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Executive Summary

Heritage Now Pty Ltd was engaged by McCloy Project Management Pty Ltd to undertake an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report to support a Planning Proposal for proposed rezoning, subdivision and subsequent residential development.

The Project Area is located at 39-41 Brocklesby Road, Medowie, and is approximately 5 hectares in size. It comprises Lot 2 DP508780 and Lots 300-301 DP625002, and is freehold land. The Project Area is located approximately 23km north-east of Newcastle in the Port Stephens Local Government Area and within the Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council boundaries.

A search of the Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System did not identify any previously registered sites within the Project Area or its vicinity. Predictive modelling identified that as the Project Area is not within 300m of wetlands or fresh water it was unlikely to have been a place of intensive occupation and was more likely to have been subject to very low intensity use for hunting or gathering resources or for transitory movement.

The Project Area was surveyed on Friday 17 March 2023 by Sarah Mané and Kyle Howie (Heritage Consultants from Heritage Now), with Jamie Merrick (Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council), Bec Young (Mur-Roo-Ma Inc.), and Rachel Davis (Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd).

No Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified within the Project Area. As a result, there are no impacts to Aboriginal cultural values as a result of the proposed works. The works may proceed, with the following precautionary recommendations:

Recommendation 1

All on-site personnel are to be made aware of their obligations under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NSW). This includes protection of Aboriginal sites and the reporting of any new Aboriginal, or suspected Aboriginal heritage sites. This may be done through an on-site induction or other suitable format.

Recommendation 2

In the unlikely event that Aboriginal, or suspected Aboriginal archaeological material is uncovered during the development, then works in that area are to stop and the area is to be cordoned off. The Project Manager is to contact the Heritage Consultant to make an assessment as to whether the material is classed as Aboriginal object/s under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NSW) and advise on the required management and mitigation measures. Works are not to recommence in the cordoned off area until heritage clearance is given and/or the required management and mitigation measures have been implemented.

Recommendation 3

In the very unlikely event that human remains, or suspected human remains are uncovered during the development, then works in that area are to stop and the area is to be cordoned off. The Project Manager is to contact the NSW Police to establish whether the area is a crime scene. If it is not a crime scene, and the remains are determined to be Aboriginal ancestral remains, then Heritage NSW is to be notified via the Environment Line on 131 555 and management measures are to be devised

in consultation with the local Aboriginal community. Works are not to recommence in the area until the management measures have been implemented.

Acronyms and Definitions

Acronym/Term	Definition
Aboriginal object	Aboriginal object means any deposit, object or material evidence (not being a handicraft made for sale) relating to the Aboriginal habitation of the area that comprises New South Wales, being habitation before or concurrent with (or both) the occupation of that area by persons of non-Aboriginal extraction, and includes Aboriginal remains (as per <i>NPW Act 1974</i>).
Aboriginal place	Any place declared to be an Aboriginal place under Section 84 of the <i>NPW Act</i> .
AHIMS	Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (register for Aboriginal sites in NSW)
AHIP	Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (as per <i>NPW Act 1974</i>)
A Horizon	The top layer of mineral soil in a soil profile. It is usually broken into A ₁ and A ₂ soils, with the former tending to have a relatively high dark organic content, while the latter is paler.
B Horizon	The B horizon underlies the A horizon of a soil profile, and is generally a high-clay content soil.
DECCW	Department of Environment, Climate Change and Water, NSW (became the Office of Environment and Heritage in 2011, a role now assumed by Heritage NSW).
DP	Deposited Plan
DTDB	Digital Topographic Database (NSW)
EP&A Act	Environmental Planning and Assessment Act (1979)
ESD	Ecologically Sustainable Development
GPS	Global Positioning System
HLRV	Historical Land Records Viewer
Holocene	Geological epoch (period) typically defined as the time period that commenced approximately 11,700 years ago and is the current period of geological time. This period is generally warmer and wetter than the preceding Pleistocene period.
In situ	In situ, Latin for “in the place”, refers to an artefact that has not been moved from its original resting place or the place where it was deposited.
LALC	Local Aboriginal Land Council (Land Council under the Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983)
LEP	Local Environmental Plan

Acronym/Term	Definition
LGA	Local Government Area
OEH	Office of Environment and Heritage, NSW (Now Heritage NSW)
m	Metric metres
Non-perennial	In terms of waterways, it means a waterway that is usually partially or fully dry for part of the year.
NPW Act	National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974
PAD	Potential Archaeological Deposit
Perennial	In terms of waterway, it means a waterway that has year-round water.
Pleistocene	Geological epoch (period) is typically defined as the time period that commenced approximately 2.6 million years ago and lasted until approximately 11,700 years ago. This period spans the world's recent period of repeated glaciations. The late Pleistocene, in which humans began occupying Australia, is generally colder and dryer than the Holocene.
RAPs	Registered Aboriginal Parties (Aboriginal organisations and individuals who were consulted for the Project following Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents)
SIX Maps	Spatial Information Exchange (NSW government portal holding a range of spatial and property data)

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1 Introduction

Heritage Now Pty Ltd (Heritage Now) was engaged by McCloy Project Management Pty Ltd to undertake an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) report to support a Planning Proposal for proposed rezoning, subdivision and subsequent residential development.

This report is a combination of an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) and an Archaeological Report (AR)¹ as per Heritage NSW guidelines. The key objectives of this assessment are to identify cultural heritage values through consultation with Registered Aboriginal Parties (RAPs), and provide recommendations to manage and protect Aboriginal objects and values identified during the assessment.

1.1 Project Area

The Project Area is located approximately 23km north-east of Newcastle in the Port Stephens Local Government Area and within the Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council (LALC) boundaries (Figure 1- Figure 2). The Project Area is located at 39-41 Brocklesby Road, Medowie, and is approximately 5 hectares in size. It comprises Lot 2 DP508780 and Lots 300-301 DP625002, and is freehold land.



Figure 1. The Project Area in a regional context. (Source: Six Maps with Heritage Now additions)

¹ Although it is recommended in the *Code of Practice* that an Archaeological Report should be a stand-alone technical report, due to test excavation not occurring, a combined report is assessed as appropriate for this project. The technical aspect of the report, documenting the archaeological survey, is found in Section 5.



Figure 2. The Project Area. (Source: Six Maps with Heritage Now additions)

1.2 Overview of Project Proposal

The planning proposal will seek to rezone 39, 39A and 41 Brocklesby Road, Medowie as follows:

- Rezone RU2 – Rural Landscape to R2 – Low Density Residential,
- Reduce the Minimum Lot Size from 2ha to 350m², and
- Identify the site as an Urban Release Area (URA).

1.3 Project Methodology

This ACHA report was prepared in accordance with, but not limited to, the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974, the National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2019 and the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979. The following guidelines and codes of practice have been used in preparing this ACHA report:

- Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW (OEH 2011)
- Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010 (DECCW 2010a).
- Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (DECCW 2010b)

In accordance with the guidelines this report has outlined:

- The Project Area and proposed activity (project proposal) (Section 1.2 and 7.1)
- The Aboriginal consultation process (Section 3 and Appendix 1),
- Relevant background information (Section 4.1 and 4.2),
- An assessment of cultural heritage values (Section 6),
- An impact assessment, including consideration of avoidance and/or mitigating harm (Section 7), and

- Recommendations (Section 8).

1.4 Authorship and Copyright

This report was produced by the Heritage Now team. The report was written by Tiffany Jones (Heritage Consultant) and Sarah Mané (Heritage Consultant), with input from Joven Sanchez (Heritage Officer). Technical input and quality review was provided by Jenna Weston, Senior Heritage Consultant at Heritage Now.

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2 Legislative Context

This section provides an outline of the Acts, Regulations and guidelines under which this assessment was undertaken. It is for information purposes only and should not be taken as legal advice.

2.1 Native Title Act 1993 (Cth)

The Native Title Act 1993 recognises and protects the native title rights and interests of Aboriginal people and Torres Strait Islanders. The Act established the National Native Title Tribunal as an independent body to administer native title claims. It also authorises the making and registration of Indigenous Land Use Agreements about the use and management of land or waters.

A search of the National Native Title Tribunal registers of native title information was undertaken on 9 March 2023. There are no relevant entries for the Project Area on the Register of Native Title Claims, National Native Title Register, or Register of Indigenous Land Use Agreements.

2.2 National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974

The National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NPW Act) contains provisions for protecting Aboriginal objects and declared Aboriginal Places in NSW. An Aboriginal object is defined as:

...any deposit, object or material evidence (not being a handicraft made for sale) relating to the Aboriginal habitation of the area that comprises New South Wales, being habitation before or concurrent with (or both) the occupation of that area by persons of non-Aboriginal extraction, and includes Aboriginal remains.

An Aboriginal Place is an area of land that “is or was of special significance with respect to Aboriginal culture”, and is recognised by a declaration published in the Government Gazette by the Minister for Environment and Heritage.

Under Section 86 of the NPW Act, it is an offence to harm (destroy, deface or damage) or desecrate an Aboriginal object or an Aboriginal Place. The definition of harm includes moving an object from the land on which it is situated. The NPW Act sets out tiered strict liability offences and penalties for harming or desecrating Aboriginal objects or places.

Under Section 87, there are certain defences to the offence of harm. These include that harm was carried out under an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit (AHIP); that due diligence was exercised to determine if an action would harm an Aboriginal object; or that an activity was prescribed by the National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2019 as being low impact.

Under Section 89A, an Aboriginal object must be reported to Heritage NSW within a reasonable timeframe unless they have previously been recorded and submitted to the Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS).

2.2.1 National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2019

This Regulation provides a framework for exercising due diligence and outlines codes of practice in respect to Aboriginal objects (Section 57), as well as defences for carrying out certain low-impact activities (Section 58). The Regulation also outlines requirements for Aboriginal consultation (Section 60), particularly in relation to an Aboriginal Heritage Impact Permit. Under the Regulation, the following codes of practice are recognised, amongst others:

- Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (DECCW 2010c),
- NSW Minerals Industry Due Diligence Code of Practice for the Protection of Aboriginal Objects (NSW Minerals Council 2010), *and*
- Code of Practice for Archaeological Investigation of Aboriginal Objects in NSW (DECCW 2010b).

2.3 Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983

This Act provides land rights to Aboriginal people through the Local Aboriginal Land Councils. It details a process for claiming unused Crown land in NSW and for enabling land use. It also allows for agreements to permit traditional hunting, fishing and gathering. The Office of the Registrar, Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983 (NSW) (ORALRA), registers land claims and maintains the Register of Aboriginal Land Claims and Register of Aboriginal Owners.

The Project Area is not Crown land and cannot be subject to a claim under this Act.

2.4 Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979

The Environmental Planning and Assessment (EP&A) Act provides triggers for undertaking environmental and heritage assessments as part of the wider land-use planning framework. This Act has three main parts of direct relevance to Aboriginal cultural heritage: Part 3, which governs the preparation of planning instruments; Part 4, which relates to development assessment provisions for local government (consent) authorities; and Part 5, which relates to activity approvals by governing (determining) authorities. Planning decisions within Local Government Areas (LGAs) are guided by Local Environmental Plans (LEPs). Each LGA is required to develop and maintain an LEP that includes Aboriginal and historical heritage items which are protected under the EP&A Act and the NPW Act.

The Project Area is located within the Port Stephens LGA and falls under the Port Stephens LEP.

2.4.1 Port Stephens Local Environmental Plan 2013

The Port Stephens LEP 2013 requires development consent to demolish, disturb, excavate or develop land on which an Aboriginal object is located or that is within an Aboriginal place of significance. Council must consider the effect of a proposal on an Aboriginal Place and any Aboriginal object located within an area of works. Council must inform the local Aboriginal community about the application where impacts to Aboriginal cultural heritage may occur. Protected heritage under the LEP is listed in Schedule 5.

There are no Aboriginal sites or objects of heritage significance in the Project Area listed on the LEP.

3 Aboriginal Consultation

This section documents the Aboriginal consultation that was undertaken for the project in accordance with the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* (OEH, formerly DECCW 2010b) and will be referred to as the 'Aboriginal Consultation Requirements'. The four stages of Aboriginal consultation were undertaken and additional documentation is available in Appendix 1.

3.1 Stage 1

In accordance with Stage 1 of the Aboriginal Consultation Requirements, requests for information on knowledge holders were sent to the Heritage NSW Office, the Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council, the Office of the Registrar, Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983, Native Title Services, the Port Stephens Council and the Hunter office of Local Land Services. The National Native Title Tribunal only accepts searches of Crown land for Aboriginal knowledge holders. There is no Crown land in the Project Area.

Based on information collected from government agencies, expressions of interest were sent to the knowledge holders inviting them to become a Registered Aboriginal Party for the project on 18 February 2023.

A public notice was placed in the Port Stephens Examiner local newspaper on 16 February 2023.

As a result of the expressions of interest invitations and the public notice, 11 Aboriginal representatives nominated to become Registered Aboriginal Parties (RAPs) for the Project (Table 1).

Table 1. List of RAPs consulted for the Project.

Organisation/Individual	Representative Name/s
Kawul Pty Ltd trading as Wonn1 Sites	Arthur Fletcher
Didge Ngunawal Clan	Paul Boyd & Lilly Carroll
Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd	Leonard Anderson OAM
Murra Bidgee Mullangari Aboriginal Corporation	Darleen Johnson-Carroll
Gomery Cultural Consultants	David Horton
Confidential RAP 1	Confidential RAP 1
Karuah Indigenous Company	David Feeney
Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated	David Ahoy
A1 Indigenous Services	Carolyn Hickey
Mur-Roo-Ma Inc.	Anthony Anderson / Bec Young
Worimi Traditional Owners Indigenous Corporation	Candy Lee Towers

3.2 Stages 2 and 3

In accordance with Stages 2 and 3 of the consultation process, details of the project and the assessment methodology were sent out to the RAPs and opportunities for feedback were provided, as summarised in Table 2. Opportunities for feedback were also provided during the fieldwork.

Table 2. Responses to assessment methodology and project information from RAPs, and responses (when relevant) by Heritage Now.

Organisation/Individual and representative name	Comment	Heritage Now response
Didge Ngunawal Clan (Paul Boyd)	9/3/2023 Email - Are happy with the methodology	Noted.
Kawul Pty Ltd trading as Wonn1 Sites (Arthur Fletcher)	9/3/2023 Email - Email received	Noted.
Karuah Indigenous Company (David Feeney)	9/3/2023 Email - Thankful for the update	Noted.
Murra Bidgee Mullangari Aboriginal Corporation (Darleen Johnson)	16/3/2023 Email – Endorses the recommendations made	Noted.
A1 Indigenous Services (Carolyn Hickey)	19/3/2023 Email – Supports the information and methodology	Noted.

3.3 Stage 4

The draft report was sent to the Registered Aboriginal Parties on 7 April 2023, with 28 days provided for comment.

Table 3 summarises comments from RAPs and shows Heritage Now responses (when relevant). A full record of correspondence can be found in the Aboriginal Community Consultation Log (Appendix 1).

Table 3. A summary of comments received for the draft Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Report, and the responses of Heritage Now.

Organisation/Individual and representative name	Comment	Heritage Now response
Kawul Pty Ltd trading as Wonn1 Sites (Arthur Fletcher)	7/4/2023 Email - Approves the report and is thankful for the information.	Noted.
Gomery Cultural Consultants (David Horton)	9/4/2023 Email – Said that he agrees with the report, and that since there were objects and artefacts found, he recommends conducting a survey/test excavation to capture the extent of sites.	2/5/2023 Email – clarified that no objects/artefacts/sites, intact soils or potential archaeological deposits were identified during the survey (as mentioned in Section 5.2 of the report), and so test excavation hasn't been recommended.
Confidential RAP 1	21/4/2023 Email – Responded that they agree with the document.	Noted.

Organisation/Individual and representative name	Comment	Heritage Now response
Karuah Indigenous Company (David Feeney)	26/4/2023 Email – “In recommendation 2, if any ground works or excavation works happen, we the RAPs should be there so that the project can keep moving on.”	No Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified in the Project Area. In the event of unexpected finds being identified, an unexpected finds procedure has been provided in recommendation 2. If impacts to unexpected finds cannot be avoided, RAPs will be consulted regarding management and mitigation measures.
Mur-Roo-Ma Inc. (Anthony Anderson & Bec Young)	1/5/2023 Email – “Murrooma Incorporated has read and fully understands the draft Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report for the proposed project. We agree with all aspects of this report and have viewed the draft conclusions/recommendations section 8. Murrooma would like to comment on agreeing with the non-identification of sites and this was a true and accurate assessment of our field survey. We appreciate that the knocking down of the mature trees has been highlighted in this report and Murrooma do not understand how this was complete prior to our heritage survey as evidence of large trees that could have been used for resources in the area. The recommendations within this draft ACHA report meet our requirements as Traditional Owners and knowledge holders of this area and maintain the protection and best options for our local Aboriginal sites.”	Noted.

