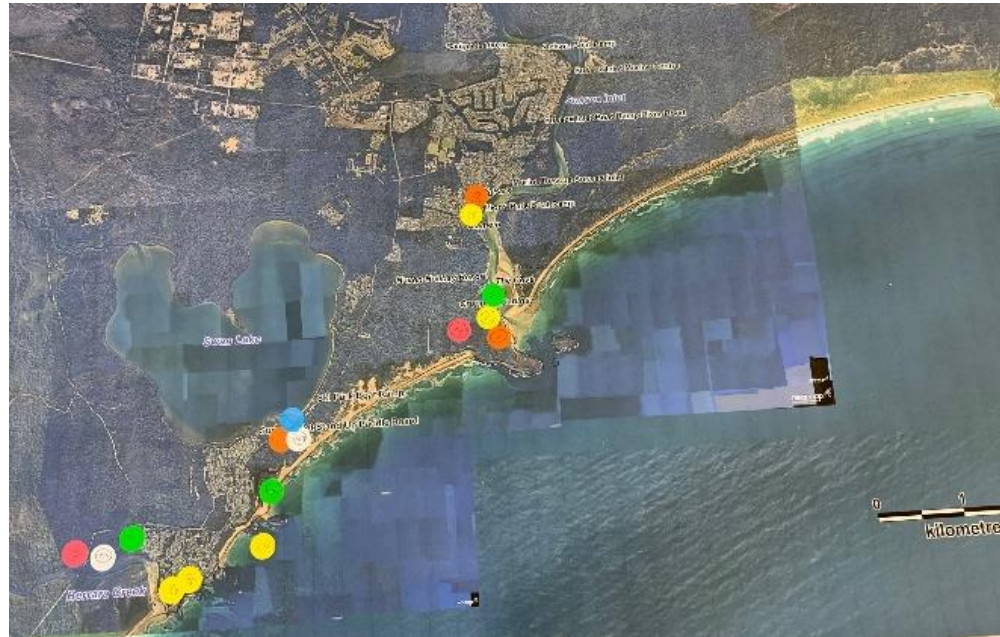


### CMP Consultation

Throughout Stage 2 of the Sussex Inlet, St Georges Basin, Swan Lake and Berrara Creek Coastal Management Programs (CMP), the local community has identified key issues and ideas to be included in the CMP. Two community workshops were held in March 2022, one in Erowal Bay focussing on St Georges Basin, and the other at Sussex Inlet focussing on Sussex Inlet, Swan Lake and Berrara Creek. As well as the workshops, an online survey using the "Place Tool" platform was undertaken between March and May 2022, where community members were able to pin locations of key management issues and provide suggested actions.

The Sussex Inlet, St Georges Basin, Swan Lake and Berrara Creek Coastal Management Programs (CMP) are now progressing through to Stage 3. In this stage, our project team has developed a list of potential management actions for consideration in each CMP.

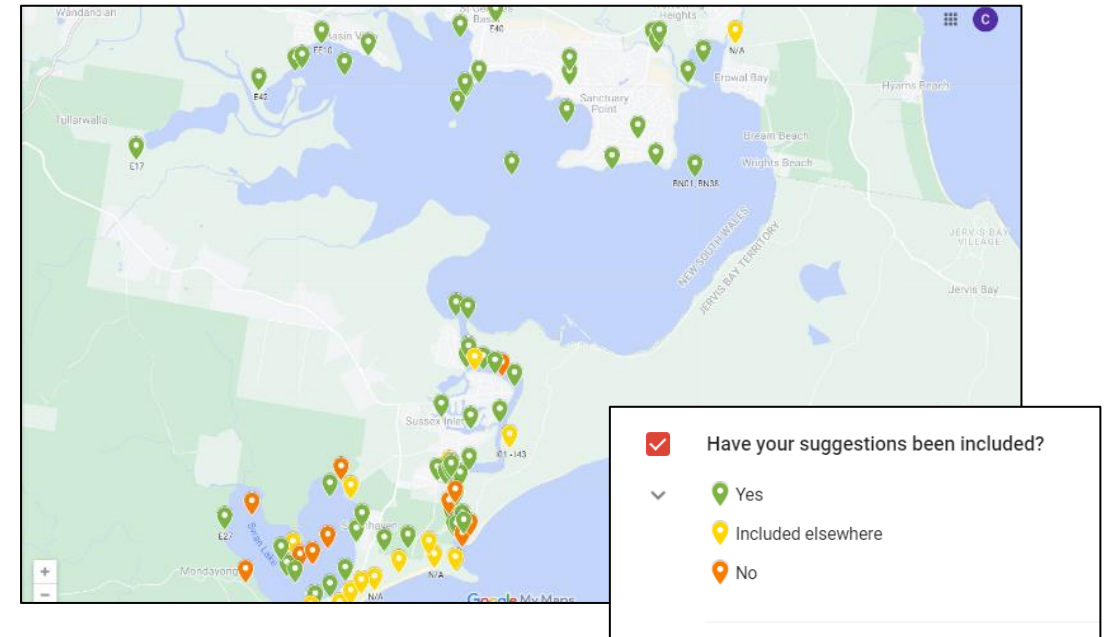
This Factsheet summarises what the project team have heard from the community, and how these issues have been considered in formulating potential management actions for the CMP.



### What we have heard so far

Over 120 suggestions and issues have been received from the community during Stage 2 of the CMP. These suggestions have been incorporated into the list of Potential Management Actions.

Click on the [map](#) below to explore these in detail.



### What potential management actions can we include in the CMP?

Key issues and opportunities based on feedback from the community workshops have been summarised in the tables below. These issues and opportunities identified by the community, together with issues and opportunities identified by responsible Agencies, through detailed studies undertaken for the CMP, and a detailed Risk Assessment, have helped us formulate draft potential management actions to include in the CMP. Actions included have been highlighted in green, actions covered elsewhere in yellow and actions that we have not included in red, with comments on each.





