2017-18 Funded Recreational Fishing Trusts' Habitat Action Grants

Project title	Organisation	Project summary	Nearest town	Waterway and catchment	Funds to be provided (\$ excl GST)
Enhancing fish habitat Maguires Creek	Private Landholder	Control of woody weeds and planting 1000 riparian plants over 1.9 km along Maguires Creek will be restored.	Tintenbar	Maguires Creek, Richmond River	40,000
Upper Castlereagh River Exotic Vegetation Removal - Stage 2	Coonabarabran Landcare Inc	Continuing to control other tree weed species over a 5km reach in the upper Castlereagh River near Coonabarabran.	Coonabarabran	Castlereagh River	7,375
Lot 34 stock and riparian zone management	Private Landholder	Fencing 300m of Clarence River frontage from stock and replanting the riverbank with native trees and shrubs.	Grafton	Clarence River	1,997
Enhancing fish highways, riparian restoration at the junction of the Richmond and Wilsons Rivers Coraki (Stage 1)	Richmond Valley Council	Enhance 890m of riparian habitat at the confluence of the Richmond and Wilsons Rivers through weeding and revegetation.	Coraki	Richmond River	19,996
Comfortable Cod for Cowra	Central Tablelands Local Lands Services	Install 11 Large Woody Habitats (snags) and rock groynes to create pools and homes for Murray Cod in the Upper Lachlan River.	Cowra	Lachlan River	17,595

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More big wood for Macquarie native fish	Inland Waterways Rejuvenation Association (IWRA)	Installation of a minimum of 60 Large Woody Habitats (snags) in the Macquarie River between Dubbo and Warren.	Dubbo	Macquarie River	32,750
Wheeny Creek riparian fencing and wetland regeneration	Private Landholder	Fence the riparian zone of Wheeny Creek from stock, providing protection and allowing for weed control and rehabilitation works to begin on a 3.2ha wetland.	Wilberforce	Wheeny Creek, Hawkesbury River	10,809
Bringing back the Tapitallee fish Part 2	South East Local Land Services (SELLS)	Consolidate previous works by stabilising 1km of creek bank, install four bed control structures, weed and revegetate 3ha of degraded creek frontage.	Cambewarra	Tapitallee Creek, Shoalhaven River	40,000
Coopers Creek landslip restoration	Private Landholder	Address a landslip on Coopers Creek embankment near previous revegetation works using earthworks and revegetation.	Lismore	Coopers Creek, Richmond River	12,250
Kyogle Gardens to River – Stage 1.	Private Landholder	Rehabilitate 500m of Fawcetts Creek adjacent to Kyogle's Recreation Reserve through weed removal, fencing, and revegetation with native species.	Kyogle	Fawcetts Creek, Richmond River	29,405
Jingi Walla Farm – Frenchs Creek restoration	Private Landholder	Restoration of Frenchs Creek riparian zone with 300m stock exclusion fencing and 1.3km of weeding and revegetation.	Nimbin	Frenchs Creek, Richmond River	5,822

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Riparian rehabilitation of Back Creek and Boundary Creek through cattle exclusion fencing and weed control.	Private Landholder	Fencing and weed control of 1.65km reach of Back and Boundary Creeks to exclude stock access, alleviate stream bank erosion and regenerate native riparian vegetation.	Kyogle	Back and Boundary Creeks, Richmond River	15,891
Controlling Chinese Celtis and vine weeds in Findon Creek, upper catchment of the Richmond River	Private Landholder	Control of Chinese Celtis and vine weeds impacting 200m of riparian zone of Findon Creek and planting of native trees.	Kyogle	Findon Creek, Richmond River	1,792
Rivers of Carbon Upper Murrumbidgee- Community Willow Control	The Australian River Restoration Centre (ARRC)	Control scattered willows along 16km of the Upper Murrumbidgee River within the NSW section of the Upper Murrumbidgee Demonstration Reach.	Bredbo	Murrumbidgee River	23,815
Reinstating structural woody habitat in the lower Darling River	Western Local Land Services (WLLS)	Installing a minimum of 20 Large Woody Habitats (snags) in the lower Darling River (south of Pooncarie).	Pooncarie	Darling River	35,000
More snags equals more fish in the lower Murray	Sunraysia OzFish	Restore fish habitat by installing 15 snags in the Murray River at Monak, upstream of Mildura.	Buronga	Murray River	19,325
Kangaroo Point mangrove restoration	MidCoast Council	Implement best practice riverbank stabilisation techniques - rock fillets, stock exclusion fencing, planting and weeding along 1.6km of eroding riverbank.	Old Bar	Scotts Creek, Manning River	40,000
Scotts Creek fish habitat improvement project	MidCoast Council	Implement best practice riverbank stabilisation techniques - rock fillets, stock exclusion fencing, planting and weeding along 320m of eroding riverbank at Scotts Creek on the Manning River.	Old Bar	Scotts Creek, Manning River	26,715

