

# SCHEDULE 1 – EXTERNAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION External boundary descriptions

#### Area 1

Commencing at the intersection of the western boundary of the Painkalac Creek catchment and a western boundary of the Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation (RAP) area at Longitude 143.948601° East in the vicinity of Boonah; then generally south easterly along the boundaries of that RAP area (being to the source of Painkalac Creek and along the centreline of that creek to its mouth at Bass Strait, then seawards) to intersect a buffer 100 metres seaward of the mean low water mark of the coastline; then generally south westerly along a buffer 100 metres seaward of the mean low water mark of the coastline to intersect an eastern external boundary of the native title determination in Austin on behalf of the Eastern Maar People v State of Victoria [2023] FCA 237 at Longitude 143.829814° East; then generally north westerly along eastern boundaries of the external boundary of that determination to the westernmost point of the northern boundary of the Kennett River catchment; then generally north easterly along the northern boundaries of that catchment, north western boundaries of Wye River catchment, western and north western boundaries of Cumberland River catchment, western boundaries of Saint George River catchment, north western boundaries of Erskine River catchment, Stone Creek and Reedy Creek catchment, and western boundaries of Grassy Creek and Painkalac Creek catchments back to the commencement point.

#### Area 2

Commencing at the intersection of a north eastern corner on the northern external boundary of the native title determination in *Austin on behalf of the Eastern Maar People v State of Victoria* [2023] FCA 237 and the western boundary of the Charliecombe Creek catchment, being also a point on the southern boundary of the Western Highway road reserve; then generally south easterly along the southern boundaries of that road reserve to a western boundary of the Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation (RAP) area; then generally southerly along western boundaries of that RAP boundary (being along the centrelines of Fiery Creek, the Western SG line railway and Mount Emu Creek) to intersect an eastern boundary of Lot 9 on TP833961; then generally westerly along eastern, northern and western boundaries of that lot to intersect the eastern external boundary of the native title



determination in *Austin on behalf of the Eastern Maar People v State of Victoria* [2023] FCA 237; then generally north westerly, northerly, and generally north easterly along eastern boundaries of the external boundary of that determination back to the commencement point.

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## Area 3

Commencing at a point on the eastern external boundary of native title determination the native title determination in *Austin on behalf of the Eastern Maar People v State of Victoria* [2023] FCA 237 at Longitude 143.218501° East, Latitude 37.998649° South; then generally north westerly along the eastern external boundary of that determination to the southern boundary of Lot 9 on TP833961; then generally easterly along the southern boundary of that lot to the western boundary of the Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation (RAP) area; then generally south easterly along western and southern boundaries of that RAP boundary (being along the centrelines of Mount Emu Creek, Fire Access Road and Chatsworth Road) to the centreline of the Hamilton Highway in the township of Derrinallum; then southerly back to the commencement point.

### Note

### Data reference and source

- Application boundary compiled by National Native Title Tribunal based on information or instructions provided by the applicants.
- Cadastre data sourced from the Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning (Vic), May 2023.
- Roads and watercourses based on cadastre data where available, else 1:25K topographic data sourced from the Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning (Vic), November 2020. Reference to roads and rivers refers to the centreline of those features.
- Registered Aboriginal Parties (RAP) data sourced from the Department of Premier and Cabinet, Office of Aboriginal Victoria, (August 2022). Where these boundaries are intended to follow roads or watercourses and cadastral data is available, the cadastre data is used, else the RAP area data based on 1:25K topographic data has been used.



• Catchments are based on Sustainable Diversion Limit (SDL) Catchment Baseflows data sourced from the Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning (Vic), October 2022.

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• Coastline based upon Geodata Coast 100K data sourced from the Commonwealth of Australia (Geoscience Australia) 2004.

# Reference datum

Geographical coordinates have been provided by the NNTT Geospatial Services and are referenced to the Geocentric Datum of Australia 2020 (GDA2020), in decimal degrees and are based on the spatial reference data acquired from the various custodians at the time.

# Use of Coordinates

Where coordinates are used within the description to represent cadastral or topographical boundaries or the intersection with such, they are intended as a guide only. As an outcome of the custodians of cadastral and topographic data continuously recalculating the geographic position of their data based on improved survey and data maintenance procedures, it is not possible to accurately define such a position other than by detailed ground survey.

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