



NSW GOVERNMENT  
**Department of Planning**

### Information on Storm Damage

In response to the recent storm damage in New South Wales, the Heritage Office, Department of Planning has prepared a **Quick Guide to repairs to Heritage Items following disaster damage** that provides a starting point for repairs to heritage items. The guide includes some repair principles, practical information and information on approvals process. To download this Guide please click [here](#).

For further advice on repair of storm damage please contact the Heritage Officer or Heritage Advisor of your local Council.

### Local Council Contact List

LGA	Contacts
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In addition to the advice from Local Councils heritage advice is also available from the Heritage Office, Department of Planning through the following officers:

**Disaster Management Officer**

The Heritage Office, Department of Planning has appointed Rajeev Maini, Senior Heritage Officer as the Disaster Management Officer. Rajeev can be contacted on [Rajeev.maini@heritage.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Rajeev.maini@heritage.nsw.gov.au) or (02) 98738592.

**Technical Advice**

Elisha Long - Heritage Officers can assist with technical enquiries - please email her on [elisha.long@heritage.nsw.gov.au](mailto:elisha.long@heritage.nsw.gov.au). Available on the phone on Tuesday and Wednesdays only 9873 8595.

**Local government heritage advisor additional funding**

Additional \$ for \$ funding up to \$7,000 for additional heritage advisor or specialist heritage engineering advice (offer must be accepted and claimed by 30 December 2007). Please contact Miriam Stacy [miriam.stacy@heritage.nsw.gov.au](mailto:miriam.stacy@heritage.nsw.gov.au) if you would like to take up this offer or phone 9873 8576.

**Funding for emergency works through the special grants and loans program**

Applications can be made through the Special Grants and Loans for funding up to \$10,000 for emergency works. For an application form and eligibility criteria refer to [www.heritage.nsw.gov.au/funding](http://www.heritage.nsw.gov.au/funding). Please contact Miriam Stacy [miriam.stacy@heritage.nsw.gov.au](mailto:miriam.stacy@heritage.nsw.gov.au) if you would like further advice on this