

Australian White Ibis Census

Sunday 28th October 2012!



The Ibis Management Coordination Group is conducting its annual census again collaborating with the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage.

We need your help!

The Australian White Ibis is a protected native species that plays an important role in their natural wetland habitat. However, drought and inland water management issues have contributed to the ibis shifting to urban areas where they have found plentiful food, particularly at waste landfills. As a result, urban ibis populations have exploded over the last two decades. They are now often perceived as a 'pest' because of their nuisance value, risk to aviation safety, and impact on biodiversity.

Your participation in this survey will aid the long term conservation and effective management of Australian White Ibis by providing a better understanding of their distribution and abundance throughout Australia.



**If you see an Australian White Ibis on
Sunday 28th October 2012 go to
www.ecosure.com.au and complete
an ibis census datasheet!**

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