	1795.4	5887	1055	6942	57	54.5	111.5	550	1500	360	0
Liverpool	2528.6	35042	18569	53611	396.25	8.25	404.5	0	0	0	0
Rockdale	1423.8	1134	2910	4044	69.5	7.25	76.75	3085	2100	770	0
Sutherland	2752.1	29460	10440	39900	364.75	51.25	416	220	600	0	0
TOTAL	20214.4	131270	38010	169280	1244.5	383.8	1625.8	42815	16650	16550	70

(i) Primary Weed Area: First time weeding of an area.

(ii) Maintanane Weed Area: Follow up weeding to remove weed species regrowth.
(iii) Weeds Insitu: Green waste left onsite as erosion control, mulch, habitat, etc. Low risk of vegetation reproduction.

iii) Weeds Insitu: Green waste left onsite as erosion control, mulch, habitat, etc. Low risk of vegetation reproduction v) Weeds Exsitu: Green waste removed from site due to high risk of plant regeneration and further weed infestation

(v) Track Work: Construction, maintenance, rehabilitation, erosion control, etc of bushland and walking tracks.

(vi) Bank Stabilisation: Foreshore, fordune and riparian works to reduce or prevent erosion.

Community engagement activities included Local Land Services "Source to Sea" program, a presentation to Padstow Rotary, participation in events such as Campbelltown Riverfest, National Tree Day, Clean Up Australia Day and the Smoking Ceremony to launch the Australian Government's Clean Energy Future Biodiversity Fund project and Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team.

Additional engagement included meetings with Federal and State Ministers and Local Aboriginal Land Councils.

Four councils (Bankstown, Hurstville, Kogarah and Liverpool) utilised the Riverkeeper boat for on water activities including foreshore compliance inspections, weed surveys, stormwater outlet inspections and rubbish collection at difficult to access locations.

# ESTUARY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

#### GEORGES RIVER COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT PLAN (CZMP)

The GRCZMP funded through the support of the NSW Governments Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) and seven participating member Councils, was certified by the Minister for Environment in March 2015 and was effective from July 2015 when it was published in the NSW Government Gazette.

This plan will guide member Councils actions to manage and improve the condition of the Georges River estuary over the next 5 -10 years. The plan encourages Councils along the river and Government agencies to work together towards the rehabilitation and protection of the Georges River. Each Council has been actively implementing the actions contained within the CZMP Action Plan. A number of Councils have applied for estuary management grant funding from the OEH in the last two rounds. Three members grant applications were successful in the 2013/14 Financial Year including Hurstville, Liverpool and Fairfield City Councils.

Liverpool City Councils bank stabilisation grant project has been completed and is pictured over the page. This involved addressing serious erosion and protecting the stormwater outlet at Jacqui Osmond Reserve on Cabramatta Creek, using sandstone rocks.

#### GRCCC INPUT INTO STRATEGIC POLICY DEVELOPMENTS

The GRCCC has been involved in numerous workshops over 2014-15 and has influenced strategic policy developments in order to further our objectives of protecting and improving the Georges river and estuary condition. This includes:

- OEH Coastal reforms workshops
- Sydney Water Council & Community workshops
- NSW Marine Estate Management Authority Surveys and Bioregion assessments
- National Adaptation & Climate Change Framework -climate adaptations
- Greater Sydney Local Land Services Local Government Advisory and Community Groups including the development of the GS LLS Strategic Plan which includes specific urban waterways objectives.









# ESTUARY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

#### **GRCCC ADVOCACY AND LOBBYING**

The GRCCC, on behalf of its member Councils has lobbied and made submissions on numerous policies and development proposals that have the potential to impact on our Georges River. This includes submissions on:

- The Rural Fire Services review of the 10/50 vegetation clearing bill where the GRCCC advocated to protect biodiversity in the catchment;
- A review of the Environmental Impact Statement for the Moorebank Intermodal Terminal –and a submission on our concerns relating to water quality and biodiversity impacts;
- The EPA Sydney Water license review
- Senate Stormwater Inquiry
- Letters to Environment Ministers on Yeramba Lagoon, Botany Bay dunes, Towra Point and environmental concerns relating to the Georges River generally
- Sydney Airport Corporation draft aviation toolkit

# GREATER SYDNEY LOCAL LAND SERVICES (GS LLS) - EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

The GRCCC Expression of Interest to the GS LLS for funding to restore and rehabilitate areas of bushland within the Georges River catchment was successful. The GRCCC will deliver this work over 2015-16 and develop a project brief and seek quotations from companies for a team of Aboriginal (preferred) bush regeneration contractors. The team will work at project sites identified by each of our eight participating GRCCC member Councils. The grant will provide our member councils with labour resources to meet one or more of the following criteria:

- i. Protecting Aboriginal Heritage sites; or
- ii. Protecting endangered and threatened fauna and flora species for example extending Koala foraging areas and corridors; Flying Foxes, or
- iii. Protecting endangered ecological communities; using standard bush regeneration practices e.g. weeding of noxious and environmental weeds, plantings, etc.

Svetlana Kotevska GRCCC Program Manager

# RIVER HEALTH MONITORING PROGRAM

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The Community River Health Monitoring Program assesses the ecological condition of waterways in the Georges River catchment at 48 monitoring sites. The River Health Program is fully funded by GRCCC Member Councils. The program continues to receive support from the community and industry stakeholders while analysing robust ecological data collected in the Georges River by technical staff, community volunteers and secondary students.

Milestones for 2014-15 include:

- Release of the 2013-14 River Health Report Card and Technical Report in October 2014. This Report Card shows results from monitoring across the Georges River catchment.
- Over 186 hours of direct community engagement, including three community open days.
- Participation in Youth Eco-Summit with partners, including Sydney Water, Cooks River Alliance and the Parramatta River Catchment Groups.
- Developing two project briefs/expressions of interest, assessing quotations and managing contracts for a Statistical Study and also assistance with estuarine and freshwater field monitoring.

The River Health Program also maintained and developed new partnerships with;

- The Georges River Environmental Education Centre (GREEC), with four schools across the catchment participating in the program, allowing 90 hours of direct engagement with students. Working with GREEC has allowed students and teachers from across the catchment to experience a day in the life of an environmental scientist and collect robust, ecological data from streams in their local area.
- The NSW Office of Environment and Heritage (OEH) to align monitoring of the Georges River estuary with state-wide methods, including adoption of sampling, data analysis and reporting protocols.
- The Cooks River Alliance by sharing the Statistical Study report results the GRCCC Commissioned, including the CRA contractor in the risk assessment and OEH estuary training, and also the GRCCC sharing data with and providing expertise to the CRA Catchment Monitoring group.
- Australian Museum through the Sydney Water funded citizen science program Streamwatch. Streamwatch is an established program, which has engaged the community in monitoring the ecological condition of streams (using water quality and macroinvertebrates) over 25 years at more than 600 sites across NSW.



