

Araluen Creek Restoration Project Plan for Upper Shoalhaven Landcare Council Component

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VIDEO Video of the project suitable for raising community awareness.	Base line view of the issues, step by step record of remediation plans, execution, participants views and overall	Understanding of the Valley's properties and the subsequent effects and future options for landowners.	Overall is the UDCLG Management
To include possible small and large scale remediation options for landowners. Transferable to other valley flood	A video that is self explanatory and can assist groups become self starting. A video that can be used by	Community understanding of resilience options given the last 5 rain events have been significantly more destructive than previously.	USLC will subcontract the videographer and ensure an appropriate record is developed. Funding available \$5 000 for video production.
plain communities particularly those previously mining disturbed.	Landcare and other groups without requiring major technical advice.	Involvement of many of the local resources thus ensuring the community is well aware of its own strengths and abilities.	USLC Publicity and Community Awareness Responsibilities (video, workshops and plantings) \$20 000 available.
Workshops 5 workshops to enable landowners to be assisted with	Ensure those landowners on large, medium and small acres are involved.	Improved stabilisation of the Valley floor. Less sediment in flows and	Overall is the UDCLG Management
erosion issues whether small or large.	Workshops to also enable raised awareness of the possible increase in such rain events and future resilience required.	reduction in kinetic energy when rain events are significant.	USLC will subcontract the workshops and ensure maximum promotion in the district.



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Some materials available for erosion remediation that landowners may do themselves. Assistance with bank stabilisation issues re stock, weed, re-vegetation and suitable plantings	Seek to involve all those in the larger area who may have high flow channels . small tributaries or large tributaries and have experience significant destruction recently.	Improved community understanding of the fragility of the Valley floor. Increase district wide understanding of rain events and their potential effect on the terrain.	Funding available \$5 000 for workshops. USLC Publicity and Community Awareness Responsibilities <i>(video, workshops and plantings)</i> \$20 000 available.
Re-Vegetation Engagement of volunteers in the production of 3 000 plants suitable for bank re-vegetation volunteer/landowner plantings 2022 spring. Volunteers can grow now or consideration given to some purchase of seedlings with community volunteers to manage until planting. Suitable plants to be defined and consideration for best options re availability canvassed.	 3 000 plants available for major remediated erosion sites. 3 000 Tree guards to be purchased by UDCLG (budget line item) Community awareness of suitable vegetation that will assist in prevention of erosion. 	Active community prepared to identify and remediate erosion in a variety of water courses. Bank stabilisation for landowners that assists in on-farm production. Increased ability to reduce fencing losses due to rain events. Understanding of the land hydration cycle.	Overall is the UDCLG Management UDCLG will purchase tree guards. USLC Publicity and Community Awareness Responsibilities (video, workshops and plantings) \$20 000 available.