

## Shire of Narrogin Street Tree Planning: Selections and Recommendations Guide 2018

This guide contains information researched and documented in the 2010 report by the then Town of Narrogin Townscape Committee comprising Peter White, Lee Thomson, Mike Brown and Mary Silverman.

The 2010 report was the subject of a review by H+H Architects as part of the 2016 Narrogin Townscape Review which was adopted by Council on 22 February 2017 and contains the recommendations for the Narrogin CBD and Highbury townsite.

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- 1. The underlying themes in all areas is that of suitability to site, which includes soils, moisture quality and availability, growing space, etc
- Impact and aesthetic appeal can be achieved through many plant characteristics and / or layout and density
   Historic category difficult to quantify many historic trees no longer deemed suitable

| 1. Location:<br>CBD  | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup>                                  | Species<br>recommendations   | Layout /spacing recommendations  | Comments on site   |
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| Fortune St.<br>(Federal St to<br>Earl St)                              | Shelter, form,<br>manageability,<br>uniformity                 | <i>Ulmus parviflora</i> -Todd or<br>Green English<br><i>Syzygium</i> Blaze or Aliens<br>magic) / <i>Westringia</i><br><i>fruiticosa</i> selections | Existing spacing satisfactory  | All existing trees in centre of road way<br>to be removed. Trees on pathways<br>could be removed gradually once new<br>trees become established<br>Garden beds to be replenished   |
| Fortune St<br>(Earl St to<br>Williams Rd)                              | Shelter,<br>screening,<br>colour                               | Ulmus parviflora -Todd or<br>Green English   | Nth Side<br>Sth Side   | Continue planting up to Park (see<br>suggestions for Memorial Park)<br>Some older trees under powerlines<br>may need to be removed   |
| Egerton St<br>(Federal St to<br>Earl St)                               | Form, view<br>(taller trees<br>to match<br>building<br>height) | <i>Pyrus calleryana /</i><br>Bradford -spreading<br>crown  | -alongside existing<br>shops<br>-shops to roundabout.<br>Variable spacing<br>according to<br>available sites | Options<br>Planting mainly to the west of the shops<br>-avoid problems with verandahs.<br>Plant Populnus or similar spp. off verge<br>in front of Bottle shop and RSL / Old<br>Ambulance Hall<br>Remove palms from near Bintamilling<br>Arcade |
| Park St<br>(Federal St to<br>Kennedy St)<br>(Kennedy St to<br>Earl St) | Colour,<br>consistency<br>Shelter,<br>colour,<br>screening     | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Eucalyptus. newbeyi<br>Eucalyptus tenera  | Maintain existing<br>spacing, some<br>additional plants in<br>Govt Offices<br>Nth Side<br>Sth Side           | This species suited only to lower slope<br>(note: pruning schedule necessary for<br>best visual results)<br>Shallow soils require change of species<br>8 - 10m depending on space  |



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| Park St<br>(Federal St to<br>Fairway St)   | Planned,<br>structured,<br>historic link | Agonis flexuosa (after<br>dark) / <i>Melaleuca<br/>bracteata</i> (Revolution<br>Gold) with <i>Alyogyne</i><br>hakeafolia | Planter boxes "Collie"<br>style   | Links to railway goods shed and RI.<br>Both sides of street (may be limited<br>near Chicken Treat). Small picnic<br>site near CT to be developed at<br>same time   |
| Smith St   | Not assessed                             |  |   | Need to develop specific<br>recommendations should the<br>project be approved  |
| Earl St<br>(Council Offices to<br>Fortune St)<br>(Fortune St to<br>Egerton St)<br>(Egerton St to<br>Smith St)<br>(Smith St to<br>Ensign St)<br>(Ensign St. to<br>Clayton Rd) | Form,<br>uniformity,<br>colour           | <i>Prunus nigra</i><br><i>Pyrus calleryana:</i><br>Bursnozam "Burgundy<br>Show"  | W Side<br>In nibs. Most line up,<br>some offset, but still in<br>straight lines<br>E Side | Discuss landscaping options with<br>Police Dept and Masonic Lodge to<br>link in with streetscape work<br>Remove existing trees from<br>alongside Coles<br>Remove and replace existing trees<br>up to council office<br>Library Lawn — reduce lawn size,<br>some paving and seating |
| Earl St<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Exeter St)  | Form, colour                             | <i>Melaleuca lineariifolia</i><br>(Snow in summer),<br><i>Allocasuarina torulosa</i><br>(Rose sheoak)                    | Opposite Bowling Club<br>only   | Increase size of verge, create angle<br>parking  |