### RIVER HEALTH MONITORING PROGRAM

In addition, other engagement activities include:-

- A GRCCC workshop at the SASS Professional Development day at Mount Pritchard High School in partnership with GREEC and Sydney Water. The workshop was designed to inform secondary school science staff on practical learning opportunities to educate students in science and catchment management. The workshop was attended by ~60 participants from Georges River catchment schools.
- A Presentation to the Parramatta River Catchment Group (PRCG) CZMP meeting held at Ashfield Council. The presentation talked about the evolution of the program, funding and future direction. The feedback from the presentation was that member councils are keen to see a common monitoring approach across catchment groups.

#### RIVER HEALTH REVIEW AND STATISTICAL STUDY IMPLEMENTATION

The GRCCC and Cooks River Alliance (the Alliance) commissioned a review of the River Health and RiverScience monitoring programs. The aim of the review was to provide recommendations for an effective and sustainable ecological monitoring program for the Georges and Cooks Rivers. The review report was delivered in June 2014. Member Councils agreed on the following vision statement for the Program:

'To be a primary means of engagement and collaboration for understanding and improving the ecosystem health of the Georges and Cooks Rivers flowing into Botany Bay'

Member councils also agreed that the Objectives of the Program should be:

- 1. Measure and document long-term changes in the ecosystem health of the Georges and Cooks River catchments.
- 2. Provide information on ecosystem health and pressures in the Georges and Cooks Rivers that can guide investment decisions.
- 3. Engage, empower and educate community members.
- 4. Increase government, industry and academic engagement and interaction with the Program.

Upon receiving the review report, GRCCC worked with Member Councils over two workshops (July and November, 2014) to determine the priorities for the River Health Monitoring Program and begin implementing recommendations from the report. It was agreed that a high priority was completing a statistical study to determine where and how often monitoring should occur to facilitate the collection of scientifically rigorous information to assess catchment condition. A report on the Spatial and Temporal Analysis of the River Health Monitoring Program was delivered in November 2014.

## RIVER HEALTH MONITORING PROGRAM

Based upon the recommendations from the review and statistical analysis reports, key changes to River Health program include;

- Reallocation of some sampling sites to improve representation across Georges River sub-catchments.
- Assessment of additional water quality variables (i.e., Ammonia-nitrogen and Total Reactive Phosphorus) to determine whether these aid in characterization of ecological condition.
- Habitat specific sampling of macroinvertebrates along edges to ensure consistency in collection methods between sites and samples.
- Family level macroinvertebrate identification to increase scientific rigour, provide more information on taxonomic diversity and align with similar Programs in other locations. Community open days have been decoupled from seasonal sampling periods to increase the potential for more community engagement in sampling events.
- Data collected on these days will also be used for calibration with past Report Cards and Quality Control.

The GRCCC thanks the former River Health Program Coordinator Ms Claire Evans for the program achievements over 2014-2015. Claire left the GRCCC at the end of March 2014 and her hard work has laid the foundations for the program improvements we will continue to implement.

David Reid River Health Program Coordinator (Commenced June 2015)









Aug 2014

Sept 2014

Nov 2014

Dec 2014

July 2014

Aug 2014

Sept 2014

# GRCCC COMMUNICATIONS & ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

The GRCCC organised and was involved in a number of communication and engagement activities over the year through its main project, Riverkeeper and River Health programs. The outputs delivered included:-

- Coordination and preparation of six media releases
- Ongoing maintenance of Georges River website www.georgesriver.org.au including Georges River, NSW Facebook page
- Speaking events, public presentations, workshops and attendance at Council events
- Coordinated release and media engagement of the River Health and Riverkeeper Report Cards, including stakeholder communications
- Development of volunteer recruitment for River Health, Riverkeeper events including posters/flyers and web, media releases

#### GRCCC COMMUNICATIONS & ENGAGEMENT OUTPUTS 2014-2015

#### Media Releases

GRCCC announces the launch of the Green Army Programme

GRCCC and Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team Project launch

River Health Report Card Release and call for Volunteers

Riverkeeper Report Card Released – 70 tonnes rubbish removed

Jan 2015 GRCCC demands improvements to the Georges River

Feb 2015 Green Army teams Round 1 restoration results

#### Presentations given by GRCCC Staff

Aug 2014 Padstow Rotary Presentation – Riverkeeper

Aug 2014 Liverpool City Council Aboriginal Advisory Committee - Program Manager

Aug 2014 Campbelltown City Council Aboriginal Advisory Committee - Program Manager

May 2015 Tharawal Local Aboriginal Land Council – Program Manager

GRCCC Involvement in Events, Trainings and Forums

SASS Professional Development Day at a High School with over 60 Participants

Riverfest, Campbelltown

Launch of Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team, including speeches by Federal MP, Mr Craig Kelly, LALC's, Aboriginal Smoking Ceremony, Dances and bbq

### GRCCC COMMUNICATIONS & FNGAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

GRCCC Website Analysis - www.georgesriver.org.au

Prepared by Svetlana Kotevska and Lisa Smith

1,796 page views over the last Financial Year, 1,532 users, and 97% new visitors.

Riversymposium Conference, Canberra	Sept 2014
Sydney Water Stormwater Managers Workshop	Oct 2014
Youth Eco Summit Workshop	Oct 2014
Georges River Environmental Education Centre – Rethink Runoff Year 10 Judging Competition	Nov 2014
Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team Community Day at Oatley Point sharing Traditional Ecological Knowledge with Aboriginal knowledge holder, CEO Metro LALC, Nathan Moran	Nov 2014
River Health Program Review – Cluster Meetings	July & Dec 2014
Biodiversity Fund Grant – LALCs and Project Steering Committee Meetings	July, Aug & Oct 201 & May 2015
Source to Sea Event with GS LLS, Landcare and Bushcare volunteers - Chipping Norton Lakes	May 2015
Wet Weather Overflow Workshop – Sydney Water	June 2015
Marine Estate Management Authority Workshop	June 2015
GRCCC Volunteer Days	
National Tree Day, Liverpool City Council	July 2014
River Health Sampling Days:  • With Georges River Environmental Education Centre • Community Open Days - Appin, Bankstown	Oct/Nov 2014 Oct/Nov '14 & Feb '
Clean up Australia Day, Georges River National Park (volunteers pictured)	March 2015
GRCCC Meetings with Federal and State Members of Parliament	
GRCCC Green Army Site, Carss Park, chosen by the Federal Government for the National Launch of Green Army Program, attended by the Prime Minister, Tony Abbott and Federal MP's in the Georges River catchment	Aug 2014
Member for East Hills, Glen Brookes	July 2014
Member for Banks, David Coleman	Sept 2014
Member for Banks, David Coleman Certificate of Congratulations Aboriginal Riverkeeper Team	Nov 2014
MP Glen Brookes (CS NSW Partnership event) with Attorney General & Minister for Justice, Brad Hazzard, celebrating The CS NSW Partnership at Vale of Ah Reserve, Milperra	Feb 2015

