

The Friends of the Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby are conducting a pest animal survey in the Kangaroo Valley, Budgong and Illaroo areas to identify local pest animal issues. We hope this information will assist in any future pest animal works in these areas. Please complete the below questionnaire and return it to us by Friday 2nd April 2010 by mail at PO Box 6182 Kangaroo Valley 2577 **OR** by downloading the form from our website at www.rockwallaby.org.au and emailing it to btrw@fastrac.net.au **OR** by dropping it in to the **Kangaroo Valley Rural Supplies store**.

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PEST ANIMAL QUESTIONNAIRE

PLEASE CIRCLE THE CORRECT ANSWER OR ADD FURTHER COMMENTS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED

1) Please indicate which area best describes the locality of your property:

Kangaroo Valley township	Tallowa Dam Rd	Bendella/Jacks Corner Rd	Upper Kangaroo River	Barrengarry	Beaumont	Bellawongarah	Budgong	Illaroo
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2) What is the size of your property: less than 1 ha 1-10 ha 10-100 ha more than 100 ha

3) What description best describes your property? Permanent residence Holiday residence Hobby farm Working farm

4) How did you receive this questionnaire? Through a local community group In the mail Other _____

5) Please complete the following details regarding fox sightings:

Has a fox been seen on or within 1km of your property?		How often has a fox been seen on or within 1km of your property over the past year?				Over the past 5 years, do you think the local fox population in your area has:			
Yes	No	Never	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained stable	Unsure

6) Do you consider foxes a pest in your area? Yes No

If yes, what issue/s cause you to consider them a pest? _____

7) Do you conduct any fox control on your property? Yes No

If yes, then what method/s of fox control are used, how often and who by? _____

If no, is there a particular reason why? _____

8) A 1080 fox baiting program is conducted by National Parks and Wildlife Service across many land tenures in your area for the protection of Brush-tailed Rock-wallabies. What is your opinion of this program:

Fully supportive	A worthwhile program	I would rather it ceased	No opinion	Any other comments:
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9) Please complete the following details for the other pest species listed:

	Have you ever seen on or within 1km of your property?		If yes, how often have they been seen over past 12 months?			Over the past 5 years, do you think the local population in your area has:				Do you consider them a pest in your area?	
	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No
Wild dogs	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No
Feral cats	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No
Rabbits	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No
Deer	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No
Goats	Yes	No	Once	Occasionally	Regularly	Increased	Declined	Remained Stable	Unsure	Yes	No

Remote infrared cameras are available for 1 week loans to assist you in identifying cryptic pest species on your property – contact **Kangaroo Valley Security** on 0428 651 659

10) Are there any further comments you wish to make? _____

11) Have you heard of the local Friends of the Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby group? Yes No

If yes, how did you hear about them? _____

12) Are you interested in the conservation of the Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby? Yes No

If you are interested in supporting the long-term work of the group please contact us at PO Box 6182 Kangaroo Valley, www.rockwallaby.org.au OR btrw@fastrac.net.au to become a member or to make a donation.

The Friends of the Brush-tailed Rock-wallaby would like to thank you for taking the time to complete this survey.