21st September 2023



«Owner»

«Mailing_Add_1» «Mailing_Add_2» «Mailing_Add_3»

Beecroft-Cheltenham Bushland Wayfinding Signage

Dear Sir/Madam.

Beecroft-Cheltenham Bushland Wayfinding Signage has been selected as part of the NSW Governments Places to Roam - Regional Trails program. Proudly funded by the NSW Government in association with Hornsby Shire Council, this project aims to improve the community's health, fitness, wellbeing, sense of place, and connection with nature.

Hornsby Shire Council in partnership with City of Parramatta Council is working to refresh and expand the walking track wayfinding signage within Beecroft-Cheltenham Bushland that surrounds the M2 Motorway by installing of a range of signs for the reserve to include information such as maps, directions, track use regulations and some interpretive elements. Existing outdated, redundant, or degraded signage is proposed to be removed.

The goals of this project are to:

- 1. Raise the community's awareness of the local bushland, its natural values, and how it is regionally connected.
- 2. Assist the community and visitors to navigate confidently through the reserves and use the bushland walking tracks to connect with one another and with local destinations.
- 3. Highlight a loop walk that provides a safe and positive experience of the bushland.
- 4. Refresh and consolidate existing signage.

Attached is a map showing the proposed loop walk, locations of the new signs, and examples of what the signs will look like.

If you would like to comment on this project, please title your submission 'Beecroft-Cheltenham Bushland Wayfinding Signage - Reference Number F2023/00260' and forward to Council at: hsc@hornsby.nsw.gov.au

Any correspondence relating to project is requested to be received by Sunday 8th October 2023. If you require any further information, please contact Stephen Pym 9847 6640 or spym@hornsby.nsw.gov.au

Yours faithfully.

Stephen Pym Environmental Scientist - Bushland Trail Infrastructure **Environment Branch**

TRIM: D08730966 Copies of written submissions may be made available to any person entitled to lodge an application under the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009.

PO Box 37, Hornsby NSW 1630

Phone 02 9847 6666 Fax 02 9847 6999

Email hsc@hornsby.nsw.gov.au Web hornsby.nsw.gov.au