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 June 2015

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Statement by Members of the Committee For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the committee the financial report as set out on pages 2 to 10:

- Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of Georges River Combined Councils' Committee as at 30 June 2015 and its performance for the year ended on that date in accordance with accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements; and
- 2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Georges River Combined Councils' Committee will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee by:

Responsible Officer

Manager - Environmental Sustainability - Hurstville City Council - Alison Hanlon

Responsible Officer

Program Manager - GRCCC - Svetlana Kotevska

Date: 15 September 2015

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#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

	2015	2014
Revenue	\$	\$
Membership and Program fees	451,860	468,277
Operating Grants	713,000	300,490
Interest	20,021	17,088
Net Gain on Disposal of Assets	0	315
Other Revenue	0	100
Total Revenue	1,184,881	786,271
Expenses		
Employee benefits expense	(300,052)	(321,976)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(19,944)	(18,299)
Materials & Contracts	(608,884)	(430,032)
Other expenses	(23,740)	(134,966)
Total Expenses	(952,620)	(905,273)
Surplus / (deficit) before income tax	232,261	(119,002)
Income tax expense	0	0
Surplus / (deficit) for the year	232,261	(119,002)
Other comprehensive income:		
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	0	0
Total comprehensive income for the year	232,261	(119,002)

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Statement of Financial Position As at 30 June 2015

		2015	2014
	Note	\$	\$
ASSETS			
Current assets	0	700 005	504.005
Cash and cash equivalents Trade and other receivables	2	729,365 27,242	504,065 23,752
Other current assets	4	15,212	13,971
Total current assets	_	771,819	541,788
Non-current assets	_		
Property, plant and equipment	5	38,805	58,749
Total non-current assets		38,805	58,749
TOTAL ASSETS	_	810,624	600,537
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities			
Trade and Other Payables	6	49,177	11,146
Borrowings	7	0	54,251
Employee leave entitlement provision	8	21,550	26,978
Total current liabilities	_	70,727	92,375
Non-current liabilities			
Employee leave entitlement provision	8	6,699	7,227
Total Non-current liabilities		6,699	7,227
TOTAL LIABILITIES	_	77,426	99,602
NET ASSETS	_	733,198	500,937
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MEMBERS' FUNDS			
Accumulated surplus	_	733,198	500,937
TOTAL MEMBERS' FUNDS	_	733,198	500,937

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#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Statement of Changes in Equity For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

#### Statement of Changes in Equity

# For the Year Ended 30 June 2015 2015

	Accumulated surplus \$	Members' funds \$
Balance at 1 July 2014	500,937	500,937
Surplus / (deficit) for the year	232,261	232,261
Other comprehensive income for the year	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2015	733,198	733,198

	Accumulated surplus \$	Members' funds \$
Balance at 1 July 2013	619,939	619,939
Surplus / (deficit) for the year	(119,002)	(119,002)
Other comprehensive income for the year	0	0
Balance at 30 June 2014	500,937	500,937

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

	Note	2015 \$	2014 \$
CASH FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Membership and Program Fees		449,741	436,621
Operating grants receipts		713,000	300,490
Other receipts		25,872	83,111
Payments to suppliers and employees		(929,083)	(925,692)
Interest received		20,021	17,088
Net cash generated from /(used by) operating activities	9	279,551	(88,382)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:			
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment		0	14,909
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		0	(38,935)
Net cash generated from /(used by) investing activities	_	0	(24,026)
Net increase /(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents held		279,551	(112,408)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of financial year		449,814	562,222
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year	2	729,365	449,814

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 2014 - 2015

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Notes to the Financial Statemnets For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

#### **Statement of Significant Accounting Policies**

#### (a) General information

Georges River Combined Councils' Committee Inc. is an association incorporated under the Associations Incorporations Act 2009 of New South Wales and is domiciled in Australia.

The financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared to satisfy the financial report preparation requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 2009 of New South Wales. The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The following significant accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report.

#### (b) Property, Plant and Equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

#### Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment are measured on the cost basis.

#### Depreciation

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets, excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight line basis over their useful lives to the Group commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

The depreciation rates used for each class of depreciable assets are: Plant and Equipment 10% - 20%

The assets' residual values and useful lives are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each balance sheet date.

#### (c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held at call with banks, other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less, and bank overdrafts.

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

#### 1 Statement of Significant Accounting Policies continued

#### (d) Employee Benefits

Provision is made for the association's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to balance date and is measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled.

#### (e) Income Tax

The association is a not-for-profit institution and is exempt from income tax.

#### (f) Revenue

Interest revenue is recognised on a proportional basis taking into account the interest rates applicable to the financial assets.

Revenue from the rendering of services is recognised upon the delivery of the service to the customers

Grant and donation income is recognised when the entity obtains control over the funds, which is generally at the time of receipt.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST).

#### (g) Goods and Services Tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office. In these circumstances the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of an item of the expense. Receivables and payables in the statement of financial position are shown exclusive of GST.

#### (h) Comparative Figures

Comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to changes in presentation for the current financial year where required by accounting standards or as a result of a change in accounting policy.