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| Federal St<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Exeter St)       | Stature, form,<br>uniformity  | <i>Eucalyptus maculata</i><br>(Spotted Gum)                                   | Group planting, no lines   | Clean trunks and stature will create<br>and attractive feature, may attract<br>people to use the area, trees can<br>develop to maturity without causing<br>any problem. May need to negotiate<br>with several interest groups. Good<br>location for "historic" tree plantings |
| Federal St.<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Edgerton St)    | Uniformity,<br>colour, form   | <i>Uh nus glabra</i> (Golden<br>Elm   | In nibs  | Remove <i>Hymenosporum</i> . Remove<br><i>Populnus</i> from under street lamp.<br>Retain <i>Ficus sp.</i>   |
| Federal St.<br>(Egerton St. to<br>Park St)       | Form, stature                 | <i>Tipuana tipu</i> on corners,<br><i>Lophostemon / Populnus</i><br>on street | Maintain existing species and spacing  | Develop a more sympathetic pruning regime for <i>Lophostemon</i> , instigate pruning on Populnus.   |
| Federal St.<br>(Park St to<br>Falcon St)         | Form, stature                 | Maintain existing species   | Maintain existing species and spacing  | Develop a more sympathetic pruning regime for <i>Lophostemons</i>   |
| Federal St.<br>(Falcon to<br>Forrest)            | Form, colour,<br>continuity   | <i>Prunus nigra<br/>Ulmus glabra</i> (Golden<br>Elm)                          | W Side, under<br>power lines, will<br>need closer<br>spacings<br>E Side, no powerlines | Some existing trees white ant affected<br>trees will need to be removed and<br>replaced   |
| Federal St.<br>(Forrest St to<br>Butter Factory) | Form, colour,<br>continuity   | <i>Prunus nigra<br/>Ulmus glabra</i> (Golden<br>Elm)                          | W Side, under<br>power lines, will<br>need closer<br>spacings<br>E Side, no powerlines | Some existing trees white ant affected trees will need to be removed and replaced   |



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| Federal St.<br>(Butter<br>Factory to<br>town<br>outskirts) | Neatness                      | Maintain existing species                      | Various                         | Remove fence from planted area<br>near MRWA, removed dead trees /<br>slash both sides of road  |
| 2. Location:<br>Entry Roads                                | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup> | Species<br>recommendations                     | Layout /spacing recommendations | Comments on site   |
| Roundabout   | Colour, visual<br>impact      | Maintain existing species                      | Maintain existing layouts       | Establish and maintain maintenance program   |
| Williams Road<br>(Earl St to<br>Johnston St)               | Form, visual<br>impact        | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Prunus nigra          | As available                    | Northern side, powerlines, access<br>to additional moisture. Some<br>existing trees to be removed<br>Southern side, no powerlines site |
| Williams Road  | Form, visual                  | Callistemon viminalis<br>Eucalyptus tenera, E. | Northern side,<br>(powerlines)  | Some existing trees to be removed<br>Limited access to additional<br>moisture. Some existing trees to<br>be removed                    |
| (Johnson St. to<br>Daglish St)                             | impact                        | erythronema                                    | Southern side                   | Very harsh site. Some existing<br>trees to be removed. Closer<br>spacings to match tree stature  |



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| Williams Road                                  |                               | Prunus nigra                                     | Northern Side  | Shorter species under powerlines.<br>Some existing trees may need to be<br>removed   |
| (Daglish St to<br>Narrakine Rd)                | Form, visual<br>impact        | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Melaleuca lineariifolia | Southern Side  | Taller trees on southern side with<br>no powerlines<br>Maintain planting pattern of<br>alternate Jacaranda / Melaleuca   |
| Williams Road<br>(Narrakine Rd to<br>Cemetery) | Neatness                      | Maintain existing species                        | Maintenance of bush /<br>existing trees, clumps, not<br>rows | See Section on Car Parks and<br>Grounds for Cemetery options<br>Need signposts for truck parking<br>Information bay needs some tree<br>pruning Ongoing pruning / slashing<br>of verges |



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|   |                               |  | Nth Side of road                                   | Broken landscape, powerlines Need to link planting to Earl St.  |
|   |                               |  |  | Few good trees remaining<br>No trees near tennis court  |
|   |                               |  | Sth Side of road, trees at closer spacings         | No trees near swimming pool   |
|   |                               |  |  | No trees near bowling green   |
| Clayton Rd<br>(Federal St to<br>May St)     | Colour, order,<br>form        | Eucalyptus leucoxylon<br>subsp. leucoxylon                         | Plantings on verge of<br>parking area at JH centre | Remove and replace trees near hockey fields   |
| May St)                                     |                               | Callistemon viminalis  |  | Entrance signs needed on road<br>verge for John Higgins, Rec<br>Centre and Watercourse Café                         |
|   |                               | <i>Melia azedarach</i><br>(Caroline)<br><i>Eucalyptus maculata</i> |  | Consider planting some larger<br>trees behind the John Higgins<br>centre to break up the outline of<br>the building |
|   |                               | Eucalyptus leucoxylon  | Nth Side of road                                   |   |
| Clayton Rd                                  |                               | subsp. leucoxylon  | NUT SIDE OFTOAU                                    | Some trees of each species  |
| (May St - Lefroy<br>St)                     | Colour,<br>uniformity         | Callistemon viminalis  | Sth Side of road, trees at closer spacings         | already growing, new trees can be matched in with these   |
| Lefroy St<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Williams Rd) |                               |  |  | Not assessed yet  |