Location	Map Reference	Category	Your Comment	Ideas/opportunities	Included?	Comment	Action reference
Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-01	Cultural and social	No Dog off leash here please, protect the shore habitat for native animals	Provide fenced dog off leash area at a reserve in town, - Lion's Park?	Included elsew here	Other actions have been suggested to develop community educational material (including signs) and continue the Shorebird Recovery Program. Provision of dog off-leash areas is addressed in other Council policies and plans. Refer to Council's Access Areas for Dogs Policy for further information at <a href="https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas">https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas</a>	N/A
Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-02	Cultural and social	I don't think better access is required. there is a walking track from the road. Coastal areas suffer from over-human-population and erosion and dogs - there is a lot of beach areas in Sussex, Cudmirrah and Berrara and the beaches are not highly activated. it's not necessary to open up this area - leave it as undisturbed as possible, for local native animal habitat	Keep access informal and minimal	Included elsew here	Accessways to beaches along the Open Coast are addressed in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP	N/A
Sussex Inlet - Cudmirrah	SU-01	Cultural and social	Surfers here frequently leave dogs off leash while they surf. It's confronting and potentially dangerous for other beach users as the dogs can be protective of the space. Also threatening to shorebird and natural habitats.	Signage at the carpark. Is there some way to provide poles they could tie the dogs up to when out surfing? Rangers could include this location sometimes?	Included elsew here	Other actions have been suggested to develop community educational material (including signs) and continue the Shorebird Recovery Program. Restrictions on dog activity to be considered elsew here. Refer to Council's Access Areas for Dogs Policy for further information at <a href="https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas">https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas</a>	N/A
Sussex Inlet - Lions Park	SU-02	Cultural and social	Potential dog off leash area?	required to keep off-leash dogs off beaches and inlets as much as possible	Included elsew here	Provision of dog off-leash areas is addressed in other Council policies and plans. Refer to Council's Access Areas for Dogs Policy for further information at <a href="https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas">https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas</a>	N/A
St Georges Basin	SGB-01	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Rename St Georges Basin to acknowledge Traditional Owners	None provided	No	This issue is not within the scope of the CMP. However, the CMP includes a potential estuary-wide action to engage with the Jerrinja and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop a cultural educational and awareness program. Discussions to be held with Jerrinja regarding the use of Aboriginal names to refer to the estuaries within the CMP and CMP educational materials	EW-C05
St Georges Basin	SGB-02	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Jerrinja owned land	None provided	Yes	Acknowledging the Jerrinja ownership of and connection to this area will be included in the CMP as part of a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries, but also specifically at the identified location at the islands offshore from Island Point at St Georges Basin.	EW-C05, C06, E29





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Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-03	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: • Damage to midden at Cudmirrah	Restrict access over midden, use signage	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at beaches, headlands and sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures. In addition, there is an action to update mapping of culturally significant areas so that a specific management plan for each site can be developed for the protection and preservation of these sites.	EW-C05, EW-C07, C03, C05, C06
Berrara Creek	B-01	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Damage to axe grooves	Use signs, general information	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures. In addition, there is an action to update mapping of culturally significant areas so that a specific management plan for each site can be developed for the protection and preservation of these sites.	EW-C05, EW-C07, C03, C05, C06
Sussex Inlet	SU-03	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Share Aboriginal Stories	Local information	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at beaches, headlands and sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures.	EW-C05, C03, C05, C06
Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-04	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Four-wheel drive vehicles threatening sand dunes. Illegal off-roading taking place from southern portion of Swan Lake towards Cudmirrah Beach.	Educate and enforce fines for those breaking the rules.	Included elsewhere	Actions controlling access to coastal dunes are covered in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP; however, there are actions relating to the need to control 4WD impacts and access at Tullarwalla Inlet and St Georges Basin	C11, FE17
Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-05	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Threat to local ecology and natural landscapes due to potential re-start of sand mine.	Provide a greater level of protection through signage and enforcing fines and penalties.	Yes	There is an action to review and document ecological values of the St Georges Basin area, as well as review Council's DCP and LEP in light of potential future development pressures and cumulative impacts, where necessary update DCP and/or LEP controls	E31



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Swan Lake	SW-06	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Mining threat at the bed of Swan Lake.	Create management plans to alleviate mining threat. Clearer and more transparent roles, functions and responsibility of different government agencies/bodies and organisations.	Included elsew here	There is an action in the CMP to improve communication and coordination between responsible Government Agencies. This action involves an assessment of the effectiveness of existing communication protocols between stakeholders, responsible agencies and community representatives via the Coastal and Estuary Management Committee, and update protocols if necessary. There is an action to review and document ecological values of the St Georges Basin area, as well as review Council's DCP and LEP in light of potential future development pressures and cumulative impacts, where necessary update DCP and/or LEP controls	EW-C02, E31
Sussex Inlet	SU-04	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Illegal fishing activities taking place around all sites.	Education around illegal fishing impacts and illegal fishing practices. Small undersized fish and cockles are at risk.	Included elsew here	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. NSW DPI-Fisheries' advise that their data indicates there is no issue with overfishing in Swan Lake. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-05	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Lack of education around the rules of the various areas.	None provided	Yes	This suggestion has been incorporated in the potential management actions as part of Stage 3 of the CMP, as part of a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-06	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Illegal clearing of wetlands and disturbance of middens – e.g. signs have been removed/vandalised.	None provided	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures. In addition, there is an action to update mapping of culturally significant areas so that a specific management plan for each site can be developed for the protection and preservation of these sites.	EW-C05, EW-C07, C03, C05, C06
Sussex Inlet	SU-07	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: More places for kids to fish, away from boats	Need to access funding and have help driving the process	Yes	A specific action to investigate provision of recreational fishing platforms along Sussex Inlet foreshore has been included	C02



