

**What are your reasons for support of the recommendations?**

I have no support for any recommendations

**If any, what are your reasons for non-support of the recommendations?**

Cruel and inhumane practices continue to be at the forefront of Australian animal control. Poisoning and baiting animals is a cruel and barbaric approach to controlling cat numbers when humane methods have not even been tried. Your approach to feral cat management - including the feral cat scan app puts all cats in Australia at risk. If the sole purpose of the app is to target feral rural area cats why are urban areas mappable and thus threatening all urban living cats. Your war on cats is encouraging people to take the law into their own hands and there has been an increase of violence towards both stray and domestic cats.

**What are your suggestions for improvement in pest animal management?**

A humane and controlled approach such as tnr that has been effective abroad. Land destruction and mining in natural habitats have removed our native species far more effectively than cats, rabbits, foxes or horses could ever achieve. A more controlled natural corridor for wildlife and more of them to encourage breeding rather than decimating the country for human use.

You can cull a certain percentage of cats however what is stopping people from still not desexing their cat and from dumping unwanted litters in the bush? How will your cull stop this? This scheme is short sighted and will ultimately prove ineffective