

# Saving our Species project 2015-2016 annual report card Clandulla Geebung

#### Species attributes

Scientific name:	Persoonia marginata
NSW status:	Vulnerable
Commonwealth status:	Vulnerable
Management stream:	Site-managed



Photographer: J. Plaza

#### Overall project status\*



Populations at all sites are on target.



Populations at one or more sites were not monitored this year, but threat management is on target. Populations at remaining sites are on target.



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#### **Project summary**

Priority management sites:	Clandulla State Forest
Action implementation:	3 of 3 actions were implemented as planned for the financial year (includes species population monitoring actions + other project actions fully or partially implemented)
Total expenditure:	\$4,589 (\$788 cash; \$3,801 in-kind)
Project partners:	Office of Environment and Heritage



<sup>\*</sup> For SoS priority management sites (may not include all locations where the species occurs in NSW)

## Management site 1: Clandulla State Forest

LGA: Mid-Western Regional

Project partners: Office of Environment and Heritage

Estimated species population size: >1000

#### Population status

On target

On target (inferred)

Not on target (inferred)

Not on target

Baseline

Long term target	Annual target	Index	Monitoring result	Confidence in monitoring	Conducted by
Ensure that the species population increases or remains stable +/-20% in the long term.	In the absence of fire, the average decrease in density of <i>Persoonia marginata</i> ramets (as defined in the monitoring plan) across all 50x50m and 20x20m plots does not exceed 20%.	Other	The average change in density across all eight 50x50m and 20x20m plots was 16% and 17% respectively. Taking an average of each of the three paired plots provides a density of 10% and 18%.	Moderate	Office of Environment and Heritage

#### Investment

Project participant	Cash	In-kind
Office of Environment and Heritage	\$788	\$3,801

#### Management actions

The project actions below (including research and survey actions) are those identified as being required in 2015-16 to secure the species in the wild.

Threat	Management action	Implemented as planned?
Habitat loss and degradation due to mining, forestry activities, trail construction/maintenance, and recreational activities.	Liaison with Forestry Corporation of NSW to write-in site management for this species.	Yes

#### Threat status

This table includes critical threats that were monitored at this site, this financial year.

Threat	Annual target	Threat status	Confidence in monitoring
Habitat loss and degradation due to mining, forestry activities, trail construction/maintenance, and recreational activities.	In the absence of fire, the average decrease in density of <i>Persoonia marginata</i> ramets (as defined in the monitoring plan) across all 50x50m and 20x20m plots does not exceed 20%.	On target	Moderate

### Site summary

Monitoring was undertaken across eight sites in Clandulla State Forest in a sampling design that accommodates assessment of future burn plans by the Forestry Corporation of NSW.