



2 December 2016

Patrick Atkinson  
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Dear Mr Atkinson:

I refer to the assessment application for exploration and associated activities for the Proxham Project (RPI16/006/FOOTPRINTS RESOURCES) and your request for further information dated 11 November 2016. Responses to the matters raised in the requirement notice are addressed in this document and attachments as outlined in Table 1 (see over page).

Please note that the exploration program has been refined following discussions with the Department of Environment and Heritage Protection (DEHP). This has resulted in drill site DDHH being deleted from the drilling program. Amended mapping has been provided which reflects this change.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned on mobile 0466 618 357 or email at [kate@orangegum.com.au](mailto:kate@orangegum.com.au) if you require further information regarding the project.

Yours sincerely,

Kate Hourigan  
Principal Consultant

**Table 1 – Response to Requirement Notice dated 11 November 2016**

Request	Response / Addressed at
<b>Attachment A</b>	
Confirm that the definitions in Table 1 are an accurate description of the resource activities proposed in the application.	See Attachment 1
Complete and confirm Table 2, column 4 detailing the total area of disturbance for each of the resource activities on each lot	See Attachment 1
<b>Attachment B – Information required against the SEA criteria</b>	
<i>Provide</i> a letter of authorisation from Footprints Resources Pty Ltd confirming Orange Gum Consulting to act on their behalf.	See Attachment 2
<i>Provide</i> clarification on the extent of disturbance required for upgrades of the existing access tracks and if works associated with the upgrades will be confined within the current footprint of existing tracks.	See Attachment 1
<i>Provide revised mapping</i> indicating a title for each map to assist in appropriate conditioning of plans.	See Attachment 3
<i>Provide</i> data files in 'ESRI Shapefile' and 'Google Earth KMZ' format showing the location of the drill sites, expected access tracks and creek crossings, Seymour River waterholes and campsite/laydown areas.	Provided by email
<i>Provide clarification</i> on the dimensions and footprint area of the drilling site layout arrangement. If required, revised 'pad size' disturbance areas within Table 2.1 (Page 2) and subsequent overall disturbance footprint.	The maximum pad size dimensions for all drill sites will be 20 m x 20 m. The 'Diamond Drilling Site Layout' has been amended accordingly (see Attachment 4).
<i>Provide clarification</i> as to whether any clearing is required for establishing the drill pad (for drill site Lucky Note 1). If clearing is required, please identify the extent and potential impact of clearing similar to that identified for drill sites DDHE and DDHG within Section 4.2.	See Attachment 5

## ATTACHMENT 1

### DESCRIPTION OF RESOURCE ACTIVITIES

The applicant confirms that the definitions in Table 1 are an accurate description of the resource activities proposed in the application.

All upgrades to existing tracks will be confined within the footprint of existing access tracks. No additional disturbance is required for these upgrades or for campsite and laydown storage areas, which will be located in existing cleared areas. As such, these have been excluded from Table 2.

**Table 1: Definitions**

Activity	Definition
Pre-collared core holes at drill pad	An area of approximately 400sq.m (20x20m) with minor earthworks for the drill pads in some locations. Two drill sumps (typically 3 x 3 m) are constructed side by side and downslope of the drill collar to contain the drilling waters. Sumps are fenced to prevent stock access.
Access tracks	A cleared track no greater than 3 m wide to facilitate access to the drill sites or laydown storage area. Existing farm tracks will be used as is or upgraded using a grader to clear scrub and level where required.
Laydown storage	A dedicated laydown area of approximately 20x20m for the storage of approximately 500 litres of oil and drilling fluids.
Field campsite	A place where exploration activity personnel intermittently lodge for short terms for one to two months but typically not more than four consecutive months in a tent or tents, caravan or other similar temporary means of shelter.