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| Roundabout<br>Link Road,<br>Clayton Road,<br>Kipling St | Colour, form                  | Mixed species  | Dependent on species   | Difficult site<br>See MRWA re species choice  |
| Kipling St<br>Roundabout to<br>Wickepin Rd              | Form, impact,<br>feature      | Callistemon viminalis<br>Eucalyptus leucoxylon<br>subsp. leucoxylon                | Nth Side. Up to 3 /house<br>frontage<br>Sth Side. 3 / house<br>frontage              | Variable spacing to fit<br>circumstances<br>Most existing trees in poor<br>condition and will need to be<br>removed (poss keep<br><i>Brachychitons)</i><br>Clean up and slash road verge to<br>90 km sign Very irregular spacings<br>with some good trees, may need to<br>phase changes in gradually. |
| Gt. Sthn H'way<br>(Nth)                                 | Form, impact                  | <i>Melaleuca leucodendron</i><br>or <i>M lanceolate</i><br>Increase number in park | W Side. Up to 3<br>per house frontage<br>E Side. Planting in Park,<br>not road verge | Hard site, needs good preparation.<br>No room for plants between<br>Northwood and Kipling St<br>Clean up and slash road verge to<br>80 km sign Check out species in<br>park and match to these  |
| Gt. Sthn H'way  | (Sth) — see Fed               | eral St  | 1 1  |   |
| Link Road<br>(Section 2)                                | Colour, form,<br>impact       | Melaleuca strobophylla   | Clumps in open areas at either end of road   | Limited options, alignment broken<br>by gutters, bridge, fences and<br>existing vegetation. Need to focus<br>more on health of existing verge<br>plantings. It may be possible to<br>plant some trees in the median<br>strip (very limited space)<br>Consider some matching plantings <sub>8 of</sub> |



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| Herald St<br>(Federal St to<br>Havelock St) | Colour, form                  | Callistemon viminalis<br>(red flowers)<br>Melaleuca lineariifolia / M<br>quinquinervia                        | N Side (powerline)<br>S Side                            | More open area, needs some<br>larger trees, sight lines important<br>near major intersections and<br>railway line, some useful existing<br>trees to match species, some<br>buildings to consider |
| Herald St<br>(Havelock St to<br>Argus St)   | Colour, from,<br>uniformity   | <i>Callistemon viminalis</i><br>(yellow flowers )<br><i>Ulmus parviflora</i>                                  | N Side (powerline)<br>S Side                            | A few good trees remaining that could be retained  |
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| Herald St<br>(Argus St to<br>Outskirts)     | Colour, form,<br>impact       | Callistemon viminalis<br>(pink flowers)<br>Eucalyptus stricklandii  | N Side (powerline)<br>S Side, 2-3 per block<br>frontage | Not much space, some existing<br>garden plantings, needs some<br>smaller sized trees   |
| Forrest St<br>(Federal St to<br>Glyde St)   | Colour,<br>uniformity         | Prunus nigra<br>Callistemon viminalis,<br>Callistemon salignus and<br>Melaleuca lineariifolia                 | Nth Side (powerlines)<br>Sth Side                       | Many specimens of these species<br>already growing. Closer spacing<br>for smaller sized trees,<br>Callistemons would do well in the<br>moist site  |
| Forrest St<br>(Glyde St to<br>Floreat St)   | Colour,<br>stature            | <i>Callistemon viminalis</i><br>Mixed <i>Eucalyptus</i> spp.<br>E.g. <i>torquata</i> and<br><i>leucoxylon</i> | Nth Side (powerlines )<br>Sth side                      | Scattered specimens already<br>present, very little of anything else<br>Retain small patch of resident<br>planted <i>Jacaranda mimosifolia</i><br>outside Karinya                                |



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| Forrest St                                     |                               | Callistemon viminalis   | Nth Side (powerlines)<br>Sth Side | Note: very limited planting<br>opportunities McKenzie St to<br>Narrakine Rd  |
| (Floreat St to<br>Narrakine Rd)                | Colour,<br>stature            | Mixed <i>Eucalyptus</i> spp.<br>E.g. <i>torquata</i> and          |                                   | Many specimens already present, very<br>little of anything else  |
|  |                               | leucoxylon<br>Allocasuarina turolosa                              | Sth Side                          | Forrest St block verge (Need to make<br>recommendations for the Forrest<br>Street development)   |
| Narrakine Rd<br>(Williams Rd to<br>Forrest St) | Colour                        | No plantings required <i>Eucalyptus torquata</i>                  | W Side<br>(powerlines) E Side     | Foxes Lair reserve<br>Very limited space between path road,<br>driveways etc   |
| Narrakine Rd                                   |                               |   | W Side                            | No planting options from Williams road<br>to Hough St on W side alongside<br>Motel and reserve   |
| (Williams Rd to<br>Clayton Rd)                 | Colour, shade                 | Callistemon viminalis   | (powerlines) E Side               | Continue theme on E side, but with<br>smaller stature rough barked trees   |
|  |                               | <i>Eucalyptus</i> spp e.g.<br><i>torquata</i>                     |                                   | Pathway on E side could compromise planting, need to assess site carefully   |
| Narrakine Rd<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Elliott St)  |                               | Occasional <i>Callistemon</i><br><i>viminalis</i><br>See comments | W Side (powerlines)<br>E Side     | Some good plantings exist on the<br>adjacent private land which could<br>obviate the need for other planting                                   |
|  | Structure                     |   |                                   | Careful selection needed to match in<br>with existing plantings, needs more<br>detailed assessment, very variable<br>site, multiple crossovers |



