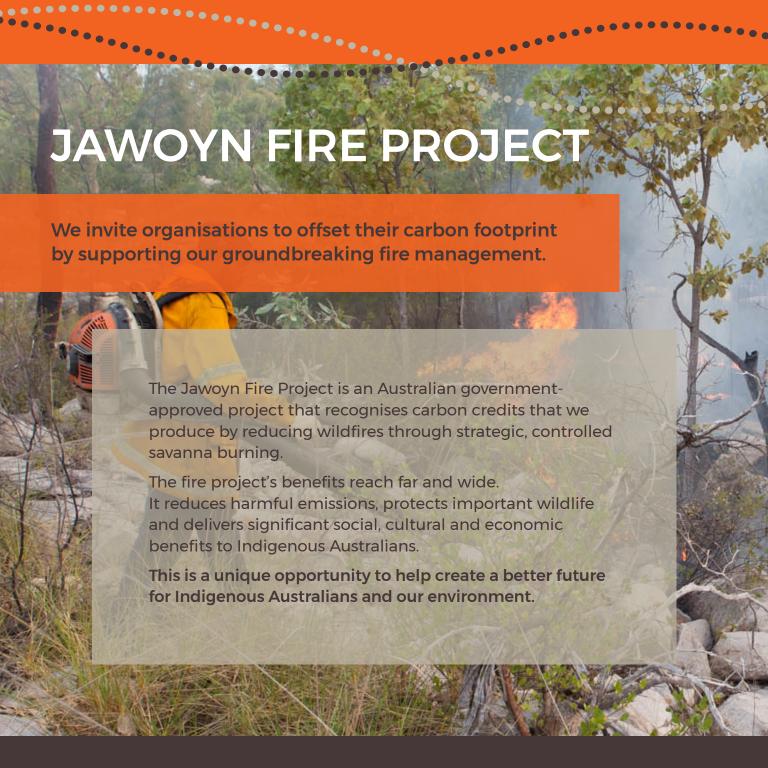
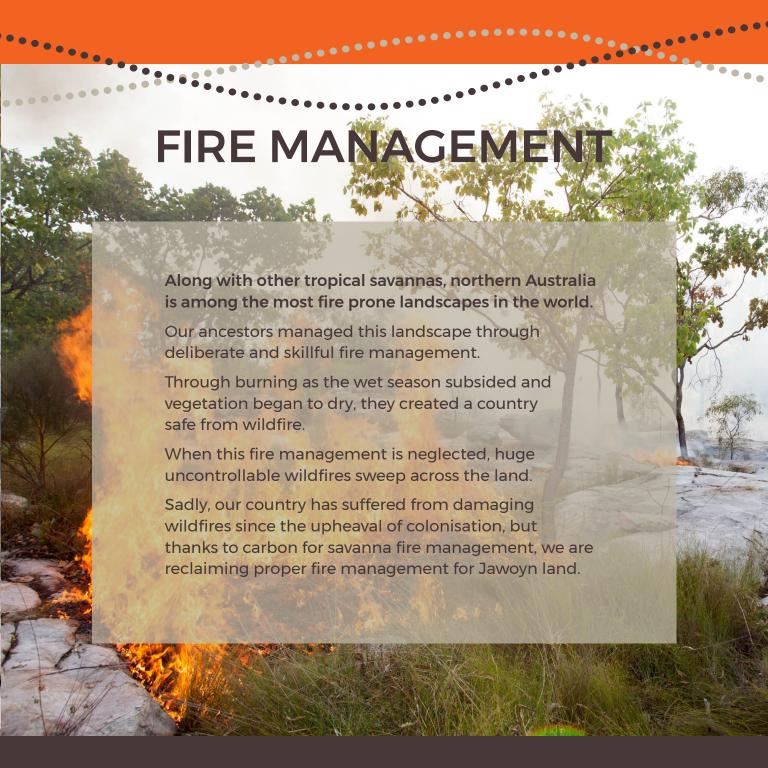
JAWOYN FIRE PROJECT









OUR WORK

Today, we employ the same techniques as our ancestors - burning areas in the early dry season to reduce wildfires and refresh country.

But we also use the latest in modern technology to plan and strategically manage fire.

Our rangers conduct aerial and on-ground burning to prevent late season wildfires and reduce overall carbon emissions.







THE METHODOLOGY

Jawoyn were an early participant in carbon economy.

Together with four other Arnhem Land ranger groups - Wardekken, Mimal, Djelk and Ardjamarlarl - we contributed to the successful West Arnhem Land Fire Abatement (WALFA) project, which pioneered the savanna burning approach to emissions reduction.

From 2006, we worked with scientists and landowners across Arnhem Land to determine how traditional fire management reduces uncontrollable wildfires and cuts greenhouse gas emissions.

The Australian Federal Government's Carbon Farming Initiative (CFI) recognised our approach to early dry season savanna burning and approved a methodology to calculate carbon credits.

Since then, the success of the partnership has seen it expand across our region. It is transforming fire management, preserving the environmental and land, creating employment and improving people's lives.

READ MORE

http://www.cleanenergyregulator.gov.au/DocumentAssets/ Documents/A%20guide%20to%20the%20emissions%20abatement%20through%20savanna%20fire%20management%20method%202015.pdf

OUR OFFSETS

We offer a certified environmental offsets service that enables individuals and organisations to offset carbon emissions from their activities and events

Our clients first need to understand the carbon footprint of their business or lifestyle

They can use simple calculators to estimate their footprint or choose rigorous accounting under national carbon offset standards (NCOS)

Once clients have a clear understanding of their carbon footprint, we are able to match it with an offset to neutralise their carbon emissions.

On behalf of the buyer, we voluntarily cancel their required volume of Australian Carbon Credit Units (ACCUs) under Part 6 of the Australian National Registry of Emissions Units Act 2011.

The credits are permanently cancelled and formally count towards Australia's emission reduction targets

The Jawoyn Association issues a certificate to the purchaser outlining their official offset.



READ MORE

http://www.environment.gov.au/climate-change/government/carbon-neutral/ncos



