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MTW5.1 By 2016 floodplain management plans incorporate provisions to protect streams, instream habitat and riparian corridors.

MTW5.2 By 2012 local councils have incorporated and implemented provisions in their revised Local Environmental Plans, Development Control Plans and related codes and policies that promote WSUD and other practices that reduce the impact of stormwater on the environmental values of waterways.

MTW5.3 By 2016 best practice stormwater management and WSUD practices are adopted and applied by all councils. Local councils are provided with information, tools and capacity building programs to support improved stormwater management and WSUD programs.

MTW5.4 By 2010 support the implementation of the Metropolitan Water Plan provisions that directly benefit local catchments including stormwater harvesting and reuse.

MTW5.5 By 2009 the communications strategies for the surface and ground water sharing plans for the Greater Metropolitan Region have been delivered with the support of the SMCMA.

Aquifers

MTW4.1 By 2016 the average annual extraction of groundwater is at or below the long term average annual extraction limit.

MTW4.2 By 2016 the species abundance and diversity of groundwater dependent ecosystems has been maintained or improved.

MTW4.3 By 2016 the water quality of groundwater systems has attained a standard supportive of designated beneficial uses.

Estuaries

MTECM1.1 By 2016 the threats posed by marine pests have been reduced.

MTECM1.4 By 2016 new instream and foreshore structures are designed and constructed in an ecologically sensitive manner.

MTECM1.5 By 2016 the condition of estuaries and coastal lake systems will be maintained or improved through development and implementation of natural resource management plans (including estuary management plans).

MTECM1.10 By 2016 the extent, condition and connectivity of estuarine vegetation is maintained and/or improved by facilitating the protection and rehabilitation of estuarine vegetation at high priority sites.

Coast and Marine

MTECM2.1 By 2016 all vegetation in dune areas on public land is rehabilitated to reduce weed cover by 20% from the June 2007 baseline.

MTECM2.2 By 2016 institutional and technical processes are in place to achieve environmentally sustainable management of beach environs.

MTECM2.3 By 2016 active management will protect or improve key estuarine and marine habitat areas in partnership with relevant authorities and user groups.

MTECM2.4 By 2016 there is an increase in the extent of Marine Protected areas.

MTECM2.5 By 2016 the Sydney coastline is covered by a Coastline Management Plan.

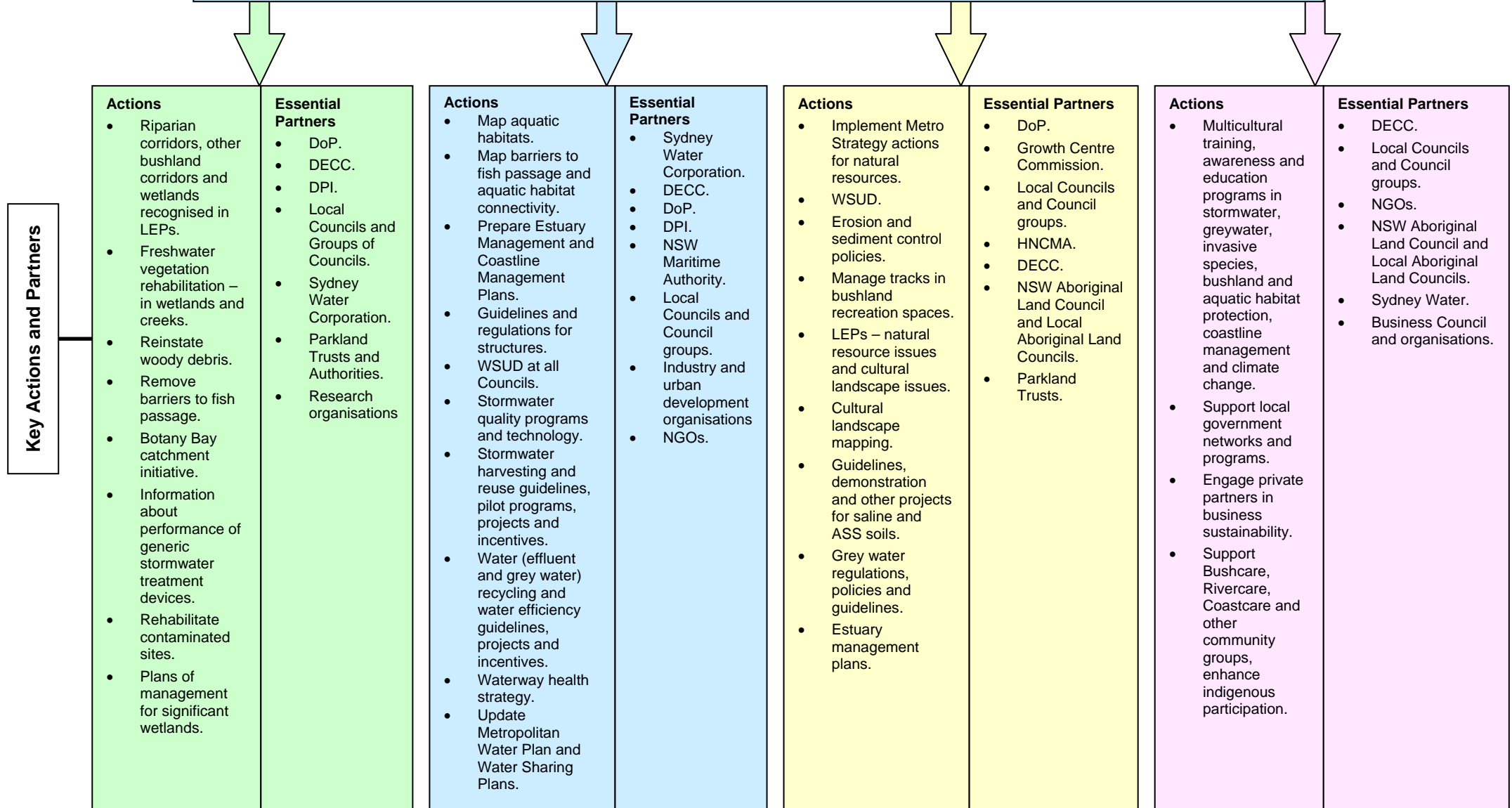


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