

TASMANIA PARKS AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Walls of Jerusalem Recreation Zone Plan - Project

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The Tasmania Parks and Wildlife Service (PWS) has been tasked with implementing key strategies of the Recreation Zone Plan (RZP) within the Walls of Jerusalem National Park. \$1 million has been approved over 4 years for the RZP Implementation Project which is part of a \$10 million combined State and Federal budget allocation for the Tasmanian Wilderness World Heritage Area. The RZP identifies that the Walls of Jerusalem National Park is experiencing increased visitor numbers and with those numbers brings increased impacts on the natural and cultural values of the Park. This project aims to build infrastructure to protect the Parks sensitive vegetation communities while providing an improved recreational experience for visitors.

The PWS aims to deliver the following park improvements by the year 2022:

- Wild Dog Creek campsite will receive a new separate group camping area which includes four new double tent platforms and a cooking area. This area will be adjacent to the existing platforms and toilet. Three existing double tent platforms and a cooking area will be maintained for independent visitors.
- Dixons Kingdom campsite will be relocated 350m south west of the current campsite and will provide 12 new double tent platforms, a cooking area and toilets. There will be a separate group camping area. This campsite location was chosen for its wonderful outlook and to help protect the Pencil Pine forests around Dixons Kingdom Hut.
- Walking track between Dixons Kingdom and Lake Ball (Jaffa Vale) will be upgraded to improve walker experience through better track definition and hardening.
- New toilet at Lake Adelaide campsite will be installed to provide key facilities.

If you would like to read more about this project, and/or comment, you can visit the PWS website at parks.tas.gov.au/be-involved/have-your-say for the full Reserve Activity Assessment document. The closing date for comments is **10th February 2020**.

Subject to all planning approvals, work is expected to begin in early 2020 at the Wild Dog Creek campsite.

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