



Habitat Protection

Financial Assistance for Land for Wildlife and Rural Support programs

Land for Wildlife and Rural Support landholders are invited to apply for Habitat Protection financial assistance to undertake natural resource management works on private property. The funding period commences July 1 2009 and finishes June 30 2010. As funding is limited, financial assistance is capped to a maximum of \$750 per property. **Please note that financial support is given by way of supply of materials and contract labour.**

What activities are eligible for financial assistance?

- Tree planting to rehabilitate degraded areas
- Environmental weed control
- Sediment and erosion control
- Fauna friendly fencing
- Pest animal management
- Fire management planning

Will I need to maintain my works in the long term?

It is expected that the landholder will demonstrate a commitment to the long term maintenance of the project.

Will I need to contribute anything to the project?

The landholder is expected to match the funding 1:1. This can be as cash or “in-kind”, where the landholder contributes their own physical labour, use of own machinery or project materials. In-kind labour contributions are costed at \$25/hr.

The Senior Extension Officer – Habitat Protection will contact you about your financial assistance application and may need to visit your property to discuss.

If you have any further questions please contact Gavin Hammermeister on 3820 1102 or email at gavin.hammermeister@redland.qld.gov.au

Financial Assistance Application

Name	
Postal Address	
Property Address – if different	
Day phone contact	
Email	
LFW or RS	

1. I wish to apply for Habitat Protection financial assistance to undertake the following natural resource management works on my LFW/RS property.

- Tree planting to rehabilitate degraded areas.
Details _____

- Environmental weed control
Details _____

- Sediment and erosion control works
Details _____

- Fauna friendly fencing.
Details _____

- Pest animal management
Details _____

- Fire Management.
Details _____

2. The total approximate cost of these works (financial assistance + landholder contribution). \$ _____

3. The approximate cost of the financial assistance requested from Habitat Protection. Please itemise cost and numbers required for materials/contract labour. If you require assistance costing materials/contract labour please contact the Extension Officer – Habitat Protection on 3824 8611.

\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____
\$ _____

Total \$ _____

Landholder Declaration – I have read the information regarding the Habitat Protection financial assistance application. I will use the resources supplied on the project I have nominated and understand that the Senior Extension Officer – Habitat Protection will need to undertake a site visit to inspect. I also understand and accept that if any permits or approvals are required to undertake the project, it is my responsibility to obtain such approvals prior to commencing works, and that all work will be undertaken in accordance with the permit.

Signature: _____	Date: _____
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Please return request form to Redland City Council, Senior Extension Officer – Habitat Protection, PO Box 21, Cleveland QLD 4163.