

Southern Highlands Threatened Species - **Flora**



The Southern Highlands is home to an incredible variety of flora. Due to historic and current threats, several of these species are threatened under either the NSW *Biodiversity Conservation Act 2016* or the Federal *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*.

Below is a list of the threatened flora species found within the Southern Highlands. This list was exported from BioNet (2024). It is important to note, threatened species have associations with Plant Community Types (PCTs), meaning there could be other threatened flora species in the region that are associated with local PCTs that are not listed below.

Overtime, species currently not listed as threatened, may be added to this list as well.

Common Name	Scientific Name	NSW Status	Commonwealth Status
Bynoe's Wattle	<i>Acacia bynoeana</i>	Endangered	Vulnerable
Downy Wattle	<i>Acacia pubescens</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Dense Cord-rush	<i>Baloskion longipes</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Deane's Boronia	<i>Boronia deanei</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
	<i>Brachyscome mittagongensis</i>	Proposed	
Netted Bottle Brush	<i>Callistemon linearifolius</i>	Vulnerable	
Mauve Burr-daisy	<i>Calotis glandulosa</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Klaphake's Sedge	<i>Carex klaphakei</i>	Endangered	
Dwarf Kerrawang	<i>Commersonia prostrata</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Leafless Tongue Orchid	<i>Cryptostylis hunteriana</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Buttercup Doubletail	<i>Diuris aequalis</i>	Endangered	Vulnerable
	<i>Epacris purpurascens var. purpurascens</i>	Vulnerable	
Black Gum	<i>Eucalyptus aggregata</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Broad-leaved Sally	<i>Eucalyptus aquatica</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Camden White Gum	<i>Eucalyptus benthamii</i>	Critically Endangered	Vulnerable
Paddys River Box, Camden Woollybutt	<i>Eucalyptus macarthurii</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Tallong Midge Orchid	<i>Genoplesium plumosum</i>	Critically Endangered	Endangered
Wingecarribee Gentian	<i>Gentiana wingecarribiensis</i>	Critically Endangered	Endangered

Wingello Grevillea	<i>Grevillea molyneuxii</i>	Vulnerable	Endangered
Small-flower Grevillea	<i>Grevillea parviflora</i> <i>subsp. parviflora</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
	<i>Grevillea raybrownii</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Carrington Falls Grevillea	<i>Grevillea rivularis</i>	Critically Endangered	Critically Endangered
	<i>Helichrysum calvertianum</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Bundanoon Guinea Flower	<i>Hibbertia praemorsa</i>	Endangered	Endangered
	<i>Hibbertia puberula</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Illawarra Irene	<i>Irenepharsus trypherus</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Cabbage Kunzea	<i>Kunzea cabbagei</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Hoary Sunray	<i>Leucochrysum albicans</i> var. <i>tricolor</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Woronora Beard-heath	<i>Leucopogon exolasius</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Yellow Loosestrife	<i>Lysimachia vulgaris</i> var. <i>davurica</i>	Endangered	
Deane's Paperbark	<i>Melaleuca deanei</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Tall Knotweed	<i>Persicaria elatior</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Needle Geebung	<i>Persoonia acerosa</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Bargo Geebung	<i>Persoonia bargoensis</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Mittagong Geebung	<i>Persoonia glaucescens</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Hairy Geebung	<i>Persoonia hirsuta</i>	Endangered	Endangered
	<i>Persoonia mollis</i> <i>subsp. revoluta</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
	<i>Persoonia oxycoccoides</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Dwarf Phyllota	<i>Phyllota humifusa</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Brown Pomaderris	<i>Pomaderris brunnea</i>	Endangered	Vulnerable
Cotoneaster Pomaderris	<i>Pomaderris cotoneaster</i>	Endangered	Endangered
Silky Pomaderris	<i>Pomaderris sericea</i>	Endangered	Vulnerable
Carrington Falls Pomaderris	<i>Pomaderris walshii</i>	Critically Endangered	Critically Endangered
Slaty Leek Orchid	<i>Prasophyllum fuscum</i>	Critically Endangered	Vulnerable
Waterfall Greenhood	<i>Pterostylis pulchella</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
	<i>Pterostylis ventricosa</i>	Critically Endangered	
Prickly Bush-pea	<i>Pultenaea aristata</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable
Elusive Bush-pea	<i>Pultenaea elusa</i>	Critically Endangered	Endangered
	<i>Solanum armourense</i>	Endangered	

	<i>Solanum celatum</i>	Endangered	
Silky Swainson-pea	<i>Swainsona sericea</i>	Vulnerable	
Kangaloon Sun Orchid	<i>Thelymitra kangaloonica</i>	Critically Endangered	Critically Endangered
Swamp Everlasting	<i>Xerochrysum palustre</i>		Vulnerable
Velvet Zieria	<i>Zieria murphyi</i>	Vulnerable	Vulnerable