



# Bush Fire Preparation Map



## WONBOYN (EXTENDED AREA)

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### WORKS PROGRAM

Map Ref No.	Strategy	Action	Responsible Agency	Target / Action Date (Year)
1	Hazard Reduction	HR: Inspect SFAZ and APZ. Maintain SFAZ & APZ in Wonboyn in line with VPP	DL, LGA, Private	2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16
	Preparedness	Maintain CPP	DL, LGA, DECC, Private, RFS, FCNSW	2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16
	Community Engagement	Conduct Community Engagement Activities	RFS	2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16
2	Preparedness	Inspect Fire Trails. Undertake routine maintenance if required.	DECC, FCNSW, RFS	02/2007 Fire Trails Policy
3	Hazard Reduction	Maintenance of Strategic lineal break along Wonboyn Road	BVSC (RFS)	2012/13, 2015/16
4	Hazard Reduction	Carry out Hazard Reduction Barms in SFAZ as per burn schedule	DECC, FCNSW, RFS, Private	2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16
5	Hazard Reduction	Maintain NSP	BVSC (RFS)	2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16
	Hazard Reduction	Implement proposed SFAZ in FRSW	FCNSW	2013
	Property Planning	Conduct Hotspots program with residents on target blocks surrounding Wonboyn Village	RFS (DECC, FCNSW, DECCW, NCC)	2013/2014, 2014/15
6	Preparedness	Maintain APZ around dwellings in Residential Preparation Zone and Develop and maintain Bush Fire Survival Plan.	Private	Ongoing Annually
	Hazard Reduction	Inspect and Maintain easements (slashing / spraying works)	Essential Energy	Ongoing Bi-annually

### Is your property fire-safe?



- Cut back any overhanging trees or shrubs and dispose of cuttings appropriately.
- Check the condition of your roof and replace any damaged or missing tiles.
- Clean leaves from the roof, gutters and downpipes and fit quality metal leaf guards.
- Non-combustible fences are the most effective at withstanding the intense heat generated by bush fire.
- Plant trees and shrubs that are less likely to ignite due to their low oil content.
- If you have a water tank, dam or swimming pool, consider installing a Static Water Supply sign (SWS).
- Enclose sub-floor areas.
- Store wood piles well away from the house and keep covered.
- Keep garden mulch away from the house and keep grass short.
- Make sure the pressure relief valves on LPG cylinders face outwards.
- Ensure you have a hose which is long enough to reach every part of the home.
- Remove and store any flammable items away from the house.
- Install metal fly-wire or solid screens to the outside windows and doors.
- Have a non-combustible doormat.

Zone	Purpose	Suppression Objectives	Zone Characteristics
<b>Asset Protection Zone</b>	To protect human life, property and highly valued public assets and values.	To enable the safe use of Direct Attack suppression strategies within the zone. To minimise bush fire	As per RFS document Standards for Asset Protection Zones.
<b>Strategic Fire Advantage Zone</b>	To provide strategic areas of fire protection advantage which will reduce the speed and intensity of bush fires, and reduce the potential for spot fire development; To aid containment of wildfires to existing management boundaries.	To improve the likelihood and safe use of Parallel Attack suppression strategies within the zone. and/or Indirect Attack (back burning) in high to very high fire weather conditions within the zone. To reduce the likelihood of Crown fire development within the zone, and/or Spot fire ignition potential from the zone.	Zone width related to suppression objectives and dependant upon: • Topography • Aspect • Spotting propensity • Location of adjacent firebreaks • Mosaic pattern of treatment • Assess Overall Fuel Hazard (OFH) once vegetation communities reach minimum fire thresholds within this plan. • Management practices should aim to achieve mosaic fuel reduction patterns so that the majority of the SFAZ has an OFH of less than high.
<b>Resident Preparation Zone</b>	To identify that residents have a vital role to play in bush fire risk management and that they are responsible for their own property preparedness.	To increase the preparedness of residents for bush fire and ensure that vegetation in close proximity to residential assets are adequately maintained. To provide a defensible space for residents / fire fighters and complement hazard reduction works carried out within Asset Protection Zones / Strategic Fire Advantage Zones.	Residents should strive to achieve a 'Fire-Safe' property as outlined in the illustration above. Concerns regarding the bush fire safety of neighbouring properties should be raised with the NSW Rural Fire Service.

**LEGEND**

- Proposed Asset Protection Zone
- Proposed Strategic Fire Advantage Zone
- Asset Protection Zone
- Strategic Fire Advantage Zone
- Residential Preparation Zone
- Proposed Fire Trail
- Fire Trails
  - Category 1, Essential
  - Category 1, Important
  - Category 1, Dormant
  - Category 1, Unassigned
  - Category 7, Essential
  - Category 7, Important
  - Category 7, Dormant
  - Category 7, Unassigned
- Category 9, Essential
- Category 9, Important
- Category 9, Dormant
- Category 9, Unassigned
- Unassigned, Essential
- Unassigned, Important
- Unassigned, Dormant
- Unassigned, Unassigned
- <Null>, <Null>

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