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| Narrakine Rd<br>(Elliott St to<br>Fleay Rd) | Uniformity                          | No plantings required<br>Eucalyptus scoparia   | W Side (powerlines)  | There are many obstructions, soil type<br>changes etc under the powerlines<br>making establishing trees difficult  |
|   |                                     |  | E Side   | Some good plantings exist on the<br>adjacent private land which could<br>obviate the need for other planting<br>Need to remove underperforming<br>mallee species |
|   |                                     |  |  | Large York gums on E side make<br>successful planting very unlikely  |
|   |                                     |  |  | Need to assess quality of landholder<br>verge plantings  |
| 3. Location:<br>Minor Roads                 | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup>       | Species recommendations  | Layout /spacing recommendations                                  | Comments on site   |
| Gray St<br>(Kipling St to<br>Doney St)      | Colour, shade                       | Eucalyptus nicholli<br>Callistemon viminalis   | W side<br>E side (powerlines)                                    | Many existing trees, occasional spaces   |
| Gray St<br>(Doney St to<br>Hansard St)      | Colour,<br>continuity,<br>diversity | Brachychiton aceriflolia<br>Eucalyptus spp e.g. E<br>forrestiana, E.<br>erythronema, E. olivacea | W Side, 2 per road<br>frontage<br>E Side, 4 per road<br>frontage | Difficult area, soil type limitations<br>Spacing dependent on species  |
| Gray St<br>(Hansard St to                   | Shade,<br>colour,<br>statement,     | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Lophostemon confertus<br>Eucalyptus sideroxylon                         | W Side<br>Centre   | Some existing Lophostemon to be retained   |
| High School)                                | screening                           |  |  | Bus stop area  |



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|   |                                 | (Red Ironbark)<br><i>Eucalyptus argyphea</i><br>(Silver mallet)        |   | Tub plantings on verge<br>May need sturdy tree guards   |
|   |                                 | Callistemon sp.  | E Side (powerline)  |   |
| Burns St<br>(Kipling St to<br>Doney St)     | Colour,<br>Uniformity           | Prunus nigra<br>Fraxinus pennsylvanica<br>Urbanite                     | W Side 4 per house<br>frontage  | Open area. Few interruptions<br>Some sections have existing<br>Jacarandas   |
| Moore St<br>(Kipling St to<br>Doney St)     | Colour,<br>uniformity,<br>shade | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Lophostemon confertus<br>Fraxinus griffithii  | E Side<br>W Side<br>E Side  | Continuations of existing planting,<br>some new planting  |
| Homer St<br>Havelock st to<br>Gray St       | Shade,<br>uniformity            | Lophostemon confertus<br>Callistemon viminalis<br>Mixed Eucalyptus spp | N Side (powerline) 3<br>per house frontage<br>S Side 3/1              | See comment in point 6<br>Infill of existing plantings<br>Some planting possible outside school<br>Very limited planting alongside District<br>Education Office |
| Furnival St<br>Federal St -<br>Narrakine Rd | Colour, form                    | Callistemon viminalis<br>Eucalyptus sideroxylon /<br>nicholli          | N Side, 2 -3 per house<br>frontage<br>S Side, 1 per house<br>frontage | Note: no planting alongside the Lewis<br>St bush block. Match in with existing<br>planting  |



| 4. Location:<br>Main Parks | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup>                               | Species recommendations  | Layout /spacing recommendations | Comments on site  |
|----------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------|---|
| Memorial Park              | Ambience,<br>restful, shade,<br>historic /<br>commemorative | E.g. <i>Cedrus lebani</i><br><i>Pinus halopensis</i><br><i>Acacia</i> sp.<br><i>Rosemary officialis</i><br><i>Papaver rhoeas</i><br>(Flanders Poppies) | As appropriate                  | Choice of trees that have historical<br>significance e.g. pine from lone pine<br>hill, Acacia as Australia's floristic<br>embalm.<br>Site comprises three sections which<br>for detailed plans are required —<br>need to engage with the RSL<br>Screening structures for water tank<br>required also shadow figure from<br>Gnarojin Park bridge. Consider<br>grant monies / artist in residence |
| Mackie Park                | Functional  | Limited scope for<br>additional species.<br>Roses in garden beds   | Need to keep open spaces        | Replanting of roses with same<br>species.<br>Repairs needed to rotunda.<br>Artwork on walls facing park.<br>Possible relocation / removal of<br>rotunda.  |
| Gnarojin Park              | Various   | See original plan  | As appropriate                  | Pruning and other mtc required,<br>repairs to Newton House, some<br>redesign of planting layouts<br>possible  |
| Lions Park                 | Ambience,<br>restful, shade,<br>family use                  | Multiples of existing species  | As appropriate                  | Consider removal of selected<br>Eucalyptus cladocalyx   |

