

12/06/2008
C16**SCHEDULE 2 TO THE VEGETATION PROTECTION OVERLAY**

Shown on the planning scheme map as VPO2.

ROADSIDE VEGETATION PROTECTION AREAS**1.0**03/08/2006
C7**Statement of nature and significance of vegetation to be protected**

Roadside vegetation plays an important role as a wildlife habitat. Roadside areas are important locations of rare, threatened and endangered flora and fauna species. It is important to maintain and enhance habitat and corridor requirements for indigenous fauna. Roadside vegetation also determines the quality of travel experience and contributes to the visual quality of the area. Tracts of remnant vegetation are fragmented in the area and roadside areas represent one of the largest reserves of native vegetation species.

Areas identified by the Glenelg Hopkins Catchment Management Authority in the map titled *Sites of Biodiversity Significance in the Ararat Rural City – January 2004* are considered significant because:

- the vegetation comprises important biodiversity links and corridors.
- the areas consolidate remnant corridors.
- occurrence of rare or threatened species or communities.

2.003/08/2006
C7**Vegetation protection objective to be achieved**

To protect areas of significant remnant vegetation located along roadsides throughout the municipality.

3.003/08/2006
C7**Application requirements**

A permit is required to remove, destroy or lop any native vegetation.

An application to remove native vegetation must:

- Indicate the total extent of native vegetation on the subject land and the extent of proposed clearing, destruction or lopping, the location of any river, stream, watercourse, wetland or channel on the subject land, and if relevant the location of areas with a slope exceeding 20%.
- Specify the purpose of the proposed clearing.
- Demonstrate that the need for removal, destruction or lopping of remnant native vegetation has been reduced to the minimum extent that is reasonable and practicable.
- Specify proposals for revegetation following disturbance or restoration of an alternate site, including proposed species, ground stabilisation and ongoing maintenance.
- If the area of proposed clearing exceeds 0.4 ha, include a report on the vegetation and habitat significance of the area subject to the permit, to the satisfaction of the responsible authority.

4.003/08/2006
C7**Referral/notice of application**

The responsible authority must seek the comments on any application in accordance with Section 52(1)(c) of the Act from the authority specified in Clause 66.06 or a schedule to that clause.

5.003/08/2006
C7**Decision guidelines**

Before deciding on an application the responsible authority must consider:

- The flora and fauna conservation value of the roadside area.
- The need to use local endemic flora species for revegetation.
- The need to fence-off roadside vegetation areas to protect its environmental values.

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- The landscape, recreational and amenity values of the vegetation.
- The role of roadsides as corridors for the movement of fauna and avifauna between areas of native vegetation.
- Protecting vegetation from damage and disturbance by mowing, burning, grazing, droving, cultivation, spraying, grading, road formation and drainage works.
- Pest plant and animal control.
- The habitat value of dead trees and logs.
- Maintaining sight distance and clearance to fixed objects for road safety.
- The benefits of acquiring adequate additional land.
- Whether buildings, works or use could be more appropriately located on cleared land.
- Any relevant fire management plan.

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Roads printed in **bold** are National Estate listed roads

(*yes*) = from pre1750 EVCdata

Map Ref.	Location	Rare or threatened species/ communities	Remnant native grasslands	High biodiversity values/ links	Comments
VPO2(001)	Warrayadin Road, Ararat			Yes	Meduim conservation roadside, Grassy Woodland
VPO2(002)	Pyrenees Highway	yes	Yes	Yes	Large-fruit Fireweed, Grassland, endangered and vulnerable EVCs
VPO2(003)	Western Highway		Yes	Yes	High conservation roadside, important links, Themeda, Red Gum Woodlands, Grey Box and Bulokes, important wildlife corridor
VPO2(004)	Hopkins River Road, Ararat		yes	Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(005)	Buangor Ben Nevis Road		Yes	Yes	Endangered EVCs, Undisturbed bushland-high quality, habitat trees, Yellow Gum/ Yellow Box woodland
VPO2(006)	Colonial Road, Bayindeen			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(007)	Anderson's Road, Buangor		Yes	Yes	Grassy Woodland, High degree of naturalness, Wildlife corridor
VPO2(008)	Firewood Road, Buangor			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(009)	Peacocks Road, Buangor			Yes	Grassy woodland, Stringybark/ Candlebark Woodland

