

**Do NOT make Wombat national park keep it state forest please****Nicole Lipkin** to: veac@delwp.vic.gov.au

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Good afternoon,

My family and I live on the back of Brisbane Ranges national park and we love our home but it's such a shame we can't go for a walk in the park because no dogs are allowed in the ranges. A vegetarian environmentalist myself I understand there may be some places that need this level of protection. As someone who frequently goes to Wombat as a place to hike with the whole family including dogs where else will I go ? While the rest of the country and perhaps the rest of the world move towards sustainable use this would be a big back step for Victoria as far as people enjoying the outdoors while conserving ecosystems.

Thank you for your consideration,
Nicole

Sent from my iPhone