

Restoring King River for Residents and Rakalis

The Community driving the conservation of native species and improving the ecological health of the King River Catchment.

Empower and facilitate the community to become more active in conserving native species such as the Rakali (*Hydromys chrysogaster*) as well as critically endangered species such as Western Ringtail Possum (*Pseudocheirus occidentalis*), Red-tailed Black Cockatoo (*Calyptorhynchus banksii graptogyne*), and Carnaby's Cockatoo (*Zanda latirostris*) and improving the ecological health of the King River catchment. Demonstrating restoration activities along the King River, decreasing threatening processes, and encouraging multiple stakeholders to carry out responsible and informed management to improve the river's health. This project includes:



Sustainable Behavioural Change

Facilitate the community to design a King River Action Plan to conserve, protect, and sustainably manage the King River catchment.



Restoring Rivers for Rakali

Rakali also known as the rabe, the "Australian Otter" is a keystone species of our local rivers that requires clean water and plenty of vegetation. Aiming to recover the river to this standard would be a great indicator and benefit other threatened species that share their habitat.

Including:

- Demonstrate restoration strategies.
- Water crossing assistance
- Riparian revegetation
- Waterway restoration
- Stormwater management



Connect Community with Landscape

Collaborate with stakeholders to provide and promote key green and blue spaces and nature-positive activities. Including pop-up community events designed to increase understanding of and engagement with the environment:

- citizen science explorations,
- weeding, and
- planting.



Spread the Message

Monitor, maintain, and promote. Including:

- Strategically install interpretive signs in locations of natural assets and NRM work.
- Adding value to existing trails, and natural experiences
- Video snapshot of people's experience
- Water Monitoring
- Set up a citizen science project



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Express interest in Restoring King River Project

Oyster Harbour Catchment Group is **APPLYING** for federal funding to:



Combat Threats

Would you like to be help improve water quality, limit invasive species, and erosion? Is there a location you know that needs assistance



Citizen science

Would you be interested in surveying local plants and animals?



Revegetation and Protecting Remnants

Are you a King River landholder that would like assistance restoring your block?



Designing the improvement of King River

How do you want to use and protect this community asset? What workshop do you want to see ?



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