

Nature Conservation (Closed Reserves) Declaration 2023 (No 1)

Notifiable instrument NI2023–247

made under the

Nature Conservation Act 2014, s 259 (Conservator may close reserve)

1 Name of instrument

This instrument is the *Nature Conservation (Closed Reserves) Declaration 2023 (No 1)*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 9 May 2023.

3 Declaration

I declare that public access to the reserves listed in column 1 of schedule 1 (the *closed reserves*) is prohibited during the corresponding closure times in column 2 of schedule 1.

4 Exceptions

Section 3 does not apply to:

- (a) a conservation officer exercising a function under the Act; or
- (b) a person accompanied by a conservation officer exercising a function under the Act; or
- (c) a contractor undertaking rabbit control work within the closed reserves and engaged by the ACT Government to do so.

5 Expiry

This instrument expires on 28 July 2023.

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Conservator of Flora and Fauna
7 May 2023

Schedule 1 Closed reserves and closure times

(see s 3)

column 1 closed reserve	column 2 times when public access is prohibited
Mount Ainslie Nature Reserve Mount Majura Nature Reserve	Beginning at 8:00 pm every Tuesday and Thursday and ending on the following day at 3:00 am – for the period beginning on Tuesday, 9 May 2023 and ending on Friday, 26 May 2023 only.
Mount Pleasant Nature Reserve Percival Hill Nature Reserve	Beginning at 8:00 pm every Tuesday and Thursday and ending on the following day at 3:00 am.