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Hazard reduction burning and biodiversity

A workshop near Stanthorpe on Friday, November 6 will help landholders understand how to plan and carry out hazard reduction burning while protecting biodiversity.

Queensland Murray-Darling Committee (QMDC) Regional Biodiversity Officer Alison Goodland said the workshop would provide landholders and land managers with the tips and tools necessary to get the balance right.

“The workshop will cover the issues of fire on the Granite Belt and look at recommendations for planned fire management – on the property and at a neighbourhood scale – to protect lives, infrastructure and biodiversity,” Ms Goodland said.

This workshop is supported by QMDC in partnership with the Stanthorpe Rare Wildflower Consortium, through funding from the Australian Government’s Caring for our Country.

The workshop, at Happy Valley Retreat, 146 Glenlyon Drive, Stanthorpe, will run from 9am to 12.30pm. Lunch is supplied, please RSVP to Alison Goodland for catering purposes on 4637 6286. Sturdy shoes and sun protection recommended.

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