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Sussex Inlet	SU-08	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Need to engage more with traditional owners	Engage more with Traditional Owners	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures. In addition, there is an action to update mapping of culturally significant areas so that a specific management plan for each site can be developed for the protection and preservation of these sites.	EW-C05, EW-C07, C03, C05, C06
Berrara Creek	B-02	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Lack of knowledge of important cultural/indigenous sites	More signage and education	Yes	There is a general action across all the estuaries in the CMP to engage with the Jerrinja Tribe and Local Aboriginal Land Council to develop and roll out a cultural educational and awareness program related to the coastal zone. The program would be led by the Local Aboriginal Land Council and the local Traditional Owners. This would include signage at sensitive sites, in addition to other educational measures.	
Sussex Inlet	SU-09	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Excessive number of visitors blocking fire trails and access and parking for local residents	'No Parking/Camping' signs, education	Included elsewhere	Actions relating to maintaining access to areas in the National Park are the responsibility of NSW National Parks. Actions relating to parking are not within the scope of the CMP. However, the CMP includes a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-10	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: People want to be able to walk along waterfront near entrance but cannot because of fallen trees	Extend pathway up and around to allow people to walk along	Yes	Investigate provision of foreshore access between The Haven and Alamein, in conjunction with managing erosion and slope instability	C01
Berrara Creek	B-03	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: 4WD driving and camping on beach (and at Berrara)	Electricity company has put gate on	Included elsewhere	Actions controlling access to coastal dunes are covered in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP. However, there are actions relating to the need to control 4WD impacts and access at Tullarwalla Inlet and St Georges Basin	C11, FE17
Swan Lake	SW-07	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: Water skiing on Swan lake	Better controls needed	Included elsewhere	Existing controls are in place to limit conflict between water skiers and swimmers, and the impact of water skiing on bank erosion. Transport for NSW boating maps illustrate these exclusion areas, and provide a caution that Black swans and other bird life live on Swan Lake, asking that boaters slow down when operating vessels near bird life. Signage at the boat ramp warning of this may be warranted.	EW-C01, EW-BN03
Swan Lake	SW-08	Cultural and social	Workshop Comment: The Medlyn Entrance to Swan Lake is a safer swimming area for IG – boats shouldn't be allowed to moor	None provided	Yes	Existing controls are in place to limit conflict between power boats and swimmers. Marking a formalised swimming area with buoys similar to that at Errol Bond Reserve could be considered, as part of an estuary-wide assessment	EW-BN01



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St Georges Basin	SGB-03	Ecological environment	Hydrographic Survey as part of the Management Plan	Suggest a biennial hydrographic survey of the extents of the basin to determine movement of silting, position and stability of FADs, close to shore depths for navigation, and potential submerged objects. This will help in the ongoing management of the health of the basin, its viability as a tourist destination, the safety of all users and the health of the marine community.	Yes	Targeted surveys have been suggested for parts of The Basin where identified for navigation purposes. Accurate ongoing survey information would also be needed for Sussex Inlet to assess navigability and as part of detailed investigations into the feasibility of dredging,  Where foreshore erosion has been documented, Council has RTK-GPS equipment to enable surveys to be carried out quickly and efficiently to help document the erosion and inform the design of remediation works.	BN04, BN08, BN11, EW-E05
St Georges Basin	SGB-04	Ecological environment	These 2 St Georges Basin islands I understand are Jerrinja Aboriginal land. Pied Oystercatchers also nest on both. People on watercraft often visit these islands and are unaware of this and also bring along dogs.	Interpretative signage detailing the aboriginal connection and information on the oystercatcher breeding season would be useful. Perhaps suggesting that people don't land during the breeding season to respect the birds, and especially no dogs on the islands.	Yes	This action will be included in the CMP as part of a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries.	EW-C01, EW-C05, E29
Sussex Inlet - Badgee Lagoon	SU-11	Ecological environment	Large scale unauthorised clearing and vandalism of riparian corridors along Badgee foreshores including trees and shrubs, coastal saltmarshes and mangroves -that perform a range of important estuarine and habitat environmental functions - this illegal activity is common along the riverfront - council alerted, but no action	Protection, Revegetation , Education and monitoring	Yes	Community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Swan Lake	SW-09	Ecological environment	Concerned that if we open access to the lake here people will bring dogs - negative impacts to wildlife - although it seems a small area, dogs are not leashed and may impact a large area	restrict access	Yes	Access to this area is managed by NSW National Parks. Dogs are not permitted in National Parks, however, there is an action to address feral animal controls and perhaps provide fencing to restrict access for feral animals	E19
Berrara Creek	B-04	Ecological environment	Tree clearing - damage to local ecology - reduction of habitat	Targeted education programs/flyers to residents along this strip. Fines. Local residents foreshore working group/volunteer group?	Yes	Community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02





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Berrara Creek	B-05	Ecological environment	Trees being removed/not replaced all along this strip to the headland. loss of habitat. Only a few years ago this was a cliff topped by trees and you could see the chalets behind the trees, now the chalets are front and centre with only a few trees remaining. It's degrading the beauty of the inlet as well as destroying habitat.	Replanting program - local volunteer working party? Adjacent landowner to take responsibility for tree management and preservation.	Yes	Community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Berrara Creek	B-06	Ecological environment	Dogs consistently off leash in this area.	increase signage, including educational signage	Included elsewhere here	Other actions have been suggested to develop community educational material (including signs) and continue the Shorebird Recovery Program. Restrictions on dog activity to be considered elsewhere. Refer to Council's Access Areas for Dogs Policy for further information at <a href="https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas">https://www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/For-Residents/Pets-Animals/Dog-Off-leash-Prohibited-Areas</a>	N/A
Swan Lake	SW-10	Ecological environment	Dogs frequently off leash in this area	Please increase signage and educational signage at the carpark. - here and at eastern end of beach access point - Hoffman Drive.	Included elsewhere here	Dogs are not permitted to be brought into the National Park, this area and issue is managed by NSW National Parks.	N/A
Sussex Inlet	SU-12	Ecological environment	There's a lot of fireweed taking over on this hillside.	Correctional Services working parties? - we use these workers at the sportsgrounds sometimes.	Yes	Coastal vegetation management is addressed in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP, although a general action for maintenance of reserves, weeding and community participation has been provided.	E14, E23, E32
Swan Lake	SW-11	Ecological environment	Dog on leash signage & educational signage required here - dogs frequently off leash in the inlet area where there's a population of endangered shorebirds.	signage	Yes	Council to address signage within Council's Dogs on Beaches Policy. General educational signage on shorebirds to be provided as a general action across the estuaries where shorebird nesting sites are known to exist. Continuation of and provision of resources for the South Coast Shorebird Recovery Program is also included in the CMP actions.	E24, EW-E04
Berrara Creek	B-07	Ecological environment	dogs entering inlet from Berrara Cove Beach	No dog signage at tip of headland to alert dog walkers not to enter inlet	Yes	There is an action to exclude public access to the southern side of the inlet during nesting season for shorebirds. As part of this action, there is a need to coordinate with NSW National Parks to provide required signage. Continuation of and provision of resources for the South Coast Shorebird Recovery Program is also included in the CMP actions.	E24, EW-E04