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Ramping up fish passage in the Buckinbah	Cabonne Council	Installation of a suitably designed partial or full width rock-ramp fishway at Buckinbah Creek Weir, improving fish access to 35km stream length.	Yeoval	Little River, Macquarie River	40,000
Bellingen vine weed control and education for riparian rehabilitation	EnviTE	Strategic weed control within 2.3km of the Bellinger River catchment.	Bellingen	Bellinger River	39,900
Macleay estuary marine and riparian vegetation protection	North Coast Local Land Services (NCLLS)	Install 1.5km of fencing to exclude cattle from 16.5ha of riparian and intertidal zones (saltmarsh) of Spencer's Creek and Tidal Creek in addition to weed control in saltmarsh and re-establishing native riparian vegetation.	Jerseyville	Spencer and Tidal Creek, Macleay River	25,000
Newry Island foreshore rehabilitation Stage Two, Kalang River estuary, Urunga	BPE Contractors Pty Ltd	Rehabilitation of a priority erosion site in the Kalang River estuary, by installing rock and timber fillets and re-using timber materials from Pacific Highway upgrade clearing.	Urunga	Kalang River, Bellinger River	39,984
Repairing Taylors Arm downstream structure (redressing an existing site)	Nambucca Valley Landcare Inc.	Remediation work on a bed control structure to prevent further bank degradation following flood damage experienced earlier in 2017.	Macksville	Taylors Arm, Nambucca River	5,178
Russell St, Emu Plains riverside rehabilitation (Phase 2)	Bass Sydney Fishing Club Inc.	Continued rehabilitation of the Nepean River riverbank at Emu Plains, weeding and revegetating another 500m of riverbank.	Emu Plains	Hawkesbury River	4,000

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Enhancing fish habitat through riparian bank protection on the Hunter River	Hunter Local Land Services (HLLS)	Reduce bank erosion and restore fish habitat on the Hunter River through 100m river bank stabilisation works and 400m of stock exclusion fencing and revegetation activities.	Raymond Terrace	Hunter River	40,000
Peel River and Dungowan Creek Madeira Vine Control	Tamworth Regional Council	Coordinate a biological & chemical control program for Madeira Vine along Peel River & Dungowan Creek, improving fish habitat and recreational fisher access for 22km from Ogunbil to Oxley Vale, Tamworth.	Tamworth	Dungowan Creek and Peel River, Namoi River	12,890
Busting Brunswick and Byron's barriers	Byron Shire Council	Remove 5 redundant causeway crossings that obstruct fish passage in the Brunswick River and Byron Creek, improving access to 7km of key upstream habitat.	Mullumbimby	Brunswick River	40,000
Muscle Creek fishway and crossing	Muswellbrook Shire Council	Remove an old footbridge across Muscle Creek that is inhibiting fish movement and construct a fishway allowing access to 10km of upstream habitat.	Muswellbrook	Muscle Creek, Hunter River	40,000
Pages River Murrundi weed eradication program	Murrundi Landcare Group (Murra County Inc.)	Remove invasive weed species from 500m section of the Pages River between Bush's Bridge and the Swinging Bridge.	Murrundi	Pages River, Hunter River	2,000