

Coastwest Grants 2019/20: Projects approved for funding					
Region	Project Title	Project Summary	Project Partners	Partner Contributions	Recommended Funding
Mid-West	Drummond Cove Foreshore Resilience Project	A project to increase the resilience of the coastal reserve at Drummond Cove through revegetating a degraded area. It addresses the on-ground component of the adaptation pathway identified for Drummond Cove - resilience building measures designed to maintain the coastal reserve against coastal processes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> City of Greater Geraldton 	\$18,200	\$14,352
	Pages Beach Foreshore Access Management	A project to remove boxthorn and rehabilitate the foreshore reserve at Pages Beach, a popular recreation area located on the northern side of Point Moore. Fencing to control beach access will be installed. One access way to the beach will be decommissioned and rehabilitated with brushing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> City of Greater Geraldton 	\$11,275	\$5,000
Perth Metro	Coastal Capacity Building in the Perth Region	A project to engage current and prospective community Coastcare volunteers in training, knowledge sharing, skills development and education about coastal conservation and restoration. The project will also connect with local government coastal managers. A series of events will be held to attract a broad community audience, provide much-needed support to existing Coastcare groups, and result in lasting benefits for the Perth coastal community.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local governments, Coastcare groups and friends of groups in the Perth Region 	\$82,185	\$26,235
	Restoring Bush Forever Site 325 at Iluka - North Ocean Reef Foreshore	A project to restore and protect the biodiversity of the northern end of Bush Forever 325, with weeding and infill planting within the area. The project will also monitor wildlife, especially Quendas and the Graceful Sun Moth as well as the occurrence of feral animals, as part of the management of the reserve in partnership with local government. It will also educate the community about the diverse flora and fauna in the reserve by updating labels for plants and weeds, and by conducting guided walks.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> City of Joondalup Friends of North Ocean Reef-Iluka Foreshore 	\$23,090	\$18,350
	Dune Rehabilitation at Whitfords Nodes	Strong tides and coastal winds have eroded large areas of the dune system at Whitfords Nodes reducing vegetation cover and biodiversity. This project will see community volunteers install 340 square meters of coir matting and brushing to help reduce further erosion. Non- native flora will be removed and replaced with native coastal seedlings to increase biodiversity. New fencing will also be erected to trap sand and slow the dunes eastward migration.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> City of Joondalup Conservation Volunteers Australia Friends of Sorrento Beach and Marmion Foreshore Perth NRM 	\$31,216.40	12,938.45
	Integrated Foreshore Restoration in City of Stirling - Bennion Beach	Perth NRM in collaboration with Stirling Natural Environment Coastcare and the City of Stirling is committed to continual ecological restoration of coastal areas within Stirling. The steep limestone cliff and dune area along the Western side the North Trigg Carpark is suffering from an inundation of invasive weed species, loss of natural habitats and erosional forces. This project will undertake integrated weed management activities, jute matting erosion control and planting of native coastal species.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> City of Stirling Stirling Natural Environment Coastcare Perth NRM 	\$238,192	\$40,665