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St Georges Basin	SGB-05	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Tomerong Creek illegal removal of trees/vegetation making urban areas more susceptible to erosion	Education and management of foreshores (e.g., no-mow zones for saltmarsh, signage, no illegal structure, cameras to catch illegal vegetation removal (enforcing compliance), replanting, bush care groups, encourage bush care groups, encourage participation through local networks	Yes	Community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
St Georges Basin	SGB-06	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Important wildlife corridors north of the Basin	None provided	Yes	Action included to review Council's Local Environment Plan and Development Control Plan to ensure that wildlife corridors and connectivity between conservation areas is maintained	E30, E31
St Georges Basin	SGB-07	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Loss of stingray environment	None provided	Yes	There is an action to review and document ecological values of the St Georges Basin area, as well as review Council's DCP and LEP in light of potential future development pressures and cumulative impacts, where necessary update DCP and/or LEP controls	E31
St Georges Basin	SGB-08	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Zone of ecological significance, Weed growth out of control	None provided	Yes	There is an action to implement weed control and other restoration measures in line with the South East Bushfire affected coastal waterways recovery plan. There is also a broader estuary-wide action to implement environment protection works to enhance ecological communities in coastal reserves within the CMP Study Area.	E32, EW-E06
St Georges Basin	SGB-09	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Identification of National Park	None provided	No	Provision of signage to identify areas as National Park is not within the scope of the CMP.	N/A
St Georges Basin	SGB-10	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Shore bird nesting site. Dogs' landing. Disrupting site	None provided	Yes	This potential action is being presented for the CMP as part of a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries, but also specifically at the identified location at the islands offshore from Island Point at St Georges Basin.	E29, EW-C01
St Georges Basin	SGB-11	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Important ecological environment	Recognition of sensitivity of area Rigorous analysis of reports prepared by developer Better analysis of consideration of cumulative impacts of development Rezone from rural to conservation	Yes	There is an action to review and document ecological values of the St Georges Basin area, as well as review Council's DCP and LEP in light of potential future development pressures and cumulative impacts, where necessary update DCP and/or LEP controls	E31





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Swan Lake	SW-12	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Impact on shorebird breeding area (summer) Decline in bird numbers in Swan Lake – need to find out why	Environmental impact of boating on bird numbers – research project on aquatic vegetation Look at recreational vs commercial fishing and significance to area	Yes	The CMP includes an action item to undertake a research project, potentially in conjunction with a university, to understand what if any changes to the ecology of the lake have occurred and the likely causes	E18
Swan Lake	SW-13	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Impact of professional fishing methods on birds	Limit boat access to sensitive areas	Included elsewhere	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. NSW DPI-Fisheries' advise that their data indicates there is no issue with overfishing in Swan Lake. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-13	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Illegal vandalism and unauthorised clearing of trees.	Enforcement of fines, penalties and to educate locals about the impact of vandalism and unauthorised clearing of trees	Yes	There is an action to improve community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Swan Lake	SW-14	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Sand dunes are at risk of being eroded due to illegal activities taking place.	Rezone land from Rural to Environmental Protection to protect natural habitat. Educate beach goers about the importance of vegetation and natural landscapes. Interpretative signage should be erected as well as enforcement of fines and penalties	Included elsewhere	Actions regarding education and revegetation of coastal dunes are covered in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP	N/A
Swan Lake	SW-15	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Endangered and critically endangered species at threat around Swan Lake entrance.	Educate locals and issue heavy penalties and fines. Enforce compliance action.	Yes	General educational signage on shorebirds to be provided as a general action across the estuaries where shorebird nesting sites are known to exist. Continuation of and provision of resources for the South Coast Shorebird Recovery Program is also included in the CMP actions.	E24, EW-E04
Berrara Creek	B-08	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Educate locals and issue heavy penalties and fines. Enforce compliance action.	Educate locals and issue heavy penalties and fines. Enforce compliance action.	Yes	There is an action to exclude public access to the southern side of the inlet during nesting season for shorebirds. As part of this action, there is a need to coordinate with NSW National Parks to provide required signage. Continuation of and provision of resources for the South Coast Shorebird Recovery Program is also included in the CMP actions.	E24, EW-E04