3.4 Summary

As a result of the Aboriginal consultation process, 11 Registered Aboriginal Parties were identified. Feedback from the Aboriginal consultation was incorporated into the assessment of significance and the development of heritage management and mitigation strategies for the Project.

4 Environmental and Heritage Context

4.1 Environmental Context

This section provides the environmental context for the assessment of past Aboriginal occupation in the Project Area.

4.1.1 Geology and Soils

The Project Area is located within one class of geological formations: the Tomago Coal Measures, consisting of shale, mudstone, sandstone, coal, tuff and clay (Gorbet and Chestnut 1975). Suitable quality sandstone in this region could provide natural sandstone exposures suitable for grinding axes and other stone artefacts.

The Project Area is located across the Medowie soil landscape (Figure 3), which is residual and comprises gently undulating low hills on relict sediments in the Medowie Lowlands region, with very broad, flat crests and long, gently inclining side-slopes (slopes 2-15%, elevation 30-70m). This soil landscape is expected to consist of 30-60cm of brown fine sandy clay loam (A horizon), overlying yellowish brown pedal clay (B horizon) (Department of Planning, Industry & Environment (DPIE) 2022). Archaeological deposits within duplex soils are generally limited to A horizon soils, as B horizon soils often predate human occupation (Hughes, Spooner, and Questiaux 2014, 36). Furthermore, B horizon clay soils (or bedrock) form a compact barrier through which artefacts typically do not penetrate. Therefore, if the Medowie soils have not been subject to erosion or stripping, and depending on the landform upon which they are located and in consideration of surrounding archaeological indicators, they are likely to consist of 60cm of potential artefact bearing deposit.



Figure 3. Soil landscapes of the Project Area and surrounding region. (Source: Soil Landscapes based on DPIE 2022, topography from NSW DTDB and SIX Maps aerial with Heritage Now additions)

4.1.2 Topography, Hydrology and Landforms

The topography, hydrology and landforms of the Project Area provide information on the likelihood and nature of past Aboriginal occupation.

Access to fresh water is known to have been a primary consideration for Aboriginal people when establishing a suitable camp location. Studies from the Hunter Valley (Peter Kuskie and Kamminga 2000; Peter Kuskie 2015a) demonstrate that areas within 300m of wetlands and fresh water are considered to have been ideal locations for camping and focused occupation (i.e., repeated visits, visits of longer duration). Conversely, areas further than 300m from wetlands and/or water sources were outside the primary or secondary resource zones and are considered likely to only have had low to very low intensity use for hunting and/or gathering during the course of the normal daily round, or for transitory movement.

The Project Area is located on side-slopes between two hills and has an elevation of 30m. There is a 3rd order, non-perennial waterbody approximately 1.5km east of the Project Area, which forms part of Moffats Swamp. This unnamed waterbody flows into the perennial estuarine Saltwater Creek approximately 4km east, which flows into Port Stephens. The Project Area is also situated approximately 2km north-east from Campvale Swamp.

4.1.3 Flora and Fauna

This section is intended to give a general overview of the flora and fauna that may have been used by Aboriginal people in the past. The information is supplied for understanding the past Aboriginal use of the landscape and is not intended for ecological assessment purposes.

Past Aboriginal people are likely to have encountered vegetation similar to the Sydney Coastal Dry Sclerophyll Forests in the Project Area. This vegetation class contains open eucalypt forests and woodlands 10-25m tall with a prominent and diverse sclerophyll shrub understorey and ground cover of sclerophyll sedges. Canopy trees include Sydney red gum and red bloodwood. In gullies, Sydney peppermint, old-man banksia and Christmas bush may also be present. Ridges may also have brown stringybark, broad-leaved and narrow-leaved scribbly gum and silvertop ash. Shrubs include flax-leaved and sunshine wattle, hairpin banksia, wallum heath, waxflower, grey and pink spider flower, broad-leaved hakea and drumsticks, mountain devil, prickly broom-heath, broad-leaved and pine-leaved geebung, heath phyllota and grass trees. The grassy layers include bushy clubmoss and leafy purple flag.

Of these flora, old man and hairpin banksia, broad-leaved geebung and grass trees are known to have been used by Aboriginal people, as well as attracting animals which could be hunted. Some of these species would have been used as raw materials for implements and weaving, as well as food and medicine. Geebung, for instance, has known antiseptic properties and some varieties produce edible fruit (Robinson 1991, 100). The broad-leaved geebung has edible fruit as well as seeds. The juice and flesh of unripe fruit were used for treating burns, scratches and rashes. The ripe fruit on the ground also attracted possums, bandicoots and wallabies (Caton and Hardwick 2018, 337).

The nectar of the flowers of old-man and hairpin banksia were used as a sweetener and the dried flowers used to strain water. The flowers also attracted parrots, bandicoots and possums, which were often hunted in the vicinity of the trees. The seeds were edible, and grubs beneath the bark provided a source of protein. The cones were used to carry fire as they smoulder for long periods (Caton and Hardwick 2018, 46,122). The nectar of mountain devil was used as a sweetener and areas

with mountain devil were good for hunting reptiles who were attracted to insects feeding on the nectar (Caton and Hardwick 2018, 335).

Grass trees had multiple uses. The leaf bases were edible, along with the immature seeds and flowers, the terminal bud and rhizomes. The tree resin was used as an adhesive, including attaching stone barbs to spears. The flower stems were used as spear shafts, particularly for fishing spears. The leaves were used as cutting tools, as well as for basket weaving (Caton and Hardwick 2018, 129).

These forests and heaths provide the habitat for wallabies, kangaroos, potoroos, possums, bats and quolls. These faunae could have provided a source of food and their hides could be used as a resource to make clothing.

4.1.4 Land Use

Land is disturbed if it has been the subject of human activity that has changed the land's surface, being changes that remain clear and observable. Examples include ploughing, construction of rural infrastructure, roads, trails and tracks, vegetation clearance, construction of buildings, structures and utilities and other impacts involving earthworks (DECCW 2010c, 18).

Parish maps indicate that the land where the Project Area is situated was originally owned by Richard Windeyer, and show how close the Project Area is to both Moffats Swamp and Campvale Swamp (Figure 4).

A series of historic aerials between 1954 and 2001 show a change in land use and development within the Project Area, as well as its surrounds. In a 1954 aerial (Figure 5), there is only one building, possibly a residential dwelling, with a driveway within the Project Area, located on Lot 301 in the approximate position of the building currently on this lot. This aerial also shows portions of cleared land on the east and western portions of the Project Area for agricultural use, possibly orchard or plantation trees. An aerial from 1966 (Figure 6) shows more land cleared on the eastern portion, and the orchard/plantation trees only in the western portion of the Project Area. There is also a rectangular patch of land located behind the pre-existing building, which appears to be cleared of turf. In the 1974 aerial (Figure 7), multiple buildings are visible within the Area. In Lot 2, there is a building located on the eastern edge of the remaining pre-existing dense vegetation, which is in the same position as the current residential house. There is also a small building (possibly a shed) on the southern edge of the Project Area, and another to the west of the dense vegetation. All buildings have access tracks or driveways. Orchard/plantation trees are spread across the southern portion of the Area (Lots 300 and 301), with some also in Lot 2. In the 1984 aerial (Figure 8), there is a residential building on Lot 300 and an outbuilding (possibly a shed) in the western portion of this Lot. The small building west of the dense vegetation in Lot 2 is no longer there. Orchard/plantation trees are only seen in the western section of Lot 301. In the 1993 aerial (Figure 9), there are more buildings in Lot 301, near the pre-existing dwelling. There also appears to be a swimming pool next to the residential building on Lot 2. There is planted vegetation around the perimeter of Lot 2, which define the Lot's boundary. The majority of land within the Project Area is cleared, except for the pre-existing dense vegetation in the middle of Lot 2. Orchard/plantation trees are only visible in Lot 2, with a large group in the west of the Lot, a thin strip west of the dense vegetation, and another thin strip east of the residential building. The 1998 aerial reflects what the Project Area looks like today (Figure 10). Both residential buildings on Lot 300 and 301 have been extended, and the orchard/plantation trees in the west of Lot 2 have become dense vegetation.

Currently, the Project Area contains several buildings, and has areas of dense vegetation, similar to what is seen in the 1998 aerial. While coal mining is known to have occurred in the general area, mining does not appear to have occurred within the Project Area itself.

The planting and removal of orchard/plantation trees, the construction and demolition of the buildings shown in the historic aerals, and construction of the current buildings and installation of associated services (including water and sewer, telecommunications and electricity) is likely to have had an impact on the archaeology of the Project Area. It is unknown whether any of the buildings had basements, and there is a pool located on Lot 2. However, as there was no mining conducted within the Project Area and there is a remaining area of dense vegetation, it is possible that any subsurface deposits may not have been greatly disturbed. The degree of disturbance was further examined during the visual inspection (Section 5).

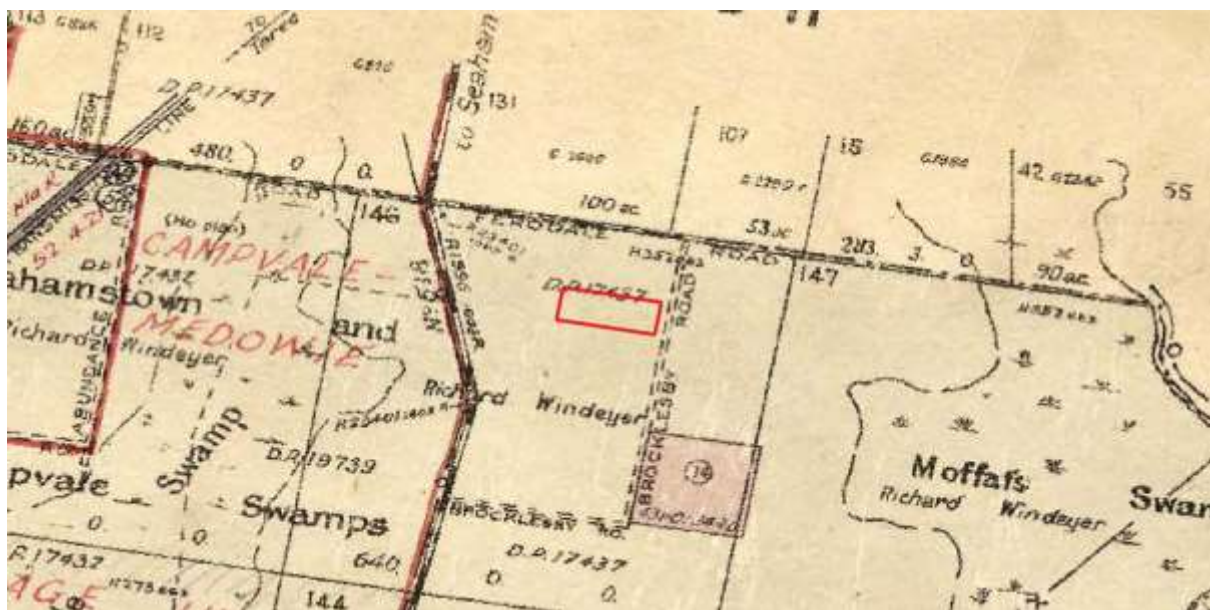


Figure 4. 1958 parish map of Stowell showing the Project Area. (Source: HLRV Historical Parish Maps, 11167901.jp2)



Figure 5. The Project Area in 1954. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)



Figure 6. The Project Area in 1966. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)



Figure 7. The Project Area in 1974. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)



Figure 8. The Project Area in 1984. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)



Figure 9. The Project Area in 1993. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)



Figure 10. The Project Area in 1998. (Source: NSW Government Historical Imagery)

4.1.5 Synthesis

The Project Area is situated on the side-slopes of two low hills, approximately 1.4km from a non-perennial fresh water stream. As the Project Area is located in the vicinity of forest, estuarine, swamp and riverine resources, it may have historically been attractive as a resource and food gathering location for past Aboriginal people. The historical land use of the Project Area suggests that the ground has been disturbed by land clearing, planting of orchard/plantation trees, construction and demolition of buildings, as well as the installation of associated services (including

water, sewer, telecommunications, and electricity). However, as there is a section of remaining uncleared vegetation, and mining activities are not known to have taken place in the Project Area, it is possible that any subsurface archaeological deposits may not have been greatly disturbed.

4.2 Heritage Context

A review of the archaeological, ethno-historical and post-contact history of an area provides contextual information for Aboriginal sites within the local and regional landscape. Previous archaeological research undertaken in the region, as well as a review of environmental factors, can inform predictive models for the locations of Aboriginal sites. Predictive models can be further refined by the consideration of the post-contact land use of the area which may identify potential sources of post-depositional disturbances that may have occurred.

4.2.1 Historic Records of Aboriginal Occupation (Ethnohistory)

The Worimi are the traditional custodians of the area now known as Port Stephens, and the area continues to hold cultural significance to the Worimi community today. The southern boundary of Worimi Country is thought to begin on the northern side of the Hunter River (near Newcastle) and extend west towards Maitland. The northern boundary was Forster, and then inland their territory extended to Gresford, Glendon Brook, Dungog and the upper Myall Creek (Tindale 1974). Oral histories passed down by elders record that their territory was bound by four rivers, these being the Hunter River in the south, the Manning River in the north and the Allyn and Patterson Rivers in the west (Worimi Conservation Lands n.d.). The European understanding of this roughly translates to the same territory and includes the whole Port Stephens area, including the Project Area in Medowie.

The social organisation of the Worimi was recorded by Enright, who began studying the Worimi language and material culture in the 1890s. He described how the Worimi people were divided into four bands (which usually consists of a small kin group, an extended family or clan), known as Gurualgal, Maiangal, Gamipingal and Buraigal (Enright 1900; 1932). Each of these clan groups had a specific territory within the broader Worimi country. Worimi people use the term “ngurra” to identify groups living within their own particular territory, and elders record that there were eighteen different ngurra, although these were generally categorised within four distinct groups, with Maiangal and Gamaipingal being saltwater groups, and Garuagal and Buraigal being inland groups (Worimi Conservation Lands n.d.).

In 1826, Robert Dawson, an agent for the Australian Agricultural Company (which acquired one million acres from Port Stephens to the Manning River), set up camp near the shoreline of Port Stephens at Carrington. He described the Worimi people more favourably than other groups he had encountered, and apparently did his best to protect them from the violence of cedar cutters and convicts. The presence of colonists had profound effects on the local Aboriginal people, displacing them from the land and resources, and disrupting their way of life. Dawson noted that during his period of residence, Aboriginal people discarded their traditional tools, replacing them with European axes and fishhooks (made of iron). Many Aboriginal people were “employed” by the Australian Agricultural Company (in return for food and clothing), with jobs including carrying water, collecting and chopping wood, catching fish, sawing planks, rowing boats, burning shells into lime, washing clothes and caring for children.

Despite these general associations and historical records for the region, there are no known specific historic records which reference the Project Area at Brocklesby Road, Medowie. This is not to

suggest that Aboriginal people did not have a presence in the area, just that local histories often pay little attention to the Aboriginal history of the locality (OEH 2011).

4.2.2 Archaeological Background

Australia and New Guinea were connected as a single continental landmass called Sahul and have been occupied by humans for at least 65,000 years (Clarkson et al. 2017). Eastern NSW has been occupied from at least 50,000 years ago (Williams et al. 2017). The earliest archaeological evidence of occupation from the Port Stephens area is 14,000 years Before Present (BP), a date that comes from the Moffats Swamp Dune approximately 1.5km east of the Project Area (Baker 1994).

There are many types of evidence of past Aboriginal occupation which form the archaeological record of a region. Places which show evidence of Aboriginal occupation of an area in the past are described as archaeological sites. These sites contain numerous site features, as defined in Table 4. Some archaeological sites contain more than one of these features.

Table 4. Aboriginal site features description, as per OEH 2012 unless otherwise referenced.

