

Bayview Conservation Park

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Park overview

Park size	Bayview Conservation Park	157.9ha
Bioregion	South Eastern Queensland	
QPWS region	South East Queensland	
Local government area	Redland City Council	
State electorate	Redlands	
Relevant legislation	<i>Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Act 2003 (Qld)</i>	
	<i>Nature Conservation Act 1992</i>	
	<i>Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cwlth)</i>	
	<i>Queensland Heritage Act 1992</i>	
Plans and agreements	Convention on the Conservation of Migratory Species (CMS)	
	China—Australia Migratory Bird Agreement	
	Japan—Australia Migratory Bird Agreement	
	Republic of Korea—Australia Migratory Bird Agreement	

Park purpose

Bayview Conservation Park was formally gazetted as a conservation park in 2001.

No park specific purpose was identified as part of the gazettal.

Under the *Nature Conservation Act 1992*, Redland City Council is trustee of the park.

Strategic direction for park management

Based on an evaluation of its natural, cultural and presentation values, Bayview Conservation Park has been assessed as having a medium priority for management. The park will be managed according to this priority rating.

Park management will be based on the best available local knowledge, professional judgement and anecdotal information. The medium level means that it will receive a minimum of quarterly routine inspections with occasional planned visits where issues have been identified. The focus is largely expected to be on natural resource management involving a proactive management effort at a moderate level to understand or protect known natural values.

Cultural values will be managed proactively to protect those values known to Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service, (QPWS). Ongoing consultation, collaboration and relationships with First Nations people and stakeholders will be undertaken as required to support broader continuing park management programs.

This park currently has relatively moderate and growing levels of visitor use and provides a few relatively undeveloped visitor sites. Visitors are unlikely to encounter a ranger on site during their visit but are likely to encounter Council officers. Current and future recreational opportunities will require that visitors have a high level of self-sufficiency. A moderate level of infrastructure is provided to support safe and sustainable use by predominantly self-reliant visitors.

The park will continue to provide natural area based, tourism activities that support a land management approach that is consistent with activities in adjacent Council Conservation reserves.

Public consultation on park management will be undertaken through ongoing local consultations with community stakeholders to support broad continuing management programs.

Park assets are functional and robust and require limited maintenance to protect the natural and cultural values and management capacity.

General park values, uses and management

Regional ecosystems

The park protects three regional ecosystems, two of which have endangered biodiversity status, Table 1.

Species of conservation significance

Species of conservation significance that are recorded from this park include five animal species and two plant species, Table 2.

Cultural heritage

All protected areas are recognised as cultural landscapes and First Nations people see themselves as inextricably linked to Country both spiritually and physically. Cultural records on physical artefacts and sites of spiritual significance are documented for this area. All proposed activities need to meet duty of care requirements under the *Aboriginal Cultural Heritage Act 2003*. Non-indigenous historic places will be managed in accordance with the *Queensland Heritage Act 1992*.

Priorities for park management

The endangered regional ecosystems and five animal species of conservation significance, are the main values of this park. The priorities for park management will be to mitigate any threats to these values through fire and pest management. Management actions will be undertaken which aim to ensure:

- life and property on and adjacent to the park is protected
- fire is managed to conserve or maintain the condition of the regional ecosystem through the application of planned burn guidelines and a strategy
- the impacts of existing pest species on neighbouring land uses are mitigated
- pest threats are managed to conserve or maintain the condition of regional ecosystem and animal species of conservation significance
- management of natural area recreation activities and infrastructure assure environmental sustainability.

Appendix

Conservation values inventory

Table 1: Endangered and of concern regional ecosystems

Regional ecosystem number	Description	Biodiversity status
12.11.23	Eucalyptus pilularis open forest on coastal metamorphics and interbedded volcanics	Endangered
12.11.26	Eucalyptus baileyana and/or E. planchoniana woodland to open forest on metamorphics +/- interbedded volcanics	Of concern
12.11.27	Eucalyptus racemosa subsp. Racemosa and/or E. seeana and Corymbia intermedia woodland on metamorphics +/- interbedded volcanics	Endangered

Table 2: Species of conservation significance

Scientific name	Common name	Nature Conservation Act 1992 status	Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (Cwlth) status
Plants			
<i>Corybas barbara</i>	helmet orchid	Special least concern	-
<i>Schizaea bifida</i>	forked comb fern	Special least concern	
Animals			
<i>Adelotus brevis</i>	tusked frog	Vulnerable	-
<i>Calyptrorhynchus lathamii</i>	glossy black-cockatoo (eastern)	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
<i>Crinia tinnula</i>	wallum froglet	Vulnerable	-
<i>Ninox stenura</i>	powerful owl	Vulnerable	-
<i>Phascolarctos cinereus</i>	koala	Endangered	Endangered