# **REGIONAL INTERESTS DEVELOPMENT APPROVAL (RIDA)**

## **RPI16/008 Footprint Resources – Walford East Project**

(Given under the Regional Planning Interests Act 2014 section 53)

#### **Description of the land**

| Real property description: | Lot 1 MU1; Lot 1 CP887914 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Local Government Area:     | Burke Shire Council       |

#### **Approved activities**

The approved activities for exploration drilling for copper are set out in Table 1 below.

Definitions of the resource activities are included in Table 2.

This development approval authorises impacts on a strategic environmental area (SEA) by the approved activities.

#### Table 1: Approved activities

| Area of regional<br>interest                | Location                    | Resource activity                   | Area of disturbance |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Gulf Rivers Strategic<br>Environmental Area | Lot 1 MU1<br>Lot 1 CP887914 | Fifteen (15) drill sites            | 0.6 ha              |
|   |                             | Access tracks                       | 1.1 ha              |
|   |                             | Field campsite / Laydown<br>Storage | 0.1 ha              |
|   |                             | Total area of disturbance           | 1.8 ha              |

### **Table 2: Definitions**

| Resource activity                  | Definition  |  |
|------------------------------------|---|--|
| Drill site                         | As shown on Figure 4: T685 Schramm RC Drill Pad Setup, an area of approximately 400m <sup>2</sup> (20m x 20m) with minor earthworks and clearing for the drill pad area in some locations and containing a drill rig with collared drill hole, cyclone, auxiliary compressor/booster, rod truck and sample layout area. |  |
| Access track                       | A cleared and graded track no greater than 3m wide to facilitate access to the drill sites and field campsite/laydown storage area.   |  |
| Field campsite and laydown storage | A combined 30m x 35m field campsite and laydown storage area used for:  |  |
|                                    | • The storage of approximately 500L of oil and drilling fluids; and   |  |
|                                    | <ul> <li>Intermittent lodging for workers, for short terms not greater than 4<br/>consecutive months, in tents, caravan or similar temporary means<br/>of shelter.</li> </ul>   |  |

## **General Advice**

This approval does not relieve the applicant of the obligation to obtain all approvals and licenses from all relevant authorities required under any Act.

#### **Regional interests conditions**

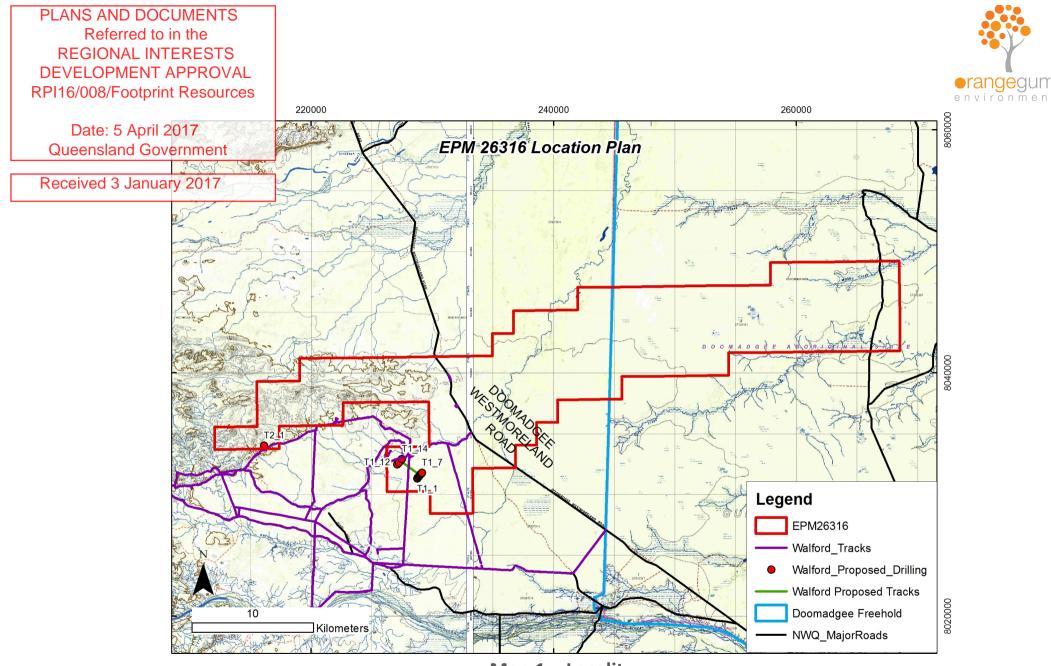
A person who is the holder of, or is acting under, this RIDA must not contravene a condition of this approval.

