

Summary of the Public Exhibition Feedback received on the Kiama Open Coast CMP and Summary of changes

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Community Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Were concerned that insufficient funds were allocated to action K (Control pests and weeds, and undertake targeted land, dune and marine revegetation and habitat restoration along the Kiama coastline to enhance environmental, community and cultural values) 	<p>No change required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clarified the costs they were referencing were outdated ones from the Stage 3 Report, rather than the Stage 4 CMP. Previous feedback had already identified this funding issue and the budget had already been doubled 	No changes made
Landcare Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Were concerned that insufficient funds (assumed \$50k) were allocated to action K (Control pests and weeds, and undertake targeted land, dune and marine revegetation and habitat restoration along the Kiama coastline to enhance environmental, community and cultural values) 	<p>No change required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clarified the 50k cost relates to initial capital expenditure for the development of a “Coastal habitat restoration and revegetation works plan” rather than the actual restoration works The CMP allows for an additional \$250,000 / year to be spent on pest and weed control works, revegetation and habitat restoration works. Earlier feedback from Stage 3 identified that the initial budget allocated to this action needed to be increased and it was doubled for the publicly exhibited version 	No changes made
Community Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Were concerned that their property was located within the Coastal Vulnerability Area (CVA) and that this would have implications for their ability to renovate or improve their property. Requested that the CVA mapped line be moved so that it didn’t include their dwelling. 	<p>No changes made:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Being within the CVA boundary will not preclude alterations to existing dwellings. Action B involves the development of a new Coastal Hazards DCP which will outline any new requirements. The development of the DCP will also include community consultation. The CVA line is based on modelling that predicts the potential risk of coastal hazards into the future in relation to the landform rather than being 	No change made

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		<p>determined by building or property boundaries.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Further consultation will occur as part of Action B, as part of a Planning Proposal to formally map the CVA • A fact sheet is available on DPHI-Planning Website Additional information for affected landholders will need to be provided as part of CMP action B. 	
Jerrinja LALC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jerrinja LALC should be a supporting organisation in relation to actions A and K • Jerrinja LALC could be a lead for Actions J and M, with Illawarra LALC • Update references from Aboriginal -led organisations throughout the CMP to include Jerrinja LALC • Update wording within Action J and K to acknowledge Jerrinja LALC rangers already exist. • Acknowledge cultural assessments may be required prior to implementation works (e.g. E.3) • Suggested additional restoration site locations be added to action K to include Werri Lagoon weed control within the coastal wetland as well as restoration works at Black Head • Add to action K description that indigenous contractors should be preferentially used in culturally sensitive locations. • Add to action K that indigenous ranger groups can also provide support with seed collection, plant supply, cultural burning, drone and ground penetrating radar surveys. With drones 	Comments on the CMP were summarised based on the outcomes of a meeting with JLALC	<p>Yes - All incorporated</p> <p>This includes a new task M.3 regarding monitoring of aboriginal cultural heritage sites at risk from coastal hazards</p>

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	<p>potentially used to monitor sites at risk from coastal hazards.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add wording regarding risks to aboriginal cultural heritage sites from coastal hazards within the CZEAS, and communications protocols if cultural artifacts become exposed during an emergency event, and monitoring of known sites at risk 		
DPE-EHG (Now DCCEEW-BCSG)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include updates to Agency names including updating to new Department name and group name throughout: Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water. With Coastal team representation being from the Biodiversity Conservation Science Group (BCSG) • Minor edits suggested to wording and headings • Suggested updates to Action G and Annex E as sand bags were considered inappropriate as interim works at Storm Bay. Remove unnecessary wording in G.1, add wording in G.4 to explain maintenance costs • Some suggested updates to the business plan and associated Action descriptions regarding funding source and supporting agency listings • Remove budget allocation for gauges associated with Task O.1 given there is no cost to Council • Suggested some action timeframes be modified including Task B.1 and M.2 • Multiple changes to the business plan as described below, following feedback from 	<p>Agreed</p> <p>Specific changes to business plan and corresponding sections of the broader CMP include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action ;, A.1 - A.3- Add "Council" for Funding Source and Cost Sharing • Action ;, B.1-B.6 Add Council as Funding source • Task C.2 Cost sharing to include Council (remove private landholders) add \$ST • Task C.3 Add Kiama Municipal Council • Action D: D.1 and D.2 Add Kiama Municipal Council as funding Source / Cost Sharing Council • D.3 Add Business Case and Strategy Development Fund as funding source • Action E: E,2 Add Kiama Municipal Council as funding Source / cost sharing and \$ST • Action F: F.2 Add Asset owners as funding source • Action G.1 and G.3 remove Planning • Action G.2 include opex (\$50,000 total), include C&E as potential funding source (could be possible if timing aligns) • Action G.4, include the costs for each of the three 	Yes - All suggestions incorporated

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	<p>MCEF stating that all actions must include a cost in the business plan, and that funding options/sources must also be identified and should not be 'Nil':</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Replaced \$0 with either "\$ST" indicating existing staff time, assets and services or \$- for no associated cost 2. Blue heading - include total costs in each column. 3. Ensure opex has been included where needed and all future estimated costs are estimated (eg G and H) 4. Fill in all blanks in funding source cells 5. Cost sharing - If no cost sharing say "Council" (unless others are lead) 6. Remove Planning as support to actions K and G 	<p>works to make up the \$6 million</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • H.2 Add cost for additional studies (\$30,000 capex total), add source of funding and indicative cost sharing • H.4 Funding not nil - Add Council as funding source for staff time • I.1 Split total costs between the two projects and separated opex and capex • J.1 Add ILALC and JLALC and Council as sources of funding • K.1 remove Planning • K.1 Add Kiama Municipal Council as a funding source • L.1 remove C&E as funding source • M.2 add Kiama Municipal Council as funding source • N.1 Add Council as funding source • O.1 Add Council as funding source • O.2 and O.3 Add Council as funding source • P.2 Add Council as funding source • P.4 Fill blank cells with \$ST • Q.2 Remove C&E as funding source • Q.3 Add Sydney Water and Kiama Municipal Council as funding Source and Council to cost sharing • Total estimated costs updated accordingly to \$18.64 million over 10 years. (\$13.17 million in capital works and \$5.47 million in operational works and maintenance. Updated from \$18.6 million total, (\$13.9 million in capital works and 	

