



GOVERNMENT OF
WESTERN AUSTRALIA

CLEARING PERMIT

Granted under section 51E of the Environmental Protection Act 1986

PERMIT DETAILS

Area Permit Number: 6949/1
File Number: 2014/002669-1
Duration of Permit: 7 May 2016 to 7 May 2018

PERMIT HOLDER

Shire of Plantagenet

LAND ON WHICH CLEARING IS TO BE DONE

Crown Reserve R1790, Mount Barker

AUTHORISED ACTIVITY

The Permit Holder shall not clear more than five native trees within the area cross hatched yellow on attached Plan 6949/1.

CONDITIONS

Nil.

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J Widenbar
MANAGER
CLEARING REGULATION

*Officer delegated under Section 20
of the Environmental Protection Act 1986*

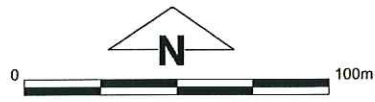
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Plan 6949/1



Legend

-  Roads
-  Imagery
-  Clearing Instruments Activities
-  Local Government Authority
-  Cadastre



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 (Approximate when reproduced at A4)
 GDA 94 (Lat/Long)
 Geocentric Datum of Australia 1994

J Widenbar Date *7/4/2016*
 J Widenbar

Officer with delegated authority under Section 20 of the Environmental Protection Act 1986





1. Application details

1.1. Permit application details

Permit application No.: 6949/1
Permit type: Area Permit

1.2. Applicant details

Applicant's name: Shire of Plantagenet

1.3. Property details

Property: CROWN RESERVE R1790, MOUNT BARKER
Colloquial name:
Local Government Authority: PLANTAGENET, SHIRE OF
DER Region: South Coast
DPaW District: FRANKLAND
LCDC:
Localities: MOUNT BARKER

1.4. Application

Clearing Area (ha)	No. Trees	Method of Clearing	For the purpose of:
	5	Mechanical Removal	Dam expansion

1.5. Decision on application

Decision on Permit Application: Granted
Decision Date: 7 April 2016
Reasons for Decision: The clearing application has been assessed against the clearing principles, planning instruments and other matters in accordance with s51O of the Environmental Protection Act 1986, and it has been concluded that the proposed clearing is not likely to be at variance to any of the clearing principles.

Through assessment it has been determined that the clearing is unlikely to have any significant environmental impacts. State policies and other relevant policies have been taken into consideration in the decision to grant a clearing permit.

2. Site Information

2.1. Existing environment and information

2.1.1. Description of the native vegetation under application

Vegetation Description	Clearing Description	Vegetation Condition	Comment
Beard vegetation association 3: Medium forest; jarrah-marri (Shepherd et al, 2001)	The application is to clear 5 native trees within Crown Reserve R1790, Mount Barker, for the purpose of expanding an existing dam.	Completely Degraded; No longer intact, completely/almost completely without native species (Keighery, 1994).	The condition of the vegetation under application was determined via aerial imagery.

3. Assessment of application against clearing principles

Comments The application is to clear up to five native trees for the purpose of expanding an existing dam. The vegetation under application is in a completely degraded (Keighery, 1994) condition.

Consideration has been given to impacts to biodiversity, significant fauna habitat, rare flora, threatened ecological communities, remnant vegetation values, land degradation, surface water quality, groundwater quality, and flooding. The assessment has found that the clearing under application is not likely to be at variance to any of the remaining clearing principles.

There are no Aboriginal Sites of Significance recorded within the area under application.

No submissions relating to this application have been received.

Methodology References:
Keighery (1994)

GIS Databases:

- Parks and Wildlife Tenure
- Hydrography, linear
- Hydrography, heirachery
- IBRA Australia
- Groundwater salinity, statewide
- Pre-European Vegetation
- SAC Biodatasets (Accessed February 2016)

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Keighery, B.J. (1994) Bushland Plant Survey: A Guide to Plant Community Survey for the Community. Wildflower Society of WA (Inc). Nedlands, Western Australia.

Shepherd, D.P., Beeston, G.R. and Hopkins, A.J.M. (2001) Native Vegetation in Western Australia, Extent, Type and Status. Resource Management Technical Report 249. Department of Agriculture, Western Australia.