

# **Greater Sydney**Commission













# **West District**

# **District Suburbs**



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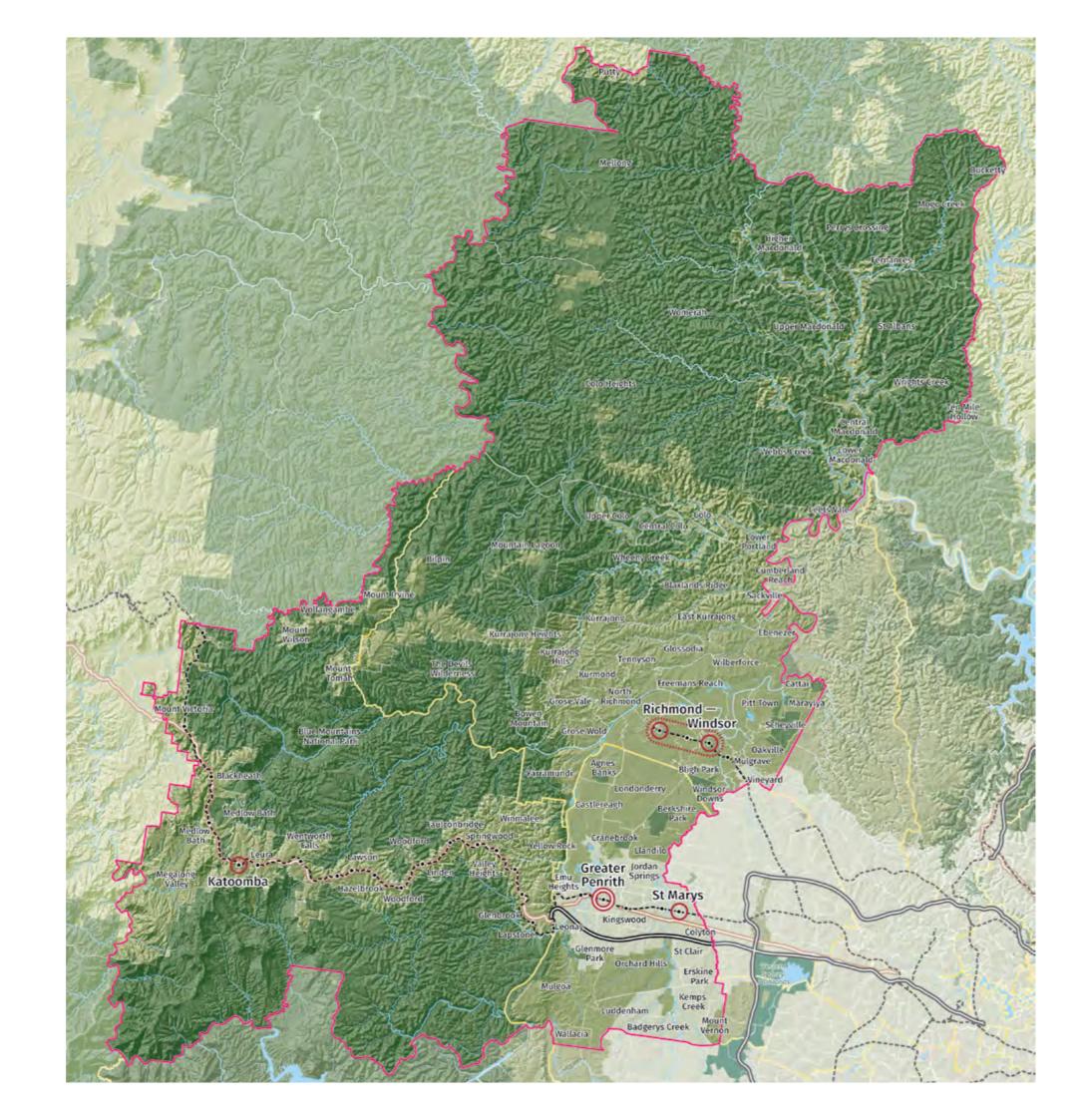
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# **Green Grid Opportunities**

