

CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Area Permit Number: 3039 / 2 File Number: DEC10759

Duration of Permit: From 2 May 2009 to 2 May 2016

PERMIT HOLDER

Manjimup Country Club Inc.

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

LOTS 6217 & 11580 ON DEPOSITED PLAN 225715 LOT 6216 ON DEPOSITED PLAN 225715

AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

Clearing of up to 65 trees within the area cross-hatched yellow on attached Plan 3039/2.

CONDITIONS

Nil.

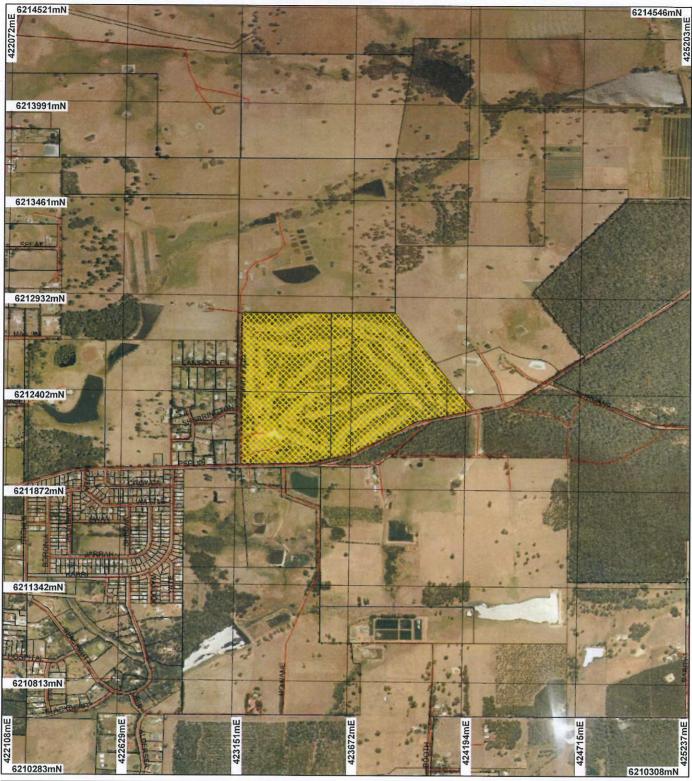
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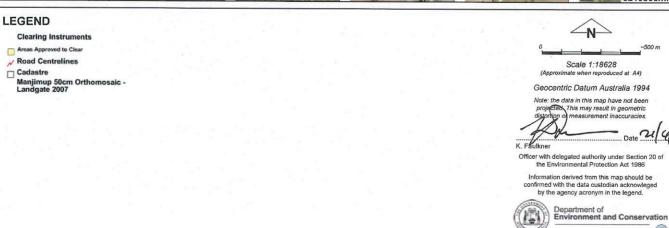
NATIVE VEGETATION CONSERVATION BRANCH

Officer delegated under Section 20 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

21 April 2011

Plan 3039/2





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Clearing Permit Decision Report

1. Application details

Permit application details

Permit application No.:

Area Permit

1.2. Proponent details

Proponent's name:

Manjimup Country Club Incorporated

Property details

Property:

Permit type:

LOT 6217 ON PLAN 225715 (Lot No. 6217 PERUP MANJIMUP 6258) LOT 6216 ON PLAN 225715 (Lot No. 6216 PERUP MANJIMUP 6258) LOT 11580 ON PLAN 225715 (Lot No. 11580 PERUP MANJIMUP 6258)

Local Government Area:

Shire of Manjimup

Application

Clearing Area (ha)

No. Trees

Method of Clearing

For the purpose of:

Mechanical Removal

Hazard reduction or fire control

Decision on application Grant

Decision on Permit Application:

Decision Date:

21 April 2011

2. Site Information

Existing environment and information

2.1.1. Description of the native vegetation under application

Vegetation Description

Beard vegetation association: 3 Bridgetown -Medium forest of jarrah-marri (Shepherd, 2009).

Mattiske vegetation association: Approximately 95% of the area is mapped as Bevan 1 (BE1) Tall open forest of Corymbia calophylla-Eucalyptus marginata subsp. marginata on uplands in perhumid and humid zones; with aproximately 5% mapped as Yanmah (YN2) Mixture of tall open forest of Eucalyptus marginata subsp. marginata-Corymbia calophylla on slopes and low woodland of Banksia littoralis-Banskia seminuda on valley floors in the humid zone (Mattiske and Havel, 1998).

Clearing Description

A site inspection identified that the dominant trees species to be removed are marri and jarrah (DEC 2009).

Vegetation Condition

Degraded: Structure severely disturbed; regeneration to good condition requires intensive management (Keighery 1994)

Comment

Vegetation condition was determined from aerial photography and photographs provided by the Warren Region site visit (DEC 2009).

3. Assessment of application against clearing principles

Comments

As requested by the applicant, this amendment has been made to extend the duration of the permit by a further 5 years and to increase the total number of trees to be cleared to 65. The addition clearing is proposed to take place within the same footprint area authorised under CPS 3039/1 and therefore the assessment against the clearing principles has not changed and can be found in Clearing Permit Decision Report CPS 3039/1.

Methodology

Planning instrument, Native Title, Previous EPA decision or other matter.

Comments

No submissions from the public have been received.

No EP Act licences or approvals are required.

Methodology

4. References

- DEC (2009) Site Inspection Report for Clearing Permit Application CPS 3039/1, Lots 6216, 6217 & 11580 Perup and Golf Links Rds, Manjimup. Site inspection undertaken 22-3-09. Department of Environment and Conservation, Western Australia (TRIM Ref. DOC80409).
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- Shepherd, D.P. (2009) Adapted from: Shepherd, D.P., Beeston, G.R., and Hopkins, A.J.M. (2001), Native Vegetation in Western Australia. Technical Report 249. Department of Agriculture Western Australia, South Perth.

5. Glossary

Term Meaning

BCS Biodiversity Coordination Section of DEC

CALM Department of Conservation and Land Management (now BCS)

DAFWA Department of Agriculture and Food

DEC Department of Environment and Conservation

DEP Department of Environmental Protection (now DEC)

DoE Department of Environment

DoIR Department of Industry and Resources

DRF Declared Rare Flora

EPP Environmental Protection Policy
GIS Geographical Information System
ha Hectare (10,000 square metres)
TEC Threatened Ecological Community
WRC Water and Rivers Commission (now DEC)