Site Features	OEH 2012 Description
Aboriginal Ceremony and Dreaming	Previously referred to as mythological sites these are spiritual/story places where no physical evidence of previous use of the place may occur, e.g., natural unmodified landscape features, ceremonial or spiritual areas, men's/women's sites, dreaming (creation) tracks, marriage places etc.
Aboriginal Resource and Gathering	Related to everyday activities such as food gathering, hunting, or collection and manufacture of materials and goods for use or trade.
Art	Art is found in shelters, overhangs and across rock formations. Techniques include painting, drawing, scratching, engraving, pitting, conjoining, abrading and the use of a range of binding agents and the use of natural pigments obtained from clays, charcoal and plants.
Artefact	Objects such as stone tools, and associated flaked material, spears, manuports, grindstones, discarded stone flakes, modified glass or shell demonstrating evidence of use of the area by Aboriginal people.
Burial	A traditional or contemporary (post-contact) burial of an Aboriginal person, which may occur outside designated cemeteries and may not be marked, e.g., in caves, marked by stone cairns, in sand areas, along creek banks etc.
Ceremonial Ring	Raised earth ring(s) associated with ceremony.
Conflict	Previously referred to as massacre sites where confrontations occurred between (1) Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people, or (2) between different Aboriginal groups.
Earth Mound	A mounded deposit of round to oval shape containing baked clay lumps, ash, charcoal and, usually, black or dark grey sediment. The deposit may be compacted or loose and ashy. Mounds may contain various economic remains such as mussel shell and bone as well as stone artefacts. Occasionally they contain burials.
Fish Trap	A modified area on watercourses where fish were trapped for short-term storage and gathering.
Grinding Groove	A groove in a rock surface resulting from manufacture of stone tools such as ground edge hatchets and spears, may also include rounded depressions resulting from grinding of seeds and grains.

Site Features	OEH 2012 Description
Habitation Structure	Structures constructed by Aboriginal people for short or long-term shelter. More temporary structures are commonly preserved away from the NSW coastline, and may include historic camps of contemporary significance. Smaller structures may make use of natural materials such as branches, logs and bark sheets or manufactured materials such as corrugated iron to form shelters. They may also contain the archaeological remains of a former structure such as chimney/fireplace, raised earth building platform, excavated pits, rubble mounds etc.
Hearth	Cultural deposit sometimes marked by hearth stones, usually also contains charcoal and may also contain heat treated stone fragments.
Modified Tree	Trees which show the marks of modification as a result of cutting of bark from the trunk for use in the production of shields, canoes, boomerangs, burials shrouds, for medicinal purposes, foot holds etc, or alternately intentional carving of the heartwood of the tree to form a permanent marker to indicate ceremonial use/significance of a nearby area; these carvings may also act as territorial or burial markers.
Non-Human Bone and Organic Material	Objects which can be found within cultural deposits as components of an Aboriginal site such as fish or mammal bones, ochres, and cached objects which may otherwise have broken down such as resin, twine, dilly bags, nets etc.
Ochre Quarry	A source of ochre used for ceremonial occasions, burials, trade and artwork.
Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD)	An area where sub-surface stone artefacts and/or other cultural materials are likely to occur (DECCW 2010b, 38).
Shell	An accumulation or deposit of shellfish from beach, estuarine, lacustrine or riverine species resulting from Aboriginal gathering and consumption. Usually found in deposits previously referred to as shell middens. Must be found in association with other objects like stone tools, fish bones, charcoal, fireplaces/hearths, and burials. Will vary greatly in size and components.
Stone Arrangement	Human produced arrangements of stone usually associated with ceremonial activities, or used as markers for territorial limits or to mark/protect burials.
Stone Quarry	Usually, a source of good quality stone which is quarried and used for the production of stone tools.
Waterhole	A source of fresh water for Aboriginal groups which may have traditional ceremonial or dreaming significance and/or may also be used to the present day as a rich resource gathering area (e.g., waterbirds, eels, clays, reeds etc).

Most details of known Aboriginal archaeology in the region are contained in the Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS), which is discussed below.

4.2.3 Aboriginal Heritage Information Management System (AHIMS)

Aboriginal sites recorded in NSW are registered with geographic co-ordinates in the AHIMS, and are protected under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974. Information in AHIMS can provide information on Aboriginal site patterning as well as showing if Aboriginal sites occur in the Project Area.

The AHIMS was searched on 23 January 2023 covering a 6km x 6km area (from coordinates GDA, Zone 56, Eastings 388602 to 400602, Northings 6370343 to 6382343). The search produced a result

of 65 sites (Figure 6). The patterning of sites corresponds with development in the area including roads, utilities and residential development, rather than specific environmental features.

Almost 70% of the total number of sites comprise stone artefacts (including isolated finds and artefact scatters). Stone artefacts often dominate the archaeological record because they are preserved well in comparison to other materials such as bone implements, clothing, ornamentation, medicinal supplies, woven goods, and wooden weapons used by Aboriginal people. Sites with shells and potential archaeological deposits were also recorded in the region (Table 5).

Table 5. AHIMS site types.

Site Types	Count	Per cent
Artefact	45	69.23%
Artefact + Shell	8	12.31%
PAD	7	10.77%
Shell	4	6.15%
Artefact + PAD	1	1.54%
Total	65	100%

The majority of sites identified in the search are valid, usually meaning they have not been subject to an AHIP. The AHIMS search indicated that one site has been completely destroyed/salvaged and thirteen sites have been partially destroyed/salvaged. The status of sites identified in the search is summarised in Table 6.

Table 6. Site status.

Site Types	Salvaged/Destroyed	Partially Salvaged/Destroyed	Valid
Artefact		7	38
Artefact + Shell	1		7
PAD		6	1
Shell			4
Artefact + PAD			1
Total	1	13	51
Percent	1.54%	20%	78.46%

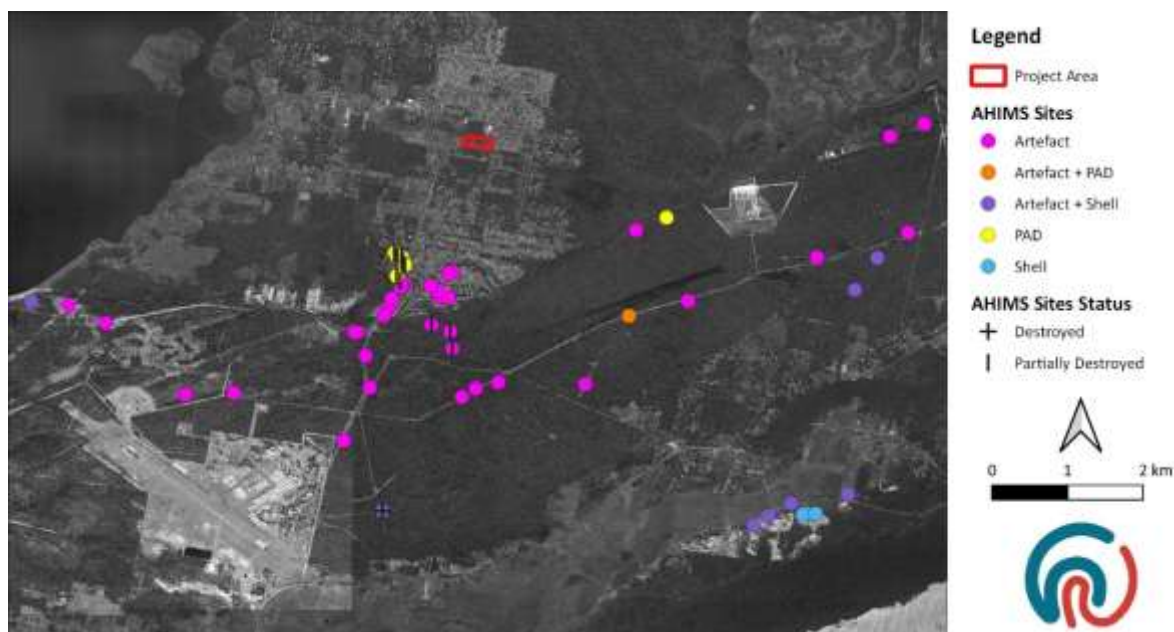


Figure 11. AHIMS search results. (Source: SIX Maps aerial with Heritage Now and AHIMS additions)

4.2.4 Heritage Report Summaries

Heritage reports relevant to the Project Area have been summarised in this section to provide an understanding of the previous assessments that have been undertaken and the implications for Aboriginal site patterning.

Smith (1988) Archaeological Survey, Tomago to Karuah section of the Tomago to Taree 132kV transmission line

An archaeological survey was conducted along a proposed transmission line between Tomago Sub-Station and Reedy Creek, approximately 1.6km north-west of the current Project Area. It was expected that midden sites may be found along Reedy and Twelve Mile Creeks, burials may be found in sand beds between Tomago and Medowie, artefact sites may be found on dry landforms (with larger sites closer to water), and scarred trees and stone arrangements may be found throughout the area.

The area was surveyed on foot, and two stone artefact scatters (TK 1 and TK 2) and an isolated stone artefact were identified. TK 1 was located approximately 110m south-west of tower number 66 in the existing easement and along a vehicle track, across an area approximately 2-5m x 100m. There were more than 50 artefacts identified in brown sand that was dumped in this location, and it is likely that these artefacts were transported in this sand. TK 2 was located on the west bank of Telegraph Swamp which had previously been dredged as a sand quarry, on the slope of a knoll in a 40m x 40m area. The artefact scatter consisted of over 1,000 artefacts which were eroding out of the knoll. As the artefacts at both TK 1 and TK 2 were similar in material and artefact type, it was considered likely that the artefacts at TK 1 originated from the sand quarry. An isolated tan fine-grained silcrete flaked piece was identified on the southern slopes inside the existing easement.

Site TK 2 confirmed the prediction that larger artefact sites would occur close to water. Artefacts identified at TK 2 consisted of a wide range of materials, suggestive of multiple knapping events at this site. It was considered to be highly archeologically significant, with a high research value as

there were not many examples of artefact sites at inland sand beds. It was recommended that the sand quarry owners be informed of the site and that it be protected from further damage. It was also recommended that the site be stabilised due to ongoing erosion, and that the planned vehicle track avoid the knoll containing artefacts. Site TK 1 was considered to have low archaeological significance as the artefacts were not considered to be in situ; nevertheless, it was recommended that the artefacts be left in place as they were unlikely to be disturbed or destroyed by the development (Smith 1988).

Dean-Jones (1990) Study on the Newcastle Bight

This study researched and identified the different eras of sand sheets within the Newcastle Bight. Some of these sand sheets have been dated to the Pleistocene era and have the potential to contain evidence for early Aboriginal sites. The current Project Area is located approximately 3km north of this study area. The study identified that sites with dense concentrations of stone are found within this type of landscape in the Newcastle Bight. Further, the majority of the sites in the region (71%) were found to contain shells and shell fragments (Dean-Jones 1990).

Baker (1993) Archaeological Subsurface Testing, Moffats Swamp

Subsurface investigations were conducted at two sites along Richardson Road, south-west of Moffats Swamp in Medowie. The two sites (MS2 and MS3) were situated on sand dune crests. The current Project Area is located approximately 3km north of this study area. Investigations were conducted as there was a proposal to mine heavy titanium minerals (rutile and zircon) in the area. Regional information suggested that Aboriginal archaeological sites would most likely occur on the crest of dunes associated with water.

Testing involved several investigation methods. During auguring, over 80 holes (spaced 10m apart) were dug along 7 transects. When two transects crossed at the crest of a dune, an additional transect was dug in a perpendicular direction. A total of 3 artefacts (pink silcrete) were found, from 3 augur holes. At three locations, road cutting tests were conducted with two pits dug every metre down the cutting's slope. Only test pits 1 and 3 recovered artefacts: white chalky tuff and grey silcrete flakes, grey silcrete and yellow grey silcrete debitage, a yellow grey silcrete broken blade, and a yellow grey silcrete flaked piece from pit 1; and chalky white tuff flake from pit 3. A test pit (1m x 1m) was excavated adjacent to two augur holes that both recovered a silcrete artefact, in order to investigate the area further. The test pit recovered a small scatter of pink silcrete flakes, from a depth of 30-60cm. Shovel pits (40cm x 40cm) were dug to a depth of 50-60cm every 5m between road cutting test pit 3 and the test excavation area; a total of 10 pits were dug and 2 artefacts were recovered.

Site MS2 was not considered to be of archaeological significance, as only small flakes and debitage were recovered, indicating that the site had been previously destroyed from the construction of Richardson Road. This site was also not located in the path of the proposed mine and was not to be affected by mining activities. Site MS3 was also considered to be of low archaeological significance as it also consisted of small flakes and debitage, and was considered to belong to a single knapping event. It was recommended that MS2 be protected from disturbance and that the dune crest should not be impacted by post-mining rehabilitation. For site MS3, it was recommended that a Section 90 Consent to Destroy be obtained and that the site be salvaged (Baker 1993).

Biosis (2011) Archaeological Survey and Test Excavation, Campvale and Medowie

Investigations were conducted into a study area located in Campvale and Medowie, south-east of Grahamstown Lake, where a proposed underground electrical distribution cable was proposed to be installed. The study area is located approximately 4.6km south-west of the current Project Area, and extended across Wade Close and Richardson Road into the Tilligerry State Conservation Area.

A survey was conducted over 17 units and identified an artefact scatter (Campvale AS1). The previously recorded site AHIMS 38-3-0037 was located, although no artefacts were identified during this survey. As both sites had subsurface archaeological potential, subsurface testing was carried out. During subsurface testing, test pits (50cm x 50cm) were excavated along the proposed cable route (eight pits at Campvale AS1 and four pits at AHIMS 38-3-0037). No subsurface deposits were recovered at either site. Both sites were considered to have low archaeological potential. It was recommended that the potential cable path avoid Campvale AS1 and minimise its impact to AHIMS 38-3-0037. It was also recommended that an AHIP be obtained so that surface artefacts could be collected and moved (Biosis 2011).



Figure 12. Nearby archaeological investigations discussed in Section 4. (Source: SIX Maps aerial with Heritage Now and AHIMS additions)

4.2.5 Artefact Density Predictive Modelling

Predictive models are based upon the assumption that environmental factors provide distinctive sets of constraints that influence land use patterns (Kuskie 2015, p. 8). In the Hunter Valley, for instance, JW Fawcett in 1898 said of the Wonnarua, that when choosing the sites for their camps, access to fresh water was one essential, and a food resource of secondary importance, whilst a vantage point in case of attack by an enemy was third (Brayshaw 1987, 42).

Artefact density is linked to different types of activities falling on a scale from long-term occupation to short-term transitory movement. Attenbrow (2006) built on earlier archaeological models to develop a model of occupation within the Australian context, identifying base camps, activity camps and transit camps. Base camps are similar to residential bases in that they were occupied for a longer period of time (several days or longer). Activity camps, conversely, are characterised by short

periods of use, and are usually functionally specific. Activities that may take place at activity camps in Australia include hunting, artefact preparation, gathering of raw materials, and ceremonial activities (Attenbrow 2006, 220–21). ‘Transit camp’ refers to places that were used to camp for short periods, usually overnight, often when travelling between base camps or resource areas. Archaeologically, base camps are characterised by a larger archaeological context (in square metres), higher concentrations of stone artefacts, and a more diverse assemblage than transit and activity locations. Stone artefacts in these assemblages may show signs of tool manufacture and maintenance, skin working and food preparation (Attenbrow 2006, 221).

A clear trend has been identified in the Hunter Region in which higher artefact densities occur closer to wetlands, indicating that wetlands were a major focus of activity in the area (P Kuskie 1994). Specifically, areas within 300m of wetlands and fresh water are considered to have been suitable sites for camping and focused occupation (i.e., repeated visits, visits of longer duration), whereas areas further than 300m from wetlands and/or water sources were outside the primary or secondary resource zones, and would only have had low to very-low intensity use for hunting/gathering during the course of the normal daily round, or for transitory movement (Peter Kuskie 2015b).

As the Project Area is not within 300m of wetlands or fresh water it was unlikely to have been a place of intensive occupation, and was more likely to have been subject to very low intensity use for hunting or gathering resources or for transitory movement.

4.3 Summary of Local/Regional Character of Aboriginal Land Use and its Material Traces, and Archaeological Predictions for the Project Area

AHIMS search results indicate that artefacts, potential archaeological deposits and shell sites are the most common site types in the region, with shell sites occurring along the coastline or in association with larger rivers or wetland environments. This follows the predictive model patterning for the region. Based on the background research, it was predicted that, pending on site conditions and preservation rates, the Project Area may contain stone artefacts or potential archaeological deposits.