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Priority Projects



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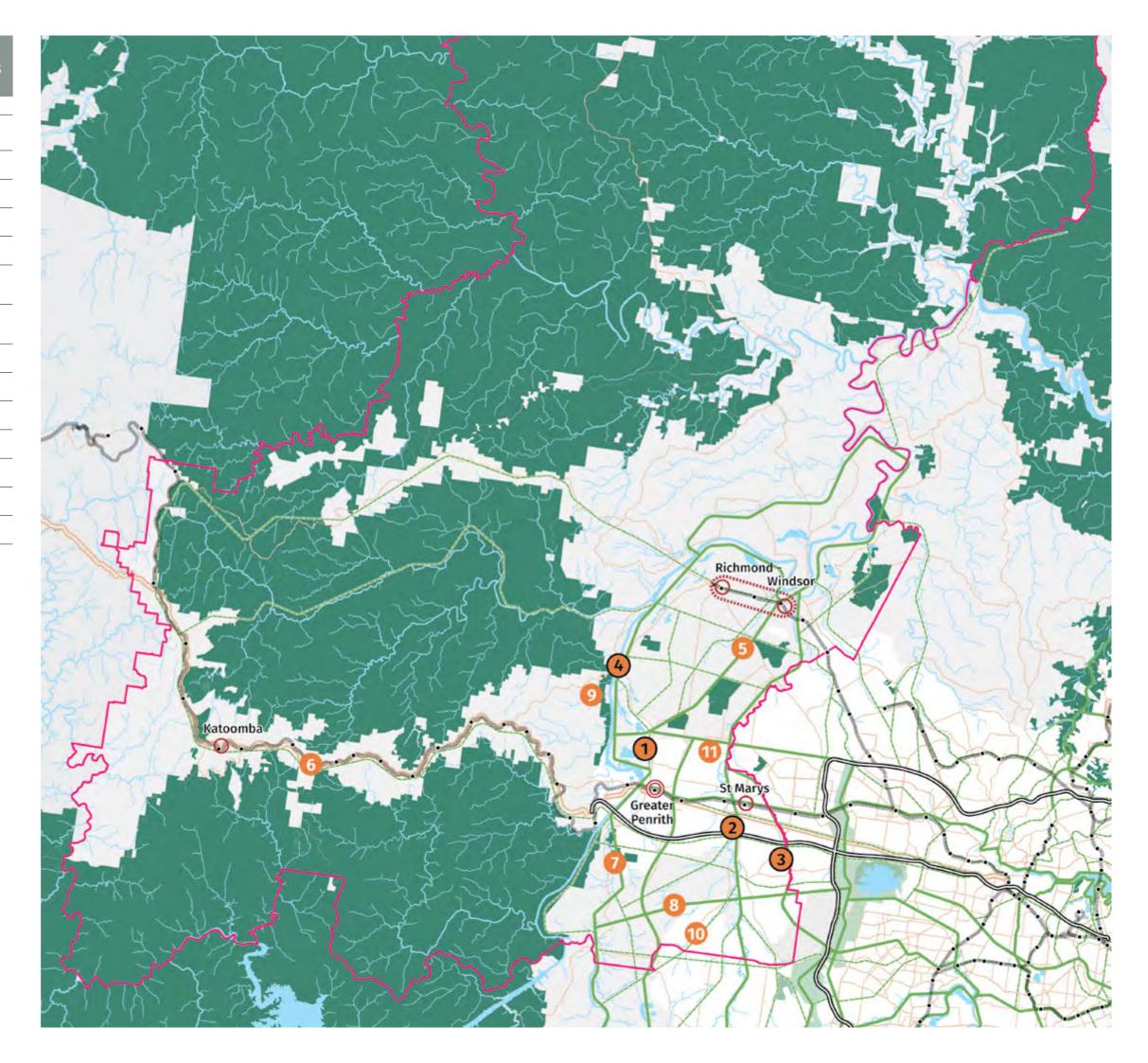
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Creating diverse open space parklands and waterway facilities around the lakes and along the Nepean River, with pedestrian and cycle links from Penrith and important links with the Great River Walk project.

2 South Creek

Creating a continuous open space corridor along the entirety of South Creek that provides ecological protection and enhancement, better stormwater treatment and a regionally significant corridor for recreation uses.

Ropes Creek

Protecting and enhancing ecologically valued lands, improving water quality and stormwater runoff, and providing a diverse and connected sequence of recreational open spaces, walking and cycling trails, including a green link to connect Cecil Hills, Erskine Park, Minchinbury, Mount Druitt, Oxley Park, St Marys and Ropes Crossing.

Cranebrook to Windsor Nature Reserve Corridor

Planning for the Wianamatta Nature Reserve, Castlereagh Nature Reserve and Windsor Downs Nature Reserve to protect and enhance regionally significant ecological communities and connect them to improve resilience, while also improving the water quality and treatment of stormwater along Rickaby's Creek and providing open space and links to other areas.