| Condition<br>number | Condition  | Timing   |
|---------------------|--|--|
| 1.                  | <ul> <li>Carry out the approved activities and disturbance of land generally in accordance with:</li> <li>a) The activities identified in Table 1: Approved activities.</li> <li>b) The activities defined in Table 2: Definitions of Activities.</li> <li>c) The approved plans: <ul> <li><i>Figure 1: Locality</i> prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017 (See Attachment 1);</li> <li><i>Figure 2: Map 1a – Target 1 Infrastructure</i> prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017 (See Attachment 1);</li> <li><i>Figure 3: Map 1b – Target 2 Infrastructure</i> prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017 (See Attachment 1);</li> <li><i>Figure 3: Map 1b – Target 2 Infrastructure</i> prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017 (See Attachment 1);</li> <li><i>Figure 4: T685 Schramm RC Drill Pad Setup</i> prepared by Tulla Drilling received 21 March 2017 (See Attachment 1).</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | At all times   |
| 2.                  | Exploration activities must not occur during the regional wet season (December to March inclusive).  | At all times   |
| 3.                  | Waste products to be removed from site and all areas<br>to be rehabilitated as soon as practical and prior to the<br>onset of the wet season (December to March<br>inclusive).   | At all times   |
| 4.                  | Non-artesian drill holes must be decommissioned upon completion of exploration.  | Within 2 months of<br>commencement of<br>drilling each<br>respective drill hole        |
| 5.                  | Drill holes that strike artesian flows that exceed 500L/hour for seven days must be decommissioned upon completion of exploration.   | Within 1 month of<br>commencement of<br>drilling each<br>respective drill hole         |
| 6.                  | Contaminants must not be directly or indirectly released to waters in the Gulf Rivers Strategic Environmental Area.  | At all times   |
| 7.                  | Progressively restore disturbed areas to a pre-activity condition as soon as practical.  | Upon completion of activities at each respective drill site or need for access tracks. |

| Condition<br>number | Condition  | Timing  |
|---------------------|--|---|
| 8.                  | a) Take photographs of the pre-disturbance site conditions of the disturbance areas; and   | a) Prior to<br>commencement<br>of approved<br>activities                                |
|                     | <ul> <li>b) Take photographs of the post-restoration site<br/>conditions demonstrating that the impacted land<br/>within the SEA has been returned to its pre-activity<br/>condition; and</li> </ul>       | b) On completion<br>of restoration  |
|                     | c) Provide to the chief executive evidence of the pre-<br>disturbance and post-restoration site conditions in<br>accordance with parts a) and b) of this condition to:<br><u>RPIAct@dilgp.qld.gov.au</u> . | c) Within three<br>months of<br>completing all<br>restoration                           |
|                     | The notification to the chief executive must state the application reference number.   | works   |
| 9.                  | a) All complaints received, and resulting actions<br>taken about the impact of the approved activities<br>on the environmental attributes in the SEA must<br>be recorded. The record must include:         | a) At all times   |
|                     | <ul> <li>name, address and contact number of the complainant</li> <li>time and date of complaint</li> </ul>  |   |
|                     | <ul><li>iii) reasons for the complaint</li><li>iv) investigations undertaken</li><li>v) conclusions formed</li></ul>   |   |
|                     | <ul> <li>vi) actions taken to resolve the complaint</li> <li>vii) any abatement measures implemented</li> <li>viii) person responsible for resolving the complaint.</li> </ul>                             |   |
|                     | <ul> <li>b) The records of any complaints received and<br/>recorded in accordance with this condition must<br/>be provided to the chief executive at<br/>RPIAct@dilgp.qld.gov.au.</li> </ul>               | <ul> <li>b) Within three<br/>business days<br/>of receipt of a<br/>complaint</li> </ul> |
| 11.                 | A full copy of the regional interests development<br>approval is on-site and available to any person(s)<br>contracted to undertake the approved activity.  | For the duration of activities subject to this approval                                 |