The environmental context of the Project Area influences the likelihood of locating such sites. The Project Area is situated on a gradual slope, over 1km away from wetlands and fresh water sources. Therefore, it is more likely to have been utilised on a low to very low basis for hunting/gathering or for transitory movement. Table 7 describes the assessed likelihood of Aboriginal archaeological site features being present in the Project Area, on a scale of very low – very high likelihood.

Table 7. Likelihood of different sites features being preserved within the Project Area.

Site Features	Likelihood	Comment / Justification
Aboriginal Ceremony and Dreaming	Very Low	Many archaeological assessments have been done in the region and none have identified the Project Area as being part of a specific Aboriginal Ceremony and Dreaming context.
Aboriginal Resource and Gathering	Low	Although the area was very likely used as a resource and gathering location in the past, the landscape today has been disturbed and does not evoke or preserve the values related to these activities.
Art	Very Low	Art sites are generally located on rock outcrops, and no rock outcrops have been recorded in and around the Project Area.
Artefact	Moderate - High	This is the most common site type in the locality and identified across the Medowie landscape, particularly around streams. It is predicted that a low density of artefacts may be located in the Project Area, given its distance from fresh water.
Burial	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that burials are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area. Furthermore, burials are most often found in association with middens or sandy environments.
Ceremonial Ring	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that ceremonial rings are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.
Conflict	Very Low	Many archaeological assessments have been done in the region and none have identified the Project Area as being associated with a known conflict.
Earth Mound	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that earth mounds are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.
Fish Trap	Very Low	No water sources are located within the Project Area, and therefore fish-traps are not predicted to occur.
Grinding Groove	Very Low	Although grinding grooves are present in the regional area, they are not present in large numbers, and the aerial analysis and geological information indicate that suitable outcrops with water sources are unlikely to be present in the Project Area.
Habitation Structure	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that habitation structures are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.
Hearth	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that hearths are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.
Modified Tree	Low	Historic vegetation clearance indicates that old growth trees which have cultural markings and scars are unlikely to remain in the Project Area.
Non-Human Bone and Organic Material	Very Low	Land use disturbance and environmental conditions indicate that Non-Human Bone and Organic Material is very unlikely to remain in the Project Area.
Ochre Quarry	Very Low	No ochre quarries have been recorded in the region.

Site Features	Likelihood	Comment / Justification
Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD)	Moderate	There could potentially be some intact deposits where there has been limited land use disturbance.
Shell	Very Low	The Project Area is not situated close to the coastline or rivers large enough to support shellfish.
Stone Arrangement	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that stone arrangements are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.
Stone Quarry	Very Low	No stone quarries have been recorded in the region.
Waterhole	Very Low	Land use disturbance indicates that waterholes are very unlikely to be preserved in the Project Area.

5 Archaeological Survey

The Project Area was surveyed on Friday 17 March 2023 by Sarah Mané and Kyle Howie, Heritage Consultants from Heritage Now, with Jamie Merrick of Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council, Bec Young of Mur-Roo-Ma Inc., and Rachel Davis of Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd. The aim of the survey was to identify any Aboriginal sites within the Project Area as per the guidelines (DECCW 2010b, 12).

5.1.1 Survey Units and Methods

Due to the whole Project Area being within the same landform element of a gradual slope, it was surveyed in one unit. The area was traversed by foot, generally with a 2-10 m spacing between survey personnel. Areas of high visibility and exposure were subject to detailed inspection. A summary of visibility and exposure is detailed in Table 8.

Table 8. Survey coverage.

Survey Unit	Landform	Survey Unit Area	Visibility %	Exposure %	Effective Coverage	Sample Fraction	Sites Identified
1	Gradual Slope	50870	30	30	4578.2	9%	0

5.2 Survey Results

The Project Area consisted of a gradual slope oriented in an east-west direction, divided into three Lots. Each of these three Lots had road frontage to the east on Brocklesby Road (Plate 1), with a dwelling in the front portion facing east, a driveway and various smaller sheds and outbuildings (Plate 2), and fenced paddocks at the rear in the western portions (Plate 3-Plate 4). Vegetation varied from lawn cover, established gardens and remnant orchards, to open paddocks and areas of recently disturbed exposures after plantation felling.

Aerial imagery indicated dense vegetation in the north-western portion of the Project Area. During the survey, this portion was found to be devoid of vegetation, but extensive amounts of sticks, branches and broken wood pieces indicated the area had been recently cleared (Plate 5). The ground also appeared to have been churned up by machinery or to have introduced fill on the surface (Plate 6).

No Aboriginal archaeological sites, intact soils and/or potential archaeological deposits were identified.

5.2.1 Aboriginal Consultation

The representative from Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council and two representatives from local Worimi Traditional Owner groups were present during fieldwork and were satisfied that there were no Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of cultural sensitivity within the Project Area. It was noted however that the removal of vegetation including large mature native trees prior to the survey was inappropriate, and that scarred trees could have previously been located within the Project Area. It was also noted that the nearby wetland areas (Moffats Swamp

and Campvale Swamp) would have been places highly utilised for resources in the past and that dated sites from these areas indicate a long presence of their ancestors in the region.

5.2.2 Summary

The Project Area was surveyed as three separate Lots but was considered all the same landform element and therefore the same survey unit. No Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified within the Project Area.

6 Significance Assessment and Aboriginal Cultural Values

Cultural heritage refers to the tangible and intangible values that we choose to pass on to future generations. In order to identify the values worth passing on, a significance assessment needs to be undertaken. The significance assessment needs to identify the range of values present across the Project Area and assess their importance.

6.1 Methodology

Identifying the Aboriginal cultural values is part of the significance assessment process and is guided by the Burra Charter and the *Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW*.

There are four recognised classes of values under the Burra Charter (Australia ICOMOS 2013):

- Social,
- Historical,
- Aesthetic, and
- Scientific.

Within this significance assessment, Aboriginal cultural values are captured within social, historical and aesthetic values. The archaeological values are contained within scientific values.

Social value refers to the spiritual, traditional, historical or contemporary associations that Aboriginal people have for place. Historical value refers to the associations of a place with a historically important person, event, phase or activity in the Aboriginal community. Aesthetic value refers to the sensory, scenic, architectural and creative aspects of the place.

Archaeological values refer to the importance of the landscape, area, place or object because of its rarity, representativeness and the extent to which it may inform our understanding of Aboriginal culture.

6.1.1 Aboriginal Cultural Values Methodology

Aboriginal cultural values are identified through the Aboriginal consultation process. Formal opportunities for the Aboriginal community to contribute to identifying cultural values are provided in the ACHA methodology review period, during fieldwork and during the draft report review period. In addition, RAPs are invited to provide feedback at any time through the consultation process, by phone or in writing (email or letter).

6.1.2 Archaeological (Scientific) Values Methodology

Archaeological (scientific) values relate to whether the Project Area can contribute to our understanding of Aboriginal culture. Under the *Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW*, archaeological values are to be considered within the below sub-categories:

- Representativeness,
- Rarity,
- Research potential, and
- Educational potential.

Significance is expressed as grades: low, moderate or high.

6.2 Aboriginal Cultural Values Assessment

All of Worimi Country is considered to hold cultural value to Worimi Traditional Owners, but discussions during fieldwork indicated that there are no specific values associated with the Project Area, and no additional cultural values were identified when the draft ACHA report was sent out for review.

6.3 Archaeological Values Assessment

This section assesses the archaeological values of the Project Area according to the criteria in the *Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in NSW*.

No Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified within the Project Area, and therefore no archaeological values are considered to be present.

6.4 Summary: Statement of Significance

Any Aboriginal objects or features located in the Project Area would have cultural values and are likely to have archaeological values; however, no Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified within the Project Area. In terms of cultural values, the Worimi People have strong connections with the landscape being part of Worimi Country.

7 Impact Assessment and Mitigation

This section assesses the potential impact of the proposed works in relation to Aboriginal heritage values in the Project Area and provides options for mitigating loss of Aboriginal cultural values.

7.1 Proposed Works

The proposed works include the rezoning, subdivision and subsequent residential development of the Project Area.

7.2 Impact Assessment

There are no impacts to Aboriginal cultural values as result of the proposed works.

7.3 Mitigation

7.3.1 General mitigation strategies

The below strategies have been developed to mitigate harm and/or loss of Aboriginal cultural values as a result of the proposed works.

All on-site personnel are to be made aware of their obligations under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974; this includes protection of Aboriginal sites and the reporting of any new Aboriginal, or suspected Aboriginal heritage sites. This may be done through an on-site induction or other suitable format.

In the unlikely event that Aboriginal, or suspected Aboriginal archaeological material is uncovered during the development, then works in that area are to stop and the area is to be cordoned off. The Project Manager is to contact the Heritage Consultant to make an assessment as to whether the material is classed as Aboriginal object/s under the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974 (NSW) and advise on the required management and mitigation measures. Works are not to recommence in the cordoned off area until heritage clearance is given and/or the required management and mitigation measures have been implemented.

In the very unlikely event that human remains, or suspected human remains are uncovered during the development, then works in that area are to stop and the area is to be cordoned off. The Project Manager is to contact the NSW Police to establish whether the area is a crime scene. If it is not a crime scene, and the remains are determined to be Aboriginal ancestral remains, then Heritage NSW is to be notified via the Environment Line on 131 555 and management measures are to be devised in consultation with the local Aboriginal community. Works are not to recommence in the area until the management measures have been implemented.

7.4 Consideration of Sustainable Development

Under the NSW Protection of the Environmental Administration Act 1991, ecologically sustainable development principles (ESD) are to be considered in the assessment of environmental impacts; this includes impacts to heritage. The consideration of ESD principles is required under the *Guide to Investigating, Assessing and Reporting on Aboriginal Cultural Heritage in New South Wales*. In

particular, the precautionary principle and the principle of inter-generational equity are to be considered where there are proposed impacts to the environment (which includes heritage).

7.4.1 Precautionary Principle

The precautionary principle states that if there are threats of serious or irreversible damage to the environment, then a lack of full scientific certainty should not be used as a reason to postpone measures to prevent environmental degradation.

The proposed works do not pose a threat of serious or irreversible damage to the environment (specifically, Aboriginal sites).

7.4.2 Inter-generational Equity & Cumulative Harm

The principle of inter-generational equity states that the present generation should ensure the health, diversity and productivity of the environment are maintained or enhanced for the benefit of future generations. Cumulative harm involves understanding the cumulative effects of the Proposal.

The mitigation measures proposed satisfy the principle of inter-generational equity.

8 Conclusions and Recommendations

No Aboriginal sites, potential archaeological deposits or areas of sensitivity were identified during the survey of the Project Area.

There are no proposed impacts to Aboriginal sites of archaeological or cultural significance. The works may proceed, with the following precautionary recommendations:

Recommendation 1

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10 Plates



Plate 1. View west from Brocklesby Road towards Project Area. (Source: Heritage Now 2023)



Plate 2. View west from southern side of Project Area. (Source: Heritage Now 2023)



Plate 3. View east from south-western portion of Project Area. (Source: Heritage Now 2023)



Plate 4. View north-west from within Project Area (Source: Heritage Now 2023)



Plate 5. View west within the northern Lot of the Project Area showing recently cleared vegetation. (Source: Heritage Now 2023)



Plate 6. View west towards area of recently cleared vegetation. (Source: Heritage Now 2023)

Appendix 1 Aboriginal Consultation

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Yours sincerely

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7 February 2023 at 10:33

Dear Joven

I am responding to your email dated 7.02.2023

Hunter LLS do not have a full list of all of the relevant Aboriginal Traditional Custodians that are within your project area. Could you please contact the relevant Local Aboriginal Land Council (LALC) for the list of Aboriginal Traditional Custodians that have interest within the project site area. See following link to LALC contact details: https://alc.org.au/land_council/

Also, please check the National Native Title Tribunal and search for Registered Native Title Claims for your area, to view list of Claims please access the following link: <http://www.nntt.gov.au/searchRegApps/NativeTitleRegisters/Pages/Search-Register-of-Native-Title-Claims.aspx>

For further questions please contact Toby Whaleboat on details below.

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Kind Regards

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DPE Aboriginal stakeholder list for Brocklesby Road, Medowie

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13 February 2023 at 07:23

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regards

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13/02/2023

Dear Tessa Boer,

WRITTEN NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSAL AS REQUIRED UNDER DECCW ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE CONSULTATION REQUIREMENTS FOR PROPONENTS 2010

Subject: Brocklesby Road, Medowie.

Thank you for your correspondence dated 6 February 2023 to Heritage NSW (Department of Planning and Environment) regarding the above project.

Attached is a list of known Aboriginal Stakeholders for the proposed development at the **Port Stephens** Local Government Area that Heritage NSW considers likely to have an interest in the activity.

Please note this list is not necessarily an exhaustive list of all interested Aboriginal Stakeholders.

Receipt of this list does not remove the requirement of a proponent/ consultant to advertise in local print media and contact other bodies seeking interested Aboriginal parties, in accordance with the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* (April 2010).

Under Section 4.1.6. of the Consultation Requirements, you must also provide a copy of the names of each Aboriginal person who registered an interest to the relevant Heritage NSW office and Local Aboriginal Land Council (LALC) within 28 days from the closing date for registering an interest.

Please note that the contact details in the list provided by Heritage NSW may be out of date as it relies on Aboriginal stakeholders advising Heritage NSW when their details need changing. If individuals/companies undertaking consultation are aware that any groups contact details are out of date, or letters are returned unopened, please contact either the relevant stakeholder group (if you know their more current details) and/or Heritage NSW. AHIP applicants should make a note of any group they are unable to contact as part of their consultation record.

If you have any questions about this advice, please email:
heritagemailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au or contact (02) 9873 8500.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Barry Gunther", is centered within a light gray rectangular box.

**Barry Gunther, Aboriginal Senior Assessment Officer
Environment and Heritage – Heritage NSW
Department of Planning and Environment
Aboriginal Heritage Regulation Branch – South Heritage NSW**

Attachment A:

Registered Aboriginal Interests DPE Aboriginal Stakeholders List for the **Port Stephens**
Local Government Area.

LIST OF ABORIGINAL STAKEHOLDERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT of PLANNING and ENVIRONMENT (DPE) SOUTHERN REGION HELD BY DPE FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE OEH ABORIGINAL CULTURAL HERITAGE CONSULTATION REQUIREMENTS FOR PROPONENTS 2010

These lists are provided to proponents in accordance with section 4.1.2 of the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents 2010* (the "Consultation Requirements") which commenced on 12 April 2010.

The consultation process involves getting the views of, and information from, Aboriginal people and reporting on these. It is not to be confused with other field assessment processes involved in preparing a proposal and an application. Consultation does not include the employment of Aboriginal people to assist in field assessment and/or site monitoring. Aboriginal people may provide services to proponents through a contractual arrangement however, this is separate from consultation. The proponent is not obliged to employ those Aboriginal people registered for consultation. Consultation as per these requirements will continue irrespective of potential or actual employment opportunities for Aboriginal people.

A copy of the Consultation Requirements can be found on the OEH website at:

<http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/resources/cultureheritage/commconsultation/09781ACHconsultreq.pdf>.

Under the Consultation Requirements; a proponent is required to provide Aboriginal people who may hold cultural knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and/or places as relevant to the proposed project area, with an opportunity to be involved in consultation. Section 3.3.1 of the Consultation Requirements states that Aboriginal people who can provide this information are, based on Aboriginal lore and custom, the traditional owners or custodians of the land that is the subject of the proposed project.

The Consultation Requirements also state that:

Traditional owners or custodians with appropriate cultural heritage knowledge to inform decision making who seek to register their interest as an Aboriginal party are those people who:

- *continue to maintain a deep respect for their ancestral belief system, traditional lore and custom*
- *recognise their responsibilities and obligations to protect and conserve their culture and heritage and care for their traditional lands or Country*
- *have the trust of their community, knowledge and understanding of their culture, and permission to speak about it.*

Please note: the placement of an organisation's name on any OEH Aboriginal stakeholder list for the Consultation Requirements does not override a proponent's requirement to also advertise in the local newspaper and to seek from other sources the names of any other Aboriginal people who may hold cultural knowledge as required under clause 60 of the National Parks and Wildlife Regulation 2019.

