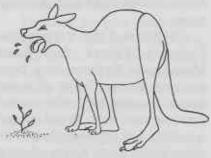
Grazing deterrant



For all those frustrated people trying to revegetate, but whose efforts are being continually thwarted by grazing kangaroos and rabbits – here is a 100% organic, non-toxic recipe for deterring grazers, as suggested by a fellow landholder.

"Finely chop up a quantity of hot red chillies (make sure they are finely chopped, otherwise the seed might germinate and result in a weed problem), and then spread the resulting powder around the base of new plants. It will deter kangaroos and rabbits like nothing else will."

In addition, we suggest that when spreading the powder, make sure it doesn't quite touch the stems of the plants. Apparently it works wonders on snails and slugs as well, but doesn't affect domestic pets other than to give them a nasty surprise!

Thank you to Matt Warnock for his innovative solution. Do any other landholders have any interesting home remedies they would like to share with other readers? We'd love to hear from you if you do!

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