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VPO2(010)	Mile Post Lane, Buangor			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(011)	Challicum Road, Buangor			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(012)	Warrak Road, Dobie			Yes	Red Gum/ Yellow Box Grassy Woodland
VPO2(013)	Geelong Road			Yes	Red Gum Woodland
VPO2(014)	Hillside Road, Dobie		Yes	Yes	Dry Forest, natural regeneration of understorey, good remnant grass patches
VPO2(015)	Downs Road, Ararat			Yes	Open Red Gum Woodland
VPO2(016)	Big Hill Road, Warrak			Yes	Red Gum Woodland
VPO2(017)	Brady Road, Dobie			Yes	Red Gum woodland
VPO2(018)	Noaks Ark Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(019)	New Years Day Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(020)	Sawpit Flat Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland, potential links for Brush-tailed Phascogale
VPO2(021)	Slopers Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland, important links for Brush-tailed Phascogale
VPO2(022)	Common Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland, good understorey
VPO2(023)	Railway Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(024)	Warrayatkin Road, Ararat			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(025)	Road reserve off Pyrenees Highway			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(026)	Cemetery Lane, Ararat			Yes	Endangered EVC
VPO2(027)	Wills Hill Road, Denicull Creek		Yes	Yes	Grassland, Blue Devils, Stipa and Themeda, High Value
VPO2(028)	Kangaroo Point Road, Denicull Creek(By Pass Rd)			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest(Depleted EVC)
VPO2(029)	Denicull Creek Road, Cathcart			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest(Depleted EVC)
VPO2(030)	Philips Flat Road, Ararat			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest(Depleted EVC)

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VPO2(031)	Bellinghams Hill Road, Ararat			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest(Depleted EVC)
VPO2(032)	Kirk Hill Road, Moyston			Yes	Grassy Woodland, grassland
VPO2(033)	Shannon Road, Moyston			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(034)	Burrumbeep Road, Moyston			Yes	Grassy Woodland, Large Red Gums
VPO2(035)	Coads Road, Moyston			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(036)	Moyston – Dunkeld Road			Yes	Red Gum/Yellow Box Woodland, good links
VPO2(037)	Yarram Park Road			Yes	Links to Grampians, Red Gums, Woodland
VPO2(038)	Beehive Road, Yarram Park			Yes	Links to Grampians, Red Gums, Woodland
VPO2(039)	Yarram Gap Road			Yes	Links to Grampians, Red Gums, Woodland, Grassy Woodland
VPO2(040)	Masons Road, Mafeking			Yes	Links to Grampians, Red Gums, Woodland
VPO2(041)	Regulating Basin Road, Mafeking			Yes	Large Red Gums, Grassy woodland
VPO2(042)	Andrews Lane, Maroona			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(043)	Muirehead Road			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(044)	Mafeking Road, Mafeking			Yes	Woodland, Large Red Gums
VPO2(045)	Watgania Road, Watgania			Yes	Woodland, Large Red Gums
VPO2(046)	Moyston – Willaura Road			Yes	Grassy woodland, large Red Gums
VPO2(047)	Labrador Road, Maroona			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(048)	Ararat – Warrnambool Road	Yes	Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Hoary Sunray, Hairy Tails, High Conservation Roadside, grassy woodland
VPO2(049)	Maroona – Glenthompson Road	Yes	Yes	Yes	Hairy Tails, Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Adamsons Blown-grass, Hoary Sunray
VPO2(050)	Corn Hill Road, Jacksons Creek			Yes	Red Gum Woodland, Dry Woodland/Forest
VPO2(051)	Coopers Road, Burrumbeep Hill			Yes	Grassland/grassy woodland