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Swan Lake	SW-16	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Pressure on fish stocks in Swan Lake due to professional fishermen	Better management via quotas and restricted/sanctuary zone (NW corner is good)	Included elsewhere	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. NSW DPI-Fisheries' advise that their data indicates there is no issue with overfishing in Swan Lake. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	N/A
Swan Lake	SW-17	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Perception of a decline in bird life e.g. swans	Better management of boats close to foreshore & better policing /signage	Yes	The CMP includes an action item to undertake a research project, potentially in conjunction with a university, to understand what if any changes to the ecology of the lake have occurred and the likely causes	E18
Berrara Creek	B-09	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Shellfish decline on coastal rock shelves	None provided	Included elsewhere	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues, including on the importance of shellfish and signage e.g. around boat ramps, is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	EW-C01
Berrara Creek	B-10	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: North Berrara Creek Headland – Madeira Vine Bitou bush infestation – Banksias are smothered and in decline	None provided	Yes	Coastal vegetation management is addressed in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP; although a general action for maintenance of reserves, weeding and community participation has been provided.	E14, E23, E32
Swan Lake	SW-18	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Illegal opening of Swan Lake	More education: more signage (and in multiple languages), social media posts to engage younger community, education tourists/holiday goers (Airbnb, other accommodation) with flyers already in houses/rooms and/or part of T&C's	Yes	A review of the Swan Lake Entrance Management Policy has been undertaken in the CMP, which has recommended targeted community education including for holidaymakers, signage, regular patrols, enforcement by Council, Crown Lands and DPI-Fisheries.	E15, EW-C01
Berrara Creek	B-11	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Lack of access to Fishermans Rock due to fires and natural disasters	Ongoing maintenance	No	This issue is not within the scope of the CMP.	N/A
Sussex Inlet	SU-14	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Pontoons in Sussex Inlet landing on the banks causing erosion and damaging aquatic vegetation	Education (business owners and users), offer dedicated 'landing' areas on the banks (potentially a dedicated jetty for pontoons), dedicated mooring locations	Yes	There is an action to support the implementation of the Marine Estate Management Strategy (MEMS) Domestic Foreshore Structure Strategy through the promotion of and reference to the strategy through the provision of planning advice and via Council's website	BN23
Swan Lake	SW-19	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Fish netting across Swan Lake	Get Fisheries to review	Included elsewhere	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues, including on allowable netting practices and signage e.g. around boat ramps, is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	EW-C01



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Swan Lake	SW-20	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Commercial fishing in Swan Lake and illegal trawling offshore	Get Fisheries to review/enforce	Included elsewhere here	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues, including on allowable netting practices and signage e.g. around boat ramps, is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	N/A
Sussex Inlet	SU-15	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Seagrass – amount has decreased in this area	None provided	Yes	Updated ecological surveys and monitoring to investigate seagrass health	E28
Sussex Inlet	SU-16	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Overfishing at Sussex Inlet – Shells	More fisheries compliance and understanding of catch limits needed	No	Actions relating to fishing compliance are the responsibility of NSW DPI Fisheries. However, development of effective educational material including videos and fact sheets describing local coastal and estuary issues, including on the importance of shellfish and signage e.g. around boat ramps, is a key potential action to be included across all the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-17	Ecological environment	Workshop Comment: Bitou bush invading mangroves, widespread but particular issue in this area	None provided	Yes	A general action for maintenance of reserves, weeding and community participation through landcare/bushcare has been provided.	E14, E23, E32
St Georges Basin	SGB-12	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Development near foreshore potentially contributing to runoff	Want to understand if this is contributing to runoff and impacts	Yes	There is an action to enforce erosion and sediment control from development sites around St Georges Basin, and restrict access by off-road vehicles to the foreshore of Tullarwalla Inlet with bollards to reduce the risk of sedimentation to the estuary.	FE16, FE17
Berrara Creek	B-12	Erosion	People are clearing plants and removing the understory of twigs and sticks along this shoreline, tidying up i think, to improve presentation of the foreshore for tourists? I'm concerned about loss of habitat. - all the way along this strip	education / fines / signage	Yes	Community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Sussex Inlet	SU-18	Erosion	There's a creek running along track and a great deal of erosion developing on the track from carpark down to rock platform - as people move off the track when wet and create new tracks through the bush (track becomes the creek).	walking bridges along the path to keep people on the track in wet conditions / formalise another track on higher ground?	Included elsewhere here	Accessways to beaches and within headlands along the Open Coast are addressed in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP	N/A
Sussex Inlet	SU-19	Erosion	Buggy tracks through here - from the surf club?	liaise with club?	Included elsewhere here	Accessways to beaches along the Open Coast are addressed in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP	N/A
St Georges Basin	SGB-13	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion along Tomerong Creek	Review of Blue Book	Yes	Actions have been included to manage bank erosion at this location, and a general action to update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	FE16, WQ05, WQ08





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St Georges Basin	SGB-14	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Basin Walking Track (between Paradise Beach South and Palm Beach) erosion and land runoff	Redesign of tracks to cope with extreme weather events	Yes	Action has been included to explore opportunities to connect missing links in foreshore walk around St Georges Basin by investigating the feasibility of provision of boardwalk below high water mark, strategic acquisition, need for access to easements for utilities etc. The action includes review of the design of the Basin Walk to make more resilient against erosion	C07, C08
St Georges Basin	SGB-15	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Foreshore damage around Sanctuary Point shoreline	None provided	Yes	Actions have been included to mitigate foreshore erosion, including at Sanctuary Point	FE07, FE12
St Georges Basin	SGB-16	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Development site: erosion and deposition	Siltation Trap GPT	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16
St Georges Basin	SGB-17	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Development site: erosion and deposition	None provided	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16
Berrara Creek	B-13	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion along north foreshore of Berrara Creek – canoes, watercraft on foreshore, damage to vegetation	Look at canoe storage, some form of bank protection e.g. Revegetation – Siltation	Yes	There is an action included to provide a dedicated storage area for non-powered craft to reduce erosion damage to the banks caused by ad-hoc storage of water craft.	BN26



