

Melbourne Strategic Assessment: Biodiversity 5 years on....



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The EIANZ Victorian Committee, in conjunction with AECOM invite you to join us for an interactive breakfast seminar.

This seminar will focus on the recent government guidance note 'Implementing the Biodiversity Conservation Strategy for Melbourne's Growth Corridors'. Are we any more certain about its implementation? Has the MSA reduced green tape? What is government doing to streamline the process and better communicate developer requirements? These questions and more will be answered as we tackle topics such as:

1. Adjustments to conservation area boundaries
2. Retaining native vegetation and scattered trees; and
3. uses and acceptable development within conservation areas

We have brought together three speakers from State Government, Local Council and from the private sector to explore the MSA and its implementation. The session will be facilitated by **Cameron Miller**, Impact Assessment and Permitting Team Leader at AECOM followed by an inter-active panel session.

Speakers

Warrick McGrath, Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning (DELWP)

Mark Bartley, HWL Ebsworth Lawyers

Aidan O'Neill, City of Whittlesea

Date: **Wednesday 15 July 2015**

Time: 7:30 am for a 7:45 am start – 9:00 am (including light breakfast and networking)

Venue: AECOM, Level 9, 8 Exhibition Street, Melbourne

Cost:

EIANZ Members: \$20

Non-Members: \$35

Students \$15 (please email office@eianz.org to register at the student rate)

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