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Dear Ms Bevelander

RE: REQUEST FOR CLEARING OF DEAD WOOD ON RESERVES IN SCOTSBURN

Thank you for your correspondence addressed to Cr Belinda Coates received 5 December 2016 regarding the above request. This has been forwarded to me for my attention and action.

The City of Ballarat has been implementing roadside fire recovery works in accord with the Natural Environment and Cultural Heritage Recovery Sub Plan which was developed following the Scotsburn fire by the Natural Environment and Cultural Heritage Recovery Sub-Committee.

Fire recovery clean up works have been completed along Pryors Road through the fire affected section.

Council will continue to monitor roadsides within the fire affected area and it is expected that some tree removals will be required over the next few years as some roadside trees may not recover from fire damage.

Please feel free to contact Daryl Wallis, Council's Coordinator Parks and Gardens, if you have any further concerns in relation to this by phoning 03 5320 7405.

Yours sincerely


Terry Demeo
Director Infrastructure and Environment

CC: Cr Belinda Coates
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