# Other important projects to deliver Sydney's Green Grid in the West District:

Great Western Highway Penrith to Blackheath Corridor

Creating a safe and separated east-west walking and cycling connection from Penrith to Blackheath.

Nepean Creeks - Peach Tree, Mulgoa and Surveyors Creeks

Enhancing and protecting these assets and increasing access and recreational opportunities.

Warragamba Pipeline Open Space Corridor

Using surplus easement lands for recreational open space, urban greening and walking and cycling trails, connecting to Mulgoa, Badgerys Creek, Kemps Creek, Blaxland Creek and Horsley Park.

8 Eastern Escarpment open space and trails

Connecting a series of recreational and tourist open space facilities along the escarpment to maximise unique landscape and views.

9 Blaxland Creek and Bushland Reserve

Protecting important future open spaces for the Western Sydney Priority Growth Area.

10 Shanes Park and Wianamatta Regional Park

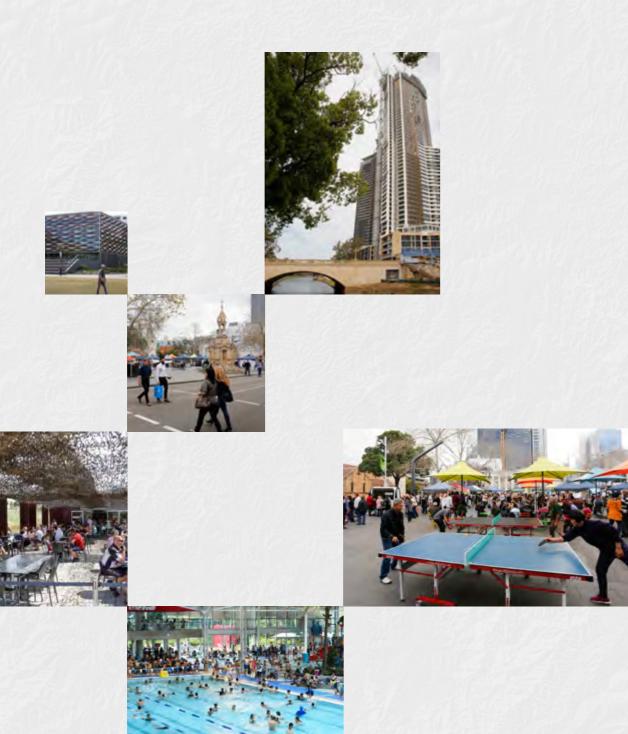
Protecting important areas of biodiversity that also provide connections to Ropes Creek and South Creek.





