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NR Maps Making Life Easier for Territorians

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The Country Liberals Government is making life easier for Territorians, with the announcement the Natural Resource Maps have been improved and almost doubled in size.

Land Resource Management Minister Willem Westra van Holthe said the maps are an important tool to anyone looking to purchase or develop land in the Northern Territory.

“Today I’m announcing that we've almost doubled the number of maps available to the public from 260 to 500,” Minister Westra van Holthe said.

“This information is priceless and best of all - we’re providing it for free, at the simple click of a mouse.

“We've also significantly increased the available layers from 79 to 170 - with each layer offering specific information around soil, water and land use data.

“Anyone who has purchased land will know it’s important to be as informed as possible,” he said.

Natural Resource Maps also has information sourced from other government agencies, meaning users can find details around information including:

- Base data on land parcels, infrastructure and drainage
- Water resources data on bores, bore reports, aquifers and groundwater surveys
- Land Resource information on soil and land use
- Vegetation data, including information on weeds
- Flora and Fauna data on different species, threatened species and park boundaries

Users can also create their own maps with all of the relevant information.

The upgraded Natural Resource Maps can be found at nrmaps.nt.gov.au

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