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Sussex Inlet	SU-20	Erosion	Workshop Comment: In relation to erosion issues, further studies need to be undertaken of the sites, more frequently. Problems need to be reported as well as a plan to fix the problems. Research vegetation being vandalised and destroyed illegally	Refer to CCB report submission.	Yes	The CMP has included a comprehensive erosion study of all the foreshore areas in the estuaries, as part of Stage 2, with actions assigned for specific sites. These studies would be updated as part of the regular 10-year reporting cycle for the CMP. There is an action to improve community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	EW-C01, EW-C04, EW-E02, EW-E06, EW-FE02
Sussex Inlet	SU-21	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion issues resulting from illegal and unauthorised clearing of trees	Replant, revegetate and protect the trees and vegetation around these areas.	Yes	There is an action to improve community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Swan Lake	SW-21	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Destruction of vegetation along the foreshore areas of Swan Lake.	Enforcement of fines and educate locals about the impacts of destruction of the vegetation around this area.	Yes	There is an action to improve community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Swan Lake	SW-22	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Vandalism and destruction of vegetation, particularly in Swan Haven region. Erosion along Lake Drive, along Swan Lake.	Refer to CCB report submission	Yes	There is an action to improve community education, implementation and enforcement of Council's Tree and Vegetation Vandalism Policy, replanting of targeted areas, better protection of significant ecological zones and maintaining no-mow zones, wildlife corridors and habitats.	FE11, E05, E06, E07, E26, E27, E33, EW-E02
Berrara Creek	B-14	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Berrara Headland erosion and inundation issues.	None provided	Included elsewhere here	Actions to address erosion and geotechnical hazards on the open coast are within the scope of the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP. Actions to address erosion along Berrara Creek are included in the CMP	FE32, FE33, FE34, FE36, FE37, FE38
Sussex Inlet	SU-22	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion due to retaining wall having been taken down.	None provided	Yes	This area is undergoing erosion mainly due to large scale natural changes occurring in the estuary channel. Integrated foreshore protection is required that considers long-term channel evolution and tidal flows. A long term strategy is needed that defines foreshore access locations and best practice foreshore protection options developed with a consideration of long-term channel evolution/tidal flows.	FE23
Swan Lake	SW-23	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion of fire-trails resulting in sediment flowing into the lake/creek – Goonawarra Drive	None provided	No	The fire trails within the National Park are managed by NSW National Parks; action to discuss this issue with NSW National Parks.	EW-C02
Sussex Inlet	SU-23	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Retaining wall through Sussex Inlet is not being maintained, now leading to foreshore erosion. Hazards (e.g., fallen trees) are having to be removed by locals	Remove retaining wall, plant dune vegetation to naturally strengthen the banks/sand dunes	Yes	There is an action to reconstruct/maintain failed sections of timber toe protection wall, Use of large woody debris/brush matting sourced from collapsing vegetation at the site to provide protection to the toe of the slope, brush matting/dune fencing to stabilise upper slope	FE25



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Swan Lake - Cudmirrah	SW-24	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion of access stairs at Cudmirrah and people taking alternate routes (i.e., walking through vegetation)	Repair and strengthen stairs, divert run off elsew here	Included elsew here	Actions controlling access to coastal dunes are covered in the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP.	N/A
Berrara Creek	B-15	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion of access stairs at Berrara Creek and erosion upstream leaving hazards (i.e., fallen trees) around	Repair and strengthen stairs, divert run off elsew here, planting around foreshore, natural retaining wall (e.g., rocks)	Yes	Beach nourishment/beach scraping to protect the bank in this area. Replacement of sand at the toe of the slope, management actions to address stormwater runoff and improve foreshore vegetation management, upgrade of the access track	F36
Berrara Creek	B-16	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion near houses/parking at Berrara Cove	None provided	Included elsew here	Actions to address erosion and geotechnical hazards on the open coast are within the scope of the Open Coast and Jervis Bay CMP. Actions to address erosion along Berrara Creek are included in the CMP	FE32, FE33, FE34, FE36, FE37, FE38
Sussex Inlet	SU-24	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Following recent events, erosion is even worse Navigation marker sitting on sand Sand has moved with recent event	Replace signs – hard to put in fencing	Yes	Several actions have been proposed to improve erosion along this foreshore. These include use of large woody debris/brush matting sourced from collapsing vegetation at the site to provide protection to the toe of the slope, brush matting/dune fencing to stabilise upper slope, reconstruct/maintain failed sections of timber toe protection wall. In addition, replacing the navigation signs damaged by erosion, using deeper footings so that signs can be more resilient.	FE24, FE25
Sussex Inlet	SU-25	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Alamein – Erosion/Dune	Planting some vegetation	Yes	Several actions have been proposed to improve erosion along this foreshore. These include use of large woody debris/brush matting sourced from collapsing vegetation at the site to provide protection to the toe of the slope, brush matting/dune fencing to stabilise upper slope. At Alamein, there is a need to consider whether erosion protection works are required, to clean up the informal protection currently installed, improve the foreshore habitat and allow continued access to existing registered moorings in this area	BN40, FE24, FE25, FE27
Berrara Creek	B-17	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion around ramp/foreshore	None provided	Yes	Erosion around the Berrara boat ramp is to be addressed by providing formalised storage areas for kayaks, and limiting access to non-powered craft only. In addition, improving stormwater drainage in the existing ramp area to reduce erosion.	FE38
Sussex Inlet	SU-26	Erosion	Workshop Comment: Erosion around Lyons Park retaining wall	Needs to be rebuilt	Yes	Repairs to the seawall, undermined fish-cleaning table and provision of wash-down facilities	FE22