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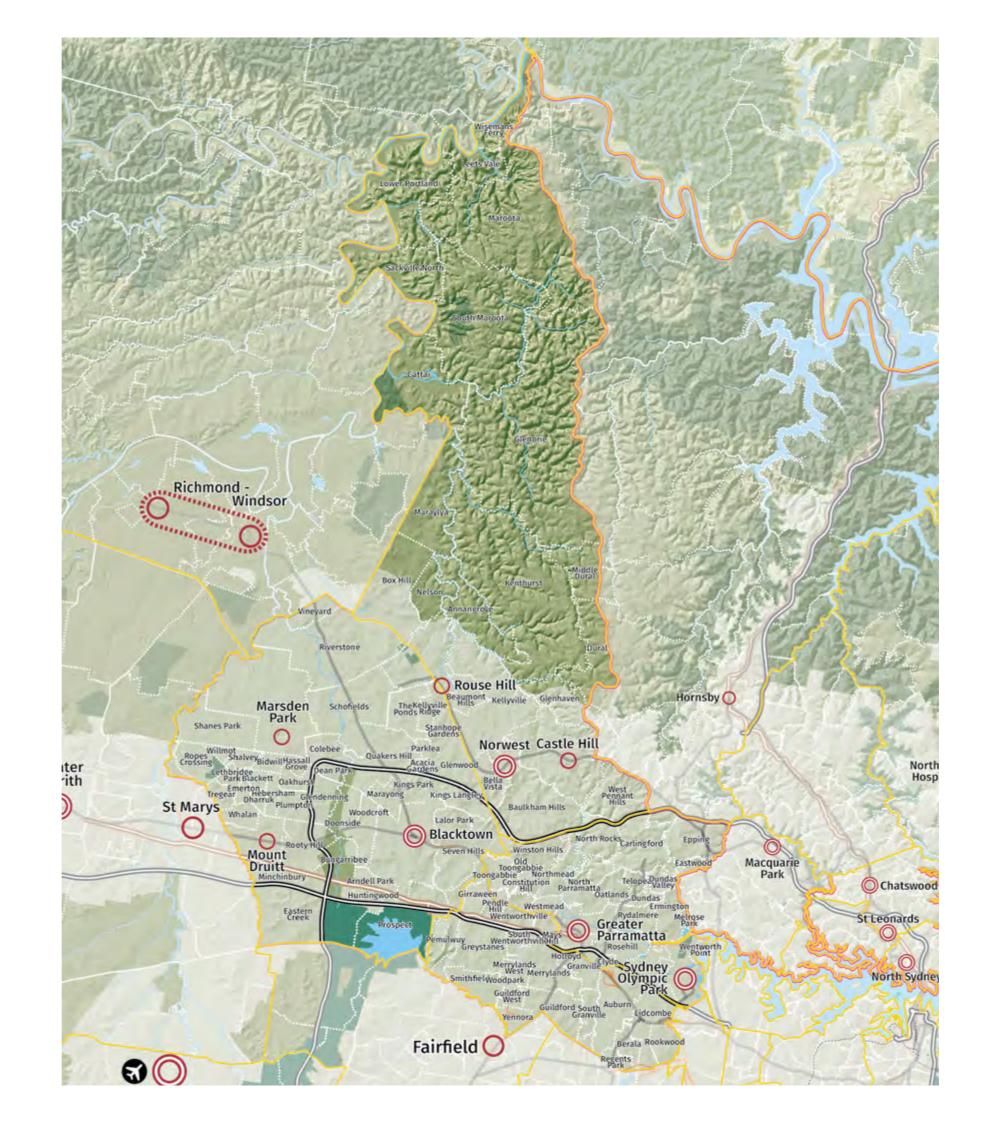


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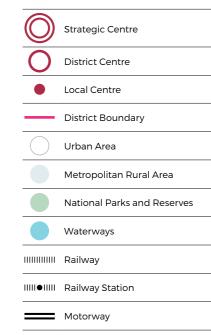
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### **Priority Projects:**

1 Parramatta River Foreshore

Will become a continuous open space corridor along both sides of the Parramatta River, connecting key places along the foreshore from Westmead and Parramatta Park to Sydney Olympic Park and Rhodes, with further connections eastward towards Iron Cove in the Central District.

2 Duck River Open Space Corridor

Will create a continuous walking and cycling link north-south linking Parramatta, Camellia, Granville, Auburn, Regents Park and south to Bankstown in the South District. Enhancing and expanding the existing open space assets to establish the corridor as a regional open space destination with improved recreational space, habitat for ecological communities and better treatment of stormwater.

3 Prospect Reservoir Water Pipeline Corridor

Aims to create a connected open space corridor linking Prospect Reservoir and Western Sydney Parklands within communities including Pemelwuy, Greystanes, Merrylands, Smithfield, Guildford, Chester Hill and Regents Park. This project will also connect with other Green Grid projects including the Duck River Open Space Corridor

Western Sydney Parklands extension and connections

Will provide enhanced access to open space, recreation and greener urban landscapes to the growing population of the North West Priority Growth Area. Future extensions north along Eastern Creek could connect the Western Sydney Parklands to the Hawkesbury River.

Other important projects to deliver Sydney's Green Grid in the West Central District are

5 Cattai and Caddies Creek Corridors

Using the creek corridors for recreation, active transport, urban greening, improved water quality and stormwater treatment and ecological protection. The project will also create east-west links that provide access between the parallel creek corridors.

6 Parramatta Road Corridor

Using opportunities provided by the transformation and renewal along Parramatta Road to create improved north-south green links between existing areas of regional open space, the Parramatta River and Cooks River.

Ropes Creek Corridor

Creating a green link connecting nearby suburbs including Cecil Hills, Erskine Park, Minchinbury, Mount Druitt, Oxley Park, St Marys and Ropes Crossing. This project will also help protect the ecology of the creek, improve water quality and provide opportunities for walking and cycling trails.

8 Toongabbie and Blacktown Creeks Corridor

Creating opportunities for a high quality link between Blacktown and Parramatta, increasing access to regional open space and providing opportunities to restore areas of degraded bushland.

