



Frequently Asked Questions for the Coastal Management Plan (CMP) Part 1

Why is the City producing a Coastal Management Plan?

The City of Wanneroo's coastline extends 39 kilometres from Tamala Park to Two Rocks and provides an excellent environment for residents to enjoy recreational activities and natural areas. As the City's population continues to grow and more of the City's residents utilise the coast, so too will the need for a consolidated Coastal Management Plan.

The City's draft Coastal Management Plan (CMP) Part 1 details existing assets and facilities and identifies a number of issues along the City's coastline. It also discusses potential ways identified issues can be resolved.

How can I comment on any of the issues raised in the CMP Part 1?

- You can fill out a questionnaire online.
- You can attend a sausage sizzle and complete a questionnaire (times and dates below).
- You can attend the Wanneroo Show 25 & 26 November, visit the CMP Part 1 display, and complete a survey.
- You can collect a hard copy questionnaire from one of the City's libraries and return it to Council offices.
- You can post comments on the City's facebook page.
- You can discuss the CMP Part 1 with members of the community in an online forum.

Sausage Sizzle times, dates and locations.

Sunday 6 November // 8am-11am

Yanchep dog beach Brazier Road

Sunday 11 December // 8am-11am

Quinns dog beach Camira Way

Wednesday 14 December // 11am-2pm

The Spot Two Rocks Road

Sunday 18 December // 8am-11am

Two Rocks dog beach Leemans Landing



Do I have to fill out a questionnaire to make formal submission, or can I submit my own comments?

We would recommend you complete a questionnaire as these are the specific issues that the City is seeking comment on. The questionnaire provides a section at the back for you to provide any further comments you may have.

What do I do if I want to discuss an issue but I don't want to make a formal submission?

You are able to post comments and questions on an online forum that can be found on the City's website. These will not be considered formal submissions but it gives you the opportunity to discuss the draft CMP with other community members.

How do I get a hard copy questionnaire?

Questionnaires are available to be filled out online and this saves you returning it to the City. If you require a hardcopy questionnaire you can contact the City or visit one of the City's libraries and request a hard copy questionnaire.

How can I get a hard copy of the CMP Part 1?

The CMP is available to download from the City's website. A hard copy of the CMP can be viewed at Council Offices or at any of the City's libraries.

What does the CMP mean for me?

The Coastal Management Plan Part 1 identifies the current coastal situation and proposes ways in which known issues can be resolved. The comments submitted by the community during the consultation period will be collated and summarised to ensure that Council make informed decisions in Part 2. By having your say on Part 1 of the CMP you are able to inform the City on what you would like to see happen along our coast in the future.

Am I gaining/losing something or is there something I now can/can't do?

Part 1 of the CMP only identifies the current coastal situation and proposes ways in which known issues can be resolved. Part 1 doesn't implement any changes along the coastline. Upon conclusion of the consultation period the City will collate and analyse the submissions received and use the results to guide the decisions made in Part 2.

Why is the CMP written in two parts?

- Part 1 of the CMP focuses on detailing existing coastal facilities and assets and identifying what the community would like to see happen along the City's coastline in the future.
- Part 2 takes into account community views; opinions and suggestions received during public consultation of Part 1 and uses these to inform the decisions made in regards to future coastal uses.



What recommendations are made in the draft CMP Part 1?

- **RECOMMENDATION 1:** By 2015, establish a dog beach of 500m at North Alkimos.
- **RECOMMENDATION 2:** By 2024, establish a dog beach of 500m at Eglinton.
- **RECOMMENDATION 3:** By 2031, extend the future dog beach at Eglinton by 500m.
- **RECOMMENDATION 4:** Undertake a feasibility assessment to establish a horse beach within the City of Wanneroo at either Tamala Park or North Alkimos.

Are the recommendations made in the plan going to be implemented?

The recommendations put forward by Council are not guaranteed to be implemented. The CMP proposes a number of recommendations for issues raised within the Plan. The City is seeking feedback on the recommendations and issues put forward in the Plan to ensure the City is making informed decisions in regards to the future of the coastline.

Why isn't the issue of dog waste on the dog beaches addressed in Part 1?

Part 1 is aimed at identifying the major issues along the City's coastline and discusses potential ways in which known issues can be resolved. The current management regimes and how they can be improved upon will be investigated and discussed in Part 2.

Will there be adequate facilities built with the dog and horse beaches? I.e. rubbish bins, dog poo bags, toilets etc.

The provisions required with the implementation of additional dog or horse beaches will be addressed in Part 2 of the CMP.

Why is the City of Joondalup closing their horse beach?

The City of Joondalup feels that the horse exercise area was no longer appropriate in an urban setting.

Will there definitely be a horse beach in the City of Wanneroo?

The City will undertake a feasibility study into the establishment of a horse beach within the City; however, the City cannot guarantee its implementation.



Are any of the tourism ideas put forward in the plan or suggested through submissions going to be implemented?

The City is always looking for new tourism initiatives and all of the ideas and suggestions put forward in the questionnaire will be investigated in terms of costing and feasibility. However the City can make no guarantees that any of the proposed or suggested initiatives will be implemented.

When will decisions be made based on submissions received during consultation?

Decisions for the future of the City's coastline will be made in Part 2 of the CMP.