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VPO2(052)	Hammonds Road, Ballyrogan		Yes	yes	Grassland
VPO2(053)	Webbs Road, Yalla-y-poorra		yes	Yes	Grassland
VPO2(054)	Bastins Road, Ballyrogan			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(055)	Prices Road, Ballyrogan			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(056)	Tatyoan North Road			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(057)	Streatham (Eurambeen) Road		yes	Yes	Grassland (Danthonia, Stipa, Themeda, Lemon Beauty-heads). High Conservation Roadside
VPO2(058)	Mount William Road	Yes	Yes	Yes	Small Milkwort, Grassland, High Conservation Roadside, Danthonia dominated grassland, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(059)	Rossbridge – Streatham Road		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(060)	Mininera East Road				Medium conservation, grassland
VPO2(061)	Gunns Road, Willaura		Yes	yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(062)	Malim Road, Willaura	Yes	Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(063)	Edgarley Estate Road, Willaura			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(064)	Delacombe Way, Willaura	Yes	Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(065)	Parrie Yalloak Road,		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland/grassy woodland
VPO2(066)	Kerrs Road, Bornes Hill		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(067)	Helens Road, Bornes Hill		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(068)	Mount Nicholson Road, Stavely		yes	Yes	grassland
VPO2(069)	Stapylton Road, Willaura		Yes	Yes	Grassland
VPO2(070)	Red Hill Road, Glenthompson		yes	yes	grassland
VPO2(071)	Powells Lane, Bornes Hill			Yes	Grassy woodland

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VPO2(072)	Toora Road, Bornes Hill		Yes	Yes	Grassland- high quality
VPO2(073)	Haydens Road, Bornes Hill	Yes		Yes	Adamsons Blown-grass
VPO2(074)	Lynches Crossing Road			Yes	Grassy Woodland, Large Red Gums, important links, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(076)	Back Bushy Creek Road, Narrapumelap South		Yes	Yes	Grassland, drooping Sheoaks, woodland, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(077)	Yarrak Road, Narrapumelap South			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(078)	Phillips Lane, Stavelly			Yes	Grassy woodland, Casuarina woodland
VPO2(079)	Glenelg Highway	Yes	Yes	Yes	High quality grassland, Adamson's Blown-grass
VPO2(080)	Williamsons Road, Narrapumelap South			yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(081)	Willuara – Wickliffe Road	Yes	Yes	Yes	Trailing Hopbush, Hairy Tails, Species rich, Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Button Wrinklewort, Small Milkwort, Tertiary Buckshot grassland.
VPO2(082)	Chatsworth – Wickliffe Road	Yes	Yes	yes	Hairy Tails, Western Basalt Plains Grassland, Small Milkwort, Hoary Sunray, Corkscrew Spear Grass, Clover Gycine, Derrinallum Billy Buttons, Adamsons Bent-grass, Golden Billy Buttons, National Estate Listed roadside
VPO2(083)	Astons Road, Narrapumelap South		Yes	yes	Grassland/grassy woodland, Adamsons Blown-grass
VPO2(084)	Christies Lane, Wickliffe			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(085)	Patterson Road, Wickliffe			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(086)	Narrow Road, Wickliffe			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(087)	Geddes Road, Lake Bolac			Yes	Grassland/grassy woodland
VPO2(088)	Parupa Road, Lake Bolac			Yes	Grassland/grassy woodland

