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The Merri Creek Environment Fund aims to ensure the preservation of the natural and cultural heritage of Merri Creek and its tributaries, their corridors and associated ecological communities.

Donations to the Fund will provide a long-term and independent source of grants to continue bringing Merri Creek back to life after 170 years of degradation.

Donations of \$2 or more are tax deductible.

The Fund is managed by the Merri Creek Management Committee Inc. and overseen by directors committed to the wider community. It reports to the Merri Creek Management Committee and to the Federal Department of the Environment.

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RESTORING MERRI CREEK

Merri Creek flows from the Great Dividing Range north of Melbourne, through farmland, rocky gorges, rare native grasslands, and between quarries, factories and suburban housing, to the Yarra River in Abbotsford.

Creating a habitat corridor

Restoration has been driven by the community for over 30 years and uses indigenous plants to link habitat along Merri Creek and its tributaries. This improves the amenity of the area and enables wildlife to flourish.

Improving water quality

Improving Merri Creek's poor water quality remains a challenge, but the catchment still includes rare species like Growling Grass Frogs, Golden Sun Moths and native grasslands. These species all need particular protection and care.



HALL RESERVE ROTUNDA

Merri Creek, Clifton Hill



(above) Before revegetation in 1998

(below) After wetland creation and revegetation in 2004.



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