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		\$4.6 million in operational and maintenance expenses).	
DPE-Planning (now DPHI-Planning)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DPE-Planning is now known as Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure (DPHI-Planning) • Relocate Task B.7 to Action H (Update mapping the R&H SEPP and/or LEP to incorporate cliff instability hazard based on results of relevant geotechnical studies, including studies done by agencies) • Remove references to “Undertake Environment Protection Works” and REF approval description from Action O. • Update action K (Control pests and weed, and undertake targeted land, dune and marine revegetation and habitat restoration along the Kiama Coastline..) to ensure sufficient detail is provided regarding these works to allow for environmental approvals and expand works to include fencing • Clarify community led wording in action M • Recommended Policy title amendment to action L to include “Vegetation” to assist with messaging and engagement regarding coastal environments • Recommended that task J.2 (Invite Traditional Owner (TO) representation onto the CMP Advisory Committee) be moved as a task in Action A • Recommended that Task I.1 (Transport for NSW 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action L policy title had been previously changed to delete vegetation based on Stage 3 feedback that it should reflect the actual policy title • Action A- invitees to the operational working group have been specified in the description of this action rather than as separate tasks • Clarified that Action M will be led by Illawarra and Jerrinja LALCs 	<p>Yes – most comments incorporated including changes to actions B, G, H, K, M and O as requested</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action L was not updated • A.1 description was updated rather than J.2 moved and Task I.1 was removed <p>Other wording changes incorporated and document checked for consistency</p>

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	<p>(TfNSW) be included in the Coastal Management Program (CMP) Advisory Committee) should be included as a Task within Action A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All references to Supporting Organisations should be updated to Supporting Agencies Check that all previous comments have been addressed and that changes are consistently made throughout the document including all tables DPHI-Planning should now be removed from Action G and K in table 7.2 given the additional detail included in the CMP 		
National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Parks would not have a supporting role in relation to Task L.1 (Install signage at strategic locations regarding value of dune vegetation along with actions and penalties that are enforceable under Council’s Public Tree Management Policy) Page 38: Presently reads “National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS): is part of DPHI”. Please replace “DPHI” with “DCCEEW”. Please update reference to the Minnamurra River boat ramp area from “Minnamurra Beach” to “James Oates Reserve”, occurs in Table 3.2, 3.3., 3.4. 5.2. Please replace Action “A4” with “A3”, occurs in Table 6.2 and elsewhere in the report. 	Agreed except for changing Minnamurra Beach to James Oates Reserve. The risk tables relate each risk broadly to a beach along the coastline rather than to a specific location (i.e. James Oates Reserve). These risks just fall within the Kiama Beach sediment compartment. Also this risk table comes from the Stage 2 Studies which has already been finalised.	<p>NPWS removed as a supporting agency to L.1</p> <p>All references to DPHI updated with DCCEEW</p> <p>Minnamurra Beach reference left as is.</p> <p>Action A.4 replaced with A.3 in Table 6.2 and elsewhere in the CMP.</p>
NSW SES	<p>Requested that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NSW SES Illawarra Local Controller terminology be updated to NSW SES Southern Illawarra Local 	Agreed	Changed in CZEAS

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	<p>Commander or NSW SES Incident Controller</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • References to evacuation warnings and evacuation orders be removed and replace with 'Confirmation of warning products in line with the Australian Warning System (AWS)' • Clarification that the NSW SES's role in the context only comes into effect during a storm or flood event • Recommended all vulnerable facilities rather than just caravan parks be included. • Ensure NSW SES is involved in any emergency management briefings. • References to the latest NSW State Flood Plan and Storm Plans be updated where required 		
Regional Emergency Management Officer – NSW Police	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requested updated reference to 2023 version of the State Emergency Management Plan. • Noted Illawarra South Coast EMPLAN 2019 reference for role of Local Emergency Operations Controller 	Agreed	Changed in CZEAS
ISJO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Noted error on page 91 in table 6.2 listing ISJO and other agencies supporting task A1, A4, K.1, K.2 and K.3. This should read A.1, A.3, K.1, K.2 and K.3. 	Agreed, this is a typo, Task A.4 does not exist.	Updated throughout CMP, as this typo occurred in more than one place.
Crown Lands	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requested locations for Emergency Coastal Protection Works be more clearly described in Figure 3.1 of the CZEAS. • Recommended that obtaining appropriate 	Agreed	Updated the Table 5.3 Phase 3 Actions wording to make clear that the locations are those that are being

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	<p>authorisations under the CLM Act should be included as preparatory action in the CZEAS .</p>		<p>identified by the text boxes with arrows in Figure 3.1, not the CVA.</p> <p>Updated Table 5.2 Phase 2 Actions to add a new preparatory Action as described.</p> <p>Updated section 3.4 wording, to further clarify the locations in Figure 3.1 of CZEAS</p>
Illawarra LALC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noted that Action J should be a joint responsibility and not fall on ILALC and JLALC to implement in isolation. 	Agreed	Council added as lead agency to J.1, J.3, J.4