#10 COMPLETE Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link) Started: Monday, April 21, 2025 10:16:25 AM Last Modified: Monday, April 21, 2025 10:27:29 AM Time Spent: 00:11:04 IP Address: Page 1 Q1 First name Elizabeth Q2 Last name Barrett Q3 **Email** Q4 Yes Can we contact you about your submission (if needed)? Q5 Yes Can we add your email to our mailing list for occasional updates on this topic? Q6 I am a private land manager/owner. What best describes you?

Central Tablelands

Q7

What best describes your main regional interest?

Q8

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I agree to have my submission published with my name.

Q9

What do you consider is the most significant action(s) we can undertake to protect and restore biodiversity and ecosystem function on private lands?

Initiatives to not only stop further land clearing but to actively increase native vegetation plantings. My area of the state only has around 2 percent of intact native vegetation left!

Q10

How can we further improve soil, water and vegetation management to protect and restore biodiversity while delivering sustainable economic outcomes?

Increase landholder education, prevent the clearing of riparian zones

Q11

What do you consider is the most effective way to further support and enable landholders to deliver sustainable land management and production outcomes?

Assist farmers to understand that restoring environmental balance will improve their long term viability.

Q12

Is there any other information about this topic you would like to share with us?

Our local council advises there is nothing they can do to prevent tree removal outside the CBD heritage Zone. Councils must be given greater responsibility to take action that might involve for example not approving the removal of trees and issuing fines.