

# **Landcare Support Officer Report for Byron Shire Council**

# 1st January - 30th March 2023

#### **LFW**

Total of 148 properties registered in Byron Shire

84 registered by BVL, 64 registered by BSC

### LANDCARE GROUPS

- 23 BVL locality groups 16 working on council owned land (one has become inactive due to illness of coordinator, council regen team now manage this site).
- 3 BVL special interest groups.
- 10 Incorporated Landcare groups working in Byron Shire (not under BVL's umbrella).

## **PROJECTS**

- ET Broken Head Costal Corridor Restoration Stage 3 \$170,000 over 4 years working on 7 properties, 10.18ha of restoration and 4.9ha of planting.
- LLS Landslip Recovery regional project across 4 northern Landcare networks. BVL liaised with landholders and soil conservation experts to arrange site visits to assess 15 priority slides that were identified in Byron Shire. (98 EOI's with 206 individual slides across the 4 northern Landcare networks).



### COUNCIL

- Ordered 2000 more Climate Resilient Landscape Guides which are available for free from the council office in Mullumbimby.
- Held an information stall at Regeneration Festival on 4<sup>th</sup> March. Alison gave a talk with Jo Green on the Climate Resilient Planting Guide.

## **BVL COMMUNITY LIASON OFFICER**

• Joanne McMurtry has started work with BVL and will be looking after all the locality groups and volunteers. Rochelle has now finished work for BVL. Alison is working from home due to being a carer for her partner.

# **ENQUIRY TOPICS/ ISSUES**

Phone	Email	Website	Social Media	Walk in	In Person
Cane toad	Cane toads	Membership	Microbat box		Regen
leaflet					contractors
map	Grant for pp	Recommendatio			Volunteering
		n on tools			
		Weed ID			3 x Mailing list
		Leaflets			
		Support for			
		project			
		2			
		2 x volunteering			
		Sourcing tools			
2	2	8	1		5
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