

# UPPER BULLOCK CREEK CATCHMENT LOCAL MANAGEMENT RULES



## 1. Catchment Information

The Upper Bullock Creek is managed to its junction with Cuminis Channel which is north of Ravenswood, and encompasses an area of approximately 22 km<sup>2</sup>. The mean annual flow at the bottom of the Upper Bullock Creek catchment is approximately 1,610 ML/yr. The North Central River Health Strategy lists the Mid-Loddon Program Area as it includes priority waterway reaches, of which the Upper Bullock Creek flows into. Key issues identified within the catchment are instream barriers, exotic flora, stock access, water quality, degraded riparian vegetation and introduced fauna.

The catchment is bound to the east by the Axe Creek catchment and the west by the Loddon River catchment. The main township within the catchment is Ravenswood. The Upper Bullock Creek catchment is predominantly cleared, with the main industry in the catchment being dryland farming.

## 2. Management of Licences

Restriction Triggers for each stage of restriction.

Restriction Stages	Trigger Values for Introduction of Next Stage of Restriction	Percent Restrictable Demand
Stage 5 (Suspension)	<=10 ML/Day	100%

**Note:** Restrictions are implemented during dry periods prior to flows reducing to the trigger value. For example, if a river flow is reducing rapidly, a higher stage or suspension will be put in place before the trigger level is reached to provide for adequate flow for domestic and stock use and the environment.

## 3. Compliance Point

The Upper Bullock Creek is managed in conjunction with the Lower Bullock and is visually assessed to 10 ML/Day at Pyramid Hill – Cohuna Rd, Pyramid Hill.

## 4. Licences

Licence Allocation in Upper Bullock Creek and Tributaries

Licence Type	Number of Licences	Volume (ML)
Irrigation	8	100.9
Registered Dams	11	289
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>389.9</b>

## 5. Additional Information

Stream codes and sustainable diversion limit zones are provided within this document for identification purposes when discussing the catchment diversion management with Goulburn-Murray Water Officers.

### Stream Codes

Stream codes used in the management of the Upper Bullock Creek and Tributaries:  
4070615

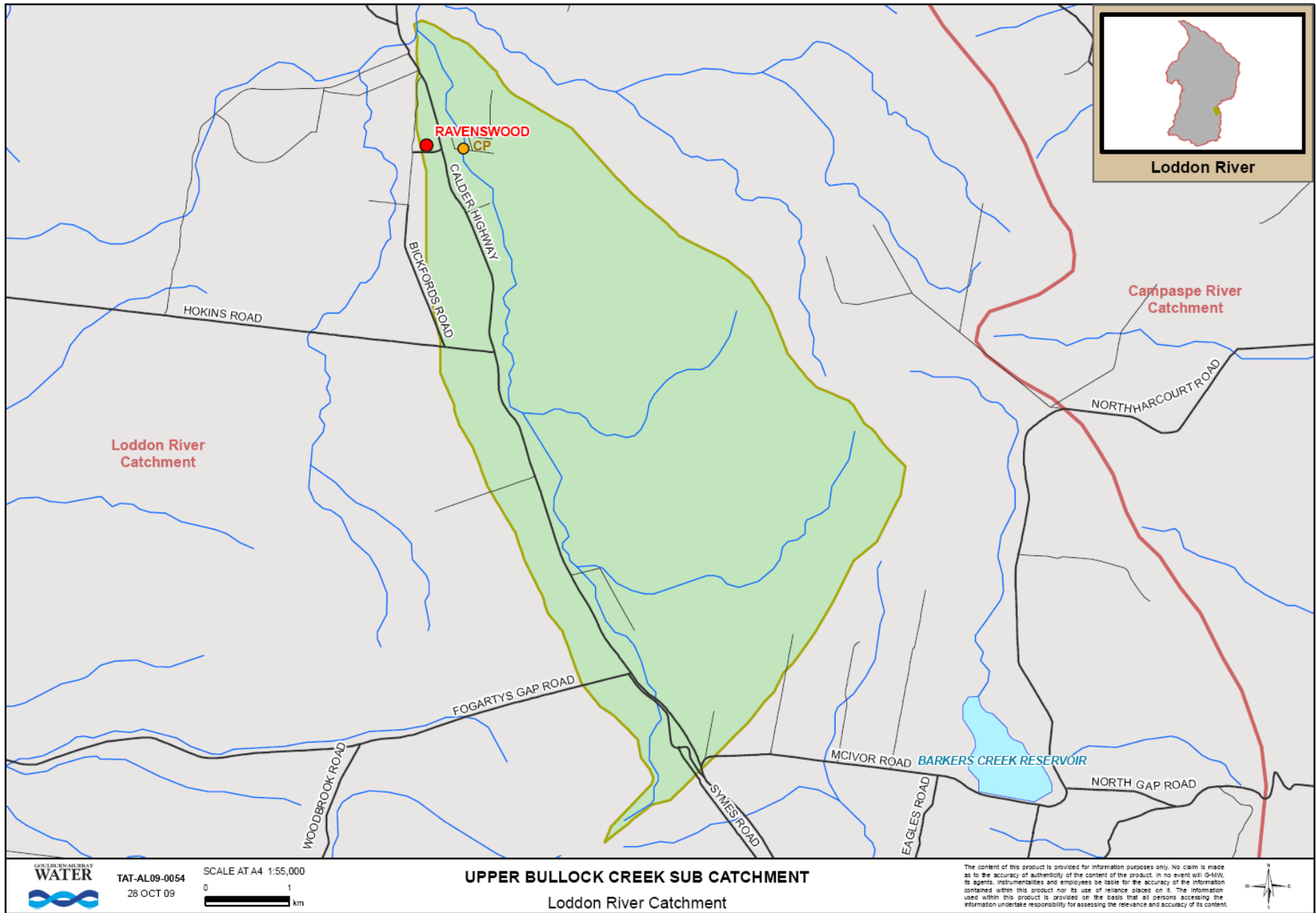
### Sustainable Diversion Limit zones

Sustainable Diversion Limit zones used in the management of surface water trade within the Upper Bullock Creek catchment:  
4070502

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Loddon River Catchment



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