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St Georges Basin	SGB-18	Inundation and sea level rise	Workshop Comment: One of the more affected areas by sea level rise	None provided	Yes	There are actions included in the CMP around tidal inundation and sea level rise that apply to affected areas, including emergency asset assessments for Council assets with a strategic plan of assessment based on priority, auditing water and sewer infrastructure and upgrade where needed, and implementation of findings of the St Georges Basin Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan.	I01, I02, I03, EW-I01
Sussex Inlet	SU-27	Inundation and sea level rise	Workshop Comment: Lack of stormwater infrastructure. Flooding issues through entire region.	None provided	Included elsewhere	Stormwater and flooding management issues relating to rainfall and catchment flooding will be outlined in the St Georges Basin Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan. There are CMP actions relating to coastal and tidal inundation throughout the region.	EW-I01, EW-I02
Swan Lake	SW-25	Inundation and sea level rise	Workshop Comment: Sea levels are coming near the top of Swan Lake Bridge	Replace/upgrade bridge	Yes	There is an action to consider impact of future inundation levels on bridge when bridge is due to be replaced. This needs to consider bank erosion and ecology of the inlet	I15
Sussex Inlet	SU-28	Inundation and sea level rise	Workshop Comment: Flooding inundation (covers other issues identified including erosion)	None provided	Included elsewhere	Stormwater and flooding management issues relating to rainfall and catchment flooding will be outlined in the St Georges Basin Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan. There are CMP actions relating to coastal and tidal inundation throughout the region.	EW-I01, EW-I02
Sussex Inlet	SU-29	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: The Ralph Lucas sign is wrong – it should say Chris Creek	Move the RL sign	No	This is not a matter for the CMP, however enquiry can be made with TfNSW to update the sign	N/A
Swan Lake	SW-26	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Dyball reserve boat ramp issue – illegal use of boat ramp. Rated for passive watercraft only, however, power boats/motorised vessels being operated (i.e. jet-skis).	None provided	Yes	There is an action included on monitoring and enforcement of unauthorised use of this ramp by motorised craft	BN28
Sussex Inlet - Edgewater Ave	SU-30	Navigation and safety	Changes could be made to the boat ramp at this location.	boat ramp is steep and cramped, it is also too shallow to put the boat in. there is a lack of parking and no access to the boat once on the water.  deepen the canal and some type of platform too allow access to the boat once put in.	Yes	This boat ramp is not suitable for powered craft, due to the issues described. A potential action is to designate this ramp for non-powered craft only, and investigate potential improvements to the nearby Lions Park boat ramp to improve boating access. Other actions include investigating the effect of the gabions weir on sedimentation in the canal, and investigating the feasibility of deepening this canal to improve access for existing moorings.	BN09, BN10, BN20
Sussex Inlet	SU-31	Navigation and safety	Tide flows fast here and makes boat entry & exit challenging.	Provide improved wharf at another more protected location	Yes	Actions have been included to investigate the provision of on-ramp pontoons at the Lions Park ramp, and upgrade facilities at Nielson Lane ramp which is more sheltered and subject to lower tidal currents	BN17, BN22



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Sussex Inlet	SU-32	Navigation and safety	Improvements could be made to the Bar to allow for safer navigation when exiting and entering via boat	deepen and re-enforce the channel	No	Deepening the bar is not feasible due to this being a very dynamic area; the bar will quickly reform if it is dredged. There are actions included in the CMP to investigate the feasibility of dredging of parts of the navigation channel to improve navigability through the Sussex Inlet entrance, and related actions to improve safety if vessels need to cross the bar. One potential action is to investigate the feasibility of providing a new boat ramp on the seaward side of the bar, to provide deep water access without the need to navigate the bar.	BN12, BN13, BN14, BN15, BN16
St Georges Basin	SGB-19	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Tomerong Creek safety issues – power boats, no speed limit signs	Banning/impeding power boats in low impact activity areas, speed limits	Yes	Actions have been included to reduce speed limit within Tomerong Creek and potentially restrict access to power boats in sensitive areas e.g. Berrara Creek, Tomerong Creek	BN41
St Georges Basin	SGB-20	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: St Georges Basin Boat Ramp pier/pontoon erosion and weather damage	Better design of jetty/pontoon	Yes	An action is included to investigate re-design and replacement of pontoon with one that can provide adequate protection against southerly winds	BN34
St Georges Basin	SGB-21	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Basin View Boat Ramp algae is a safety issue (very slippery), no cleaning of it	None provided	Yes	Actions have been included to improve safety at Basin View Boat Ramp, including the potential to install an on-ramp pontoon. Cleaning of the ramp should be undertaken as part of Council's asset management regime for the site	BN35
St Georges Basin	SGB-22	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Navigation and safety	More/increase navigational aids	Yes	Need for more/improved navigation aids has been identified at the entrance to Wandandian Creek and at the St Georges Basin end of Sussex Inlet (the "Goal Posts")	BN01, BN36
Sussex Inlet	SU-33	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Insufficient lighting	More lights for nav-aids	Yes	There is an action to provide lights on all navigation aids in Sussex Inlet	BN02
Berrara Creek	B-18	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Conflict between powered craft users & non-powered craft users e.g. Jet skis	Limit use to non-powered craft	Yes	There is an action to designate the existing boat access point in Berrara Creek for non-powered craft only, except for emergency use	BN25
Swan Lake	SW-27	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Boat ramp/facilities Swan Lake	Look at double ramp, ramp extension	Yes	The CMP includes a potential action to investigate the upgrade of this ramp, including an assessment of the integrity of the surface of this ramp and extending it to allow for launching of vessels when water levels are low	BN29
Sussex Inlet	SU-34	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Boat ramp facilities – Lions Park and all ramps – public access from reserve to foreshore	None provided	Yes	There is a potential action to repair erosion damage to this area and improve facilities at local boat ramps	BN17, FE22
Sussex Inlet	SU-35	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Kayak facilities – Cater Cres.	None provided	Yes	There is an action to maintain this ramp at minimum standard and designate it for use by non-powered craft; with the potential to provide kayak launching facilities	BN21