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#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

	2015 \$	2014 \$
2 Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Cash at bank	9,586	0
Deposit	719,779	504,065
	729,365	504,065
Reconciliation of Cash		
Cash at the end of the financial year as shown in the cash flow statement is reconciled to items in the statement of financial position as follows:		
Cash and cash equivalents	729,365	504,065
Borrowings - Overdraft	0	(54,251)
	729,365	449,814
3 Trade and Other Receivables		
CURRENT		
Income Accruals	0	3,719
GST Claimable	27,242	20,033
	27,242	23,752
4 Other Assets		
CURRENT		
Prepayments	15,212	13,971
	15,212	13,971

#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

		2015 \$	2014 \$
5	Property Plant and Equipment		
	Plant and equipment		
	At cost	139,156	139,156
	Less: accumulated depreciation	100,351	80,407
	Total plant and equipment	38,805	58,749
	Total property, plant and equipment	38,805	58,749
	Movements in Carrying Amounts		
		Plant and Equipment \$	Total \$
	Current Year		
	Balance at the beginning of 1 July 2014	58,749	58,749
	Depreciation expense	(19,944)	(19,944)
	Carrying amount at the end of 30 June 2015	38,805	38,805
	Prior Year Balance at the beginning of 1 July 2013 Additions	52,707 38,935	52,707 38,935
	Disposals Depreciation expense	(14,594) (18,299)	(14,594) (18,299)
	Carrying amount at the end of 30 June 2014	58,749	58,749
6	Trade and Other Payables CURRENT Trade payables	31,708	1,106
	Sundry payables and accrued expenses	17,469	10,040
		49,177	11,146
7	Borrowings		
	CURRENT		
	Overdraft	0	54,251
		0	54,251

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#### GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

ABN 18 246 792 704 Notes to the Financial Statements For the Year Ended 30 June 2015

		2015 \$	2014
8	Provisions		
	CURRENT Employee benefits NON CURRENT	21,550	26,978
	Employee benefits	6,699	7,227
		28,249	34,205
9	Cash Flow Information  Cash Flow from Operations with Profit/(Deficit) after Income Tax  Surplus/(deficit) for the year	232,261	(119,002)
	Cash flows excluded from profit attributable to operating activities:  Non-cash flows in profit:		
	Depreciation	19,944	18,299
	Changes in assets and liabilities, net of the effects of purchase and disposal of subsidiaries:		
	(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(3,490)	27,603
	(Increase)/decrease in prepayments	(1,241)	(11,846)
	(Decrease)/increase in trade payables and accruals	38,032	(7,984)
	(Decrease)/Increase in provisions	(5,955)	4,864
		279,551	(88,382)

#### STATEMENT BY MEMBERS

ANNUAL STATEMENTS GIVE TRUE AND FAIR VIEW OF THE FINANCIAL POSITION AND PERFORMANCE

We, Svettana Kotevska and, All Son Hanlon being members of the committee of Georges River Combined Councils Committee Inc. certify that -

The statements attached to this certificate give a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of Georges River Combined Councils Committee Inc. during and at the end of the financial year of the association ending on 30 June 2015.

Signature:

Date:

Signature:

Date: 15 -9.7015

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF GEORGES RIVER COMBINED COUNCILS' COMMITTEE INC

#### Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report, being a special purpose financial report, of Georges River Combined Councils' Committee Inc (the association), which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2015, the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information, and the statement by the members of the committee.

#### Committee's Responsibility for the Financial Report

The committee of Georges River Combined Councils' Committee Inc is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report, and has determined that the basis of preparation described in Note I is appropriate to meet the requirements of the NSW Associations Incorporation Act 2009 and is appropriate to meet the needs of the members. The committee's responsibility also includes such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Those standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the association's preparation and fair presentation of the financial report, in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the association's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the committee, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Opinio

In our opinion, the financial report gives a true and fair view of the financial position of Georges River Combined Councils' Committee Inc as at 30 June 2015 and of its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note I to the financial statements, and the requirements of the NSW Associations Incorporation Act 2009.

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Basis of Accounting and Restriction on Distribution

Without modifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note I to the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist Georges River Combined Councils' Committee Inc to meet the requirements of the NSW Associations Incorporation Act 2009. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose.

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Partner

Registered company auditor: #345850

Dated at Sydney this 7th day of October 2015

# **APPENDICES**

# APPENDIX A GRCCC REPRESENTATION ON PARTNER PROGRAMS

The GRCCC partners with a number of organisations to deliver its on ground works and also works and collaborates with multiple agencies on behalf of member Councils to ensure our programs are current, include the latest research and represent industry best-practise including:-

- Office of Environment and Heritage and National Parks and Wildlife Services' –
  provision of Riverkeeper premises and on ground work collaboration including
  estuaries and catchment science team on monitoring and field work
- Sydney Water the Georges River Improvement Plan and Council workshops
- Department of Corrective Services Riverkeeper Program
- Department of Education and Communities Georges River Environment Education Centre River Health program and schools engagement
- Local Aboriginal Land Councils and Councils Aboriginal advisory groups Biodiversity Fund Grant program
- Australian Museum River Health program
- Cooks River Alliance, Parramatta River Catchment Group and Sydney Coastal Councils Group—events, information sharing and capacity building
- Greater Sydney Local Land Services Local Government and Community advisory groups
- National Adaptation and Climate Change Framework climate adaptation workshops

### APPENDIX B

# APPENDIX B GRCCC MEETINGS 2014-15 AND MEMBER COUNCIL REPRESENTATION

Meetings of the GRCCC were held bi-monthly with the location rotating between member Councils. During 2014 -2015 meetings were held on the following dates:

- 28 August 2014 at Fairfield City Council
- 30 October 2014 at Hurstville City Council Annual General Meeting
- 26 February 2015 at Liverpool City Council (Casula Powerhouse)
- 30 April 2015 at Rockdale City Council
- 25 June 2015 at Campbelltown City Council

The GRCCC Executive Group meets monthly and met on the following dates across the catchment with representative member Councillors invited to attend:

- 9 July 2014 Sutherland LGA
- 13 August 2014 Fairfield LGA
- 10 September 2014 Rockdale LGA
- 12 November 2014 Kogarah LGA
- 18 February 2015 Liverpool LGA
- 18 March 2015 Kogarah LGA
- 15 April 2015 Rockdale LGA
- 20 May 2015 Kogarah LGA
- 17 June 2015 Sutherland LGA



### APPENDIX B

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MEMBER COUNCIL REPRESENTATION AT GRCCC MEETINGS 2014 - 15

	Aug 2014	Oct 2014	Feb 2015	April 2015	June 2015
HOST COUNCIL	Fairfield	Hurstville	Liverpool	Rockdale	Campbelltown
Bankstown					
Councillor	Χ	X	X	X	Х
Staff	X	X	X	X	X
Campbelltown					
Councillor		X			X
Staff	Χ	X	X		X
Fairfield					
Councillor	Χ	X	X		
Staff	Χ	Χ	X	X	X
Hurstville					
Councillor					
Staff		Χ	Χ	X	X
Kogarah					
Councillor					
Staff		Χ	Χ		
Liverpool					
Councillor		Χ	X	X	
Staff	Χ	Χ	X	X	X
Rockdale					
Councillor	Χ	X	X	X	X
Staff		Χ	X	X	X
Sutherland					
Councillor	Χ	X		X	X
Staff		Χ	X	X	X
Wollondilly					
Councillor		X	X	X	X
Staff	Χ		X	X	

