

QUARRY

Capability Statement



ecology & heritage
partners



Ecology and Heritage Partners deliver expert ecological and heritage advice and assessments to quarry owners engaged in the extraction of sand, rock, gravel and other materials for the construction industry. We assist owners and developers at all stages of a project; from the initial planning and development stages, through to operation, closure and rehabilitation.

Having completed more than 120 projects for quarries across Australia, we are respected advisors to industry and government. We understand that reliable and timely advice is essential, and clients benefit from our in-depth understanding of legislation, and the planning and approval process.

During the planning stage we facilitate a smooth environmental approvals process. To aid decision making we advise on best practice ecological and heritage mitigation, and conduct rigorous field surveys and assessments. Our consultants are experienced at detailed risk assessments in accordance with the Earth Resources Regulations (ERR) Guidelines, and we provide expert evidence at appeals tribunals and panel hearings.

At the time of construction and operation, we focus on streamlining compliance with approval conditions through our environmental auditing, monitoring and compliance services. During closure and rehabilitation, our advice enables clients to achieve excellent environmental outcomes that minimise risk and comply with regulatory requirements.

Capabilities

Ecology

- › Biodiversity and vegetation offsets
- › Due diligence and desktop constraints assessments
- › Environmental auditing, monitoring and compliance
- › Environmental planning assistance
- › Expert evidence at appeals tribunals and panel hearings
- › Project assessment and approvals
- › Salvage and translocation of significant species [eg. fauna spotter-catcher services]
- › Significant species surveys and management plans
- › Terrestrial and aquatic flora and fauna surveys
- › Fauna awareness training and inductions
- › Land management, restoration and rehabilitation
- › Pest Plant and Animal Management Plans
- › Water quality monitoring

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Heritage

- › Archaeological and cultural heritage assessments
- › Archaeological sub-surface testing, excavation and salvage
- › Compliance audits
- › Cultural Heritage Management Plans and Agreements
- › Cultural heritage inductions
- › Due diligence and desktop assessments
- › Heritage Impact Statements
- › Historical heritage assessments
- › Oversight of heritage management plan implementation
- › Predictive modelling and mapping of Aboriginal and historic sites
- › Preliminary Aboriginal Heritage Tests
- › Reburial of cultural heritage items
- › Stakeholder and Traditional Owner consultation

Projects

- › **Bunyip North Quarry:** Ecological Investigations
- › **Coldstream Quarry:** Ecological and Cultural Heritage Investigations
- › **Deer Park Quarry:** Ecological Investigations and EPBC Act Advice
- › **Grantville Quarry:** Ecological Investigations
- › **Leongatha Quarry:** Cultural Heritage Management Plan and Salvage
- › **Lysterfield Quarry:** Ecological Investigations
- › **Mt Napier Quarry:** Cultural Heritage Management Plan
- › **Oaklands Quarry:** Historical Heritage Assessments, Cultural Heritage Management Plan and Salvage
- › **Walkers Quarry:** Ecological and Cultural Heritage Investigations
- › **Wauru Ponds Quarry:** Ecological and Cultural Heritage Investigations
- › **Wollert Quarry:** Ecological and Cultural Heritage Investigations
- › **You Yangs Quarry:** Ecological and Cultural Heritage Investigations

Talk to us today about how to achieve the best possible outcomes for your project.



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Services

- › Aboriginal Heritage
- › Aquatic Ecology
- › Archaeology
- › Biodiversity Offsets
- › Built Heritage
- › Bushfire Risk Assessment and Management
- › Environmental Auditing, Monitoring and Compliance
- › Geospatial Solutions
- › Historical Heritage
- › Land Management and Restoration
- › Maritime Heritage
- › Terrestrial Ecology

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