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<p>Australia's guide to environmentally sustainable homes  <a href="http://yourhome.gov.au/">http://yourhome.gov.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Gardening</b>                      Sustainable Gardening Australia  <a href="http://www.sgaonline.org.au/">http://www.sgaonline.org.au/</a></p>
<p>Create your best home; healthy, efficient, comfortable and connected to community  <a href="http://www.liveability.com.au/">http://www.liveability.com.au/</a></p>	<p><b>LED lighting</b>                      Lighting Council of Australia LED lighting buyers guide  <a href="http://www.lightingcouncil.com.au/files/LED%20Buyers%20Guide_2015.pdf">http://www.lightingcouncil.com.au/files/LED%20Buyers%20Guide_2015.pdf</a></p>
<p><b>Low Carbon Guides</b>                      Best practice guides to constructing, renovating and occupying homes using low carbon approaches.  <a href="http://builtbetter.org/lowcarbonguides">http://builtbetter.org/lowcarbonguides</a></p>	<p><b>Buy recycled</b>  <a href="https://www.cleanup.org.au/buyrecycled">https://www.cleanup.org.au/buyrecycled</a></p>
<p>Sustainability made stylish  <a href="http://www.treehugger.com/about/">http://www.treehugger.com/about/</a></p>	<p><b>Secondary dwellings</b>                      Tweed Shire Council's <a href="#">Development Control Plan (DCP) Section A1 Part A</a> and <a href="#">Local Environment Plan</a> contain the rules and regulations for Granny Flats.                      Granny flats can also be designed and built using green building principles. For ideas, check out the <a href="#">Winning Community Design (1.15mB PDF)</a> from the 2014 'Ultimate Green Granny Flat' Competition.  <a href="http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/DesigningAHome">http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/DesigningAHome</a></p>
<p>1 million women: building a movement of women and girls taking on climate change through the way we live.  <a href="http://www.1millionwomen.com.au/">http://www.1millionwomen.com.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Solar hot water</b>                      A solar hot water system consists of a water storage tank, and a gas or electric booster. With the installation costs these systems are a significant purchase, but the longer term savings are huge, with your electricity or gas bills for heating water being slashed by 65 to 80 per cent.  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-energy.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-energy.htm</a></p>
<p>Get more life out of less carbon  <a href="http://shrinkthatfootprint.com/">http://shrinkthatfootprint.com/</a></p>	<p><b>Solar power</b>  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-energy.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-energy.htm</a></p>
<p>Choose products and services that benefit the environment  <a href="http://otter.org.au/">http://otter.org.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Solar finance</b>  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-finance-options.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-finance-options.htm</a></p>
<p>Tips and information on how to make your lifestyle more resource-efficient  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/index.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/index.htm</a></p>	<p><b>Battery storage</b>  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-battery-storage.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/solar-battery-storage.htm</a></p>

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<p>Read the latest articles from sustainability magazine ReNew  <a href="http://renew.org.au/">http://renew.org.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Waste</b>                      Waste and recycling information for Tweed residents  <a href="http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/Waste">http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/Waste</a></p>
<p>Products, services, businesses, events, campaigns, blogs and more... website and apps  <a href="http://ecodirectory.com.au/">http://ecodirectory.com.au/</a></p>	<p>Find out what waste-wise programs are happening across Northern NSW and how you can get involved  <a href="http://www.newaste.org.au/">http://www.newaste.org.au/</a></p>
<p>Explore actions that save power, water, money and help fight climate change  <a href="http://www.mygreenlife.com.au/">http://www.mygreenlife.com.au/</a></p>	<p>Business advice and assistance to become waste-wise – free program supported by North East Waste and Tweed Shire Council  <a href="http://www.wastewarriors.com.au/">http://www.wastewarriors.com.au/</a></p>
<p>Sustainable ways of living, creating and doing business  <a href="http://sustahood.com/">http://sustahood.com/</a></p>	<p><b>E-waste reuse and recycling</b>  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/sortmurbah">https://www.facebook.com/sortmurbah</a></p>
<p><b>My Green Australia</b>                      An open environment to talk about living greener and healthier in Australia  <a href="http://www.mygreenaustralia.com/">http://www.mygreenaustralia.com/</a></p>	<p>Don't dump it – recycle it! Find out where to recycle certain items  <a href="http://recyclingnearyou.com.au/">http://recyclingnearyou.com.au/</a></p>
<p><b>Street Coolers</b>                      Reducing the environmental impact of urban houses  <a href="http://www.streetcoolers.com.au/">http://www.streetcoolers.com.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Rainwater tanks</b>  <a href="http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/RainwaterTanks">http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/RainwaterTanks</a>  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/rainwater-tanks.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/rainwater-tanks.htm</a></p>
<p><b>The Fifth Estate</b>                      Business newspaper for the sustainable built environment and the people and issues that surround it.  <a href="http://www.thefifthestate.com.au">http://www.thefifthestate.com.au</a></p>	<p><b>Water efficiency</b>  <a href="http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/Target170">http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/Target170</a>  <a href="http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/saving-water.htm">http://www.environment.nsw.gov.au/households/saving-water.htm</a></p>
<p><b>Green Lifestyle Mag</b>                      Promoting simple and sustainable living, the Green Lifestyle Magazine blog provides practical, positive and evidence-based solutions to green living.  <a href="http://www.greenlifestylemag.com.au/">http://www.greenlifestylemag.com.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Composting Toilets</b>                      Learn about on-site sewage management and the requirements for installing systems  <a href="http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/OnSiteSewage">http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/OnSiteSewage</a></p>
<p><b>Ethical consumer guide</b>  <a href="http://www.ethical.org.au/">http://www.ethical.org.au/</a></p>	<p><b>Energy efficiency</b>                      Information about appliance energy ratings:  <a href="http://www.energyrating.gov.au/">http://www.energyrating.gov.au/</a></p>
<p><b>Pip Magazine</b>                      An Australian permaculture resource about sustainable living.  <a href="https://www.pipmagazine.com.au/">https://www.pipmagazine.com.au/</a></p>	

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<p><b>ABC Life</b></p> <p><b>YouTube Climate Changers Playlist</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLkUMHIW9QAu9YsUZk5IAAYBT2eXo4Cwe_">https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLkUMHIW9QAu9YsUZk5IAAYBT2eXo4Cwe_</a></p>	

**Must see TV and movies:**

2040: [www.whatsyour2040.com](http://www.whatsyour2040.com)

David Attenborough: A Life on Our Planet | Netflix

War on Waste: ABC iview

Fight for Planet A: Our Climate Challenge | ABC iview

Big Weather (and how to survive it) | ABC iview