How to use this list

- 1. Contact the organisations/individuals who have indicated an interest in the relevant LGA/s and invite them to register an interest in your project**

Do not reproduce the attached list in publicly available reports and other documents. Your report should only contain the names of the organisations and individuals who you have invited to register an interest in your project and those who have registered as stakeholders for your project.

Last updated November 2022



Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Reply: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie - Call for Aboriginal Stakeholders

1 message

Karen Carter <Karen.Carter@oralra.nsw.gov.au>

14 February 2023 at 10:54

To: "hello@heritagenow.com.au" <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

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Good afternoon Tessa

Please find attached the response from the Office of the Registrar, ALRA to your email and letter of 6 February 2023 regarding to the proposed residential development at Brocklesby Road Medowie NSW, as part of an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA).

Kind regards

Karen Carter

Project Officer, Aboriginal Owners

Office of the Registrar, Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983

Premier and Cabinet

T (02) 9240 8855 **E** karen.carter@oralra.nsw.gov.au

www.oralra.nsw.gov.au

PO Box 787

PARRAMATTA NSW 2124

Working days Monday to Friday, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm



I acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land and pay respects to Elders past and present. I also acknowledge all the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander staff working with NSW Government at this time.

The Office of the Registrar stands on Aboriginal land. We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land and we show our respect for Elders past, present and emerging through thoughtful and collaborative approaches to our work, seeking to demonstrate our ongoing commitment to supporting the return of land to Aboriginal people as compensation for past dispossession; and to support self-determination through participation and representation in the land council network.

Please consider the environment before printing this email.

From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
Sent: Monday, 6 February 2023 11:46 PM
To: Admin Officer <_cor0826adminofficer@aboriginalaffairs.nsw.gov.au>
Subject: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie - Call for Aboriginal Stakeholders

[CAUTION: This email originated from outside of the organisation. Do not click links or open attachments unless you recognise the sender and know the content is safe.]

Good day,

Please see the letter attached regarding a request for Aboriginal stakeholders.

Kind regards,
Joven



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2 attachments

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166K

14 February 2023

By email: hello@heritagenow.com.au

Tessa Boer-Mah
Heritage Now
1/48 Kalaroo Road
REDHEAD NSW 2290

Dear Tessa

Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment – proposed residential development at Brocklesby Road Medowie, NSW: request for list of potential Aboriginal stakeholders

We refer to your email and letter to this Office, dated 6 February 2023 requesting contact information for Aboriginal organisations and/or people who may have cultural knowledge relevant to the proposed residential development at Brocklesby Road Medowie NSW, as part of an Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA).

Under Section 170 of the *Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983* (NSW), the Office of the Registrar is required to maintain the Register of Aboriginal Owners (RAO) for New South Wales. The works you are proposing, and location are in proximity to an area for which there are Registered Aboriginal Owners: Worimi Conservation Lands.

We suggest you contact the Joint Management Coordinator for the Worimi Conservation Lands Nadine Russell on (02) 4984 8208 or Nadine.Russell@environment.nsw.gov.au to ascertain whether the Board of Management are interested in the project.

We also suggest you contact Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council on the details provided below, as they may wish to participate or contribute.

Yours sincerely



Karen Carter
Project Officer
Office of the Registrar, Aboriginal Land Rights Act 1983

Worimi LALC
2163 Nelson Bay Road
WILLIAMTOWN NSW 2318
Email: reception.accounts@worimi.org.au
Phone: 02 4033 8800



Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

FW: BrocklesbyRoad, medowie HN587-A

1 message

projects@heritagenow.com.au <projects@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

22 February 2023 at 07:38

Hi Joven, this came through to projects but I'm guessing it's Aboriginal consultation for HN587-A, so forwarding to the hello address.

From: Jennifer Underwood <Jennifer.Underwood@portstephens.nsw.gov.au>
Sent: Wednesday, 22 February 2023 9:25 AM
To: projects@heritagenow.com.au
Subject: BrocklesbyRoad, medowie HN587-A

Dear Tessa

Regarding your request for Aboriginal stakeholders for this area, please contact the Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council

<https://worimi.org.au/>

Kind Regards



Jennifer Underwood

Senior Community Development Officer

p 02 4988 0190 | m 0427 477 547
w portstephens.nsw.gov.au



We acknowledge the Worimi people as the original Custodians and inhabitants of Port Stephens.
We acknowledge and pay respects to Worimi elders past and present. May we walk the road to tomorrow with mutual respect and admiration as we care for the beautiful land and waterways together.
Artwork by Adam Manning.



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10 Marie Pitt Place
Glenmore Park, NSW 2745



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18 February 2023

Dear Carolyn,

RE: Brocklesby Road, Medowie — Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment – HN587

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Attn: Ms, Mr & Mr Ashley, Gregory, & Adam
Sampson
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18 February 2023

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Redhead NSW 2290
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Yours sincerely,

Tessa Boer-Mah, Principal Archaeologist, Heritage Now



Figure 1. Location of Project Area

Attn: Ms Candy Lee Tower
Worimi Traditional Owners Indigenous
Corporation
36 Avon Street
Mayfield, NSW 2304
worimitoc@hotmail.com



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18 February 2023

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6a Cockshell Drive
Gawler East, SA 5118
bobsam1@bigpond.net.au



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73 Kiah Road
Gillieston Heights, NSW 2321
gomerioi.namoi@outlook.com



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Unit 4, 16-18 Simpson Court
Mayfield, NSW 2304
worimiacs@gmail.com



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1 message

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18 February 2023 at 05:08

To: [REDACTED]

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1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

18 February 2023 at 05:09

To: Aga Services <aga.services@hotmail.com>

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Joven

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Cacatua4service <cacatua4service@tpg.com.au>

18 February 2023 at 05:09

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18 February 2023 at 05:09

To: [REDACTED]

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1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Didgengunawalclan <didgengunawalclan@yahoo.com.au>

18 February 2023 at 05:09

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Leanne Kirkman <leannekirkman1964@gmail.com>

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18 February 2023 at 05:10

To: Tamatthews10@hotmail.com

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To: Philip khan <philipkhan.acn@live.com.au>

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18 February 2023 at 05:10

To: karuahindigenous@outlook.com, David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>

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To: office@karuahaboriginal.com.au

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18 February 2023 at 05:11

To: Arthur Fletcher <wonn1sites@gmail.com>, Arthur Fletcher <arthur.c.fletcher@gmail.com>

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To: doowakee@gmail.com

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To: Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated <lowerhunterai@gmail.com>

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To: lhwcs.lea@gmail.com

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To: Michael Green <bunyipmick50@gmail.com>

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To: Ceo <ceo@mindaribbalalc.org>, Admin <admin@mindaribbalalc.org>

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To: Murrabidgeemullangari <murrabidgeemullangari@yahoo.com.au>

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Anthony Anderson <murroomainc1@gmail.com>

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To: "lennie.anderson011 lennie.anderson011" <lennie.anderson011@bigpond.com>

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To: Des Hickey <deshickey@bigpond.com>

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To: Widescope Group <Widescope.group@live.com>

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To: dawnrichard@bigpond.com

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To: Andrew Smith <andrew@worimi.org.au>

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To: Bob & Sam <bobsam1@bigpond.net.au>

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To: Gomeroi Namoi <gomeroi.namoi@outlook.com>

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Crimson-Rosie
6 Eucalypt Avenue
Muswellbrook, NSW 2333



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33 Ullora Road
Nelson Bay, NSW 2315



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Tessa Boer-Mah, Principal Archaeologist, Heritage Now



Figure 1. Location of Project Area



Attn: Mr Jeffery Matthews
Crimson-Rosie
6 Eucalypt Avenue
Muswellbrook, NSW 2333

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Attn: Ms Carol Ridgeway-Bissett
33 Ullora Road
Nelson Bay, NSW 2315

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

1 message

Arthur Fletcher <wonn1sites@gmail.com>

18 February 2023 at 05:36

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Cc: Arthur Fletcher <arthur.c.fletcher@gmail.com>

I accept the invitation.

On Sat, 18 Feb 2023, 8:11 am Hello At Heritage Now, <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

Good day,

Please find attached a request to register your interest in a project at Medowie. The due date for responses is on **March 4, 2023**.Kind regards,
Joven



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1 message

lilly carroll <didgengunawalclan@yahoo.com.au>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

18 February 2023 at 05:41

Hi guys

Can you please register DNC on this project at Medowie

Cheers Paul

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Saturday, February 18, 2023, 8:09 am, Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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1 message

lennie.anderson011 **lennie.anderson011** <lennie.anderson011@bigpond.com>

18 February 2023 at 06:06

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Cc: murroomainc1@gmail.com, Jamie Merrick <jamie.merrick@worimi.org.au>, indigenouskaruah@outlook.com

Hi Joven,

Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd, would indeed be interested in this Project! But we the Traditional People reserve the right to who works or speaks for country as the Legislation States.

The other groups recommended are: Murrooma Inc. Worimi LALC. Indigenous Karuah

Regards

Lennie Anderson OAM ASM
Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd
(Director)

----- Original Message -----

From: "Hello At Heritage Now" <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

To: "lennie.anderson011 lennie.anderson011" <lennie.anderson011@bigpond.com>

Sent: Saturday, 18 Feb, 2023 At 8:13 AM

Subject: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

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2/20/23, 3:17 AM

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

1 message

Ryan Johnson <murrabidgeemullangari@yahoo.com.au>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

18 February 2023 at 14:06

Hi Joven
Please register our company for the above project, we have a site officer from the area, please see attached resume.
Kind regards
Darleen Johnson

Sent from my iPad

On 18 Feb 2023, at 8:13 am, Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

1 message

Leanne Kirkman <leannekirkman1964@gmail.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

19 February 2023 at 12:18

I would like to register for mention project thanks David horton gomery cultural consultants thanks

On Sat, 18 Feb 2023, 8:10 am Hello At Heritage Now, <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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1 message

David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

21 February 2023 at 07:49

Hi Joven;

Karuah Indigenous Company Pty Ltd would like to registrar our interest in this project
HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie.

Thanks

David J Feeney
Chief Executive Officer
Snr Aboriginal Cultural Officer
Karuah Indigenous Company Pty.Ltd
0421114853

From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
Sent: Saturday, 18 February 2023 8:11 AM
To: karuahindigenous@outlook.com; David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>
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1 message

Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated <lowerhunterai@gmail.com>

28 February 2023 at 13:45

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Hi

I would like to register in Brocklesby Road, Medowie project.

On Sat, Feb 18, 2023 at 8:12 AM Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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Thank You David Ahoy
Sites Manager
LHAI
Mobile [0431764850](tel:0431764850)**Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated**

ABN: 8192 4628 138

Email: lowerhunterai@gmail.com

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2/28/23, 2:20 PM

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If you have received this email in error please notify the sender immediately.



Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

1 message

Anthony Anderson <murroomainc1@gmail.com>

2 March 2023 at 09:10

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Hi Tessa,
Please find attached EOI for Murrooma Inc- Brocklesby rd, Medowie.
Thanks
Bec Young

On Sat, Feb 18, 2023 at 8:13 AM Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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Anthony Anderson
CEO Mur-roo-ma Incorporated
Justice of The Peace

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MURROOMA



INCORPORATED

9 Vardon Road Fern Bay 2295 NSW

0421078695

0402827482

Murroomainc1@gmail.com

ABN: 97 807 719 484

Thursday 2nd of March, 2023

Att: Tessa Boer-Mah

Heritage Now

RE: Brocklesby Road, Medowie — Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment – HN587

To Tessa,

Please find enclosed application for Murrooma Incorporated to register our interest to be a part of the community consultation process for this proposed project and ACHA.

Anthony Anderson and Bec Young are representatives of Murrooma who both hold specific cultural knowledge and education relevant to determining the significance of Aboriginal objects and places in the Medowie/Worimi region. We are both registered Traditional Owners and Native Title Custodians of the Worimi area and are in a position to speak for country. The other groups who work with us within our Traditional boundaries is; Worimi LALC and Nur-run-gee.

We have extensive knowledge of this area- through oral history from our ancestors, education and have completed other works close to the proposed project area where we hold relevant cultural information which can be discussed onsite. We believe that in order to gain the specific information that will be required for this area, it must be sorted through Local Knowledge Holders and this is what we can offer in the consultation process.

Thank You

Bec Young- Operations Manager

Anthony Anderson - CEO



Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

1 message

Worimi TOC <worimitoc@hotmail.com>

30 March 2023 at 20:16

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Hi,

I would like to register for the above mention project.

I'll say cheerio for now,

Candy

Candy Towers

Worimi Cultural Advisor

Worimi Traditional Owners Indigenous Corporation

ph: 0412 475 362

e: worimitoc@hotmail.com



Guudji Yiigu, I am a Worimi and Yorta Yorta woman from Newcastle NSW, I acknowledge and pay my respects to the traditional owners and custodians of the land on which I live and work, to their continuing connection to land, water, culture and community and pay my respects to the Elders past, present and to our future generations.

From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Sent: Saturday, 18 February 2023 8:14 AM

To: Worimi TOC <worimitoc@hotmail.com>

Subject: Invitation for Expression of Interest – HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie

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Attn: Sir or Madam
Heritage NSW
Locked Bag 5020,
Parramatta NSW 2124
HERITAGEMailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au



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T: 0425 250 310
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March 30, 2023

Dear Sir or Madam,

RE: Brocklesby Road, Medowie Registered Aboriginal Parties – Port Stephens LGA

In accordance with stage 4.1.6 of the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Consultation Requirements for Proponents (2010)* Heritage Now is providing you with a list of the Registered Aboriginal Parties and individuals (RAPs) that have registered an interest in Brocklesby Road, Medowie as part of a planning proposal and Development Application for a subdivision.

Please note where RAPs have requested their details are not provided to Heritage NSW and Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council this information is not included below.

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Didge Ngunawal Clan	Paul Boyd & Lilly Carroll
Gomery Cultural Consultants	David Horton
Karuah Indigenous Company	David Feeney
Kawul Pty Ltd trading as Wonn1 Sites	Arthur Fletcher
Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated	David Ahoy
Murra Bidgee Mullangari Aboriginal Corporation	Ryan Johnson & Darleen Johnson-Carroll
Mur-Roo-Ma Inc.	Anthony Anderson & Bec Young
Nur-Run-Gee Pty Ltd	Leonard Anderson OAM
Confidential RAP	Confidential RAP

Yours sincerely,

Tessa Boer-Mah
Principal Heritage Consultant, Heritage Now

Attn: CEO
Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council
2163 Nelson Bay Rd
Williamstown NSW 2318
reception@worimi.org.au



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Principal Heritage Consultant, Heritage Now

HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Notification Letter

1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

30 March 2023 at 08:40

To: reception@worimi.org.au

Good day,

Please see attached notification letter with the list of Registered Aboriginal Parties for the Brocklesby Road, Medowie Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment.