**Table 2: Proposed activities, location and area of disturbance**

Area of regional interest	Location	Resource activity	Area of disturbance
Strategic environmental area	Lot 1 Crown Plan UN7	Pre-collared core holes at drill pad	0.36 ha
		Access tracks (new)	0.43ha
		Total area of disturbance	0.79 ha

**ATTACHMENT 2**  
**LETTER OF AUTHORISATION**





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To Whom it May Concern

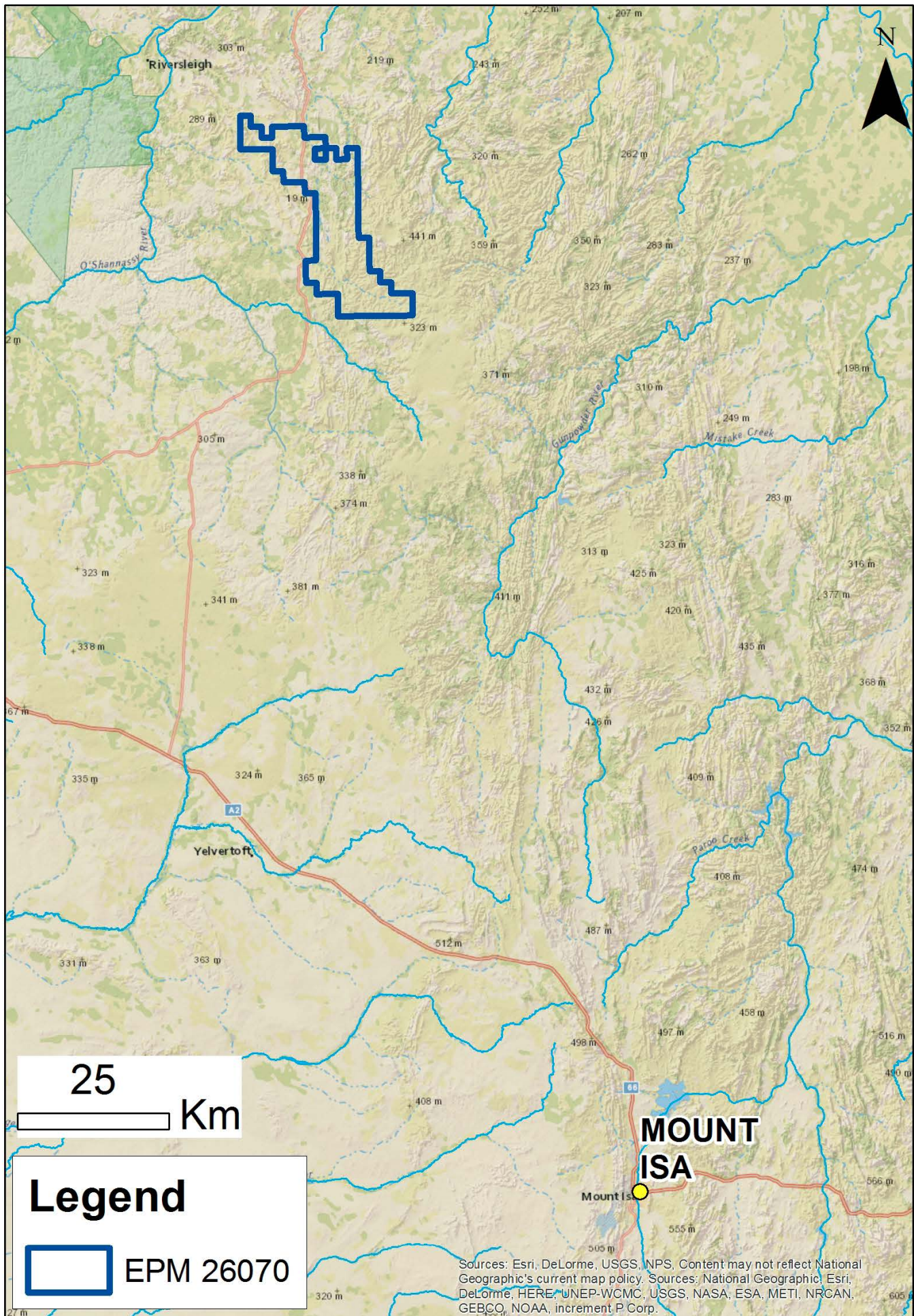
**RE: Letter of Authorisation**

I have authorised Kate Hourigan, of Orange Gum Consulting, to act on behalf of Footprint Resources Pty Ltd in dealing with environmental matters, including negotiations with various government departments, pertaining to Footprint's exploration licences EPM 26069, 26070 and 26316.

