Illawarra plant species for riparian restoration Landcare Illawarra, June 2024

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Botanical name	Common name	Form	Preferred conditions	
Acacia melanoxylon	Blackwood	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Achronychia oblongifolia	White Aspen	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Alectryon subcinereus	Native Quince	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
Alisma plantago-aquatica	Water Plantain	Herb	Aquatic, soil always wet	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Allocasuarina littoralis	Sheoak	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
		Grass/Sedge/Rush/	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain	
Alocasia brisbanensis	Cunjevoi	Strap-leaved plant	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Alphitonia excelsa	Red Ash	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Archontophoenix cunninghamiana	Bangalow Palm	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
		Grass/Sedge/Rush/	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Austrostipa ramossisima	Stout Bamboo Grass	Strap-leaved plant	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Backhousia myrtifolia	Grey Myrtle	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Aquatic, soil always wet	
Bacopa monnieri	Brahmi	Groundcover	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain	
		Grass/Sedge/Rush/		
Bolboschoenus fluviatilis	Marsh Club-Rush	Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet	
Brachychiton acerifolius	Illawarra Flame Tree	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Breynia oblongifolia	Coffee Bush	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events	
Bursaria spinosa	Blackthorn	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	
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Callistemon salignus	Willow Bottlebrush	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated	

Carex appressa	Tall Sedge	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Carex fascicularis	Tassel Sedge	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet
Carex longebrachiata	Drooping Sedge	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Casuarina cunninghamiana	River Sheoak	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Casuarina glauca	Swamp Oak	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain
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Christella dentata	Binung	Fern	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain
Crinum pedunculatum	Swamp Lily	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Cryptocarya glaucescens	Jackwood	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Cryptocarya microneura	Murrogun	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Cyathea australis	Routh Tree Fern	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Cyathea cooperi	Straw Tree Fern	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Dianella caerulea	Blue Flax Lily	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Dichondra repens	Kidney Weed	Groundcover	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Dodonaea viscosa	Hop Bush	Shrub	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Doodia aspera	Prickly Rasp Fern	Fern	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Einadia hastata	Berry Saltbush	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Elaeocarpus reticulatus	Blueberry Ash	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated

		Grass/Sedge/Rush/	
Eleocharis sphacelata	Tall Spike Rush	Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet
Emmenosperma alphitoniodes	Yellow Ash	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Erehtia accuminata	Koda	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Eucalyptus amplifolia	Cabbage Gum	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Eucalyptus quadrangulata	White-top Box	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Eucalyptus robusta	Swamp Mahogany	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Eucalyptus saligna x E. botryoides	Wollongong Woollybutt	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Eucalyptus tereticornis	Forest Red Gum	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Eupomatia laurina	Bolwarra	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
			Base of bank, regularly inundated during rain
Ficus coronata	Sandpaper Fig	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
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Ficus macrophylla	Moreton Bay Fig	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Ficus obliqua	Small-leaved Fig	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Ficus superba	Deciduous Fig	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Glochidion ferdinandi	Cheese Tree	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Gmelina leichhardtii	White Beech	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Goodenia ovata	Hop Goodenia	Shrub	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Guioa semiglauca	Guioa	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated

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Hibiscus heterophyllus	Native Hibiscus	Shrub or tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Homalanthus populifolius	Bleeding Heart	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Imperata cylindrica	Blady Grass	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Indigofera australis	Austral Indigo	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Juncus usitatus	Common Rush	Strap-leaved plant	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
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Lepironia articulata	Grey Sedge	Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet
Leptospermum polygalifolium	Tantoon	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Livistona australis	Cabbage Palm	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Lomandra longifolia	Common Mat-rush	Grass/Sedge/Rush/ Strap-leaved plant	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Machaerina articulata	Jointed Twig-rush	Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet
Melaleuca decora	White-feather Honeymyrtle	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Melaleuca linariifolia	Snow-in-summer	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Melaleuca styphelioides	Prickly-leaved Paperbark	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Melicope micrococca	Hairy-leaved Doughwood	Shrub	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Myrsine howittiana	Scrub Muttonwood	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Myrsine variabilis	Muttonwood	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Ozothamnus diosmifolius	Rice Flower	Shrub	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Pennantia cunninghamii	Brown Beech	Tree	Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Pittosporum revolutum	Brisbane Laurel	Shrub	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated

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Plectranthus graveolens	Native Basil	Herb	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Plectranthus parviflorus	Cockspur Flower	Herb	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
		Grass/Sedge/Rush/	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Poa labillardierei	Common Tussock	Strap-leaved plant	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Podocarpus elatus	Illawarra Plum Pine	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Schoenoplectus validus	River Club-rush	Strap-leaved plant	Aquatic, soil always wet
			Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain
Sloanea australis	Maiden's Blush	Tree	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
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Solanum aviculare	Kangaroo Apple	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
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Streblus brunonianus	Whalebone Tree	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
	Scentless		Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Synoum glandulosum	Rosewood	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
			Base of bank, soil usually wet, regularly inundated during rain
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Syzygium australe	Brush Cherry	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Syzygium smithii	Lilly Pilly	Tree	`
		Grass/Sedge/Rush/	Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Themeda triandra	Kangaroo Grass	Strap-leaved plant	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Toona ciliata	Red Cedar	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Viola hederacea	Native Violet	Groundcover	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
Wilkiea huegeliana	Veiny Wilkiea	Tree	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated
			Middle of bank, inundated during flood events
Zieria smithii	Sandfly Zieria	Shrub	Upper bank, rarely if ever inundated