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Maribyrnong River and creek corridors

Strategies

Ensure new development within the Maribyrnong River valley has regard to the preferred character type as outlined in the *Maribyrnong River Design Guidelines* (Department of Planning and Community Development, 2010) for each distinct character length.

Encourage new development, facilities and services to complement existing activities along the Maribyrnong River.

Acquire private land to strengthen the vegetation dominated landscape backdrop and escarpment edges to the Maribyrnong River, Moonee Ponds Creek, Steele Creek, Five Mile Creek and adjacent parklands.

Acquire private land abutting Moonee Ponds Creek for public recreation purposes.

Enhance river and creek corridors by linking them to adjacent open spaces.

Encourage the planting of native vegetation on public and private land adjacent to river and creek corridors, where appropriate having regard to the use of the land.

Policy documents

Consider as relevant:

- *Maribyrnong River Interface Urban Design Guidelines* (John Curtis Pty Ltd and Planisphere, 2001)
- *Maribyrnong River Master Plan* (Site Office, Traffix and Storm Consulting, 2012)
- *Moonee Ponds Creek Strategic Plan* (Land Design Partnership Pty Ltd, Urban Enterprise Pty Ltd and Golder Associates Pty Ltd, 2011)