### APPENDIX C

#### APPENDIX C ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS 30 OCTOBER 2014 AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The following members of the GRCCC were elected as office bearers at the Annual General Meeting at Hurstville City Council:

Chairperson: Cr Naji Peter Najjar (Bankstown City Council)

Vice Chairperson: Cr Peter Scaysbrook (Sutherland Shire Council)

Public Officer / Treasurer: Cr Andrew Tsounis (Rockdale City Council)

#### 2014-15 HOSTING OF THE GRCCC: HURSTVILLE CITY COUNCIL

The GRCCC would like to express its sincere thanks to Hurstville City Council for the tremendous support provided during the 2014-2015 period. In particular, we would like to thank Hurstville Council Host Manager Alison Hanlon, Manager Environmental Sustainability who has provided valuable support and advice to the GRCCC. The GRCCC would also like to thank the Hurstville Council financial accounts team including Mr Sikendar Bilal and Ms Rindayi Matienga for their regular support and advice, Ms Sana Geadah – Manager Contracts, Mr Rob Formica – Fleet Manager as well as the payroll, works depot, human resources and Information Technology teams at Hurstville City Council for your assistance to the GRCCC and ongoing support.

### APPENDIX D

# APPENDIX D GRCCC MEMBER COUNCILS

#### Bankstown City Council

Cr Naji Peter Najjar, Member
Mr James Carey, Manager
Ms Robyn Young, Technical Officer
Ms Rebecca Bell, Technical Officer
Ms Emily Forrest, Team Leader
Ms Vandana Ram, Bankstown Arts
Ms Cherie Blackburn, Technical Officer
Mr Paul Angel, Technical Officer
Mr Colin Brennan, Technical Officer

#### Campbelltown City Council

Cr George Greiss, Member
Ms Renee Winsor, Manager
Mr Mitchell Clark, Technical Officer
Mr Michael Rhydderch, Technical Officer
Mr Roy Morizzi, Technical Officer

#### Fairfield City Council

Cr Del Bennett, Member
Cr Dai Le, Member
Cr George Barcha, Member
Mr Stuart Rodham, Manager
Mr Erin Sellers, Manager
Ms Helen Pollard, Technical Officer
Mr Eddie Ferry, Technical Officer
Mr Neil Ramsay, Technical Officer
Mr Scott Reyes, Technical Officer
Mr Tim Johnson, Technical Officer
Mr Darren Ikin. Technical Officer

#### **Hurstville City Council**

Cr Philip Sansom, Member
Cr Michele Stevens, Member
Cr Rita Kastanias, Member
Cr Con Hindi, Member
Mr Rob Casey, Manager
Ms Alison Hanlon, Manager
Ms Samantha Watkins, Technical Officer
Ms Mimy Wang, Technical Officer
Ms Kathryn Godfrey, Technical Officer
Ms Heather Stolle, Technical Officer

#### Kogarah City Council

Cr George Katsabaris, Member Cr Nick Katris, Member Mr Glen Moody, Manager Mr Tom Heath, Technical Officer

#### **Liverpool City Council**

Cr Peter Ristevski, Member

Cr Peter Harle, Member
Mr Arvind Lal, Manager
Mr Joel Daniels, Technical Officer
Ms Belinda Hodges, Technical Officer
Mr Albert Galleta, Manager
Mr Kevin Smith, Manager
Ms Sonya Reyes, Manager
Ms Billians Isyanavia, Technical Officer

#### Rockdale City Council

Cr Andrew Tsounis, Member Cr Joe Awada, Member Mr David Dekel, Manager Ms Alexandra Vandine, Manager Mr Adam Smith, Technical Officer Mr Colin Mable, Manager

#### **Sutherland Shire Council**

Cr Peter Scaysbrook, Member
Cr Tom Croucher, Member
Mr Ian Drinnan, Manager
Mr Gwyn Cleeves, Manager
Mr Brendon Graham, Manager
Mr Guy Amos, Manager
Ms Beth Noel, Technical Officer
Mr Paul Price, Bushcare Coordinator
Ms Julie Nimmo, Technical Officer
Ms Tegan Yasserie, Technical Officer
Ms Shelly Read, Technical Officer
Mr Kevin Seymour, Technical Officer

#### Wollondilly Shire Council

Cr Michael Banasik, Member Mr Brad Staggs, Manager Ms Alexandra Stengl, Technical Officer Ms Alex Burgess-Buxton, Technical Officer Mr Damien Stirling, Technical Officer Mr David Henry, Technical Officer

### APPENDIX E

#### APPENDIX E PARTNERS AND NETWORKS

#### National Parks & Wildlife Service

Mr Andres Bianchi Mr Barry Hodgson Mr Kane Weeks Mr Dean kelly

#### **NSW Department of**

# Primary Industries Ms Carla Ganassin

Ms Kylie Russell

#### Parramatta River Catchment Group

Ms Sarah Clift

#### Oceanwatch Australia

Mr Simon Rowe

### Sydney Water

Ms Liz Minor
Mr Fernando Ortega
Mr Reid Butler
Mr Phil Birtles
Ms Kaia Hodge
Mr Daniel Cunningham
Mr Rodney Kerr

#### **NSW Corrective Services**

Ms Donna Shaw Ms Lacey McMillan Ms Josie Dayag Mr Richard Anwaya

#### Office of Environment and Heritage

Mr Gus Pelosi Mr Aaron Wright Ms Rebecca Swanson Ms Jan Miller Mr Peter Scanes

#### **Cooks River Alliance**

Mr Chris Hudson Ms Jasmine Payget Ms Cath Renwick

# NSW Department of Education and Communities

Ms Tristen Vella – Georges River Environmental Education Centre Mr Garth James – Georges River Environmental Education Centre

# Local Aboriginal Land Councils (LALC)

Mr Ivan Simon – Gandangara

Mr Lew Solberg – Gandangara
Mr Brad Maybury – Gandangara
Mr Allan Murray – Metro
Mr Nathan Moran – CEO Metro
Mr Lee Davidson – Metro
Ms Megan Ely – CEO Tharawal
Ms Abbi Whillock - Tharawal
Mr Chris Ingrey – CEO La Perouse
Ms Corinne Ladel – La Perouse
Mr Kevin Cavanagh – Deerubbin

