

The following is a summary of matters considered by the National Parks and Wildlife Advisory Council at its 67th meeting held on 10-11 September 2019.

Membership

This was the first meeting for Brian Everingham, who was recently reappointed to the Council after a break in his term. Mr Everingham has been appointed as a person with expertise in non-government organisations concerned with the conservation of nature, nominated by the National Parks Association of NSW.

Plans of management

Council provided advice on the following:

- Toorale National Park draft plan of management
- Upper Nepean State Conservation Area draft plan of management.

Leases and licences

Council provided advice on the proposed lease for Apex Chalet, Kosciuszko National Park.

Reports

Council discussed the following strategic issues:

- Improving access to national parks, including digital and safety initiatives
- Visitor infrastructure project updates
- Aboriginal cultural heritage projects, including indigenous protected areas, joint management programs and legislation reforms
- National Parks and Wildlife Advisory Council strategic planning.

More information

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