Yours sincerely

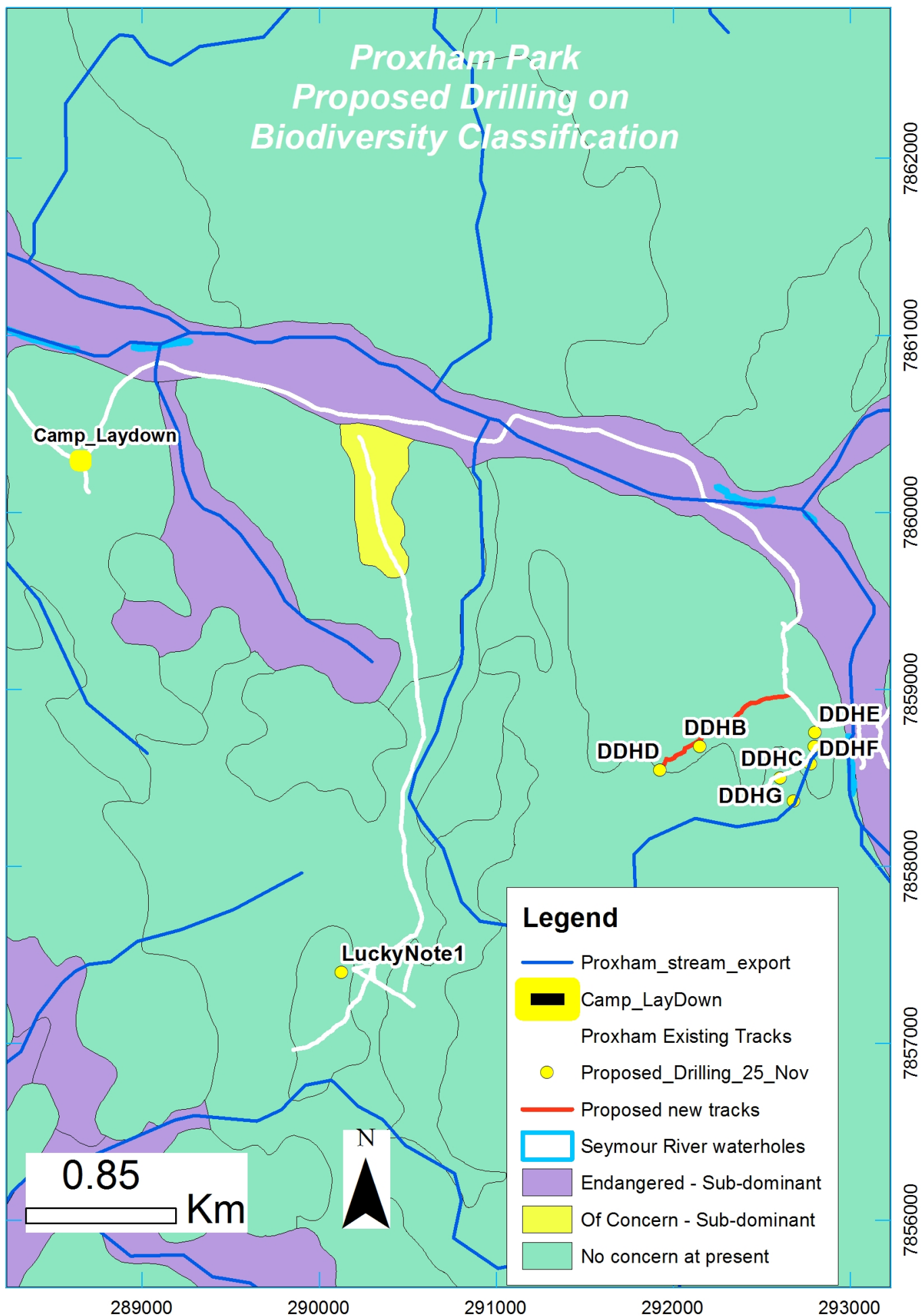
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**ATTACHMENT 3**  
**REVISED MAPPING**

