

Public record pursuant to s. 39 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986*

Proposal title: Broome Regional Resource Recovery – Landfill Development

Proposal location: The proposal is located on Lot 550 on Deposited Plan 421448, at the intersection of McGuigan Road and Broome-Cape Leveque Road 12 km north-east of Broome's town centre.

EO number: APP-0024974

Date referral received: 20-10-2023

Date more information received: N/A

Referrer: Shire of Broome

Proponent: Shire of Broome

Potential significant effects:

There is potential to impact on: **Flora and Vegetation, Terrestrial Environmental Quality, and Terrestrial Fauna** from clearing of native vegetation; **Inland Waters** from stormwater runoff and leachate seepage into groundwater; and **Social Surroundings** from interference with amenity values.

Preliminary key environmental factors: flora and vegetation, terrestrial environmental quality, terrestrial fauna, inland waters, and social surroundings.

Public comment on referral information:

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| Do not assess: | 0 |
| Assess: a) Referral information | 0 |
| b) Environmental review - no public review | 0 |
| c) Public environmental review | 0 |
| <i>Total submissions:</i> | 0 |

Decision: s. 38G(1) – Not Assess

Referral Examined, preliminary investigations and inquiries conducted. Proposal not to be assessed under Part IV of the EP Act – No advice given.

Explanation of decision:

The Environmental Protection Authority (EPA) considers that the likely environmental effects of the proposal are not so significant as to warrant formal assessment. The EPA notes there are other statutory processes relevant to this proposal that can mitigate potential impacts from the construction and operation of the facility, including a clearing permit under Part V Division 2 (Clearing) and a works approval under Part V Division 3 (emissions and discharges) of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* (EP Act).

Appeals: This decision is appealable. Appeals close 19-02-2024. Appeals are administered by the Office of the Appeals Convenor.



Lee McIntosh

Deputy Chair Environmental Protection Authority **Date:** 24 January 2024