

# BOX-GUM GRASSY WOODLANDS

## Site assessment and management options

Site 25 – Old School Road (east)

**Map Sheet 1:25,000**

**MGA Reference**

**Location**

Mt Paradox (8023-4-1) 780 005

Zone 55 3 780 00 59 005 00

From Gobur travel up Old School rd to range crossing. Site on right before crest.

**Tenure**

Public

**Land Manager**

Shire

**Local Government**

Murrindindi Shire

**Biosite Number**

8069

**Size**

2.2 ha

**Rapid Hab/Ha Score**

60/100. 26<sup>th</sup> September 2005

**EPBC listed**

Yes

**EVC**

Grassy Dry Forest

**Bioregion**

Central Victorian Uplands

### Site description

Multi aged White Box with moderate regeneration. Moderate ground cover of native grasses and forbs. Abundant deadfall and ground litter. Adjacent paddocks contain good patches of Kangaroo Grass. Fragmented connectivity to other degraded roadside.

### Threats

1. Exotic Grasses.
2. Isolated from any significant core areas.
3. Minimal deadfall.

### Management Options

1. Retention of deadfall to provide habitat.
2. Establish vegetation corridors to connect to other remnant areas and larger core areas.
3. Establish trial sites for seasonal control of exotic grasses using strategic burning/herbicide/grazing. Monitor results.
4. Shire Planning Schemes (Zoning/Overlays/Roadside Management Plans) to reflect sites values.



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## Flora species

### Common name

Tussock  
Wallaby Grasses  
Kangaroo Grass  
Urn Heath  
Mat-rush  
Silver Wattle  
Lightwood Wattle  
Guinea flower

### Scientific name

*Poa spp*  
*Austrodanthonia spp*  
*Themeda triandra*  
*Melichrus urceolatus*  
*Lomandra spp*  
*Acacia dealbata*  
*Acacia implexa*  
*Hibbertia spp*

## Weed species

### Common name

English Broom  
Exotic Grasses

### Scientific name

*Cytisus scoparius*

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