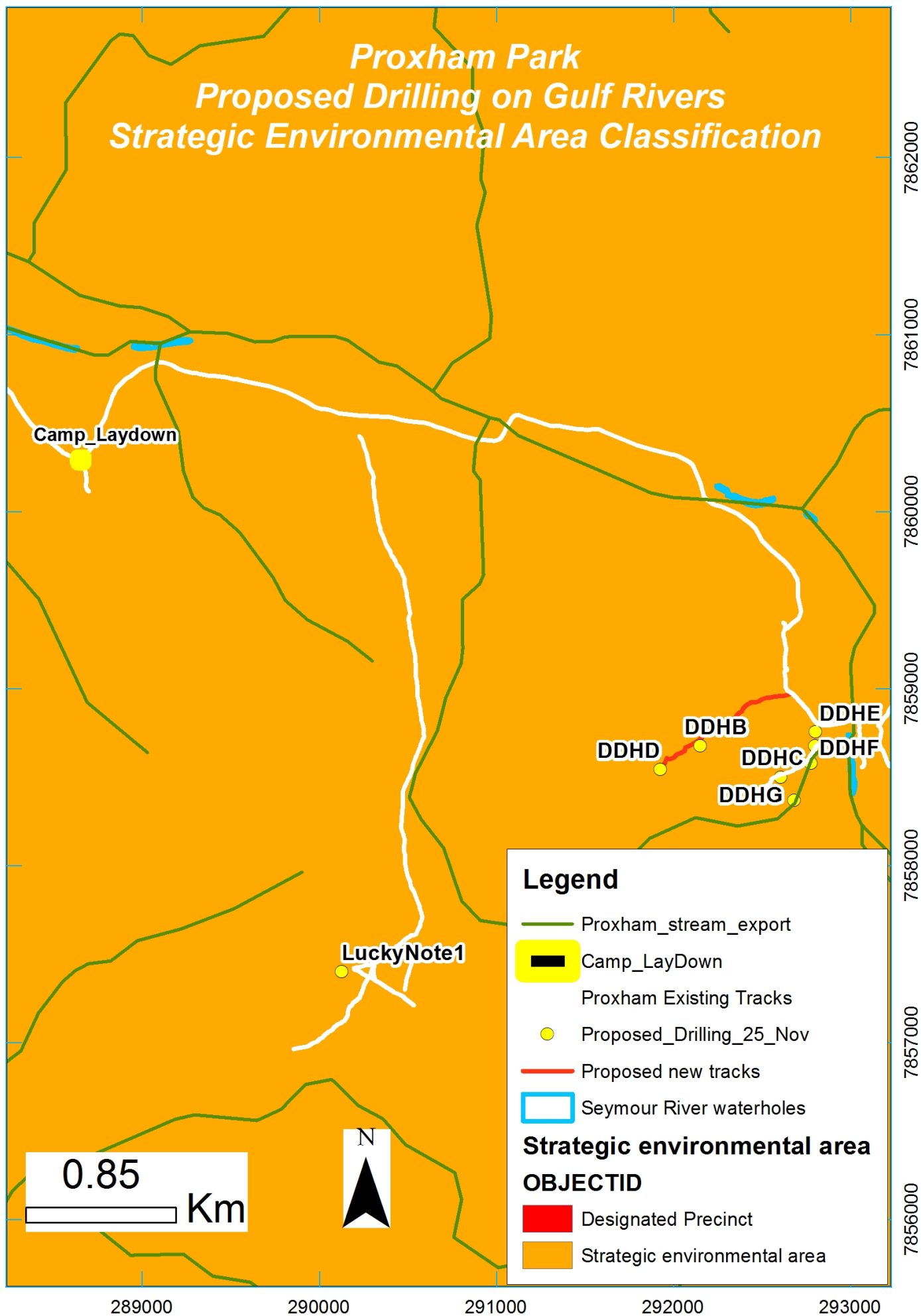


Map 1. EPM 26070 Locality Map