#### **Community Representatives**

Ms Sharyn Cullis – Georges River

Environmental Alliance

Catchment Alliance

Mr Peter Tralaggan – Georges River Environmental Alliance

Ms Dawn Emerson – Past GRCCC President

 $\mbox{Mr}$  Brian  $\mbox{Shaw}$  – Botany Bay &

Catchment Alliance

Mr Charles Green - Botany Bay &

Ms Signe Westerberg – Upper Georges

River Sustainability Initiative

Ms Melina Amerasinghe – Lower
Georges River Sustainability Initiative

Mr Kim Wagstaff – Friends of Oatley

Ms Anne Wagstaff – Friends of Oatley

### APPENDIX E

#### **GRCCC Staff**

Ms Svetlana Kotevska, GRCCC Program Manager Mr Tony Wales, Riverkeeper Coordinator Ms Claire Evans, River Health Coordinator (former) Mr David Reid, River Health Coordinator Ms Lisa Smith

#### **NSW Maritime Division**

Mr Graeme Dunlavie

#### **Greater Sydney Local Land Services**

Ms Karen Kennedy Mr Mike Keegan Ms Nerida Gill Ms Margaret Bottrell Ms Linda Dedovic Mr Koshy Varghese Mr Robert Adams

#### GRCCC Presenters to Committee Meetings 2014/2015

Daniela Santucci, Bankstown City Council Steve Frost, CRC Water Sensitive Cities Chris Lloyd, (Powerful Owls expert) Giselle Howard, NSW EPA Alexandra Vandine, Rockdale Council Dr Cameron Webb (Ross River Virus expert) Mr Reid Butler, Sydney Water Svetlana Kotevska, GRCCC Tony Wales, GRCCC

### APPENDIX F

#### **APPENDIX F GRCCC PROGRAM CLUSTER MEMBERS**

#### **ESTUARY MANAGEMENT CLUSTER**

**Sutherland Shire Council** Gwyn Cleeves Guy Amos

**Hurstville City Council** Alison Hanlon Kathy Godfrey

**GRCCC Program Manager** Svetlana Kotevska

**Bankstown City Council** 

Rebecca Bell Cherie Blackburn Kogarah City Council

Tom Heath Glen Moody

Alex Vandine

**Liverpool City Council** Maruf Hussain Joel Daniels Kevin Smith

**Rockdale City Council** Adam Smith

**Fairfield City Council** 

Scott Reyes Erin Sellers

GRCCC Tony Wales

**NSW Office of Environment &** Heritage Gus Pelosi

## APPENDIX F

#### RIVER HEALTH MONITORING PROGRAM

**Bankstown City Council** Rebecca Bell

Robyn Young

Campbelltown City Council

Michael Rhydderch Renee Winsor Roy Morizzi

**Fairfield City Council** 

Scott Reyes

**Hurstville City Council** Alison Hanlon

Mimy Wang Kathy Godfrey Kogarah City Council

Tom Heath

**Liverpool City Council** Joel Daniels

**Rockdale City Council** Alexandra Vandine Adam Smith

**Sutherland Shire Council** 

Beth Noel Tegan Yasserie

**Wollondilly Shire Council** Damion Stirling Alex Stengl

**Georges River** Environmental **Education Centre** Sharyn Cullis Tristan Vella

**Sydney Water** Liz Minor

**GRCCC Program** Manager Svetlana Kotevska

**GRCCC River Health Coordinator** Claire Evans

#### RIVERKEEPER PROGRAM CLUSTER

Bankstown City Council

Rebecca Bell

Campbelltown City Council

Mitchell Johnson Renee Winsor

Fairfield City Council

Tim Johnson Nicole Thomas

**Hurstville City Council** 

Kathy Godfrey Alison Hanlon

Kogarah City Council

Tom Heath

**Liverpool City Council** 

Joel Daniels

Rockdale City Council

Alexandra Vandine Adam Smith

**Sutherland Shire Council** Paul Price

Kevin Seymour

Wollondilly Shire Council Brad Staggs

GRCCC

Tony Wales

**GRCCC Program** Manager Svetlana Kotevska

**CS NSW** 

Lacey McMillan Donna Shaw Josie Dayag Richard Anwava Field Officers

**Greater Sydney Local Land Services** Margaret Bottrell

National Parks & Wildlife Service Barry Hodgson

#### **GRCCC MEDIA CLUSTER**

Bankstown City Council

Chantelle Dalla-Bona Casli Mehmed

Campbelltown City Council

Peta Gismondo

**Fairfield City Council** 

Morgan Downs

Hurstville City Council Tanva Abraham

Anthea Desmond-Gregory

Kogarah City Council

Eva Papas Rebecca Dalton **Liverpool City Council** 

Fiona Lelilo

Rockdale City Council Richard Price

**Sutherland Shire Council** 

Karen Lord

**Wollondilly Shire** Council Joanne Down

**GRCCC Program** Manager Svetlana Kotevska

### APPENDIX G

#### APPENDIX G RIVERKEEPER PROGRAM WORK SITES

#### **BANKSTOWN LGA**

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

TOTAL RUBBISH: 16,003 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 2,931.5

- Alan Ashton Reserve, Picnic Point (187.5 kg)
- Bill Delauney Reserve Wetlands, Revesby (532.5 kg)
- Bridge Street Reserve Mangroves, Padstow (552.5kg)
- Centaur Street Wetlands, Revesby (240 kg)
- Deepwater Forest & Mangroves, Milperra (1,307 kg)
- Deepwater Park Wetlands, Milperra (750 kg)
- Deepwater Parkland Foreshore, Milperra (887 kg)
- East Hills Reserve, Cook Crescent, East Hills (180 kg)
- East Hills Reserve Foreshore, East Hills (735 kg)
- Garrison Point, Georges Hall (502.5 kg)
- Gordon Parker Reserve, Milperra (429 kg)
- Gow Street, Padstow (397.5 kg)
- Kelso Beach Foreshore, Milperra (607.5 kg)
- Kelso Creek North, Milperra (172.5)
- Kentucky Reserve, Georges Hall (2,265 kg)
- Lambeth & Picnic Point Reserves (870 kg)
- Little Salt Pan Creek, Padstow (292.5 kg)
- Mirrambeena Reserve, Georges Hall (150 kg)
- Monash Reserve, East Hills (450 kg)
- Morgans Creek, Revesby (330 kg)
- Salt Pan Reserve, Revesby (2,295 kg)
- Stuart Street Reserve Mangroves, Padstow (997.5 kg)
- Vale of Ah, Milperra (307.5 kg)
- Virginius Reserve Mangroves, Padstow (565 kg)

#### BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 2

#### TOTAL AREA WORKED: 4.416 m<sup>2</sup>

Morgans Creek, Revesby 2,266 m²
 Virginius Reserve, Padstow 2,150 m²

#### **CAMPBELLTOWN LGA**

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

TOTAL RUBBISH: 13,081 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 2,451.5

- Bow Bowing Creek, Airds Road, Leumeah (1,145 kg)
- Bow Bowing Park GPT (1,590 kg)
- Cleopatra Reserve, Ambarvale (800 kg)
- Eagle Farm Reserve, Eagle Vale (95 kg
- Fisher's Ghost Creek, The Parkway, Bradbury (525 kg)
- Karinya Reserve, Raby (150 kg)
- Lower Mansfield Creek, St Helens Park (360 kg)

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- Mansfield Creek, GPT, St Helens Park (885 kg)
- Marysfield Reserve, Blair Athol (292.5 kg)
- Mount Erin Drive, Blair Athol (405 kg)
- Park Central, Campbelltown (1,800 kg)
- Pembroke Park, Pembroke Road, Minto (240 kg)
- Quirk Reserve, Bradbury (90 kg)
- Redfern Creek, Ingleburn (1,265 kg)
- Rose Park, Ben Lomond Road, Minto (556 kg)
- Spring Creek, St Helens Park (240 kg)
- St Andrews Park, St Andrews (502.5)
- St Helens Park GPT, St Helens Park (2,140 kg)

#### BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 6 TOTAL AREA WORKED: 34,830 m<sup>2</sup>

Eaglefarm Reserve, Eagle Vale
Mansfield Creek, St Helens Park
Panorama Reserve, Glenfield
Quirk Reserve, Bradbury
Redfern Creek, Ingleburn
Spring Creek, St Helens Park
19,800 m²
20 m²
1,000 m²
860 m²
10,550 m²

#### **FAIRFIELD LGA**

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 18,408.5 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 3,321.4

- Allambie Road Reserve, Edensor Park (855 kg)
- Artie Street, Carramar (90 kg)
- Baragoola Crescent, West Fairfield (277.5 kg)
- Blackford Street, Fairfield East (255 kg)
- Bosnjak Park, Edensor Park (330 kg)
- Chifley Street, Smithfield (345 kg)
- Christie Street Wetlands, Prairiewood (627.5 kg)
- Clarevale Wetlands, Busby Avenue, Edensor Park (652.5 kg)
- Cutler Road Foreshore, Lansvale (2,230 kg)
- Devenish Street, Greenfield Park (608.5 kg)
- Floyd Bay Foreshore, Lansvale (945 kg)
- Flying Fox Reserve, (15 kg)
- Hanson Street, Fairfield East (435 kg)
- Hassall Street, Wetherill Park (435 kg)
- Herston Road Ponds, St Johns Park (360 kg)
- Horton Street & Hamel Road, Mount Pritchard (630 kg)
- Howard Park, Lansvale (670 kg)
- Joe Broad Reserve, Mount Pritchard (457.5 kg)
- Johnston Park, Canley Vale (510 kg)
- Kookaburra Park, Canley vale (150 kg)
- Landon Street, Fairfield East (645 kg)
- Malta Street, Fairfield East (330 kg)
- Market Street, Smithfield (307.5 kg)
- Parkes Reserve, Canley Vale (285 kg)
- Parklea Parade, Canley Heights (627.5 kg)

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Johnston Park, Canley Vale



Sherwin Park, Canley Vale

- Prince Park, Canley Vale (480 kg)
- Prout Park, Oliphant Street, Mount Pritchard (472.5 kg)
- Rhondda Street, Smithfield (457.5)
- Rosford Street Reserve, Smithfield (1305 kg)
- Shearer Park, Lansvale (2,110 kg)
- Sherwin Park, Canley Vale (75 kg)
- Smithfield Road, Bonnyrigg (435 kg)

#### **BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 4**

- Flying Fox Reserve, Cabramatta
- Johnston Park, Canley Vale
- Sherwin Park, Canley Vale

#### TOTAL AREA WORKED: 20,015 m<sup>2</sup>

- 135 m<sup>2</sup>
- 9,000 m<sup>2</sup> including 17,000 plants
- Kookaburra Park, Canley Vale 700 m<sup>2</sup>
- 10,180 m<sup>2</sup> including 21,800 plants

#### HURSTVILLE LGA

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 6,282 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 1,691

- Banksia Place, Lugarno (110 kg)
- Basil Street Reserve, Riverwood (637.5 kg)
- Blackbutt Avenue, Lugarno (552.5 kg)
- Coleridge Road, Riverwood (632.5 kg)
- Cypress Drive, Lugarno (1240 kg)
- Edith Bav. Lugarno (45 kg)
- Gannons Park, Peakhurst (45 kg)
- Gannons Reserve, Peakhurst Heights (85 kg)
- Harvey Dixon Reserve Foreshore, Peakhurst (1,562 kg)
- Lime Kiln Bay, Jinna Road, Peakhurst Heights (60 kg)
- Myles Dunphy, Oatley (15 kg)
- Oatley Park Baths (45 kg)
- Salt Pan Creek Bridge, Peakhurst (937.5 kg)
- William Road, Riverwood (315 kg)

#### **BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 2**

#### TOTAL AREA WORKED: 5,422 m<sup>2</sup>

Gannons Park, Peakhurst Heights Myles Dunphy Reserve, Oatley

1472 m<sup>2</sup> 3950 m<sup>2</sup>

Banksia Place, Lugarno -70 m of trackwork completed

#### **KOGARAH LGA**

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 6692.5 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 1,838

- Baldface Point Reserve, Blakehurst (220 kg)
- Claydon Reserve, Sans Souci (2795 kg)
- Connells Point Reserve, Connells Point (133.25 kg)
- Donnelly Park, Kyle Bay (218.75)
- Dover Park, Blakehurst (337.5 kg)
- Kogarah Bay Foreshore, Kogarah Bay (656.5 kg)

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- Kyle Bay Foreshore, Kyle Bay (399.5)
- Neverfail Bay, Oatley (225 kg)
- Oatley Bay Boat Ramp, Hurstville Grove (247.5 kg)
- Oatley Bay Pleasure Grounds, Oatley (142.5 kg)
- Poulton Park Mangroves, Morshead Drive, Connells Point (754.5 kg)
- Sans Souci Park, Sans Souci (427.5 kg)
- Shipwrights Bay, Blakehurst (135 kg)