Kind regards,
Joven



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HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Notification Letter

1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

30 March 2023 at 08:40

To: OEH HD Heritage Mailbox <HERITAGEMailbox@environment.nsw.gov.au>

Good day,

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Joven

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Attn: Ms Carolyn Hickey
A1 Indigenous Services
10 Marie Pitt Place
Glenmore Park, NSW 2745
[REDACTED]



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E: hello@heritagenow.com.au
T: 0425 250 310
W: www.heritagenow.com.au
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March 9, 2023

Dear Carolyn,

RE: Brocklesby Road, Medowie — Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment – HN587

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Figure 2. Location of Project Area

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Name	Tessa Boer-Mah
Address	1/48 Kalaroo Road Redhead NSW 2290
Email	Hello@heritagenow.com.au
Phone	0460 744 466

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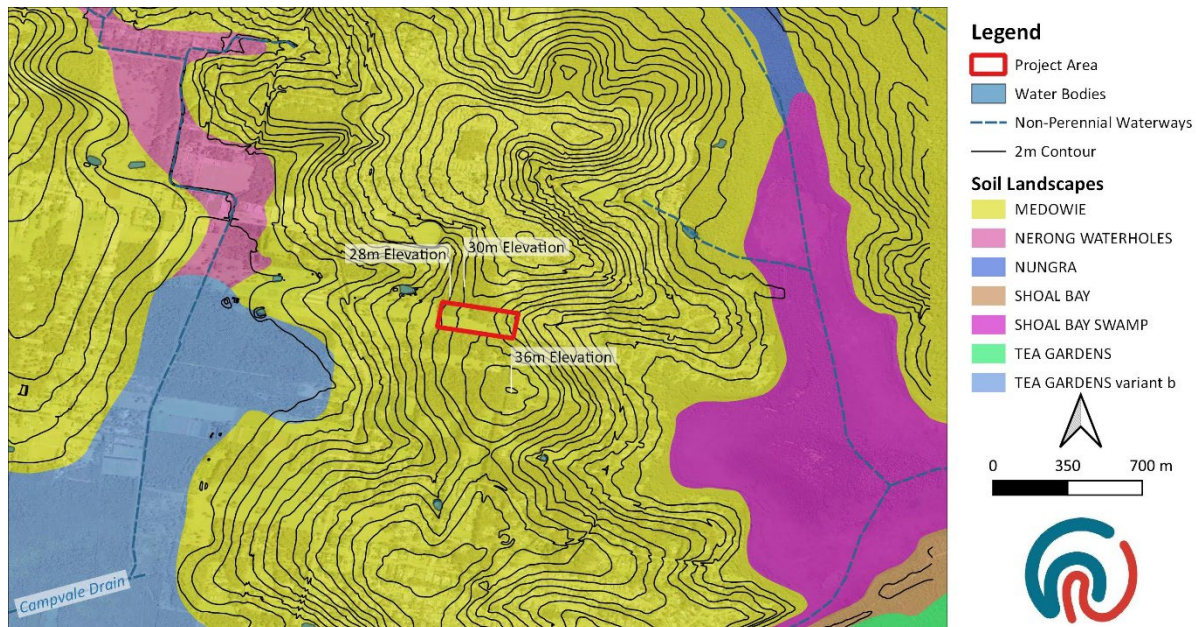


Figure 3. Context of the Project Area



Figure 4. AHIMS results in the vicinity of the Project Area

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Tessa Boer-Mah, Principal Heritage Consultant, Heritage Now

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Dear [REDACTED]

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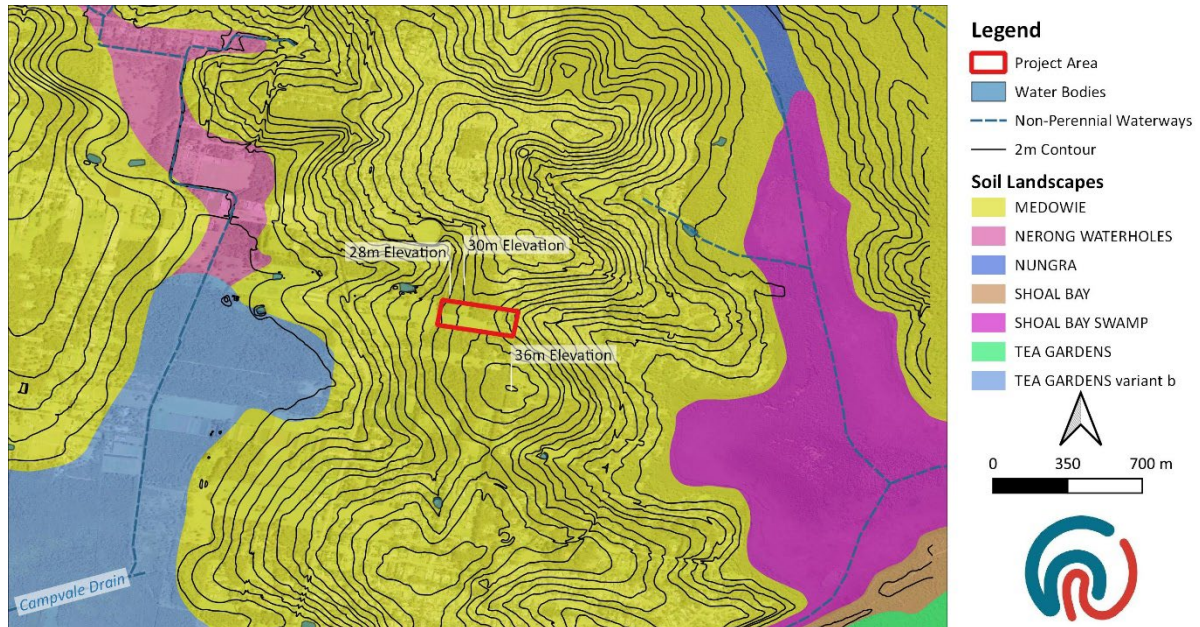


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Cambridge Gardens, NSW 2747
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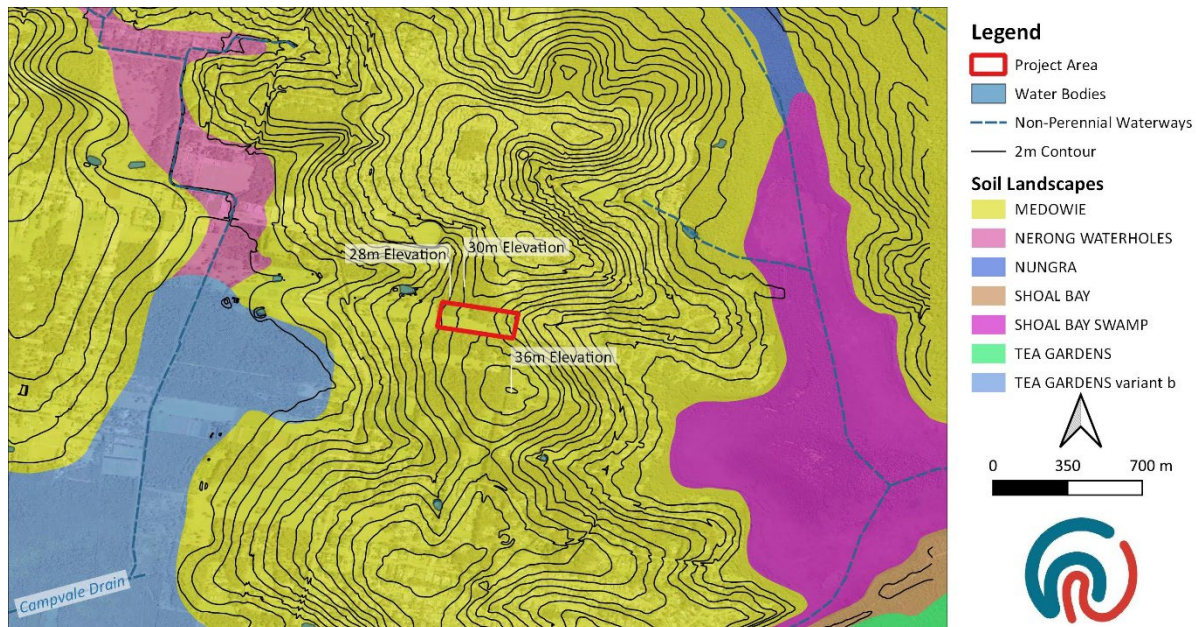


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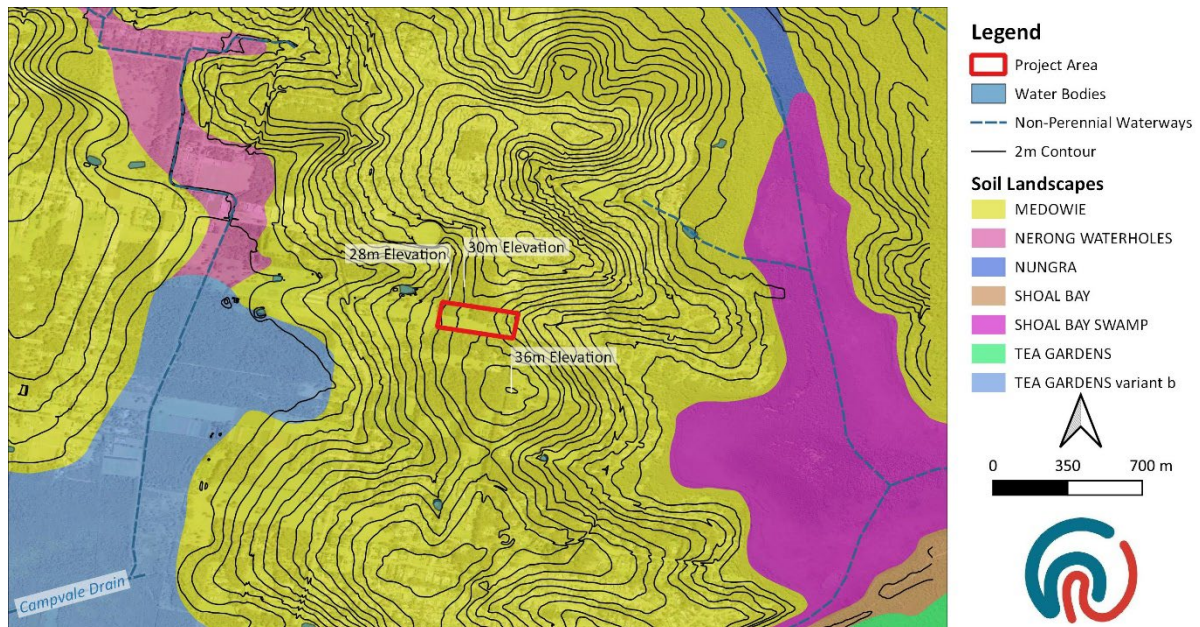


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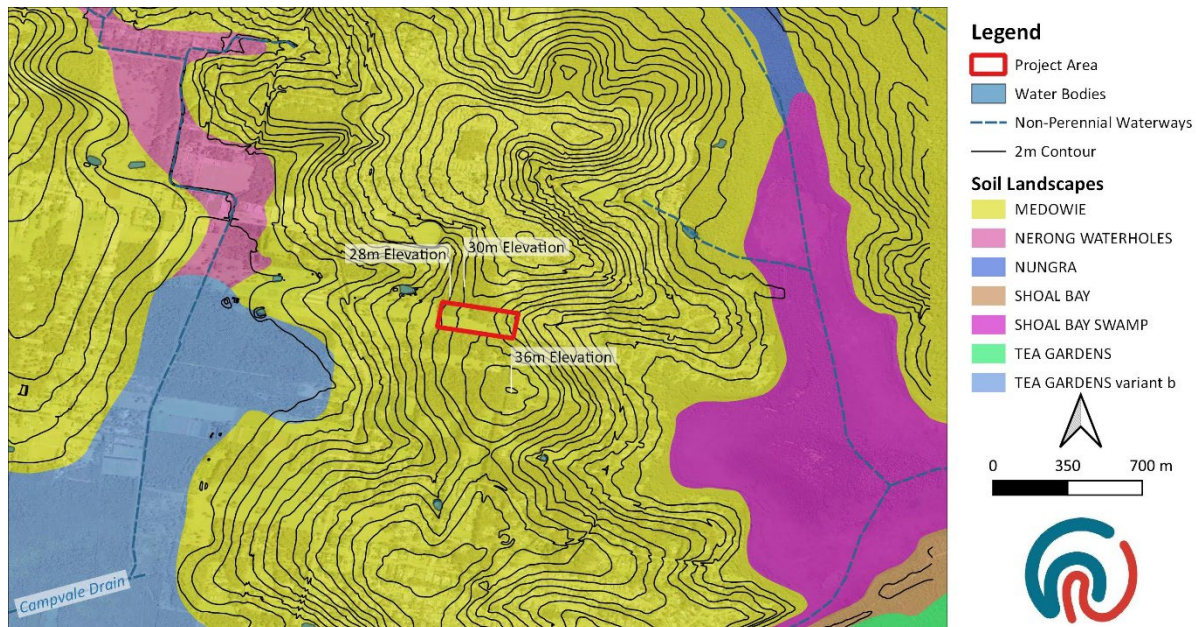


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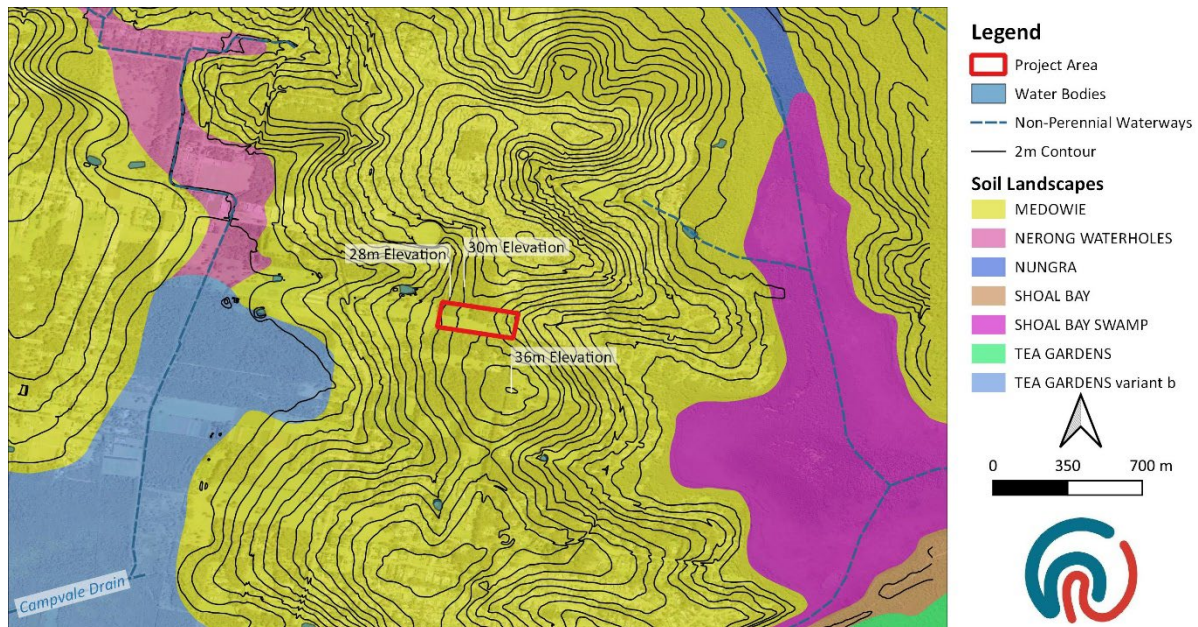


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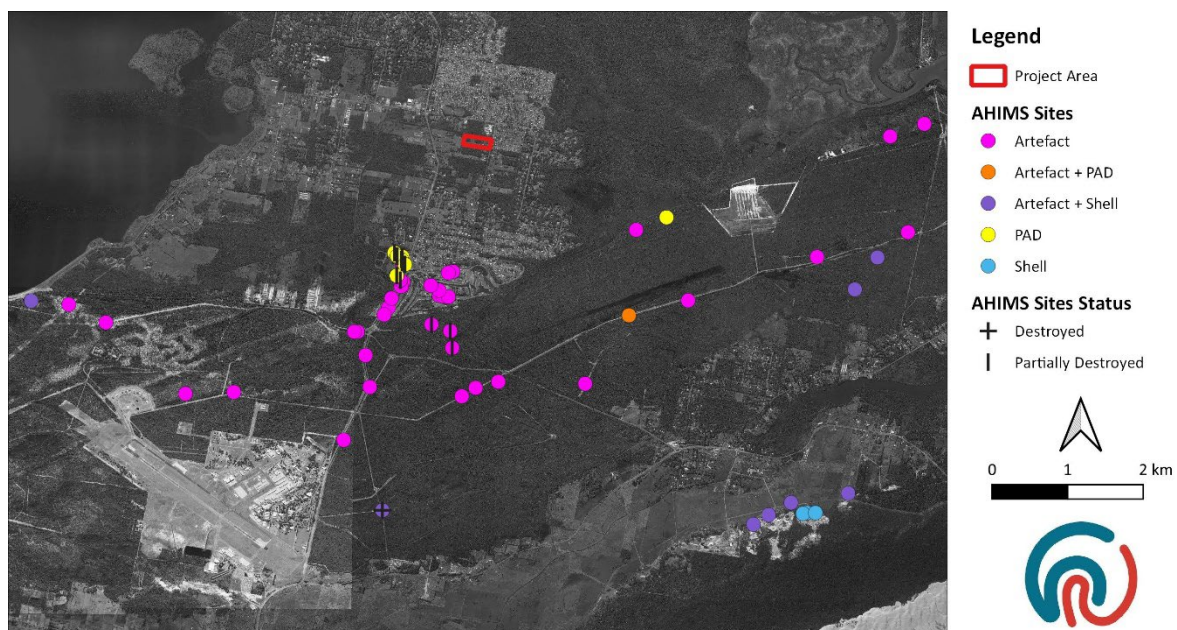


