



COOLWA TO WELLINGTON LOCAL
ACTION PLANNING ASSOCIATION INC

2009/10 On-Ground Works Projects - Incentive Schedule



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Activities Eligible for Funding	Incentive Payment \$	Minimum Requirements
Revegetation with Local Native Species	\$600-\$1000/ha \$1500-\$3000/ km	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fencing is for protection of re-established native vegetation and scaled according to type of works ▪ Minimum area is 1 ha(dependant on context) ▪ There must be total stock exclusion from the site ▪ Rabbit, fox and weed control programs are to be implemented by the landholder ▪ Local native species must be used that are specific to the site
Fencing Remnant Vegetation	\$1500-\$3000/ km	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Funding provided for high quality remnant vegetation sites ▪ There must be total stock exclusion from the site
Restoration of Watercourses	\$1000 / ha Up to \$3000 / km	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Minimum average width of 15 metres from edge of the watercourse for fencing. ▪ There must be total stock exclusion from the site ▪ Rabbit, Fox and Weed control programs are to be implemented and maintained by the landholder ▪ Local native species must be used in revegetation
Establish Alternative Waterpoints	\$600 each	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Only available in those areas where fencing watercourse or source has made water inaccessible to stock ▪ Preferred structure includes a pump, pipe, tank and trough ▪ Number may be limited depending on demand
Establishing Windbreaks/Corridors	Up to \$1500 / km	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Minimum 15m width, 0.5 Ha in area and minimum 3 planting rows ▪ Local provenance plant species used (tubestock and/or direct seeding) ▪ Rabbit, fox and weed control programs to be implemented by the landholder ▪ Fencing is for protection of re-established native vegetation and exclusion of stock, minimum 5 strand electric, plain or barb wire
Perennial Pasture Establishment	\$80 / ha	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Intended for recharge control ▪ Minimum size 2 ha ▪ Recommended species would be dependent on site specifics but must be perennial. ▪ Can be to establish salt tolerant pasture species e.g Puccinellia ▪ Grazing to be withheld until pasture is established ▪ Stocking rates, management and rotations that promote pasture regeneration are to be utilised
Fencing on Landclass Boundaries	up to \$1500/ km	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Must be either part of an approved property plan or inspected by appropriate adviser. ▪ Can be used to fence out saline sites. ▪ For fences established to isolate waterlogged or swampy areas, stock are to be excluded during winter
Establishing Fodder Shrubs or Farm Forestry	\$80 / ha	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Intended for recharge control</i> ▪ Minimum size 2ha and 5 rows wide ▪ Species includes saltbush, or other species (potentially invasive species considered for approval only with recommendation from technical adviser) ▪ Ongoing management required – subject to 5 year maintenance agreement

Threat abatement works (woody weed & rabbit control)	To be determined by Project Officer on a site by site basis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Intended for projects involving remnant or watercourse restoration projects where the initial control of environmental weeds is required as part of the overall project.</i> ▪ Priority high value sites only (highly degraded sites may not be funded) ▪ Ongoing management required – subject to 10 year maintenance agreement
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Fencing Standards

- Fencing standards: Conventional fences should be at least 5 wire or equivalent mesh; Electric fences should be at least 5 wire; Fencing materials and construction should be of a professional standard to ensure the fence is maintained in good order for at least 10 years.

- **Fencing on property boundaries is not eligible for funding.**

Please Note

- All incentive payments are subject to the availability of funding and are at the discretion of the Goolwa to Wellington LAP Board Inc.
- Funding is limited. Maximum payments may be set for some incentives options depending on demand.
- Payments cannot be made for works completed after the set due date (yet to be established) as all unspent monies need to be returned to the funding body.
- To be eligible for an incentive payment, the relevant minimum standards must be met. All incentives are subject to the landholder accepting the conditions of funding, agreeing to maintain the works for a minimum period of at least ten years (or in some cases 5 years) and signing of an Agreement with the Goolwa to Wellington LAP Board Inc.
- The acceptance of incentives payments for this project does not exclude the applicant from applying for future incentives schemes or being involved in any other projects.
- All payments are made upon completion of works or milestones and after inspection by a representative of the Goolwa to Wellington LAP Board Inc.

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