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## expert witness



Legal issues arise in development proposals or construction phases of projects where a resolution can be sought through court action. In such cases, an expert witness may be called by the court to help settle the matter.

### Our Services

Ecoscape has provided environmental science and landscape architecture expert testimony to a variety of urban development and mining matters.

### Our Approach

We understand that expert witnesses have a duty to assist the court on matters relevant to their area of expertise. Ecoscape is experienced in presenting expert testimony to the court following relevant court guidelines, including:

- application of code
- general duty to the court
- form of evidence
- expert conference.

### Our Experience

Examples of Ecoscape's experience in providing expert knowledge for legal matters include:

- State Administrative Tribunal, Narcom Holdings Pty Ltd and Western Australian Planning Commission
- State Administrative Tribunal, Auzcorp and City of Fremantle
- State Administrative Tribunal, State Solicitor's Office and Murray Lakes Estate
- Town Planning Appeal Tribunal, Cornell and Town of East Fremantle
- Wardens Court, Fortescue Metals Group (FMG)
- State Administrative Tribunal, Canal Rocks Pty Ltd and Shire of Busselton
- State Administrative Tribunal, Skiljan and Shire of Merredin
- State Administrative Tribunal, Zampatti and Shire of Busselton
- Supreme Court WA, Environmental Services North Yunderup, State Solicitor's Office
- Expert witness for various land compensation claims
- Expert witness for various vegetation conservation notices