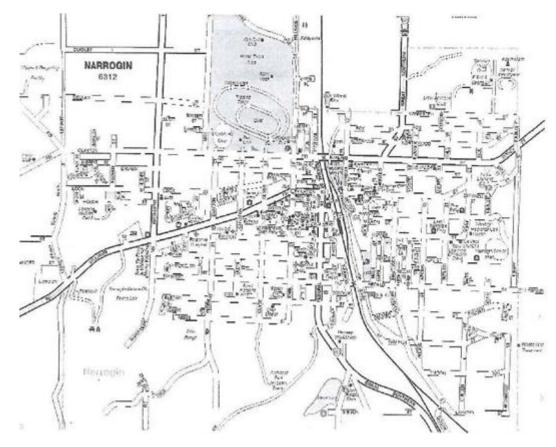


| 5. Location:<br>Car Parks and<br>Grounds          | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup>            | Species<br>recommendations   | Layout /spacing recommendations   | Comments on site  |
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| Railway Carpark                                   | Functional                               | <i>Eucalyptus maculata</i><br>Spotted gum  | Two trees evenly<br>spaced between street<br>lights, with one only on<br>the northern end of the<br>row | Need species that will survive in<br>bitumen, give tall shade and not<br>interfere with street lighting                                   |
| Council Carpark<br>(Council Offices /<br>Library) | Shade,<br>function,<br>colour            | Eucalyptus<br>erythronema, E.<br>eremophila, E.<br>newbeyana   | Where appropriate in nibs   | Existing trees and some<br>surrounding trees to be removed<br>e.g. <i>Pinus radiata, Eucalyptus</i><br><i>cladocalyx</i> .                |
| Council Carpark<br>(CWA)                          | Shade,<br>uniformity                     | See original plan<br>Eucalyptus<br>steedmanii, E.<br>newbeyana   | Approx 15 m spacing   | Some existing trees to be removed<br>e.g. <i>Brachychiton sp</i> . 2 <i>E. torquata</i><br>could be retained                              |
| Leisure Centre                                    | Colour, visual<br>impact, shade,<br>form | <i>Zelkova serrata</i> (Green<br>Vase)   | 4 trees, approx 10m spacing   | Some existing trees need to be removed  |
|   |  | Liquidambar styraciflua  |   | Remove old Melaleucas (and fence) on E side of parking area   |
| Museum / Old<br>Courthouse and                    | Shade,<br>aesthetics                     | Prunus nigra<br>Eucalyptus leucoxylon<br>subsp. leucoxylon   | Spacing to match existing trees   | Expand garden beds, plant trees<br>SE corner from building; need new<br>pots, etc   |
| carpark   |  |  |   | Needs detailed plan developed<br>Consider redevelopment of south<br>side carpark; e.g. development of<br>island and angle parking layout. |
| Cemetery  | Shade,<br>function                       | Mixed white trunked<br>Eucalypts, E.g. <i>E.</i><br><i>camaldulensis, E.</i><br><i>leucoxylon, E. scoparia</i> | On existing spacing   | W side of road to be developed for<br>parking<br>14 of 2  |



Recommended list of suburban streets with historic planting to be maintained in spite of high maintenance

| 6. Location                        | Species                  | Comments  |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Homer St<br>(Havelock to<br>Argus) | Lophostemon<br>confertus | Maintain trees on both sides of the road in this section  |
| Kipling St (near<br>Hillman St)    | Plantanus acerifolius    | Trees on Nth side, under powerlines – could be retained in the short term, but with gradual removal |





Eucalyptus erythronema Red flowered mallee [Image © John Colwill 2010]



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| 1. Location:<br>CBD                             | Design<br>Aims <sup>123</sup>               | Species<br>recommendations   | Layout / spacing recommendations  | Comments on site  |
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| East West Streets                               | 5   | •  | · · · · · ·   |   |
| Park St<br>(Earl St –<br>Willaim<br>Kennedy St) | Shelter,<br>colour,<br>screening            | Eucalyptus newbeyi<br>Eucalyptus tenera<br>Eucalyptus torquata         | Nth Side<br>Sth Side (Power Lines   | Shallow soils require change of species. 8 – 10m depending on space   |
| Park St<br>(Kennedy St -<br>Federal St)         | Colour,<br>consist                          | Jacaranda mimosifolia  | Maintain existing<br>spacing, some additional<br>plants in Govt Office    | This species suited only to lower<br>slope and will<br>need irrigation in summer<br>(note: pruning schedule<br>necessary for best visual<br>results <b>.)</b>                 |
| Park St<br>(Federal St –<br>Fairway St)         | Planned,<br>structured,<br>historic<br>link | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Eucalyptus torquata                           | Nth Side may require<br>planting in the roadway<br>Sth Side (Power Lines) | Links to railway goods shed and<br>RI. Both sides of street (may be<br>limited near Chicken Treat)<br>Small picnic site near Chicken<br>Treat to be developed at same<br>time |
| Fortune St<br>(Williams Rd to<br>Earl St)       | Shelter,<br>screening,<br>colour            | Ulmus parviflora – Todd<br>or Green English<br>Prunus cerasifera nigra | Nth Side<br>Sth Side (Power lines)  | Continue planting up to Park<br>(see suggestions for Memorial<br>Park)<br>Some older trees under<br>powerlines may need to be<br>replaced with Prunus                         |

