

Priorities Action Statement

Illawarra Subtropical Rainforest in the Sydney Basin Bioregion (Illawarra Subtropical Rainforest in the Sydney Basin Bioregion)

Action Title	Priority
Map the extent and condition of all remnants NB This has already been done for Wollongong LGA.	1
[Habitat assessment] Develop criteria for assessing the conservation significance of remnants.	1
[Habitat assessment] Undertake conservation significance assessment for all remnants.	1
Seek to increase the level of legislative protection afforded remnants through land use planning mechanisms and conservation agreements. Maintain or, where lost, re-establish vegetative links between the remnants.	2
[guidelines] Prepare profile and EIA guidelines.	2
[guidelines] Prepare best practice management guidelines for remnants.	2
Prepare and implement management plans for remnants that occur on public land.	2
Develop awareness and incentives programs to promote and encourage best practice management of remnants on private land.	2
Undertake targeted bush regeneration work to restore and maintain remnants.	2
Exclude fire from remnants.	2
Implement measures (fencing, gates, bollards, formal trails, signs etc) to control/restrict pedestrian and vehicular access to sites and prevent rubbish dumping, where required.	2
Encourage regeneration by fencing remnants and excluding livestock.	2
Implement measures to prevent/control inappropriate water flows and erosion.	2
Develop interpretive programs for high profile sites on public lands.	3
Undertake management focused research.	2
Implement deer and goat management programs; monitor impacts and results.	2
Reserve Fire Management Strategy to include operational guidelines to protect this species from fire.	2