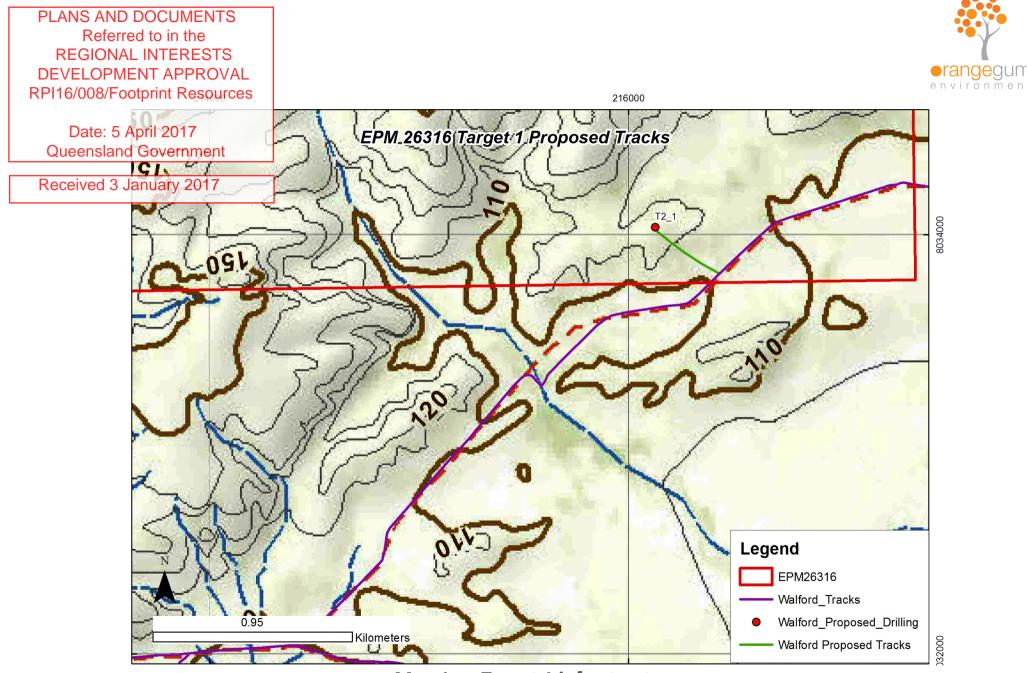
## Attachment 1: Approved Drawings

Figure 1: Map 1: Locality prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017



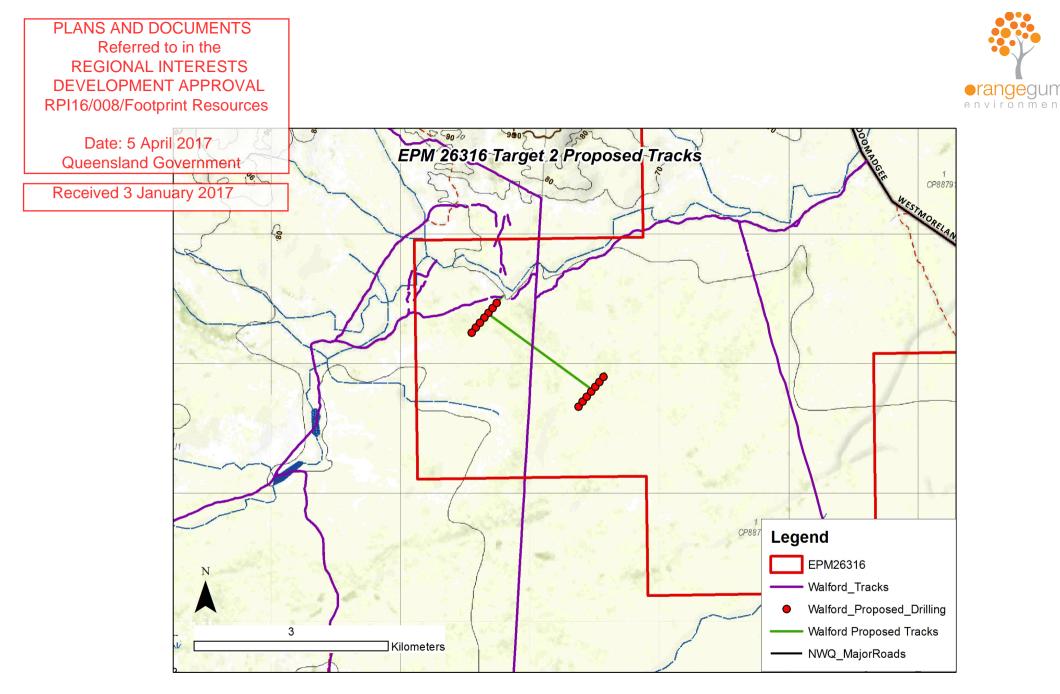
Map 1 – Locality

Figure 2: Map 1a: Target 1 infrastructure prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017



Map 1a – Target 1 infrastructure

Figure 3: Map 1b: Target 2 infrastructure prepared by Orangegum Consulting received 3 January 2017



Map 1b – Target 2 infrastructure

Figure 4: T685 Schramm RC Drill Pad Setup prepared by Tulla Drilling received 21 March 2017