1. The underlying themes in all areas is that of suitability to site, which includes soils, moisture quality and availability, growing space, etc

2. Impact and aesthetic appeal can be achieved through many plant characteristics and / or layout and density

3. Historic category difficult to quantify - many historic trees no longer deemed suitable



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|---|--|---|--|---|
| Fortune St.<br>(Earl St.to<br>Federal St) | Shelter, form,<br>manageability,<br>uniformity                                       | <i>Ulmus parviflora</i> – Todd<br>or Green English<br><i>Pyrus</i> sp. for locations<br>with less space | <i>Ulmus</i> currently planted in median 'containers'. | Lephostemon trees in footpath<br>could be removed incrementally if<br>necessary, and replaced with<br>Pyrus or Ulmus sp Tipuana Tipu<br>at Fortune/Earl<br>and Fortune/Federal intersections<br>to remain   |
| Fortune St<br>(Federal to<br>Fairway)     | Shelter, form,<br>manageability,<br>uniformity                                       | Continue above planting<br>style.<br>Retain <i>Tipuana Tipu</i>   |  | Easternmost Lephostemon<br>showing branch die back<br>Review and remove and replace<br>with new tree species if failing   |
| Mackie Park                               | Civic space,<br>frame<br>views to Town<br>Hall, summer<br>shade and<br>winter<br>sun | See Federal and<br>Fortune,<br>and Mackie Park<br>Enhancement concept                                   |  | Existing trees in the park include<br>2 x <i>Platanus</i><br>(Plane trees) 1 x <i>Liquidambar</i><br><i>styraciflua</i><br>(Liquidamber) and 1 x <i>Fraxinus</i><br>likely to be<br>'Raywood' (Ash). Verge trees<br>adjacent to the park<br>include <i>Lephostemon</i> and<br><i>Tipuana tipu</i> |



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| Harris St                                 | Pedestrian<br>shade,<br>screening,<br>colour                             | Match existing species where these are thriving   | Plant to maintain rear<br>loading / crossover<br>access   |  |
| Williams Road<br>(Glyde St to<br>Earl St) | Form, visual<br>impact   | Jacaranda mimosifolia<br>Prunus nigra   | Closer spacings to<br>compensate for<br>crossovers<br>etc.  | Jacaranda will require supplementary<br>watering,<br>better achieved adjacent to the park.<br>Some existing<br>trees to be removed |
|   |  |   | powerlines  | Prunus for under power lines   |
| Egerton St (Earl<br>St – Federal St)      | Form, view<br>(tallertrees to<br>match<br>building<br>height)<br>Gateway | Pyrus calleryana<br>/Bradford. – spreading<br>Crown<br><i>Callistemon viminalis</i> to<br>entry nibs adjacent to<br>Earl and Federal Sts. | <ul> <li>alongside existing</li> <li>Shops</li> <li>shops to roundabout</li> <li>Variable spacing<br/>according to available</li> </ul> | See Townscape Review detail<br>drawing<br>Remove palms from near Bintamilling<br>Arcade  |
|   | planting<br>contrast   |   | sites   | Alcade   |
| Smith St                                  | Pedestrian<br>comfort<br>and screen<br>rear<br>yards                     | Prunus cerasifera nigra   | Aim for dense shade to<br>link pedestrian access<br>from carpark to arcades   | New kerbed garden beds to provide<br>better growing<br>conditions – ensure road base is<br>removed                                 |



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| Ensign St  | Shelter,<br>screening,<br>colour                      | <i>Calistemon viminalis</i><br>south side<br><i>Eucalyptus nicholii</i><br>Or <i>Agonis flexuosa</i><br>north side  | Power Lines to south<br>side.<br>Plant 5m centres to<br>offset<br>gaps for crossovers  | Aim to screen blank wall, unless a significant mural project is funded Assess soil type and condition for suitability of <i>A.flexuosa –E. nicholii</i> may be the better option |
| Gregory St                                       | Shelter,<br>greening,<br>colour                       | Eucalyptus sideroxylon<br>rosea or E. tricarpa  | Plant down one<br>kerbline,<br>ideally the northern<br>edge.<br>Plant 8m centres to<br>offset gaps for<br>crossovers   | Trees will need to be planted in the<br>roadway.<br>Allow for protective bollards / wheel<br>stops and to remove all road base<br>for the tree pit                               |
| Clayton Rd<br>(Earl to<br>Federal Sts)           | Shade,<br>'gateway'<br>planting, colour               | Eucalyptus leucoxylon<br>subsp. leucoxylon<br>Eucky Dwarf (cultivar<br>of<br>leucoxylon) under<br>power<br>lines<br>Eucalyptus torquata at<br>nib adjacent to Bargain<br>Barn and paired at car<br>yard | Nth Side of road<br>(power lines west of<br>Eston St)<br>Sth Side of road, trees<br>at<br>closer spacings<br>Construct generous tree<br>pits / nibs for E.<br>torquata | Broken landscape, powerlines<br>Need to link planting to Earl St<br>Few good trees remaining   |
| Clayton Rd<br>(Federal to<br>Railway<br>crossing | Shade,<br>'gateway'<br>planting, colour,<br>screening | <i>Eucalyptus torquata</i> in verge   | Planted as two "groves"<br>for maximum impact  | Signage review in future may<br>recommend a Town Centre<br>direction sign - allow viewlines to<br>sign in tree set out   |



