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Kurrajong Reserve Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Survey Report.

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This report is to certify that the lands known as the following have



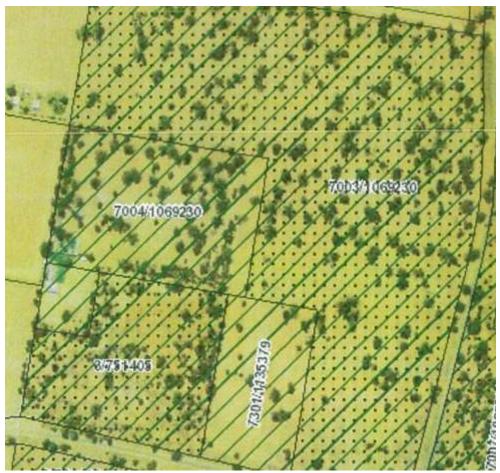
been duly surveyed for any Aboriginal Cultural Heritage matters.

Lot 3 Dp 751405

Lot 7301 Dp 1135379

Lot 179 Dp 751405

Lot 7004 Dp 1069230



These lands were found to hold no cultural sites or artefacts within the Lots & Dps areas described above, however the lands, **Lot 7003 Dp 1069230**, immediately adjoining these allotment (outside of the reserve managed by Riverina ScoutsNSW) has a number of scarred canoe trees which indicates a high degree of occupation and usage. These Lots are also immediately north of Kurrajong Lagoon which undoubtedly was connected to the Murrumbidgee River in time passed. In times of flood the Lagoon is replenished and acted aa a large food source for the Woqqa Woqqa and Gumly Gumly clans of the Great Nation of Wiradjuri.

Prior to any large scale or major earth disturbance I would recommend the engagement with a suitable archeologist to undertake a full Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) in particular the assessment should include the use of test pits. This assumption is based on the presence of water, scarred trees and elevated land to the north and east of the surveyed land. This assumption does not extend to construction of small scale dwelling or sheds. The construction of sheds or the extension of sheds should not require the services of a suitable qualified Archeologist to carry out a full ACHA report or the digging of any test pits.

Given the high occupation of lands by the Wiradjuri Tribal Nation from Wagga Wagga, Oura and Wantabagery with significant areas such as Eunonyhareenyha (emu sanctuary) Bomen Lagoon and Bomen Axe Quarry, Declared Aboriginal Places present it is with caution that I declare that no Aboriginal cultural sites or artefacts are presence in or on the lands described below.

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