INQUIRY INTO KOALA POPULATIONS AND HABITAT IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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It is crucial that we protect, and in fact reinstate, koala habitat. As opposed to removing trees we need to increase Sydney’s tree canopy. Existing and new roads in koala habitat areas require crossover points (bridges or tunnels) instead of exclusion fences. Developments must not be allowed to override environmental protections. The controversial development of Gilead by Lendlease for housing in western Sydney has breached a number of key policies and should be curtailed.