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| North South Stre                              | ets                            |  |   |   |
| Earl St<br>(Council Offices<br>to Fortune St) | Form,<br>uniformity,           | Prunus nigra and<br>Liquidambar  | W Side  | Liquidambar is only for the lawn<br>area adjacent to the Freemason's<br>Lodge.<br>Negotiate with landowner to allow |
|   | colour                         |  |   | a stately shade tree to be planted<br>in this location  |
| (Fortune St to<br>Egerton St)                 | Form,<br>uniformity,<br>colour |  | In nibs. Most line up,<br>some offset, but still in<br>straight lines | Discuss landscaping options with<br>Narrogin Police on their grass<br>verge to link in with streetscape<br>work     |
| (Egerton St to<br>Smith St)                   | Form,<br>uniformity,<br>colour | <i>Pyrus calleryana</i> :<br>Bursnozam "Burgundy<br>Snow" or <i>Betulauefiolia</i> | Power lines Egerton to<br>Clayton West side                           | Retain existing trees alongside<br>Coles' wall  |



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|---|-------------------------------|---|---|---|
| (Smith St to<br>Ensign St)                  | Form, uniformity, colour      | <i>Pyrus calleryana</i> :<br>Bursnozam "Burgundy<br>Snow" or <i>Betulauefio</i> |   |   |
| (Ensign St. to<br>Clayton Rd)               | Form, uniformity, colour      |   |   | Replant fall ailed / vandalised<br>trees Clayton Rd to Shire office.<br>Retain <i>Tipuana Tipu</i> at Fortune<br>St entry)  |
| Rowley St                                   | Pedestrian<br>shade           | <i>Pyrus calleryana</i><br>Bursnozam "Burgundy<br>Snow"                         | Aim to provide a shaded<br>pedestrian link between<br>Egerton and Fortune Sts | Some negotiation will be needed<br>with land owners<br>Trees may need to be planted in<br>the roadway<br>Allow for protective bollards /<br>wheel stops and to remove all<br>road base for the tree pit |
| Federal St.<br>(Clayton Rd to<br>Smith St)  | Uniformity,<br>colour, form   | Callistemon viminalis   | New planting in nibs  | Retain healthy <i>Ulmus glabra</i><br>(Golden Elm)<br>Remove <i>Hymenosporum.</i><br>Retain <i>Ficus sp.</i>  |
| Federal St.<br>(Smith St. to<br>Fortune St) | Colour, shelter<br>at<br>nibs | Calistemon viminalis  | In nibs and proposed islands  | Retain <i>Tipuana Tipu</i> south east corner Federal and Egerton Sts  |



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|---|--|--|--|---|
| Federal St<br>(Fortune St to<br>Park St.)   | Form, stature<br>(see also<br>Fortune<br>St notes) | Maintain existing species  | Maintain existing species and spacing  | Develop a more sympathetic<br>pruning regime for<br><i>Lophostemon</i> s.                               |
| Federal St.<br>(Park St to<br>Falcon St)    | Form, stature                                      | Maintain existing species  | Maintain existing species and spacing  | Develop a more sympathetic pruning regime for <i>Lophostem</i> ons.                                     |
| Fairway Street<br>(Fortune to Park<br>Sts.) | Shelter,<br>uniformity                             | Maintain existing trees.<br>Where new planting is<br>possible use;<br><i>Eucalyptus scoparia</i> | Various to accommodate<br>cross overs, power lines<br>and walkway  | Existing trees on this street are <i>Lephostemon.</i>   |
| Railway Carpark<br>(EgertonSt -<br>Park St) | Shade,<br>structure,<br>frame town<br>edge         | Continue existing<br>species: Eucalyptus<br>maculata<br>Spotted gum                              | Two trees evenly spaced<br>between street lights,<br>with one only on the<br>northern end of the row<br>Look at opportunities to<br>plant a matching avenue<br>on the west side of the<br>road | Need species that will survive in<br>bitumen, give tall shade and not<br>interfere with street lighting |



The following tree species recommendations for the Highbury townsite are taken from the 2017 Highbury Townscape Plan which was prepared by H+H Architects and adopted by Council on 28 March 2018 and are considered suitable for local conditions and in keeping with the 2016 Narrogin Townscape Study Review streetscape recommendations.

| 1. Location:                       | Species recommendation  | Comments on site                |
|------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Burley St                          | Eucalyptus newbeyi<br>Eucalyptus tenera<br>Eucalyptus torquata<br>Callistemon viminalis<br>Eucky Dwarf (cultivar of leucoxylon)         | South Verge (under power lines) |
| North Verge (adjacent to footpath) | Eucalyptus leucoxylon subsp. Leucoxylon<br>Eucalyptus nicholii<br>Eucalyptus sideroxylon rosea or E.<br>tricarpa<br>Eucalyptus scoparia |                                 |



The recommendations below were documented on 31 July 2018 by Mr P White and Cr Clive Bartron of the Narrogin District Townscape Committee.

