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13.0 RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

RESPONSE TO QUESTION ON NOTICE NO 3/2013 - LANTANA ADJACENT TO CAR PARK ABOVE DEE WHY ROCK POOL

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Submitted by: Councillor Vincent De Luca OAM

QUESTION

Could Council please consider removing the lantana and trimming over grown bush adjacent to the car park above Dee Why Rock Pool?

RESPONSE

Council staff will trim back the lantana and other weed species which are growing near the centre of the car park to improve the appearance of the area. The large Banksia in the centre will be retained as it is a well established native tree.

Unfortunately, large scale removal of the lantana is not possible at this time as it is providing stabilisation of the steep slope directly adjacent the car park and grassed area. This area has been subject to landslips before, therefore removal or poisoning of the lantana and other vegetation is not recommended.