

Appendix D: Natural Heritage Trust and Caring for our Country Coastal and Marine Projects Between Carnarvon and Port Hedland

| Name of Project | Project ID | Location | Description | Funding & Source |
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| Stabilising the Future of the Pelican Point Dunes Near Carnarvon Apex Club of Carnarvon Incorporated | 38322 | Carnarvon | Apex Carnarvon will assist with the stabilisation of Pelican Point by constructing sand-trapping fences and rehabilitating dunes with brush and seed from native coastal plants collected on and near the site. | NHT Phase 2 2002/2003 \$15,358 |
| Sea Turtle Monitoring in the Dampier Archipelago Anna Vitenbergs | 48123 | Dampier | The project will involve track and nest counts on known nesting beaches in the Archipelago. There will also be visits to island beaches where information on turtle nesting has not been previously collected to find more about the location of turtle nesting beaches. | NHT Phase 2 2004/05 \$2,294 |
| Exmouth Community Volunteer Tree Workshop Revegetation Program and Arboretum Exmouth Community Tree Workshop | 38668 | Exmouth | The project aims to revegetate reserves and denuded scrubland around the townsite of Exmouth with local native species, grow out native seedlings to create an arboretum of NW arid climate native trees shrubs and other flora with a view to educating residents and visitors and providing seed and hardened stock for revegetation projects. | NHT Phase 2 2002/03 \$30,000 |
| Power to the People Through Marine Consultation Project Department of Environment and Conservation | | Exmouth Gulf to Cape Keraudren | Asking for public feedback can result in a diverse range of opinions, but a community consultation project on environmental values along a 600 kilometre stretch of coastline from Exmouth Gulf to Cape Keraudren in Western Australia has unified a region. It received 156 written submissions largely from Pilbara and Exmouth residents, businesses and community organisations, and attracted 190 people to public meetings. | Australian Government and support from the State Government, through the Rangelands NRM Co-ordinating Group. \$225,000 |

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| Keeping an eye on marine sediment in the Pilbara Department of Environment and Conservation | | Exmouth Gulf; Ashburton River; Onslow; Dampier Port & Archipelago; Port Hedland | Baseline Sediment Quality Survey on the North West Shelf. The survey, carried out by the Department of Environment and Conservation to characterise natural levels of contaminants, surveyed six sites throughout the Pilbara including Exmouth Gulf, Ashburton River Mouth, Onslow, Dampier Archipelago, Dampier Port and the coast at Port Hedland | Australian Government and support from the State Government, through the Rangelands NRM Co-ordinating Group. \$75,000 |
| Fox control to support the Gnaraloo Community monitoring program of endangered and vulnerable marine turtles DEC and the Trustee for The Gnaraloo Station Trust | CC083042 | Gnaraloo | The project will conduct 1080 fox baitings in these newly identified areas in support of the Gnaraloo Marine Turtle Survival Program. The anticipated outcomes of this project include the protection of turtle nesting sites, community engagement in turtle conservation management, and increased public awareness of turtle conservation issues. | Caring for our Country - Community Coastcare larger projects \$117,554.55 |
| Demonstrate Saving Turtle Nests Peter Mack | 42138 | Gnaraloo | This project will demonstrate the use of 3 types of fox control devices which anyone could install to save turtle nests from depredation by foxes. The devices will be installed together with explanatory signage at the popular Blowholes Beach where foxes eat the turtle eggs. This project will also assist with management at Gnaraloo Station in relation to protection of the 200 plus Loggerhead nests. | NHT Phase 2 2003/04 \$3,023 |
| Protect Coastal Dunes Through Restructuring Water Points at "Gnaraloo" WA The Trustee for the Gnaraloo Station Trust | 54508 | Gnaraloo | This project will install four new soak wells and equip them with solar panels and solar pumps. The wells are located in a coastal dune system and currently attract feral goats and stock that damage the dunes. The water will be piped inland to tanks removing the grazing pressure from the dunes. Troughs and trapyards will be installed to allow better management of grazing and trapping of feral goats. | NHT Phase 2 2005/06 \$44,478 |

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| <p>Saving Loggerhead Turtle Nests</p> <p>Peter Mack</p> | 37246 | Gnaraloo | <p>There is a remnant population of the endangered loggerhead turtle breeding at the remote station of Gnaraloo Station in WA. So far approximately 180 nests have been identified. The project will conduct aerial and land surveys along the coast to assist in locating additional nests.</p> | <p>NHT Phase 2 2002/03</p> <p>\$3,874</p> |
| <p>Coastal Fencing and Relocation of Watering Point at Victory Mill Mundabullangana Station WA</p> <p>Munda Pastoral Company Unit Trust</p> | 51686 | Mundabullangana Station (near Port Hedland) | <p>This project will prevent stock from traversing across a dune system currently void of vegetation by erecting 3km of fencing and relocating the watering point to reduce the grazing pressure at the base of the dune. The project will fence off 110ha and water will be pumped 1.5km away from the existing water source using a 300watt solar tracking system.</p> | <p>NHT Phase 2 2004/05</p> <p>\$21,060</p> |
| <p>Ningaloo Community Coral Reef Monitoring Education & Awareness Program</p> <p>The North West Research Association Inc</p> | 58995 | Ningaloo | <p>This project will enhance and protect the coral reef biodiversity and habitat in the Ningaloo Region. The group will initiate the training of 19 volunteers as reef monitors based on the Reef Check Australia program in Queensland to identify indicators of coral reef health and conservation.</p> | <p>NHT Phase 2 2006/07</p> <p>\$49,953</p> |
| <p>Cooke Point coastal rehabilitation and conservation - fencing project</p> <p>Town Of Port Hedland</p> | CC081411 | Port Hedland | <p>The Town of Port Hedland proposes to rehabilitate the Cooke Point foreshore and turtle nesting rookery, which are currently being degraded by off road vehicles. Installation of boundary fencing and five pedestrian beach access tracks along an 800 metre section of unprotected beach front.</p> | <p>Caring for our Country - Community Coastcare small projects</p> <p>\$42,565.00</p> |
| <p>Quobba Station Total Management Grazing Systems Project</p> <p>Meikle Meecham Family Trust</p> | 51422 | Quobba | <p>This project will implement total grazing control to protect and manage a high conservation area along the unique Ningaloo coastline. Trap yards will be constructed with watering systems installed to provide animal control while allowing public access to the coast.</p> | <p>NHT Phase 2 2004/05</p> <p>\$34,375</p> |

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| Warroora Total Grazing Management Project | 51538 | Warroora | This project will primarily involve the implementation of total grazing management yards which will be installed to allow a high degree of management over the grazing pressure placed on the rangeland and allow accurate on ground management actions to be implemented. | NHT Phase 2 2004/05 \$14,625 |
| The Trustee for The Talanjee Family Trust | | | | |