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Sussex Inlet	SU-36	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Neilson Lane boat ramp is very slippery and has previously been known to cause injury due to slips, trips and falls.	None provided	Yes	Actions have been included to improve safety at Nielson Lane Boat Ramp, including investigating the feasibility of an upgrade of the ramp and carpark by providing on-ramp pontoon, additional lane, investigating extending the carpark and providing line markings. Cleaning of the ramp should be undertaken as part of Council's asset management regime for the site	BN22
Sussex Inlet	SU-37	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: General attitudinal issue around all areas – lack of regard to rules. Residents also parking illegally in visitor spots.	None provided	No	Actions relating to parking are not within the scope of the CMP. However, there is scope to improve parking at some of the boat ramps including Lions Park and Nielson Lane. There is an action included in the CMP for a broader education program around cultural, social and environmental issues throughout the estuaries.	EW-C01
Sussex Inlet	SU-38	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Boat ramps in a poor state throughout	Needs upgrade	Yes	Specific boat ramps have been identified in the study area that would benefit from an upgrade or modifications to improve safety, as part of the Boating and Navigation Study undertaken in Stage 2. These include Lions Park, Nielson Lane, Seacrest, Swan Lake Ski Beach, Wrights Beach, St Georges Basin	EW-BN01
Swan Lake	SW-28	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Swan Lake Bridge structure not adequate	Consider bridge replacement/upgrade as part of the CMP – must consider all waterways and nearby roads as well	Yes	There is an action to consider impact of future inundation levels on bridge when bridge is due to be replaced. This needs to consider bank erosion and ecology of the inlet	I15
Sussex Inlet	SU-39	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Bar – too shallow, variable channel depth	Not much to do – dredging work Education for people crossing the bar Knowing and sticking to the speed limits	Yes	Deepening the bar is not feasible due to this being a very dynamic area; the bar will quickly reform if it is dredged. There are actions included in the CMP to investigate the feasibility of dredging of parts of the navigation channel to improve navigability through the Sussex Inlet entrance, and related actions to improve safety if vessels need to cross the bar. One potential action is to investigate the feasibility of providing a new boat ramp on the seaward side of the bar, to provide deep water access without the need to navigate the bar.	EW-BN02
Sussex Inlet	SU-40	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: People driving boats too fast at 6 knots	Reduce speed back down to 4 knots	No	Speed limits within the estuaries are the responsibility of Transport for NSW. The need to reduce speed limits has been flagged for certain locations within the estuary where boat wakes are contributing to erosion. Boat wakes will only have a minor impact on erosion at this location, with erosion mainly the result of channel meandering and slope instability	N/A
Swan Lake	SW-29	Navigation and safety	Workshop Comment: Hemes has sea plane landing on Swan Lake – is this impacting the wildlife?	None provided	Yes	The CMP includes an action item to undertake a research project, potentially in conjunction with a university, to understand what if any changes to the ecology of the lake have occurred and the likely causes	E18





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St Georges Basin	SGB-23	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Siltation and sedimentation partially due to upstream development	More extensive efforts to prevent siltation from development areas	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16
St Georges Basin	SGB-24	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Siltation around Boathaven Boat Ramp due to storm runoff	More effective erosion/siltation management	Yes	Actions have been included to manage bank erosion at this location	FE05
St Georges Basin	SGB-25	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Insufficient drainage planning and control of storm water throughout Sanctuary Point	None provided	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16
St Georges Basin	SGB-26	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Erowal Bay highly sensitive to upstream development due to lack of flushing in area	None provided	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16



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St Georges Basin	SGB-27	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Water Quality	Clearly defined monitoring locations Transparent monitoring program Testing water quality after storm episodes Siltation trap GPT – gross polluted trap	Yes	There is an action to review Council's existing Water Quality Monitoring Program (including event monitoring), and to review and where necessary upgrade or retrofit erosion and sediment controls. Identification of key development sites as root cause of sediment inputs, and more stringent regulation. As part of the Stage 2 studies for the CMP, suggested locations for GPTs have been investigated, and there is an action to implement sediment controls on catchment development, bank erosion protection measures, and review and update Council's Development Control Plan where necessary to ensure adequate soil erosion controls are applied during development	WQ02, WQ05, WQ08, FE16
St Georges Basin	SGB-28	Water quality	Workshop Comment: water quality issues	None provided	Yes	Continuation of NSW DPE Estuary Health Monitoring Program on approximately 3 year basis; Revised Council water quality program - including estuary health monitoring and swimming suitability. Sanitary inspections, event sampling to understand pollutant inputs, investigation of events (e.g. fish kills) on an as-needs basis. Continued publication of water quality results on Council website via Aquadata.	WQ02
Swan Lake	SW-30	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Swan Lake – is water quality improving or declining	Analyse water quality	Yes	Continuation of NSW DPE Estuary Health Monitoring Program on approximately 3 year basis; Revised Council water quality program - including estuary health monitoring and swimming suitability. Sanitary inspections, event sampling to understand pollutant inputs, investigation of events (e.g. fish kills) on an as-needs basis. Continued publication of water quality results on Council website via Aquadata.	WQ03
Sussex Inlet	SU-41	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Sewerage issue during peak storm events degrading water quality and having adverse impact on health.	None provided	Yes	Continuation of NSW DPE Estuary Health Monitoring Program on approximately 3 year basis; Revised Council water quality program - including estuary health monitoring and swimming suitability. Sanitary inspections, event sampling to understand pollutant inputs, investigation of events (e.g. fish kills) on an as-needs basis. Continued publication of water quality results on Council website via Aquadata.	WQ04
Berrara Creek	B-19	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Water quality in Berrara Creek not as good as other water bodies?	Has sewer got anything to do with it?	Yes	Continuation of NSW DPE Estuary Health Monitoring Program on approximately 3 year basis; Revised Council water quality program - including estuary health monitoring and swimming suitability. Sanitary inspections, event sampling to understand pollutant inputs, investigation of events (e.g. fish kills) on an as-needs basis. Continued publication of water quality results on Council website via Aquadata.	WQ01



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Swan Lake	SW-31	Water quality	Workshop Comment: Monitoring of Conjola Regional Sewage System	None provided	Included elsewhere	Council monitoring of the sewerage system is undertaken under Council's and Shoalhaven Water's internal asset maintenance regime	N/A
Berrara Creek	B-20	Water quality	Workshop Comment: No risk mitigation for inundation of Berrara Creek Chlorine Treatment Plant	Develop emergency plans	Yes	Emergency management of Council's water infrastructure is undertaken under Council's internal asset maintenance regime. Actions relating to asset management of inundation/erosion hazards at specific Council assets have been recommended as part of Stage 2 of the CMP.	EW-WQ02
Swan Lake	SW-32	Water quality	Workshop Comment: • Concern around water quality: Feel trees are dying, swans/coots have disappeared, water plants are dying off, fisherman report that only small amounts of weed left	None provided	Yes	The CMP includes an action item to undertake a research project, potentially in conjunction with a university, to understand what if any changes to the ecology of the lake have occurred and the likely causes	E18