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Dear Sir or Madam:

RE: COLLECTION OF NATIVE FLORA

We are seeking permission from your council to collect native flora, within your shire boundaries, for the next 24 months.

I have been collecting Quondongs for over 15 years and have had approval in the past from your shire.

I have recently had assistance from Suzanne Poli, who has a license with other shires and wish for her to be able to assist me in collecting the following: Salt bush (*Atriplex nummularia*), Quondong (*Santalum acuminatum*), Samphire (*Tecticornia*)

We take care not to disturb fauna habitation, flora and soil from the areas in which we collect. We follow hygiene practices to protect the environment, and also use a spray recommend by Department of Parks and Wildlife, which is a combination of water and methylated sprits. Which ensures that we do not transport any soil diseases or pests, we also check the soles of our shoes and clothing to prevent the spread of weeds from other areas. We are parked safely off the road when collecting and refrain from picking on major roads. Where possible we collect other peoples rubbish and re-vegetate the flora, in seed form, we have collected.

Suzanne is also photographing Native Bushfoods for educational purposes and would also like permission to collect species for identification and research.

We would appreciate you presenting our letter for consideration to council at your next meeting.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact us. Mrs Suzanne Poli 0412014248. supoli@inet.net.au, Mrs Jenny Taylor 9255 2682.

Yours Sincerely



Mrs Jeanette Taylor



Mrs Suzy Poli