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VPO2(089)	Parupa Park Road, Lake Bolac			Yes	Grassland/grassy woodland
VPO2(090)	Norbank Road, Lake Bolac		yes	yes	Native Grassland (including Sheeps Burr, Lemon Beauty Heads, Stipa, Themeda, Danthonia Slender Dock)
VPO2(091)	Casanova Road, Westmere		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(092)	Stockpile Road, Westmere		Yes	yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(093)	Woorndoo – Streatham Road	Yes	Yes	Yes	Hairy Tails, 20 native species, Stony Rise Grassland, WBPG, Ridged Water Milfoil, Wavy Swamp Wallaby-grass, Wetland Blown-grass, National Estate Listed Road
VPO2(094)	Elders Road, Streatham		yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(095)	Tara Road, Streatham		yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(096)	Darlington – Carranballac Road, Pura Pura		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(097)	Vite Vite Road, Pura Pura		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(098)	Warnings Lane-Woorndoo		Yes	Yes	Western Basalt Plains Grassland
VPO2(099)	Whites Lane, Lake Bolac		Yes	Yes	Native grassland, high degree of naturalness
VPO2(100)	Chatsworth –Bolac Road			Yes	Grassy Woodland/ grassland
VPO2(101)	Howards Lane, Narrapumelap			Yes	Grassy woodland
VPO2(102)	Watgania Road, Maroona			Yes	Adamson’s Blown-grass
VPO2(103)	Ararat – Halls Gap Road		Yes	Yes	Very high and high quality roadside, River Red Gums, Themeda, Stringybark Woodland, Yellow Box/ Scentbark Woodland, Red Gum Woodland, Yellow Box Heathy Scrub
VPO2(104)	Pipeline Road, Pomonal	Yes		Yes	Very High and high quality roadside, Stringybark woodland, Yellow Gum/ Yellow Box woodland, Swift Parrot, Painted Honeyeater

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VPO2(105)	Cherry Tree Road, Pomonal			Yes	Habitat for fauna, high quality roadside
VPO2(106)	Pomonal East Road			Yes	Red Gum Woodland
VPO2(107)	Tobacco Road, Pomonal			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(108)	Waterhole Road, Pomonal	Yes		Yes	High quality roadside, Heathy Woodland, Mt Cassell Grevillea
VPO2(109)	Springwood Hill Road, Pomonal			Yes	Yellow Box Woodland
VPO2(110)	Robins Road, Pomonal			Yes	High quality roadside, Stringybark Forest
VPO2(111)	Jallukar North Road			Yes	Links to Jallukar Forest, Red Gum / Yellow Gum Woodland
VPO2(112)	Lake Fyans Tourist Road (Stawell – Pomonal Road), Pomonal	Yes		Yes	Plains Grassy Woodland, Swift Parrot
VPO2(113)	Old Horsham Road, Bellellen	Yes		Yes	Yellow Box woodland and Red Gums, outstanding population of Broughton Pea, Swift Parrot
VPO2(114)	Bellellen Road	Yes		Yes	Red Gums and Yellow Gum Woodland, Swift Parrot
VPO2(115)	Black Range Road, Bellellen	Yes		Yes	Yellow Gum Woodland, Swift Parrot
VPO2(116)	Creek Junction Road, Bellellen	Yes		Yes	Long-leaf Box Heathy Woodland, Swift Parrot, Speckled Warbler
VPO2(117)	Joyces Road, Bellellen			Yes	Yellow Gum, Long-leaf Box, Heathy Woodland
VPO2(118)	Glue Pot Road, Bellellen			Yes	Yellow Gum Woodland
VPO2(119)	Neilds Road, Jallukar		Yes	Yes	Stipa, Red Gums, native grass understorey
VPO2(120)	Redman Road, Jallukar			Yes	Very high and high quality remnants, messmate heathland, Plains Grassy Woodland, Shrubby Woodland
VPO2(121)	Moyston West Road, Moyston			Yes	High quality roadside
VPO2(122)	Londonderry Road (or Bellellen Road?), Jallukar			Yes	Plains Grassy Woodland

