

Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958

MACEDON AND MOUNT MACEDON WATER SUPPLY CATCHMENTS

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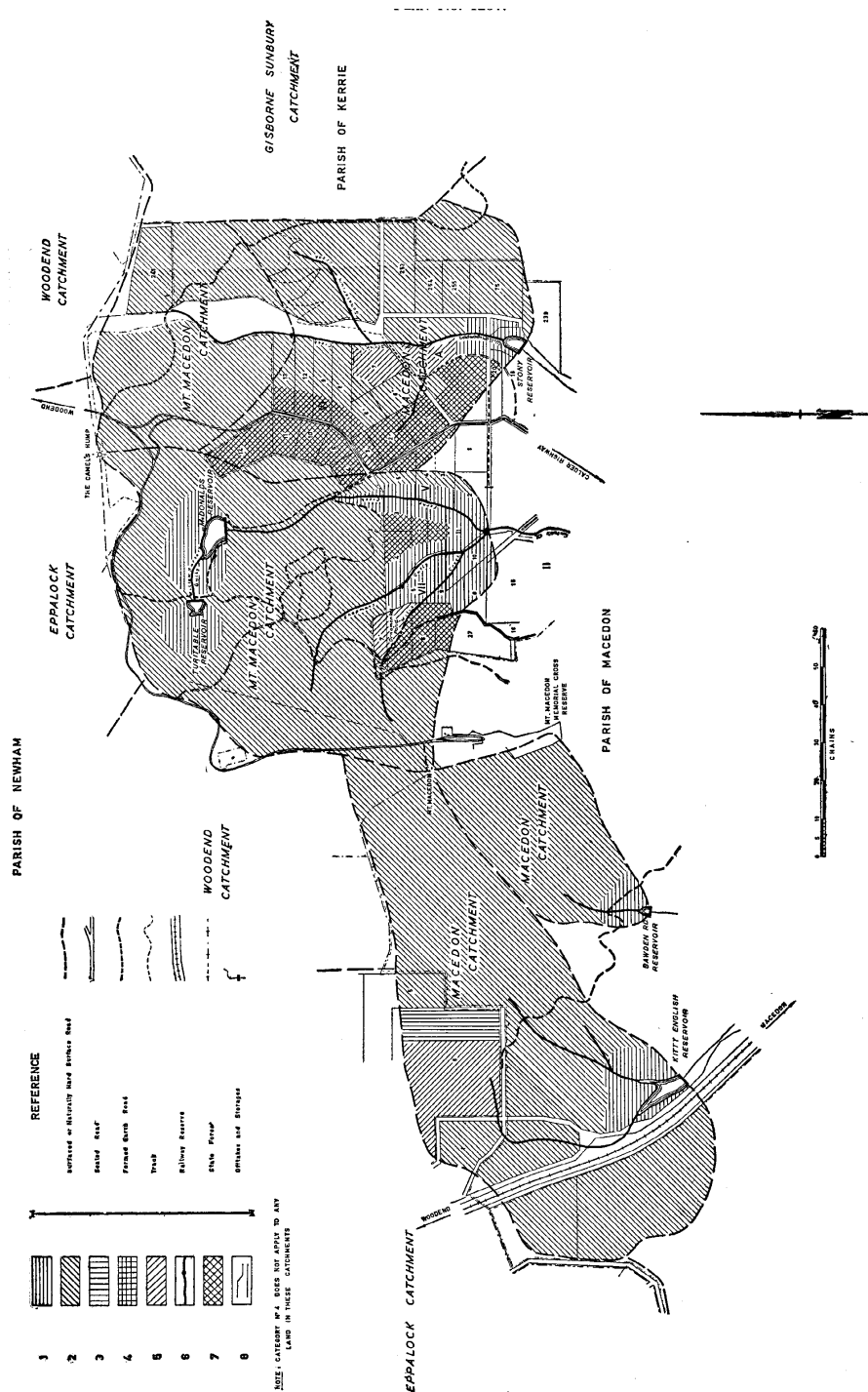
NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF LAND-USE

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 23, sub-section (1), of the *Soil Conservation and Land Utilization Act 1958* (No. 6372), the Soil Conservation Authority has determined land-use for all that area of land in the Parishes of Kerrie, Monegeetta, and Rochford within the boundaries of the Sunbury Water Supply Catchment delineated and marked on Plan No. 1297, the original of which is lodged at the head office of the Soil Conservation Authority, all land within this area shall be used in accordance with the provisions of the particular category of land-use to which the area has been assigned. The boundaries of land-use areas shown on Plan No. 1297 are intended as a guide to landholders, who should consult the Soil Conservation Authority before making any changes in land-use.

The provisions of each of the land-use categories are set out hereunder.

1. Land which should be permanently used for forest purposes where forestry operations shall be restricted to the minimum required for proper forest maintenance to keep the forest in good condition, under conditions agreed upon the Soil Conservation Authority and the Forests Commission.
2. Land which should be permanently used for forest purposes where logging operations may be carried out under the supervision and control of the Forests Commission acting under conditions agreed upon by the Soil Conservation Authority and Forests Commission.
3. Land which may be managed for forest purposes, or partly for grazing or agricultural purposes, subject to Authority approval, and under conditions imposed for particular circumstances, such conditions to include -
 - (a) the specification of areas which may be cleared and those which shall remain under forest;
 - (b) the specification of areas suitable for cropping and those areas suitable for grazing only.
4. Land under scrub, bracken, or other protective vegetative cover on which there shall be no change in land-use except with approval of and under conditions imposed by the Authority.
5. Land suitable for grazing or agricultural purposes, subject to conditions imposed by the Authority for particular circumstances, such conditions to include -
 - (a) the specification of areas where cropping may be practised and those areas where grazing only may be practised;
 - (b) the application of conservation practices where necessary.
6. Land within a minimum distance of 1 chain from the banks of specified watercourses and springs and a minimum distance of 2 chains from storages and pipe offtakes on which land-use shall be subject to conditions imposed by the Authority, such conditions to include -
 - (a) no cropping or erection of buildings;
 - (b) no removal of trees or vegetation other than noxious weeds except if considered necessary by the Authority because of interference to stream flow, or for construction of stream crossings.
7. Land suitable for grazing or agricultural purposes, or for residential or other development purposes as required or under the Gisborne Shire Planning Scheme, subject to conditions imposed by the Authority for particular circumstances and subject to provisions of other relevant Acts.

8. Land reserved for roads and other public purposes on which any changes from the existing nature and conditions of land-use shall be made only after consultation with the Soil Conservation Authority, and where forestry operations shall be restricted to the minimum required for proper forest maintenance under conditions agreed upon by the Soil Conservation Authority and the Forests Commission.



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