

**Submission
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**INQUIRY INTO MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC LAND IN
NEW SOUTH WALES**

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I am writing to show my concern for the future of public lands in this state, particularly in northern NSW, and including river red gum forests and wetlands. I have been fortunate to see some very old trees in this state, and they are not common.

Living in the city with not a lot of recreational time available, I work and study, that time is precious. It means getting clean air, quiet, and experiencing regions in this state which qualify as natural wonders of the world. They are magnificent, stumbling across such beauty in our heavily populated Eastern seaboard is almost miraculous.

Besides being unthinkable, might I point out to anyone putting their name alongside the desecration under consideration, how future residents would then remember them.