#### **BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 4** TOTAL AREA WORKED: 6,942 m<sup>2</sup>

Baldface Point Reserve, Blakehurst 580 m<sup>2</sup> Oatley Point Reserve, Oatley 2.500 m<sup>2</sup> Poulton Park, Hurstville Grove 1,565 m<sup>2</sup> Shipwrights Bay, Blakehurst 2,297 m<sup>2</sup>

#### LIVERPOOL LGA

#### **RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES**

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 23,944 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 3,270

- Airfield Drive, Len Waters Estate (3,092 kg)
- Amalfi Park, Lurnea (135 kg)
- Angle Park, Chipping Norton (1,132.5 kg)
- Anzac Creek, Warwick Farm (715 kg)
- Ash Road, Prestons (4,005 kg)
- Bedwell Park, West Hoxton (352,5 kg)
- Blackmuscat Park, Chipping Norton (360 kg)
- Brickmakers Creek, Hume Highway, Liverpool (405 kg)
- Bulgagong Island, Chipping Norton Lake (700 kg)
- Cecil Hills Lakes, Cecil Hills (502.5 kg)
- Clinches Pond, Moorebank (472.5 kg)
- Collimore Park, Liverpool (705 kg)
- Davy Robinson Park, Chipping Norton (165 kg)
- Freeman Oval & Boom, Warwick Farm (45 kg)
- Gandangarra Island, Lake Moore, Moorebank (100 kg)
- Haigh Park, Lake Moore, Moorebank (1.012 kg)
- Harvard Reserve, Prestons (352.5 kg)
- Heron Park, Chipping Norton (795 kg)
- Homestead Park, Chipping Norton (1,335 kg)
- Hoxton Park Reserve, Hoxton Park (637.5 kg)
- Kelso Crescent, Moorebank (495 kg)
- Mawson Drive, Cartwright (330 kg)
- Maxwells Creek, Hill Road, Lurnea (1,005 kg)
- Maxwells Creek, Hoxton Park Road, Liverpool (322.5 kg)
- Maxwells Creek, Lyn Parade, Prestons (967.50 kg)
- Maxwells Creek, Willan Road, Cartwright (120 kg)
- McMillan Park, Chipping Norton (352.5 kg)
- Newbridge Road Bridge, Chipping Norton (780 kg)
- Paciullo Park, Liverpool (240 kg)
- Quota Park, Chipping Norton (127.5 kg)
- Riverside Road Bushland Edge, Chipping Norton (1,760 kg)

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- Stroud Park, Warwick Farm (230 kg)
- Willan Drive Floodway, Cartwright (195 kg)

#### BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 2

#### TOTAL AREA WORKED: 53,611 m<sup>2</sup>

- Riverside Park, Chipping Norton
- 51,726 m<sup>2</sup>
- Stroud Park, Chipping Norton 1,885 m<sup>2</sup>



Sandringham Foredune, Sans Souci

#### ROCKDALE LGA

### RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 7,981.5 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 2,088

- Airport Beach, Kyeemagh (315 kg)
- Bath Street to President Ave, Monterey (470 kg)
- Bicentennial Park, Rockdale (646.5 kg)
- Burlington Street, Riparian Area, Monterey (155 kg)
- Captain Cook Bridge Northside, Sans Souci (917 kg)
- Dolls Point Foreshore, Dolls Point (382.5 kg)
- Hawthorne Street Reserve, Ramsgate (70 kg)
- Henson Street to Bestic Street, Brighton Le Sands (741 kg)
- Kyeemagh Beach, Kyeemagh (1,626.5 kg)
- Monterey St Riparian Area, Monterey (165 kg)
- President Ave to Brighton Baths, Brighton Le Sands (307.5 kg)
- Riverside Drive Foreshore & Scott Park, Sandringham (1,340.5 kg)
- Tonbridge Creek, Ramsgate (845 kg)

#### BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 2 TOTAL AREA WORKED: 4,044 m<sup>2</sup>

- Hawthorne Street Reserve, Ramsgate 4,044 m²
   Dolls Point Foredune, Dolls Point 2,400 plants
   Sandringham Foredune, Sans Souci 1,000 plants
- SUTHERLAND LGA

#### RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES

#### TOTAL RUBBISH: 6,589 kgs TOTAL HOURS: 1,811

- Albert De Lardes Reserve, Illawong (47 kg)
- Balboa Avenue, Kurnell (450 kg)
- Bonna Point Reserve, Kurnell (1,042.5 kg)
- Bonnet Bay Boat Ramp (67.5 kg)
- Bonnet Bay Reserve & Burnum Burnum Reserve, Bonnet Bay (37.5 kg)
- Captain Cook Bridge, Southside (195 kg)
- Carina Bay Reserve, Como (15 kg)
- Carina Creek, Como (15 kg)
- Green Point Reserve, Oyster Bay (75 kg)
- Gwawley Oval, Taren Point (262.5 kg)
- Heritage Oyster Farm, Taren Point (279.5 kg)
- Holt Point Place (145 kg)
- Honeysuckle Reserve, Jannali (105 kg)
- Horning Street Saltmarsh, Kurnell (70 kg)

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- Lakewood City Reserve, Bonnet By (120 kg)
- Mangrove Boardwalk, Woolooware (382.5 kg)
- Marton Park, Kurnell (167.5 kg)
- Oyster Creek Estuary, Oyster Bay (67.5 kg)
- Port Hacking Road Reserve, Sylvania Waters (404.5 kg)
- Production Road, Taren Point (382.5 kg)
- Shorebird Reserve & Mangroves, Taren Point (290 kg)
- Silver Beach, Kurnell (517.5 kg)
- Solander Playing Field Mangroves, Woolooware (228.75 kg)
- Taren Point Reserve, Taren Point (150 kg)
- Tasman Street, Kurnell (90kg)
- Woolooware Bay Cycleway North, Taren Point (60 kg)
- Woolooware Bay Cycleway South, Taren Point (922.5 kg)

#### BUSH REGENERATION SITES: 4 TOTAL AREA WORKED: 39,900 m<sup>2</sup>

Albert De Lardes Reserve, Illawong 1,400 m<sup>2</sup>

Burnum Burnum Reserve, Bonnet Bay 11,000 m<sup>2</sup>
Carina Creek, Como 21,000 m<sup>2</sup>

• Green Point Reserve, Oyster Bay 6,500 m<sup>2</sup>

#### GEORGES RIVER NATIONAL PARK

#### RUBBISH COLLECTION WORK SITES

TOTAL RUBBISH: 450kgs

Mickeys Point, Georges River National Park (450 kgs) – Clean up Australia Day