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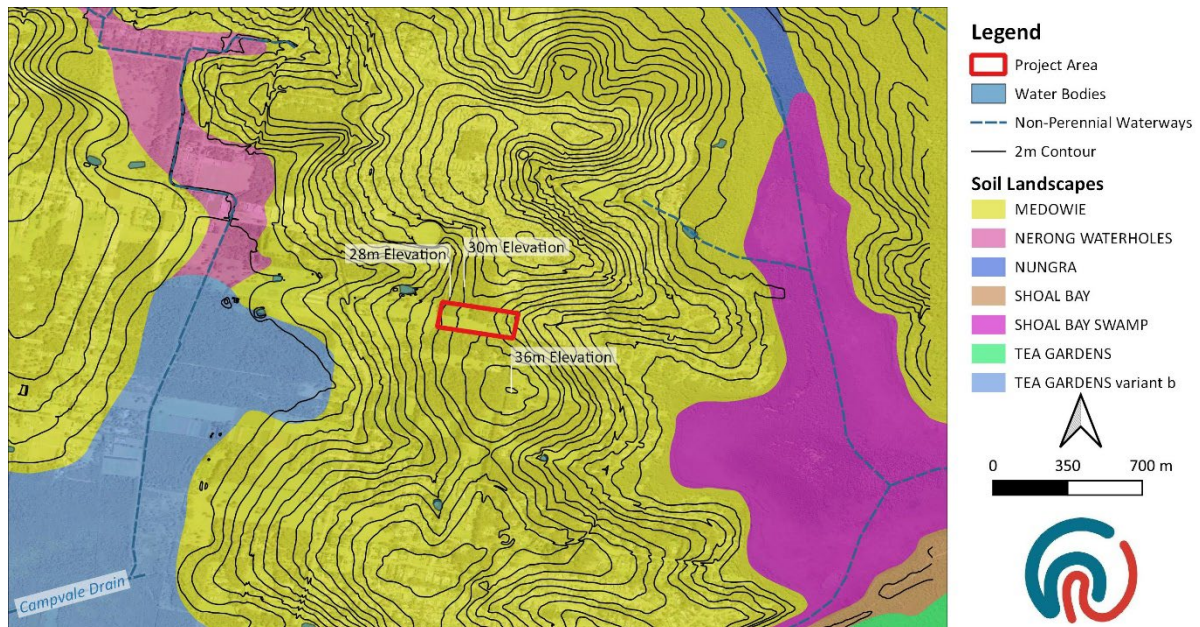


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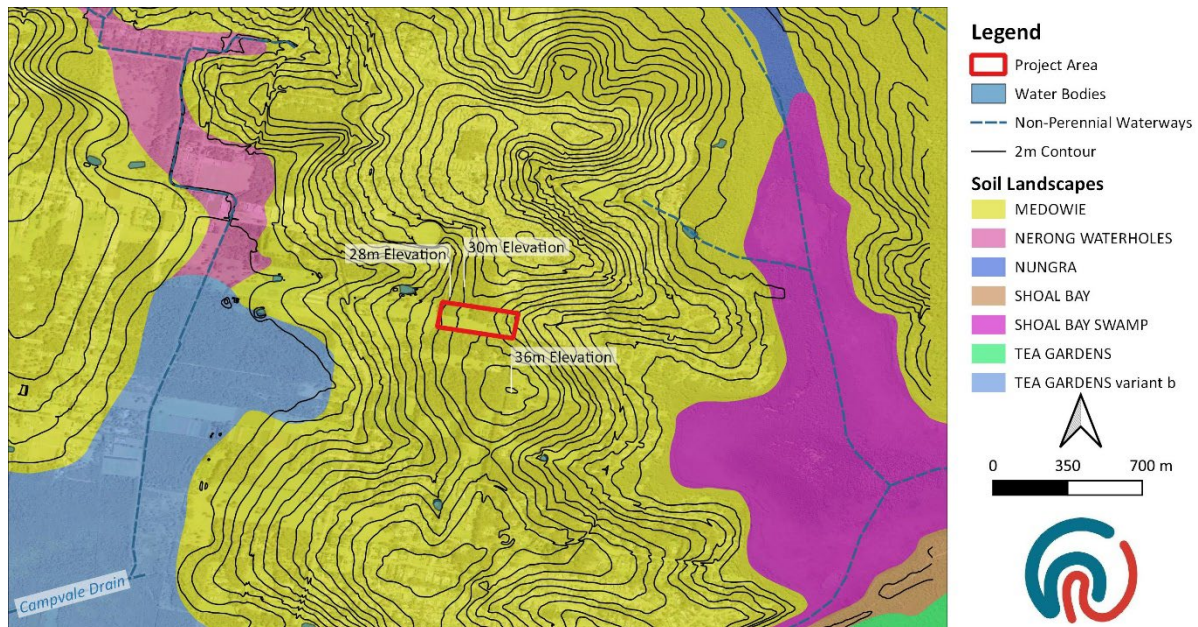


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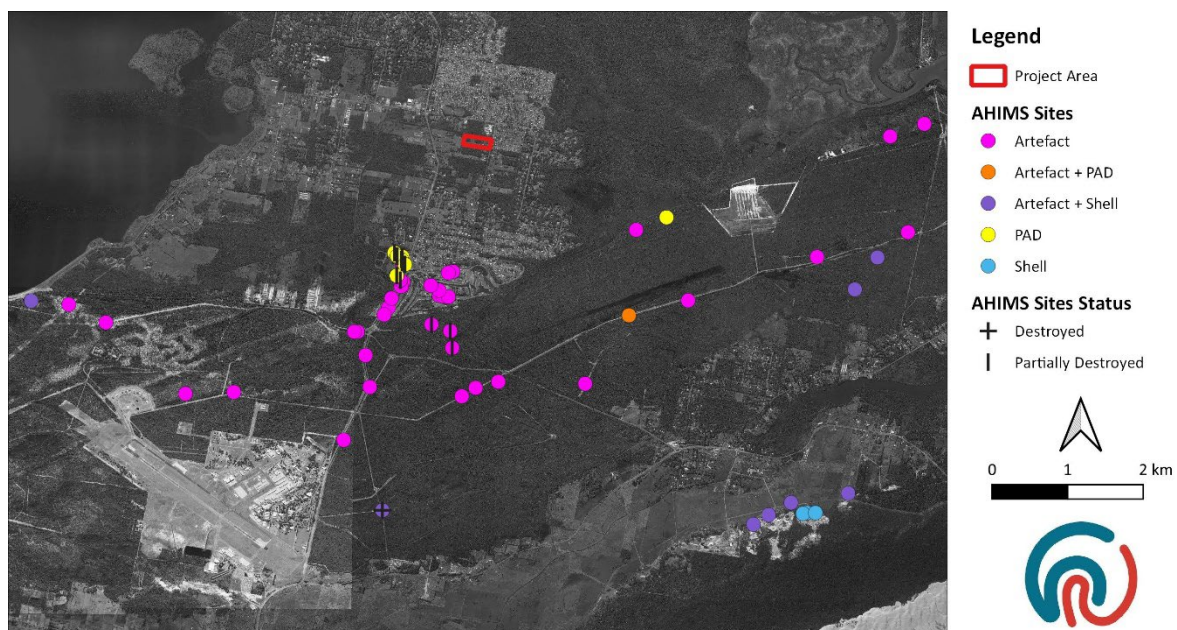


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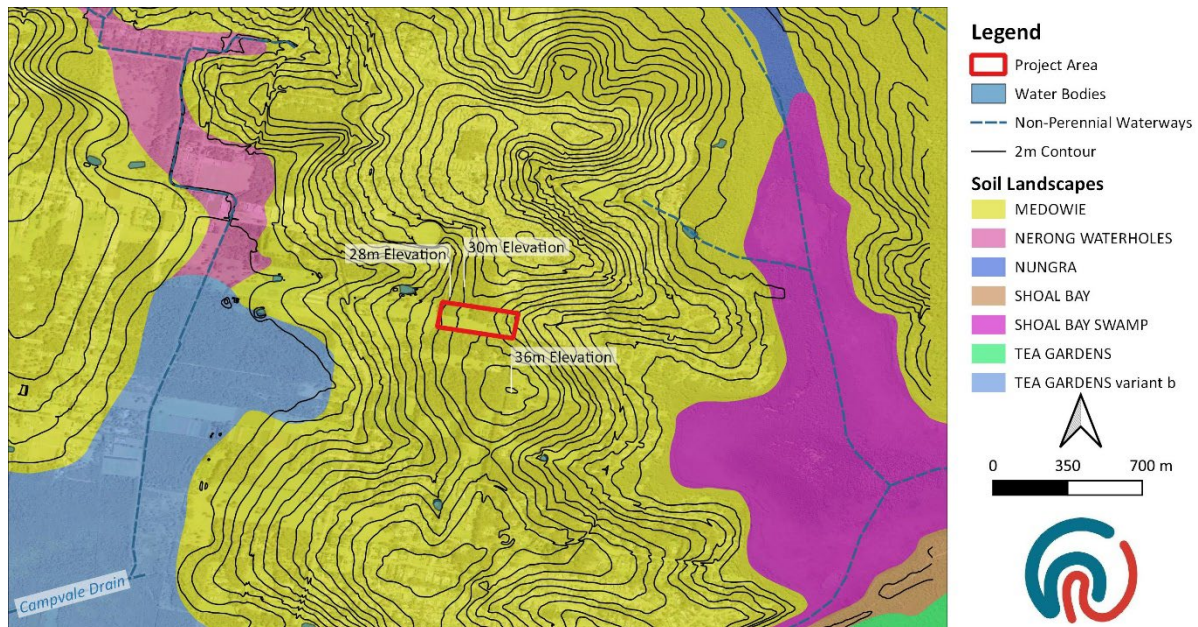


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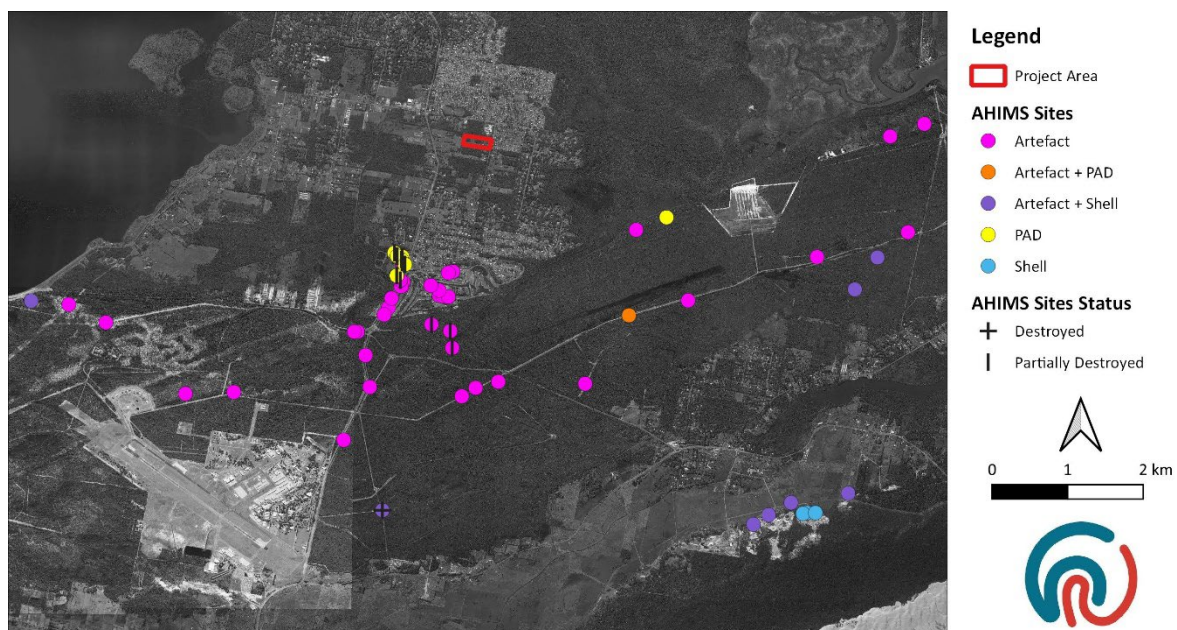


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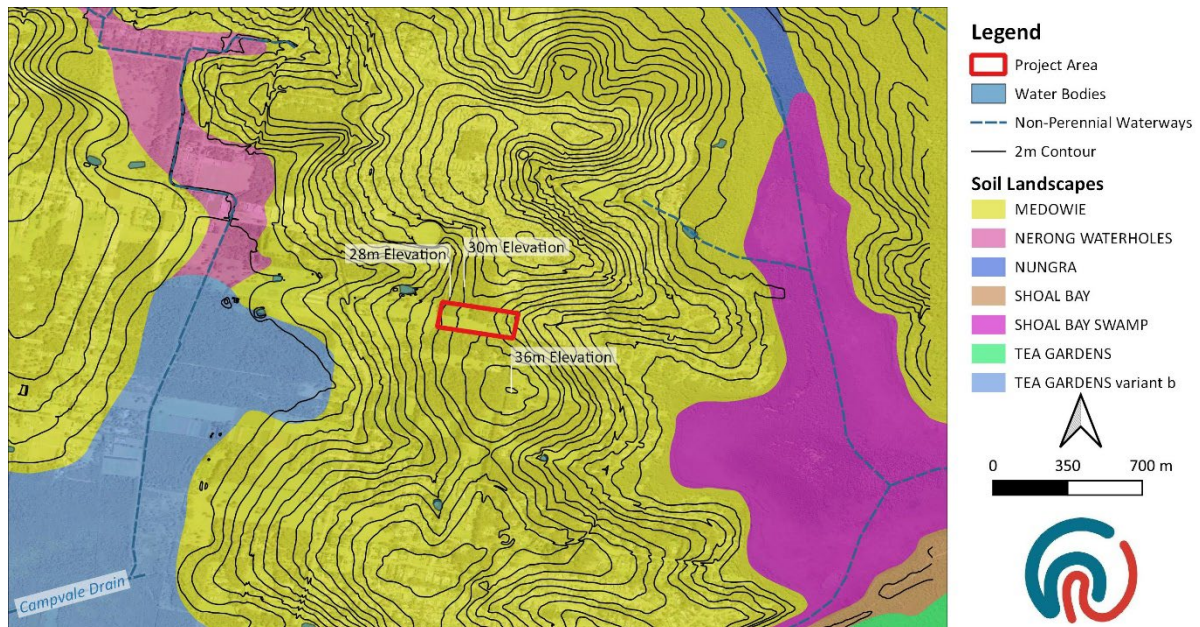


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HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

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To [REDACTED]

8 March 2023 at 22:24

Good day,

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Please note that responses/feedback are due on **April 6, 2023**.

Kind regards,
Joven



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HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

8 March 2023 at 22:26

To: Murrabidgeemullangari <murrabidgeemullangari@yahoo.com.au>

Good day,

Thank you for registering as a RAP for Medowie. Attached is the letter for the Project Methodology.

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8 March 2023 at 22:26

To: Anthony Anderson <murroomainc1@gmail.com>

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HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

8 March 2023 at 22:26

To: "lennie.anderson011 lennie.anderson011" <lennie.anderson011@bigpond.com>

Good day,

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Re: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

lilly carroll <didgengunawalclan@yahoo.com.au>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

9 March 2023 at 05:47

Hi Tessa/team

We are quite happy with your methodology for this project at Medowie

Cheers Paul

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Thursday, March 9, 2023, 1:25 am, Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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Re: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

Arthur Fletcher <arthur.c.fletcher@gmail.com>

9 March 2023 at 07:31

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Cc: Arthur Fletcher <wonn1sites@gmail.com>

Received, thank you.

On Thu, 9 Mar 2023, 1:26 am Hello At Heritage Now, <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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RE: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

9 March 2023 at 08:33

Hi Joven;

Thanks for the update and I'll see you on the
06/04/2023

David J Feeney
Chief Executive Officer
Snr Aboriginal Cultural Officer
Karuah Indigenous Company Pty.Ltd
0421114853

From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
Sent: Thursday, 9 March 2023 1:26 AM
To: karuahindigenous@outlook.com; David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>
Subject: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

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Re: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

Darleen Johnson <murrabidgeemullangari@yahoo.com.au>

16 March 2023 at 08:46

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Hi Tessa,

I have read the project information and ACHA methodology for the above project, I endorse the recommendations made.