| Site  | Discussion points  | Suggestions   |
|---|--|---|
| West side of<br>Clayton rd.<br>oval, May St<br>entrance | Over the years, many trees have been lost from<br>around the oval, but there is an opportunity to plant<br>some either side of the May St. gates   | Species such as <i>Eucalyptus tricarpa</i> or <i>Corymbia</i><br>maculata   |
| Clayton Rd<br>from Narrakine<br>to Federal St           | Over the years, there have been many trees<br>removed from this street and it looks forlorn for a<br>major thoroughfare.   | Revisit the 2010 plan which had suggestions for tree planting   |
| Recreation<br>Centre parking<br>area                    | This is a major expanse of concrete and bitumen, roastingly hot in summer and bleak in winter.   | Consider planting deciduous tree, in conjunction with porous pavement, every third or fourth parking bay                        |
| Narrogin Library  | Whilst it would be good to keep some of the existing<br>trees, there are a number of factors weighing against<br>them e.g., the species are renowned for their stature,<br>there is likely to be considerable leaf / fruit drop, all<br>three trees show signs of previous pruning damage /<br>stem rot or mechanical weakness, their proximity to<br>buildings or other infrastructure. | Remove the three trees and replace with the correct<br>species in the proper location<br>Do not damage the <i>Arbutus unedo</i> |



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| Council Office<br>parking area –<br>east side of<br>buildings | This was a missed opportunity to demonstrate good streetscape practise. It should still be possible to retro fit the area with trees and porous concrete.  | <image/>   |
| Chicken Treat<br>grounds                                      | There is a small patch of ground to the east of the<br>Chicken Treat parking area and Fairway St.<br>(opposite the visitors centre). Whilst it is not council<br>land, previously there have been discussions about<br>some joint development of the site that would be of<br>benefit visitors as well as patrons.   | Explore the notion of a memorandum of<br>understanding with Chicken Treat and install shade<br>and picnic tables |
| Fairway St.<br>Pines  | The once proud line of <i>Pinus radiata</i> var. <i>binata</i> has<br>been reduced to one heritage listed tree – which is in<br>poor condition. The trees were an important part of<br>the landscape and early history and are likely to be<br>lost completely. However it is possible to collect and<br>propagate seed from the remaining tree and the<br>original row replanted. The wood from the remaining<br>tree could be salvaged and turned into furniture for<br>public venues, thus perpetuating the history and<br>memory of the plantings. | Collect seed and commence propagation work   |



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| Federal St              | There are a number of sites along Federal Street<br>between Egerton and Clayton Rd. where additional<br>trees could be planted.  | Suggest continuing the <i>Ulmus glabra</i> which can be seen outside the Duke bottleshop  |
| Federal St              | The section of Federal St between Fortune and<br>Egerton Streets was briefly discussed for tree<br>planting options. However even if nibs were<br>developed alongside the footpath, the presence of<br>shop verandahs would preclude successful tree<br>establishment  | The vista could be improved by painting the verandah / awning front and sides   |
| Railway parking<br>area | This was an example of a successful planting with a species that is the correct stature for the landscape position, planted at the correct distance apart  |   |
| Southern<br>roundabout  | Seedlings now planted and site mulched   | Follow on from this matter as an exercise in planning<br>for good plant establishment, plan the event well in<br>advance, order the plants in plenty of time for the<br>nursery to source the correct size root stock, plant at<br>the optimal time of the year |
| Northern<br>roundabout  | The question was raised if the site was suitable for<br>trees to be planted in the centre of the roundabout.<br>There would be few issues such as line of sight to<br>deal with, but the potential salinity / winter<br>waterlogging of the site would need to be<br>investigated.   | Discuss planting conditions and options with the MRWA. <i>Casuarina obesa</i> , <i>Melaleuca strobophylla</i> and <i>M. halmaturorum</i> may be suitable options  |
| Old nursery site        | Since the old nursery has been removed, it has left a<br>large expanse of nothingness at one of the main<br>entrances to town. It is uncertain who owns the<br>property or what the intention is for its development.<br>However it is at the entrance to town and represents<br>an opportunity to enhance the look of this part of<br>town. It could be a site for tree planting or public art<br>(or both) | Investigate site ownership and possibilities for site development   |



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| Town entrance /<br>artwork panels,<br>Makit Hardware | The Makit Hardware fence dominates the<br>streetscape at that end of town and makes for an<br>unattractive entrance to the town. Understandably<br>the proprietors may not want art work painted onto<br>their fence. However artwork could be applied to<br>large panels that could be attached to the wall and<br>removed when necessary without damage to the wall<br>or cost to the proprietors | Discuss options with Makit Hardware, table as<br>agenda item for Narrogin District Townscape<br>Committee, discuss as part of a Public Art strategy |
| Kipling street                                       | There are many gaps in the plantings from the outskirts of town to the roundabout   | Revisit 2010 suggestions, carry out inventory of<br>surviving trees and devise replacement plan for one<br>or both sides of the road                |
| Coles<br>carparks x 2                                | As with the Council carpark, both of these sites lack<br>adequate shade and attempts should be made to<br>increase vegetative cover in the parking area rather<br>than just around the edge   | Trial a planting based on this City of Fremantle example  |