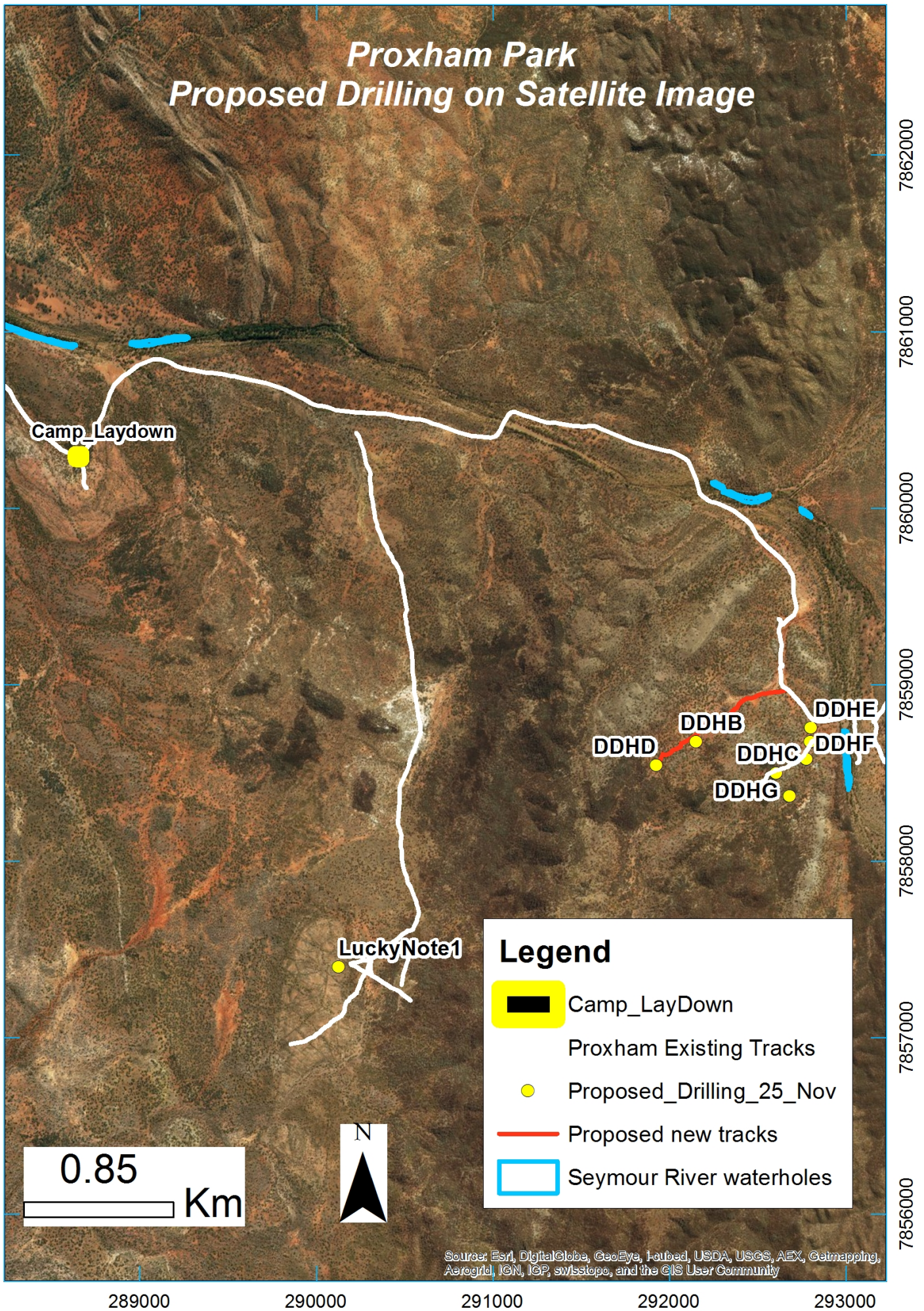


Map 2. Regional Ecosystems (Biodiversity Status)