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	Swanbourne Oval Greenway Development - Stage 1	This project will increase bushland cover within Bush Forever Site 315, restoring part of the Swanbourne Beach Oval to coastal shrublands. Other degraded dunes will be rehabilitated by weed control and infill planting. This project will increase the ecological integrity of the entire coastal corridor, enhancing linkages to adjacent bushland areas within Allen Park as well as coastal areas north and south in Cottesloe and Cambridge. It will increase habitat for fauna including species such as the resident White Winged and Chestnut Fairy Wrens.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ City of Nedlands ▪ Swanbourne Coastal Alliance ▪ Friends of Allen Park ▪ Conservation Volunteers Australia ▪ Scotch College 	\$108,850	\$18,554.80
	Restoration and Improvement of Biodiversity within Leighton Beach Dunes	Sections of Leighton beach are exposed, and vulnerable to coastal processes, including erosion and inundation. Over time, the coast will become increasingly vulnerable to the impacts of sea level rise, storm surges and changes in sediment transport and natural sediment stores. This is a staged restoration project to stabilise sections of the dune system from North Leighton to South Leighton Beach. It supports the City of Fremantle Coastal Adaption Plan 2017, Port and Leighton Beaches Management Plan 2001 and City of Fremantle's City's Community Strategic Plan 2015-2025.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ City of Fremantle ▪ Friends of Fremantle Beaches ▪ Conservation Volunteers Australia ▪ Perth NRM 	\$33,610	\$23,490.47
	Dune Rehabilitation at Catherine's Groyne, CY O'Connor Reserve	Strong tides and coastal winds have eroded large areas of the dune system at Catherine's Groyne, reducing vegetation cover and biodiversity. In line with the City of Cockburn's Natural Area Management Strategy 2012-2022, this project will see community volunteers realign existing fencing and lay brushing to help reduce further erosion. Non-native flora will also be removed and replaced with native coastal species. The City of Cockburn will oversee the ongoing photo monitoring and maintenance of the site.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ City of Cockburn ▪ Conservation Volunteers Australia ▪ Perth NRM 	\$40,540	\$12,280.58
	Caring for Cape Peron	Specific sites will be targeted to remove invasive weeds species and replace with native flora improving biodiversity and supporting Quenda habitat. There will be a focus on degraded land which is not regenerating naturally. Through weed management, direct seeding and planting of native seedlings this project will restore natural habitat improving coastal woodland biodiversity and conservation values.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Friends of Point Peron ▪ Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions ▪ Conservation Volunteers Australia ▪ Perth NRM 	\$55,790	\$11,960
	Rehabilitation and Care of Kennedy Bay Coastal Sand Dunes	This project will rehabilitate coastal dunes; remove rubbish; undertake site preparation and weed removal; protect existing indigenous flora and fauna; and undertake planting of suitable native vegetation. Kennedy Bay Coastcare will also carry out a survey of insects and arachnids. Planting will be undertaken in partnership with the local community, Perth NRM, Rockingham City Council and conservation groups.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Kennedy Bay Coastcare ▪ Perth NRM ▪ City of Rockingham 	\$11,380	\$9,760

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South West	South West and Peel Coastal Management Meetings, Forums and Case Studies	South West and Peel Coastal Management Group (Coast Swap) will coordinate and facilitate coastal forums across Peel and South West regions to link stakeholders and partners, including a meeting of state-wide coastal coordinators and facilitators. Developing case studies on regional priorities, Coast Swap will share information with community, NRM groups and stakeholders and support better implementation of on-ground coastal projects.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South West and Peel Coastal Management Group • Local Government Authorities and State Government departments in the South West. 	\$24,500	\$10,000
	South West and Peel Coastal Management Group Administration and Communication	The grant will support Coast Swap to manage and administer its ongoing efforts in coastal zone management activities and provide training, capacity building and support for volunteers.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South West and Peel Coastal Management Group • Local Government Authorities in the South West. 	\$12,150	\$5,000
	Quinninup Heritage Complex: Coastal Dune Rehabilitation	Rehabilitation of the dune system at Quinninup will have the dual outcome of protecting and conserving the natural and cultural heritage values of this significant cultural and ecological area which is a registered Aboriginal Heritage site. The project will be led by Wadandi cultural custodians with cultural ecological knowledge of Quinninup, and provide the community with an opportunity to participate in the restoration of coastal dunes, protecting and managing ecological and cultural values.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Undalup Association ▪ Applied Archaeology Australia ▪ Geographe Community Landcare Nursery 	\$41,800	\$27,450
	Stabilising the Drifting Sands of the Myalup foredunes: Stage 3	The project will enable students from Perth and Bunbury schools to participate in revegetation activities to rehabilitate degraded coastal land and stabilize sand dunes at Myalup beach; and to learn from local Noongar Elders about traditional ecological and cultural practices.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Shire of Harvey, ▪ Samson Primary School ▪ Myalup Community Association 	\$83,520	\$45,675
Goldfields - Esperance	Protecting Wharton Beach to Victoria Harbour from Uncontrolled Off-Road Vehicle Use	This partnership project will protect priority Phytophthora dieback free Banksia communities ('Kwongkan' Threatened Ecological Communities), cultural sites, resident and migratory shorebird habitat, and fragile granite headlands from uncontrolled off-road vehicle use in the Wharton Beach to Victoria Harbour area east of Esperance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Department of Biodiversity Conservation & Attractions ▪ Shire of Esperance ▪ South Coast NRM ▪ Esperance Tjaltjraak Native Title Aboriginal Corporation 	\$137,112	\$46,726