Kind regards

Darleen Johnson

0490051102

On Thursday, 9 March 2023 at 01:26:40 am AEDT, Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Re: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

1 message

Carolyn .H [REDACTED]
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

19 March 2023 at 17:08



Contact: Carolyn Hickey
Mobile: 0411650057
Email: [REDACTED]
Address: 10 Marie Pitt Place, Glenmore Park, NSW 2745
ACN: 639 868 876
ABN: 31 639 868 876

Hi,
I have reviewed the document and support the Information and Methodology.
A1 would like to be involved in any up coming field work.

About the founder Carolyn Hickey
I am a Traditional Owner with over 25 years experience in helping preserve Aboriginal cultural heritage on projects.
I hold cultural knowledge relevant to determining the cultural significance of Aboriginal objects and values that exist in the project area.
I have attached A1 Indigenous Services Insurances.

Please feel free to publish my name, and response but not the email
Please feel free to contact me on details supplied

Kind Regards

Carolyn Hickey

When Selecting Groups for Engagement;

Please consider that **A1 INDIGENOUS SERVICES PTY LTD** is a member of the **NSW INDIGENOUS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**.

We carry the NSWICC Assured logo showing that **A1 Indigenous Services** has met National Policy requirements as upheld by the First Australians Chamber of Commerce and Industry (FACCI) for being identified as a **100% First Nations Owned Indigenous Business** That has demonstrate compliance with Government and Industry Regulators.

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A business or enterprise carrying the NSWICC Assured logo has met National Policy requirements as upheld by the First Australians Chamber of Commerce and Industry (FACCI) for being identified as a First Nations Business Owner or Entrepreneur and the business must demonstrate compliance with Government and Industry Regulators.

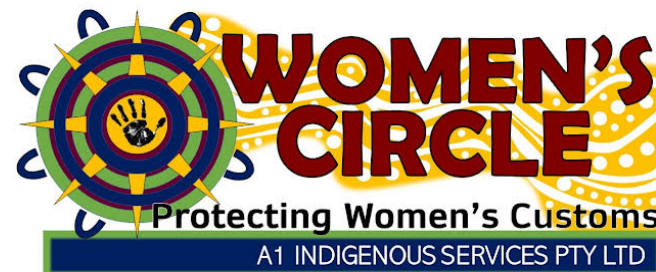
(Certificate attached) A certificate confirms that the Enterprise listed above has met all requirements of the NSWICC's Assured Program , operating as a100% Aboriginal Owned, Operated and Controlled Business. The NSW Indigenous Chamber of Commerce (NSWICC) is the Peak body for Aboriginal Business in New South Wales and a member of the First Australians Chamber of Commerce and Industry (FACCI).

A1 Indigenous Services is 100%, Indigenous Owned Australian Company
which offers a range of services to the construction industry.

It is our mission to commit to an innovative approach to a better future for Indigenous employment and community.

While improving ways to close the gap in Aboriginal participation in the construction Industry.

Building strength in aboriginal communities and our Indigenous labour force.





From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Sent: Thursday, 9 March 2023 1:24 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Methodology

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Kind regards,
Joven



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HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Draft Report for Review

1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

7 April 2023 at 10:24

To [REDACTED]

Good day,

Please find attached the Draft Medowie Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) Report.

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Kind regards,
Joven



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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

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1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Didgengunawalclan <didgengunawalclan@yahoo.com.au>

7 April 2023 at 10:25

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1 message

Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>
To: Leanne Kirkman <leannekirkman1964@gmail.com>

7 April 2023 at 10:26

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

7 April 2023 at 10:28

To: Arthur Fletcher <wonn1sites@gmail.com>, Arthur Fletcher <arthur.c.fletcher@gmail.com>

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To: Lower Hunter Aboriginal Incorporated <lowerhunterai@gmail.com>

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7 April 2023 at 10:29

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Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

7 April 2023 at 10:30

To: Worimi TOC <worimitoc@hotmail.com>

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Re: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Draft Report for Review

1 message

Arthur Fletcher <arthur.c.fletcher@gmail.com>

7 April 2023 at 12:22

To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Cc: Arthur Fletcher <wonn1sites@gmail.com>

Approved. Ps Thanks for the info and all the best and stay safe. Arthur - Kauwul and Lynne.

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Crystal

Kira

Cathy

Ngairé

Jenna

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1 message

Leanne Kirkman <leannekirkman1964@gmail.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

9 April 2023 at 15:36

I agree with report,now that there was object's and artefacts found on survey should be test excavation done, capturing the extent of sites,thanks David horton gomery cultural consultants any questions ring number provided 0458532707

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1 message

David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

26 April 2023 at 14:16

Hi Joven;

Thanks for the reading, I have read the draft Medowie Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) Report.

And in recommendation 2 if any ground works or excavation works happen we the RAPs should be there so that the project

Can keep moving on.

Thanks

David J Feeney

Chief Executive Officer

Snr Aboriginal Cultural Officer

Karuah Indigenous Company Pty.Ltd

0421114853

From: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2023 12:27 PM

To: karuahindigenous@outlook.com; David Feeney <indigenousskaruah@outlook.com>

Subject: HN587-A Brocklesby Road, Medowie ACHA Draft Report for Review

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1 message

Anthony Anderson <murroomainc1@gmail.com>
To: Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au>

1 May 2023 at 10:15

Hi Joven
Please find attached
Murrooma response draft ACHA
Thanks
Bec Young

On Thu, Apr 27, 2023 at 4:38 PM Hello At Heritage Now <hello@heritagenow.com.au> wrote:
Good day,

This is just a reminder that responses for the Draft Medowie ACHAR are due on **May 8, 2023**. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Kind regards,
Joven

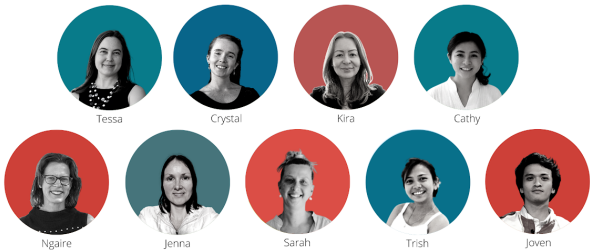


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Bec Young
Murrooma Operations Manager
0421078695

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MURROOMA



INCORPORATED

9 Vardon Road Fern Bay 2295 NSW
0421078695
0402827482
Murroomainc1@gmail.com

ABN: 97 807 719 484

Monday 1st May 2023

Heritage Now

Re: Draft Medowie-Brocklesby Rd, Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment (ACHA) Report.

To Heritage Now,

Murrooma Incorporated has read and fully understands the draft Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Assessment report for the proposed project.

We agree with all aspects of this report and have viewed the draft conclusions/recommendations section 8. Murrooma would like to comment on agreeing with the non-identification of sites and this was a true and accurate assessment of our field survey. We appreciate that the knocking down of the mature trees has been highlighted in this report and Murrooma do not understand how this was complete prior to our heritage survey as evidence of large trees that could have been used for resources in the area.

The recommendations within this draft ACHA report meet our requirements as Traditional Owners and knowledge holders of this area and maintain the protection and best options for our local Aboriginal sites.

Yours Truly

Bec Young- Operations Manager

Anthony Anderson- CEO

Appendix 2 AHIMS Search Results

AHIMS Web Services (AWS)

Extensive search - Site list report

Your Ref/PO Number : HN587-A

Client Service ID : 747133

SiteID	SiteName	Datum	Zone	Easting	Northing	Context	Site Status **	SiteFeatures	SiteTypes	Reports
38-4-0532	F1	AGD	56	393890	6373900	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	97535
	Contact	Recorders		Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists (MDCA)				Permits	1631	
38-4-0517	Medowie Five	AGD	56	394075	6373725	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	97535,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits	1631	
38-4-0518	Medowie Four	AGD	56	394000	6373745	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	97535
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits	1631	
19-4-0019	(REFER TO 38-4-0522)	AGD	56	394000	6373825	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	102218
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits		
19-4-0020	(REFER TO 38-4-0521)	AGD	56	394125	6373725	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits		
38-4-0519	Medowie Two	AGD	56	394050	6373735	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	97535,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits	1631	
38-4-0521	Medowie 1	AGD	56	394125	6373725	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	97535
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits	1631	
38-4-0522	Medowie 3	AGD	56	394000	6373825	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	97535
	Contact	Recorders		Mrs.Angela Besant				Permits	1631	
38-4-0344	BSB 1;	AGD	56	399950	6376300	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Isolated Find	2914,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Noeleen Curran				Permits		
38-4-0252	M D 2;	AGD	56	399000	6374400	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Ms.Bronwyn Conyers,Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits		
38-4-0254	M D 4	AGD	56	394800	6372400	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Ms.Bronwyn Conyers,Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits		
38-4-0255	M D 5	AGD	56	394500	6372300	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Ms.Bronwyn Conyers,Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits		
38-4-0256	M D 7	AGD	56	393100	6372300	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102390
	Contact	Recorders		Ms.Bronwyn Conyers,Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits	3271,3444,4143	
38-4-0291	Tanilba Bay 4;	AGD	56	400400	6376500	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,2123,102218,102622
	Contact	Recorders		Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits		
38-4-0298	SA 1;	AGD	56	398400	6370350	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -	Midden	2090
	Contact	Recorders		Doctor.Jillian Comber,A Powell				Permits		
38-4-0299	SA 2;	AGD	56	398200	6370200	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -	Midden	2090
	Contact	Recorders		Doctor.Jillian Comber,A Powell				Permits		
38-4-0220	Galloping Swamp	AGD	56	391300	6372200	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	
	Contact	Recorders		Pam Dean-Jones				Permits		
38-4-0251	M D 1;	AGD	56	400200	6374800	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102218
	Contact	Recorders		Ms.Bronwyn Conyers,Pam Dean-Jones,M Heath				Permits		

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38-4-0328	Moffats Dune;	AGD	56	396600	6374800	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	2411,2559,102218
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Mr.Matthew Barber					<u>Permits</u>	383,403,431	
38-4-0331	Moffats Swamp 2	AGD	56	394155	6373189	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	2578,102218
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Mr.Neville Baker, Miss.Nicola Roche					<u>Permits</u>	3621	
38-4-0332	Moffats Swamp 3	AGD	56	393905	6373289	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	2578,102218
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Mr.Neville Baker, Miss.Nicola Roche					<u>Permits</u>	469,3621	
38-4-0110	Salt Ash; Middle Ridge;	AGD	56	399800	6374400	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -	Midden	102218
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Len Dyll					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0112	Salt Ash; Tillygerry Creek;	AGD	56	399506	6373896	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -	Midden	
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Len Dyll					<u>Permits</u>		
38-3-0038	Tomago 2 TK2	AGD	56	389100	6373550	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1339,1964,102420
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Hillary Du Cros, Laura-Jane Smith					<u>Permits</u>	3466	
38-4-0614	MS1	AGD	56	394180	6374120	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Ms.Louise Gay					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0615	MS2	AGD	56	394120	6374100	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Ms.Louise Gay					<u>Permits</u>	1378	
38-4-0650	A5 - Tomaree/Tomago	AGD	56	399450	6370700	Open site	Valid	Shell : 2, Artefact : 2		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	MCH - McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0651	A6 - Tomaree/Tomago	AGD	56	398907	6370389	Open site	Valid	Shell : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	MCH - McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0652	A7 - Tomaree/Tomago	AGD	56	398854	6370376	Open site	Valid	Shell : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	MCH - McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0653	A8 - Tomaree/Tomago	AGD	56	399022	6370394	Open site	Valid	Shell : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	MCH - McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0680	PAD 2: Tomaree to Tomago	AGD	56	397000	6375000	Open site	Valid	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : 0		98386,98387,100959
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	MCH - McCardle Cultural Heritage Pty Ltd, ERM - Thornton					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0678	Medowie ISF 1	AGD	56	393890	6373900	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Mary Dallas Consulting Archaeologists (MDCA)					<u>Permits</u>	1631	
38-4-0844	salt ash mine 1	AGD	56	398695	6370545	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Worimi Local Aboriginal Land Council - Tanilba Bay					<u>Permits</u>	2268	
38-4-0315	R 1	AGD	56	388600	6373600	Open site	Valid	Shell : -, Artefact : -	Midden	1845
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Andrew Ross, Pam Dean-Jones, Mr.Luke Godwin, M Heath					<u>Permits</u>		

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38-4-0253	M D 3;	AGD	56	397300	6373700	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,102218
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-0290	Tanilba 3;Tanilba - Oyster_Cove.;	AGD	56	400400	6376500	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -	Open Camp Site	1845,2123,102218,102622
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-1184	SFMS1	AGD	56	399020	6370390	Open site	Valid	Shell : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-1206	EA Williamtown 1	GDA	56	393381	6373626	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		102390,104516
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3271,3444,3644	
38-4-1281	Campvale AS1	GDA	56	389698	6373462	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 6		
	<u>Contact</u> Worimi Local Aboriginal Land	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-1379	EA Williamtown 2	GDA	56	393142	6372986	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 40		102390
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3271,3444,4143	
38-4-1380	EA Williamtown 3	GDA	56	392867	6371655	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 2		102390
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3444,4143	
38-4-1597	OFOC Area 1	GDA	56	394288	6373114	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3621	
38-4-1634	Pole 4300-047	GDA	56	396623	6373649	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -, Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	4177	
38-4-1618	TP 4 & 5 Medowie Power	GDA	56	393611	6374448	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : 3		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3644	
38-4-1619	TP 7, 9 & 10 MedowiePower	GDA	56	393591	6374168	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : 12		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3644	
38-4-1620	TP3 MedowiePower	GDA	56	393476	6373883	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 10		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3644	
38-4-1648	AUS1903-03	GDA	56	393391	6370559	Open site	Destroyed	Artefact : -, Shell : -		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>	3729	
38-4-1627	TP7 9 103#####	GDA	56	393591	6374168	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-1628	TP5#####	GDA	56	393611	6374448	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Artefact : 1		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>						<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-1930	HWC Pole 4318-10 access track AS	GDA	56	396055	6372571	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		

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	Contact	Recorders	Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited - Individual users,Ms.Alison Lamond							Permits 4177
38-4-1928	HWC Pole 4300-29 IF	GDA	56	394423	6372357	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited - Individual users,Ms.Alison Lamond							Permits 4177
38-4-1929	RAAF Williamtown OLA Site	GDA	56	390764	6372358	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Umwelt (Australia) Pty Limited - Individual users,Ms.Alison Lamond							Permits 4177
38-4-1904	EA Campvale 1	GDA	56	393033	6373353	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	AMAC Group P/L,Mr.Benjamin Streat							Permits 4143
38-4-1905	EA Campvale 2	GDA	56	392988	6373353	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	AMAC Group P/L,Mr.Benjamin Streat							Permits 4143
38-4-1906	EA Campvale 3	GDA	56	392988	6373353	Open site	Valid	Artefact : 1		
	Contact	Recorders	AMAC Group P/L,Mr.Benjamin Streat							Permits 4143
38-4-1970	Medowie PAD 01	GDA	56	393541	6374239	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-1971	Medowie PAD 02	GDA	56	393508	6374597	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-1972	Medowie PAD 4	GDA	56	393611	6374535	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-1973	Medowie PAD 03	GDA	56	393600	6374494	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-1974	Medowie PAD 5	GDA	56	393543	6374547	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-1975	Medowie PAD 06	GDA	56	393648	6374415	Open site	Partially Destroyed	Potential Archaeological Deposit (PAD) : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-2034	Medowie RD IF-2	GDA	56	393621	6374079	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-2028	Medowie RD AD-01	GDA	56	393629	6374138	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		
	Contact	Recorders	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats							Permits
38-4-2029	Medowie RD AD-02	GDA	56	393601	6374071	Open site	Valid	Artefact : -		

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	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats					<u>Permits</u>		
38-4-2030	Medowie RD IF-3	GDA	56	393438	6373736	Open site	Valid	Artefact :-		
	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Recorders</u>	Biosis Pty Ltd - Wollongong,Mrs.Samantha Keats					<u>Permits</u>		

**** Site Status**

Valid - The site has been recorded and accepted onto the system as valid

Destroyed - The site has been completely impacted or harmed usually as consequence of permit activity but sometimes also after natural events. There is nothing left of the site on the ground but proponents should proceed with caution.

Partially Destroyed - The site has been only partially impacted or harmed usually as consequence of permit activity but sometimes also after natural events. There might be parts or sections of the original site still present on the ground

Not a site - The site has been originally entered and accepted onto AHIMS as a valid site but after further investigations it was decided it is NOT an aboriginal site. Impact of this type of site does not require permit but Heritage NSW should be notified

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