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Aaron Miller
c/o Tura Beach Country Club

Dear Aaron,

re Vegetation Permit

This letter provides approval from BVSC, under the State Environmental Planning Policy (Vegetation in Non-Rural Areas) 2017, for the Tura Beach Country Club to clear vegetation in the area indicated on the attached map of the 13th fairway. The purpose of the clearing is for continued management to allow playability from the 13th tee.

The vegetation to be cleared is dominated by scented paperbark (*Melaleuca squarrosa*) and was previously cleared in 2013. This vegetation has shown a strong ability to recover from clearing and council approves a one off mulching to below the 1.2m height approved for continued maintenance. Following this one off clearing the vegetation will be allowed to re grow and will be maintained at 1.2m by handclearing as previously approved. This height ensures ecological function of the vegetation -providing weed suppression, fauna habitat connectivity and drainage line stability.

The following conditions apply to this vegetation permit:

- Clearing is limited to a one off mulching of the area indicated on the map below.
- Clearing is to be undertaken so as to minimise any soil disturbance eg minimise machine turning and screwing of excavator tracks and avoid driving/tracking over the area when the soil is wet.
- Grass trees and tree ferns in the clearing area are to be clearly marked and retained.
- Control of arum lily and other weeds is to be undertaken when they reshoot following the clearing works. Council can advise on best practice weed control.
- Machinery is to be clean and free of any weed seeds prior to entering the site.

Please contact me at amorrison@begavalley.nsw.gov.au or on 0264992447 should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Morrison

Bega Valley Shire Council Environmental Management Officer



Area of clearing covered by the vegetation permit (red polygon). Refer to clearing conditions in attached letter.