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VPO2(123)	Wilds Lane, Moyston			Yes	High quality roadside, Red Gum Grassy Woodland
VPO2(124)	Pollards Road, Jallukar				Plains Grassy Woodland
VPO2(125)	Wallaces Road, Moyston			Yes	High quality roadside, Red Gum/ Yellow Box Woodland
VPO2(126)	Robinsons Road, Rhymney			Yes	Grassy Woodland, Grassy Dry Forest
VPO2(127)	Rocky Point Road, Moyston			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(128)	Better Route Road, Moyston			Yes	High quality roadside
VPO2(129)	Gillets Road, Moyston			Yes	Woodland
VPO2(130)	Banfields Road, Moyston			Yes	Red Gum/ Yellow Box Woodland
VPO2(131)	Moyston – Rocky Point Road			Yes	Grassland/ grassy woodland
VPO2(132)	Coads Road, Moyston			Yes	Woodland, Grassy Dry Forest
VPO2(133)	Rhymney Road, Rhymney			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest
VPO2(134)	Battery Mine Road, Norval			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(135)	Lovells Lane, Moyston				Woodland
VPO2(136)	Pentland Creek Road, Rhymney			Yes	High quality roadside, Grassy Woodland
VPO2(137)	McGuans Road, Great Western			Yes	High quality roadside, very diverse Yellow Gum/ Sheoak Woodland
VPO2(138)	Sugarloaf Road, Great Western			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest
VPO2(139)	Panrock Reservoir Road	Yes		Yes	Southern Brown Bandicoot
VPO2(140)	Killough Road, Rhymney Hill			Yes	Grassy Woodland
VPO2(141)	Great Western – Moyston Road, Rhymney	Yes		Yes	Plains Grassy Woodland, Adamson's Blown-grass, Corkscrew Spear-grass, Themeda
VPO2(142)	Lamont Road, Rhymney Reef			Yes	Red Gum/ Yellow Gum woodland
VPO2(143)	Salvation Gully Road, Rhymney Reef			Yes	Yellow Gum Woodland

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VPO2(144)	Westgate Road, Armstrong			Yes	Heathy Dry Forest
VPO2(145)	Military Bypass Road, Armstrong	Yes		Yes	Grey Box and Red Gum Woodland, Corkscrew Spear-grass, Leafy Wallaby-grass
VPO2(146)	Thomas Road, Armstrong			Yes	Yellow Gum/ Red Stringybark Grassy Woodland
VPO2(147)	Thomas Road, Dunneworthy	Yes		Yes	Red Gum Woodland, Corkscrew Spear-grass, Leafy Wallaby-grass
VPO2(148)	Ararat – St Arnaud Road			Yes	Red Gum/ Yellow Box Woodland
VPO2(149)	Freeman Road, Warrak			Yes	Red Gum Woodland
VPO2(150)	Iron Pot Creek Road, Warrak			Yes	Grassy Dry Forest
VPO2(151)	Eversley – Crowlands Road			Yes	Yellow Box/ Red Box Heathy Woodland, Red Gum/ Yellow Box Woodland
VPO2(152)	Eversley Road			Yes	Red Gum/ Yellow Box Grassy Woodland
VPO2(153)	Red Rocks Rod, Eversley			Yes	Yellow Box/ Red Box Grassy Woodland
VPO2(154)	Colliers Gap Road, Eversley			Yes	Stringybark Forest
VPO2(155)	Fued Road, Eversley			Yes	Box Stringybark/ Candlebark woodland
VPO2(156)	Bank Road, Bayindeen			Yes	Box Stringybark Forest
VPO2(157)	Ords Orchard Road, Bayindeen			Yes	Box Stringybark, Candlebark woodland
VPO2(158)	Bayindeen Road			Yes	Heathy Dry Forest
VPO2(159)	Polas Road, Rhymney	Yes		Yes	Diverse grassy flora, remnant Red Gum grassy woodland, Small Milkwort
VPO2(160)	Unused road reserve, Rhymney			yes	Very diverse heathy woodland (Red Stringybark, Long-leaf Box, Yellow Box)