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Research Centres

Arthur Rylah Institute for Environmental Research Address: 123 Brown Street, Heidelberg. 3084
Phone: (03) 9450 8600

Primary Industries Research Victoria (PIRVic)

Bendigo Centre	Address:..... PO Box 3100, Bendigo Delivery Centre. 3554 Phone: (03) 5430 4444 Fax:..... (03) 5430 4304
Ellinbank Centre	Address:..... RMB 2460, Hazeldean Rd, Ellinbank. 3821 Phone: (03) 5624 2222 Fax: (03) 5624 2200
Frankston Centre	Address:..... Bullarto Rd, PO Box 48, Frankston. 3199 Phone: (03) 9785 0111 Fax: (03) 9785 2007
Hamilton Centre	Address:..... Mt Napier Rd, Hamilton. 3300 Phone: (03) 5573 0900 Fax: (03) 5571 1523
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Rutherglen Centre	Address: RMB 1145, Chiltern Valley Rd, Rutherglen. 3685 Phone: (03) 6030 4500

Fax:.....(03) 6030 4600

Tatura Centre

Address:.....Private Bag 1, Ferguson Rd, Tatura. 3616

Phone:(03) 583 5222

Fax:.....(03) 5833 5299

Victorian Landcare Centre

AddressPO Box 3, Creswick. 3363

Phone(03) 5345 2200; Fax (03) 5345 2795

Web<http://www.alphaville.com.au/~clc>

Email.....landcare.centre@dse.vic.gov.au

Waterwatch

Project Management – Statewide: Jane Ryan

Address1/250 Victoria Pde, East Melbourne, 3002

Phone(03) 9412 4663; Fax (03) 9412 4994

Emailjane.f.ryan@dse.vic.gov.au

Web<http://www.vic.waterwatch.org.au/>

National & statewide organisations other than DSE/DPI

Australian Heritage Commission

AHC is an independent statutory agency within the Department of the Environment and Heritage. It alerts the community to the presence of heritage values and assists community groups to work within State and local government frameworks to protect their heritage.

Address: GPO Box 787, Canberra. 2601.

Phone: 1800 020 652,

Fax: (02) 6217 2095

Web: www.ahc.gov.au

Birds Australia

Conducts research and conservation programs and provides advice on conserving native bird life and its habitat.

Address: 415 Riversdale Road, Hawthorn East. 3123.

Phone: (03) 9882 2622

Fax: (03) 9882 2677

Email: mail@birdsaustralia.com.au

Web: www.birdsaustralia.com.au

Bird Observers Club of Australia (BOCA)

Volunteer-based organisation providing educational activities and a range of publications on birds. Bird watching is a core activity.

Address: 183-185 Springvale Road, Nunawading.

PO Box 185, Nunawading, 3131

Phone: 1300 305 342 or (03) 9877 5342

Fax: (03) 9844 4048

Web: www.birdobservers.org.au

Email: boca@ozemail.com.au

Catchment Management Authorities (CMA's)

Provide advice on waterways and water quality, remnant vegetation, flood plain management and similar issues. Some also administer grants to farmers. CMA Bushcare Facilitators undertake regional vegetation planning and assist with Bushcare Grant applications (see Regional Contact lists).

Web: www.nre.vic.gov.au/cmsa/rcs/cma/index.

Commonwealth Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry Australia (AFFA)

AFFA has the dual roles of providing customer services to the agricultural, food, fisheries and forest industries, and addressing the challenges of natural resource management. It also helps build and promote the whole food and fibre chain from paddock to plate for domestic and international markets.

Address: PO Box 858, Canberra. 2601.

Phone: (02) 6272 3933

Fax: (02) 6272 3469

Email: webmaster@affa.gov.au

Web: www.affa.gov.au

Commonwealth Department of Environment and Heritage (formerly Environment Australia)

This portfolio includes the Department of Environment and heritage, various statutory authorities (eg. Australian Heritage Council, Director of National Parks, Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority) and agencies (eg. Australian Greenhouse Office and the National Oceans Office).

Address: GPO Box 787, Canberra. 2601.

Phone: (02) 6274 1111 or 1800 671 717

Web: www.deh.gov.au

Conservation Volunteers Australia

Recruitment and management of community volunteers to undertake practical conservation projects. Delivers practical environmental outcomes together with community education and awareness programs.

National Head Office:

Address: 13-15 Lydiard Street North, Ballarat

PO Box 423, Ballarat. 3353.

Phone: (03) 5333 1483
or 1800 032 501

Fax: (03) 5333 2166

Web: www.conservationvolunteers.com.au

Email: info@conservationvolunteers.com.au

Environment Australia (see Commonwealth Department of Environment and Heritage)

Environment Victoria

Membership organisation for individuals and affiliates. An advocate organisation, coordinating a number of campaigns focussing on protection of environmental assets.

Address: Level 3, 60 Leicester Street, Carlton
PO Box 12575, A'Beckett Street
Melbourne 8006
Phone: (03) 9341 8100
Fax: (03) 9341 8199
Web: www.envict.org.au

Environmental Defenders Office - Victoria (EDO)

EDO is an independent, non-profit, public interest legal service specialising in environmental law. The EDO provides legal advice and representation on environmental and planning issues, community legal education and makes submissions to Government on relevant legislation.

