



Mini Submission - Land, Sky and Waters

Making a submission will help Yoorrook recommend changes to right the wrongs of the past and make a better shared future for everyone in this place we call home. You can answer as many questions as you like. Questions that require a response will be marked **(required)*.

There are three sections to this submission form:

PART A asks for basic information about you

PART B asks you to share your truths about Land, Sky and Waters

PART C asks about how you would like your information protected and used.

PART A: About you

Q1: Name?

Leave blank if you prefer not to say

Janice Muir nee Nicholls

Q2: Who is/are your mob/s?

Leave blank if you prefer not to say

Yorta Yorta Waddi Waddi Ngarindjeri

PART B: Truths

Q3: What does country mean to you?

My spirit my home my being
my identity



Q4: What has happened to your mob and to country because your land was taken?

My songline is disconnected! —

Q5: What are some examples of good practices or programs happening on country that could be adopted more widely?

There are best practices of land management happening in a contemporary times which is not acknowledged or recognised.

Q6: What changes to laws or attitudes about land, sky and waters would you like to see?

Law Reform in all aspects in relation to country. However it is essential that Aboriginal people have input into the legislation & have FRIG to any discussions. esp. Cultural Heritage Act. World Heritage listing.

Government's responsibility to maintain & look after country — eg not land banking

eg Foal animals — brushbees in the forest.

To groups when the song gets by eg Toalands