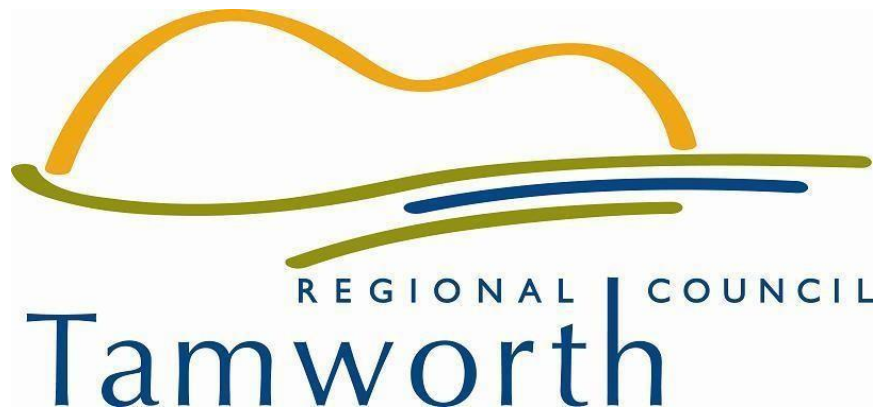


TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL



**E147/2020**

**EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

For the

**Removal of Timber Product from Nundle  
Recreation Reserve**

PREPARED BY: TAMWORTH REGIONAL COUNCIL REGIONAL SERVICES DIRECTORATE  
DATE: May 2020

## **1. OVERVIEW**

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Tamworth Regional Council is replacing the existing post and rail fence at the Nundle Recreation Reserve under their maintenance schedule. These works are funded by the Tamworth Regional Council.

To address safety concerns with the existing deteriorating post and rail fence at the reserve council will remove the fence in entirety and replace with a chosen more sustainable product. Whilst some of the rails within the existing fence are deteriorated there are a number of rail sections which are of reasonable quality and may suit use in recycled timber projects.



**Figure 1 –Nundle Recreation Reserve**

## **2. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

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Tamworth Regional Council is seeking Expressions of Interest (EOIs) from organisations and individuals who have a use for the old timber rails from the reserve. Submissions will be evaluated by Council with preference given to not-for-profit community groups and for maximum benefit to the community. The allocation of the existing timber product will be at the sole discretion of Council.

It is important to note that Council expects the number of applications received to exceed the surface available for distribution. Therefore, the submission of an EOI does not guarantee all or any of the requested quantity of timber product.

The timber product will be distributed by lineal metres and the applicant is responsible for the transport and unloading of the timber product. No cutting of the timber product on site at the Nundle Recreation Reserve upon collection will be permitted due to the congestion of the site.

The timber product will be removed and ready for distribution from the 17th of June 2020. It is Council's expectation that the timber product will be predominantly distributed in large quantities.

### 3. DISTRIBUTUION

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Distribution will occur from the Nundle Recreation Reserve, Oakenville Street, Nundle (refer to figure 2) at a suitable day and time to be arranged between Council and the interested recipient... It will be the recipient's responsibility to collect their allocated timber product within the agreed day/time or forfeit the allocation of the timber product. Recipients will be required to sign a site specific induction for prior to collection.



Figure 2- Distribution site location

### 4. SURFACE CONDITION

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Council notes that the timber product varies in condition and preferences will not be taken into account in the allocation of the timber product. The allocation of the timber product will be random with the product quality varying as follows:

Size – typical lengths will be an average of 1500mm or 1.5m;

Quality – variable with respect to cleanliness, consistency, uniformity etc. Some sections will contain holes and chips from post fittings and a result of removal etc.

The timber product will be pre-allocated prior to distribution. If applicants are unhappy with their allocation, they can opt to not participate and their allocation will go to someone who has missed out. Under no circumstance will changes be made to the timber product allocated on the collection day.

### 5. TRANSPORTATION

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Recipients will be responsible for all loading of the timber (estimated weight per length 15kg).

Recipients will be responsible for the transportation, appropriate tie down/ load restraint procedures and the loading and unloading of the timber product at their own risk. Recipients must advise in their EOI submission how they will transport and unload the timber product to ensure this will occur in a safe and legal manner.

Safe transportation and unloading of the timber product is the sole responsibility, and at the full risk, of recipients.

**6. SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTATION**

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Submit the attached application form to referencing E147/2020- Removal of Timber Product from Nundle Recreation reserve In the subject line to [trc@tamworth.nsw.gov.au](mailto:trc@tamworth.nsw.gov.au). Please contact council on 6767 5555 for all written (hardcopy) submissions.

<b>Time:</b>	<b>11am</b>
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2020</b>

Please provide sufficient details on the EOI form to allow Council to evaluate the submissions. In the event a large number of EOIs are received, incomplete applications may not be considered.

**6.1. LATE EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

Late submissions may be considered, however preference will be given to submissions received before the closing date.

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM**

<b>Applicant Name</b>	
<b>Applicant Contact Details</b>	Phone:
	Email:
<b>Are you applying on behalf of an Organisation?</b>	Yes / No
<b>Organisation Name</b>	
<b>Number of Lineal Metres of Timber Product Requested</b>	
<b>Description/Details of planned use for the timber product</b>	
<b>Proposed use of the timber product</b>	
<b>Method of transportation and unloading of timber product</b>	