Address: 1/504 Victoria Street,
North Melbourne. 3051.
Phone: (03) 9328 4811
Fax: (03) 9326 5687
Email: edovic@edo.org.au
Web: www.edo.org.au/edovic/edovic.htm

Environs Australia (Environs)

Environs Australia is a membership-based independent national association. Membership is varied, including a range of organisations and individuals involved in environmental management at the local level. Its main aim is to advance, support and strengthen the participation of Australian Local Governments in the worldwide movement of councils towards local sustainability.

Address: 2/247 Flinders Lane
Melbourne, Victoria, 3000.
Phone: (03) 9654 1322
Fax: (03) 9654 1625
Web: www.environs.org.au

Field Naturalists Club of Victoria (FNCV)

Aims to stimulate interest in natural history and to preserve and protect Australian flora and fauna. Extensive library of natural history publications.

Address: 1 Gardenia Street, Blackburn. 3130.
Locked Bag 3, Blackburn. 3130.
Phone/Fax: (03) 9877 9860
Email: fncv@vicnet.net.au
Web: www.calcite.apana.org.au/fncv

Greening Australia Victoria Inc. (GAV)

Provides information and assistance on all aspects of revegetation, regeneration and protection of remnant vegetation. Facilitators throughout regional areas (many of whom are farmers) offer practical advice, training and technical knowledge on vegetation management on private property (see Regional Contact lists). Training courses.

Address: 10 Buckingham Drive, Heidelberg.
PO Box 525, Heidelberg. 3084.
Phone: (03) 9457 3024 or (03) 9450 5300
Fax: (03) 9457 3687
Email: general@gavic.org.au
Web: www.gavic.org.au

Landcare Australia Ltd (LAL)

LAL is a not-for-profit company, set up at arms length from the government, with its main focus on raising awareness of, and participation in, landcare and landcare issues; and raising funds and resources for landcare projects.

Address: **Head Office**
PO Box 5666, West Chatswood.
NSW. 1515.
Phone: 1800 151 105 or (02) 9412 1040
Fax: (02) 9412 1060
Web: www.landcareaustralia.com.au

Victorian Office

Address: Level 2, 'Farrar House', 24-28 Collins
Street, Melbourne. 3000.
Phone: (03) 9662 9977
Fax: (03) 9662 4466
Mobile: 0407 362 840
Email: rob.youl@landcareaustralia.com.au

Latrobe University – Wildlife Reserve

Provides advice on a fee-for-service basis. Seed collection and contract growing of indigenous species. Sales of nest boxes, floating islands. Retail and wholesale sales of indigenous wetland plants.

Address: Ring Road or Main Drive, Latrobe University,
Bundoora. 3086.
Phone: (03) 9479 2871
Fax: (03) 9479 3706
Web: www.latrobe.edu.au/www/wildlife

Natural Resources Conservation League (NRCL)

NRCL provides arboricultural and farm tree planning consultancy services and educational programs for schools. Supplier of farm trees and advanced landscape specimens.

Address: 593 Springvale Road,
Springvale South. 3172.
Phone: (03) 9546 9744
Fax: (03) 9547 8791
Email: nrcl@nrcl.org.au
Web: www.nrcl.org.au

Parks Victoria (PV)

Parks Victoria manages Victoria's network of national, state, regional and metropolitan parks, other conservation reserves, many significant cultural assets, and Melbourne's bays and waterways.

General switchboard: 13 19 63

Administrative Offices:

Address: Level 10/ 535 Bourke Street,
Melbourne. 3000.
Phone: (03) 8627 4699
Fax: (03) 9629 5563
Web: www.parkweb.vic.gov.au

Royal Botanic Gardens and National Herbarium

The Royal Botanic Gardens is an integral part of Australia's research into the conservation and biodiversity of plants. It provides authoritative advice on all plants growing in Victoria, whether in the wild or in gardens. It is a key scientific institution providing plant biodiversity information for Victoria.

Address: Birdwood Avenue, South Yarra.
PO Box 2000, South Yarra. 3141.
Phone: Melbourne: (03) 9252 2300
Cranbourne: (03) 5990 2200
Fax: (03) 9252 2350
Web: www.rbg.vic.gov.au

Tree Project

Low cost indigenous seedlings grown to order by volunteers. Volunteer work force for planting.

Address: 'Ross House', 3/247 Flinders Lane,
Melbourne. 3000.
Phone: (03) 9650 9477 or 1800 999 933
Fax: (03) 9650 4385
Email: info@treeproject.asn.au
Web: www.treeproject.asn.au

Trust for Nature (Victoria)

Advice to landowners in nature conservation and covenants. Helps organise land purchases.

Address: Level 2, 385 Little Lonsdale Street,
Melbourne. 3000.
Phone: (03) 9670 9933 or
1800 999 933
Fax: (03) 9670 9977
Email: trustfornature@tfn.org.au
Web: www.tfn.org.au

Victorian Farmers Federation

Represents the interests of farmer members. Able to provide advice on a wide range of farming issues. In particular provides support to landcare groups. Publisher of the Victorian Landcare Magazine.

Address: 'Farrar House', 24-28 Collins Street,
Melbourne. 3000.
Phone: (03) 9207 5555
Fax: (03) 9207 5500
Web: www.vff.org.au

Victorian National Parks Association

Member organisation. Coordinates a number of strategic campaigns for nature conservation and biodiversity (Marine Parks, Box Ironbark Communities, Forests and Wetlands, Victorian Alps). Hosts two key national conservation networks: Threatened Species, and Marine and Coastal Communities

Address: Level 3, 60 Leicester Street,
Carlton 3053
Phone: (03) 9347 5188
Fax: (03) 9347 5199
Web: www.vnpa.org.au

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