

Wildlife Act Review

Submission Comment 265:

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Primary interests:

- Protection and conservation of wildlife and habitat
- Offences and penalties relating to wildlife
- Management and control of wildlife causing problems or damage

Comment

▪I wish to see protections for wildlife strengthened including

- NO duck shooting season NO commercial kangaroo shooting HARSHER penalties for the killing or maiming of wildlife.

▪I wish to see more focus on enforcement of current laws including destruction of habitats by commercial interests .

▪I wish to see more oversight in the granting of culling permits including local Council consultation .(eg. Perhaps posting of an public notice on the applicants property as you would for building permits).

▪I would like to see legislation to include wildlife corridors in new housing or industrial developements .

▪I would like to see legislation introduced to create safe wildlife crossings for new or existing roads especially where developements occur .

▪Oversight on the impacts of prescribed burns on wildlife including reduction in size of burns and NO burning of areas that are known to be habitat for threatened or endangered species(including post logging burns)

▪More support for wildlife rescue individuals and organisations .

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