



## CAPABILITY STATEMENT | Environmental Management Plans



Natural Area have the capability to develop, review and implement various types of environmental management plans. This capability stems from many years of practical hands on experience in the field, working closely with clients, environmental agencies and contractors.

Our capability in developing environmental management plans extends to preparing and reviewing management plans in line with specifications and requirements established by the client and or Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions (DBCA), implementing plans or managing contractors and monitoring and reporting.

The general aim of any management plan is to describe the current site conditions, prescribe management actions with measurable criteria, and stipulate a timeframe for the management plan to be implemented.

Natural Area can prepare the following types of management plans:

- Reserve management
- Revegetation management
- Urban water management
- Restoration/rehabilitation management
- Wetland management
- Fauna management
- Coastal management

The area of revegetation planning is considered a specialty due to our extensive experience with on ground environmental works and practical hands on experience in the field, working closely with clients, environmental agencies (DBCA) and contractors. Our capability with environmental management plans extends to preparing plans in line with specifications and requirements established by the client, DBCA and local government - particularly when preparing plans for land developments. Importantly, Natural Area is able to develop realistic monitoring programs to assess environmental works as it progresses. Monitoring programs are based on success criteria and targets that are established during the planning phase.

Natural Area typically undertakes the following when preparing and reviewing management plans:

- Detailed site assessment including inventory of flora, fauna and vegetation
- A review of relevant documents such as current regional management plans, guidance and position statements issued by the EPA and any management guidelines issued by DBCA
- Client liaison at all stages
- Liaison with relevant local government authorities and government departments
- Risk assessments
- Mapping
- Preparation of draft documents for review by client and other stakeholders.

Contact the Natural Area Consulting Team to discuss your environmental management plan requirements.

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