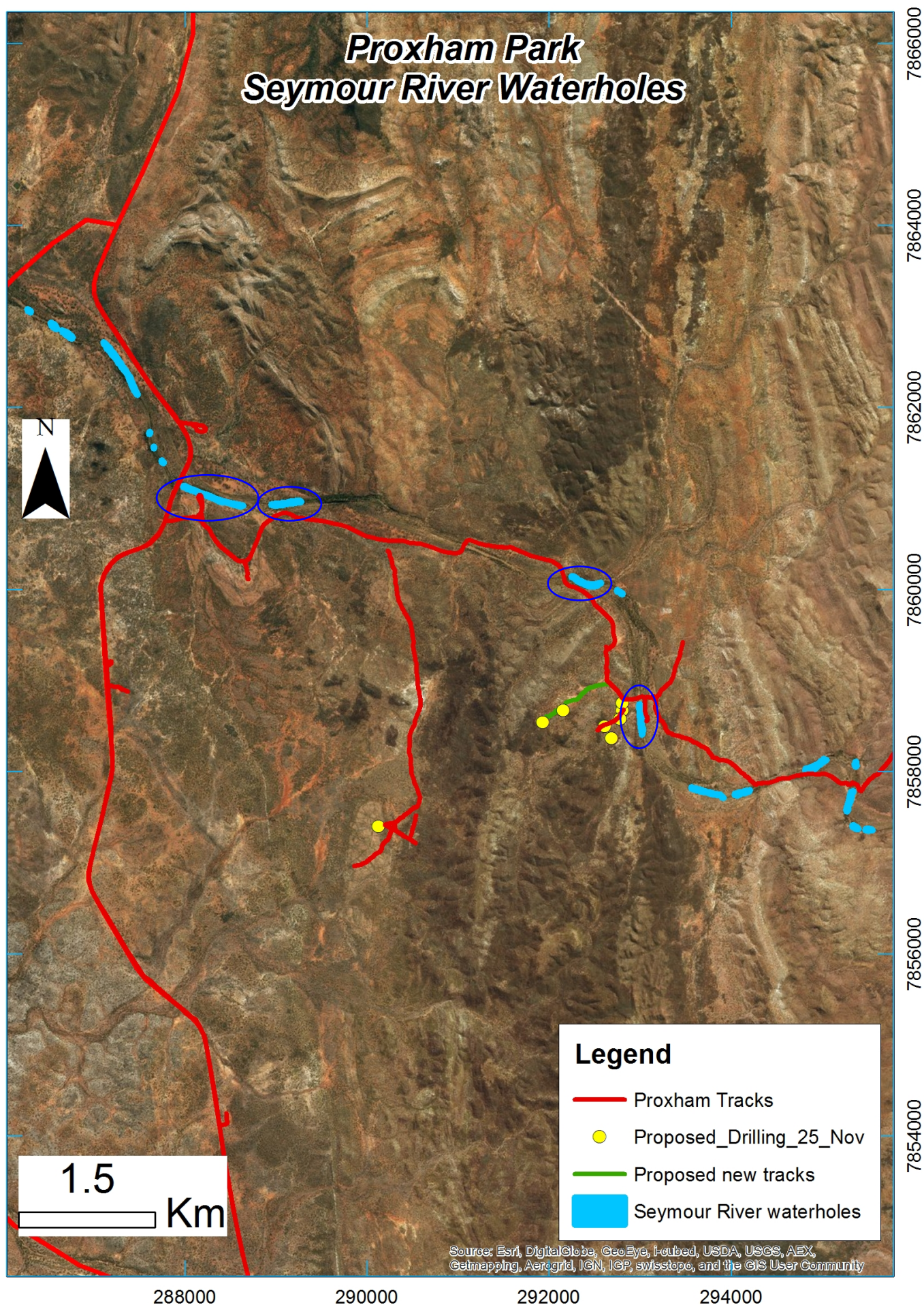
Map 3. Strategic Environmental Areas





Map 4. Project Activities





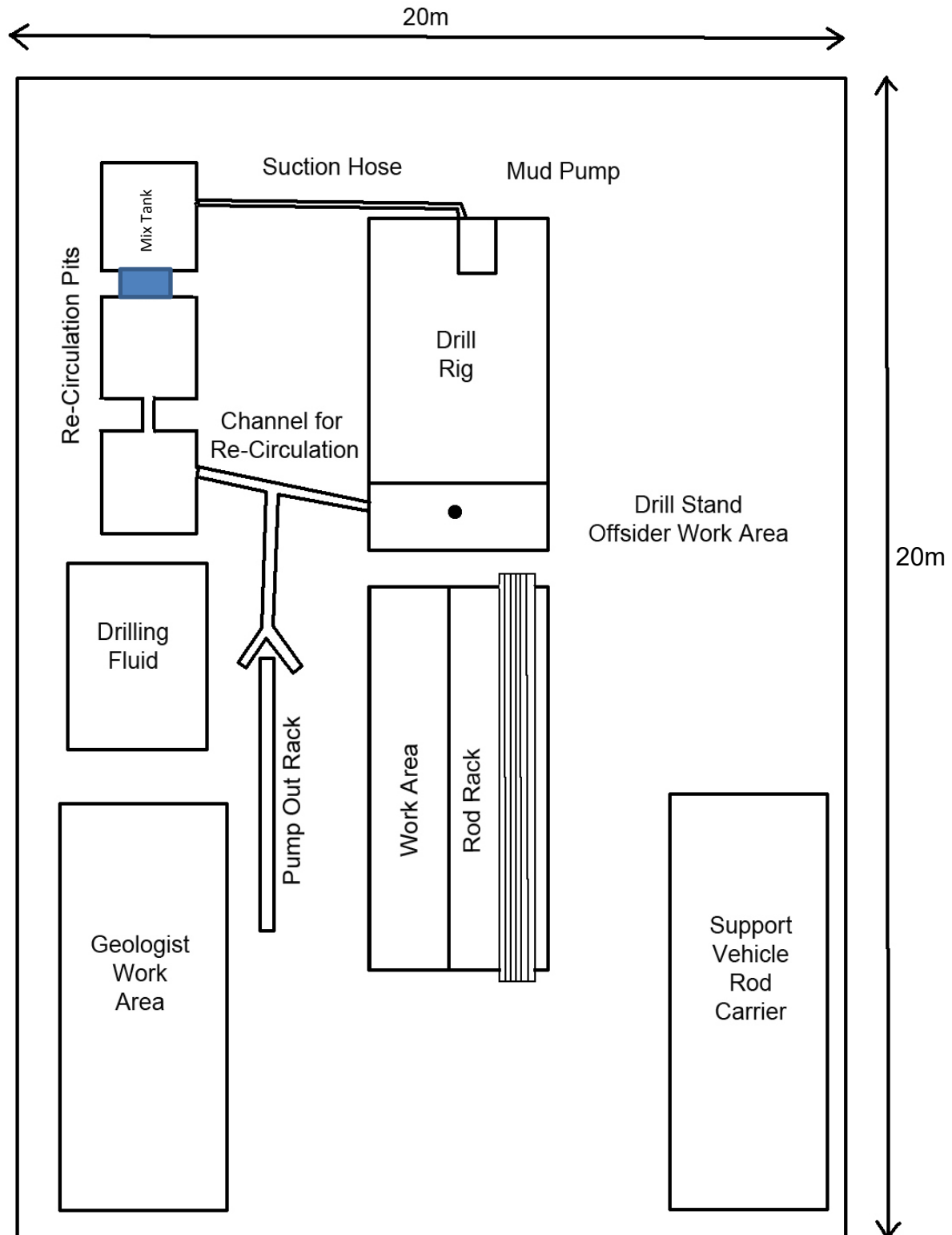
Map 5. Seymour River Waterholes with the proposed four extraction waterholes circled



**ATTACHMENT 4**  
**REVISED DRILL SITE LAYOUT**



Diamond Drilling Site Layout



## **ATTACHMENT 5**

### **LUCKY NOTE DRILL SITE / CAMPSITE & LAYDOWN AREA**

In pegging out the Lucky Note drill site, Footprints Resources have confirmed that this site is on gently sloping ground and will not require levelling or tree removal. Sparse shrub and spinifex cover will need to be removed from the surface as these pose a fire risk.



**Lucky Note drill site looking east. Low scrub and spinifex to be removed from surface.**

The proposed campsite/laydown storage area has previously been used as a camp area and requires no additional levelling or tree removal. This site is located more than 100 m from a watercourse in accordance with Environmental Authority conditions.



**Proposed campsite/laydown area looking north. No levelling or tree removal required.**