

Appendix 3 Existing Regional plans, strategies and programs

Many of the recommended targets and management actions in the Strategy are based on existing and State NRM plans, strategies and programs which have been developed with considerable community and agency input. They are more fully detailed in the Strategy's technical Issues Papers, Discussion Papers and Situation Paper (Sprod, Armstrong & Ketelaar, 2003). These documents also list the Regional scientific databases and surveys, and are all available from Cradle Coast NRM and on the www.nrmtas.com.au website (click on Cradle Coast Region).

This appendix lists the titles of the major documents at the Regional and sub-regional scale (author details and so on are in the list of References). State Government legislation, strategies and policies are listed in Appendix 2. Many smaller-scale plans are listed in the Situation Paper.

Sub-regional documents

Cradle Coast Regional Weed Management Strategy
King Island Natural Resource Management Strategy
Meander Valley Council Natural Resource Management Strategy
North-West Rivers Environmental Review
West Coast Weed and Fire Management Strategy
West North West Coastal Management Plan

Catchment-scale documents

Central Coast Management Plan
Circular Head Region – Natural Resource Management Strategy
King Island NRM Review and Strategic Action Plan 1998-2001
Natural Resource Management Plan – Mersey Catchment Strategy for Sustainable Use of Intensive Cropping Land
Stanley Peninsula – Vegetation Management Plan

Smaller-scale Catchment Management Plans apply to the Upper Meander, Meander, Caroline Creek, Mersey (Rivercare Plans), Pet and Guide Reservoirs, Montagu River (and Montagu River Rivercare Plan) and the Welcome River.

Rivercare plans

These are in place for Bishton Creek, Leven River (Gunns Plains), Don River and Melrose Creek, Don River above the Arboretum, Rubicon River and tributaries, Duck River, Welcome River, Inglis River and associated streams, the upper Mersey, Dasher-Minnow (Mersey), middle-Mersey and lower-Mersey Rivers.

Environmental water requirements studies

These include studies on the Welcome, Montagu, Rubicon, Duck, Cam, Emu, Blythe, Mersey, Leven, Inglis, Black and Detention Rivers.

Forest Management Plans

Plans apply to the Murchison Forest District and the Mersey Forest District.

Municipal planning strategies

Plans are in place for all Local Governments in the Region.

Parks Management Plans and Strategies

Statutory Management Plans and Strategies for National Parks and Reserves apply to the Arthur-Pieman Conservation Area, Dial Range Recreation Reserve, Lavinia Nature Reserve (now a State Reserve) and Lillico Coastal Reserve (now a Beach Conservation Area). Management Plans are in place for Mole Creek Karst National Park, Narawntapu National Park and Hawley Nature Reserve, Pieman River State Reserve, Savage River National Park and Regional Reserve, Small Bass Strait Island Reserves, Tasmanian Wilderness World Heritage Area, The Nut State Reserve, Three Hummock Island Nature Reserve and the Vale of Belvoir-Lake Lea.

Threatened Species Recovery Plans

Plans for Regional priority species include the burrowing crayfish group, the Tasmanian galaxias fish, the giant freshwater lobster, the orange-bellied parrot, the ptunarra brown butterfly, the swift parrot, the wedge-tailed eagle and the white-bellied sea eagle.

Weed Management Plans

These include the *Cradle Coast Regional Weed Management Strategy*, the *Circular Head Weed Strategy* and the *Circular Head District Weed Control Strategy* (Forestry Tasmania), the *King Island Weed Management Strategy*, the *Rice Grass Area-based Management Plan, Circular Head Region* (2002-2003), the *Tasmanian Wilderness World Heritage Area Weed Management Plan 2000-2003*, the *Waratah Wynyard Weed Management Strategy*, and the *West Coast Weed and Fire Management Strategy*.



Pests and diseases

The Fox-Free Tasmania Action Plan aims to eradicate the European red fox from Tasmania.

There is a Threat Abatement Plan for dieback caused by the root-rot fungus *Phytophthora cinnamomi*.

Game Management Plans are prepared for places where native animals such as wallabies threaten the growth of agricultural pastures or crops, or forestry regeneration.

Marine Farming Development Plans

There are plans for Macquarie Harbour, Sorell Estuary and the Far North-West.

