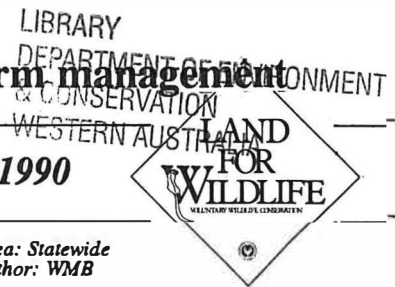


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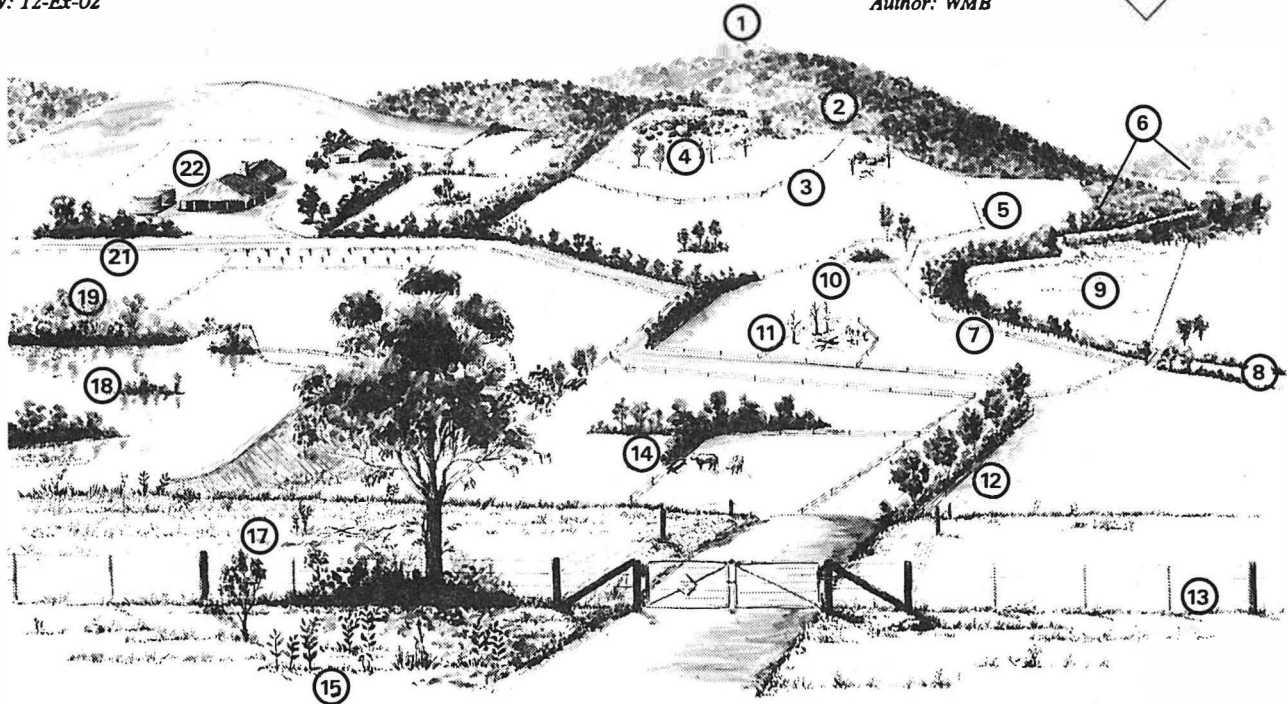


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What you can do.

The following list of points for integrating wildlife conservation with farm management are more fully explained in other Notes in this series.

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| 1. Retain & protect remnant vegetation. | 9. Fence natural wetlands and allow them to flood (not drained). | 17. Place fire breaks inside fences where native species are outside the fence. Alternatively, place a new fence inside the existing fence to encourage regeneration in the paddock. |
| 2. Allow leaf litter, fallen logs & branches to accumulate in all habitat areas (not "cleaned"). | 10. Fence remnant trees to encourage regeneration | 18. Construct a 'Wildlife Dam' (with an island or peninsula, shallow edges, natural vegetation, flight path, fenced, siphon water to troughs). |
| 3. Fence areas near native bush to allow regeneration. | 11. Preserve dead trees with hollows. | 19. Leave standing & fallen timber in and around dams. |
| 4. Retain & protect rocky areas. Native grasses provide drought fodder. | 12. Protect embankments with local native plants. | 20. Encourage regeneration or plant local native trees, shrubs and grasses to assist salinity and erosion control on slopes/watercourses. |
| 5. Fence to restrict livestock access to sensitive areas such as streambanks, rocky areas. | 13. Place wombat gates in fencelines to allow access without damage. | 21. Protect the homestead from fire with local native fire-retarding species. Keep development compact. |
| 6. Provide vegetation 'corridors' along streams & between properties. | 14. Plant local native trees, shrubs and grasses to shelter livestock. | 22. Control pets (particularly at night). |
| 7. Vegetate stream banks with local native species such as gums, wattles, native ferns and grasses. | 15. Protect roadside remnants. Save native grasses for fire prevention. Encourage regeneration. | |
| 8. Leave river snags in place as fish habitat. | 16. Use pesticides and fertilizers wisely away from habitat areas. | |

