

CLEAVERVILLE FORESHORE MANAGEMENT PLAN - SCHEDULE OF SUBMISSIONS

Summary of Comments Received	Officer Response	Officer Recommendation
1. Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions – Parks and Wildlife		
1.1. Supports the closure of the northern beach during nesting season and increased signage. DBCA welcomes future collaborative opportunities through the West Pilbara Turtle Program to continue turtle monitoring on Cleaverville and other City of Karratha tenure beaches (e.g. Wickham Boat Beach) to inform FMP objectives.	Noted. Officers will continue to liaise with DBCA officers involved with the West Pilbara Turtle Program to inform Cleaverville FMP and other FMP objectives.	No change to the document. Closure already provided within the FMP.
1.2. Welcomes measures to mitigate feral animal impacts, though notes no mitigation measures in the FMP.	The City already undertakes a program to trap feral animals within the City, including Cleaverville, with the caretaker managing this role during season.	No change to the document. Separate program provided by Ranger Services for whole City.
1.3. Welcomes closure of unnecessary tracks and associated dune rehabilitation.	Noted. Supports the planned works within the FMP.	No change to the document.
1.4. Minor terminology and grammatical changes requested.	Terminology related to the old Department of Parks and Wildlife will be amended to reflect DBCA name change. Minor grammatical change noted - 'hawksbill' not 'hawkesbill' turtle.	Changes requested have been included within the Foreshore Management Plan in Sections 2.2.3 and 3.1.6.
2. Ngarluma Aboriginal Corporation		
2.1 Generally supportive of the plan and additional signage. Would like to consider NAC ranger program in the area in future.	An Indigenous Ranger program could assist with and enhance the aims and objectives of the FMP once implemented by NAC. NAC Ranger program could be included in future versions of plan once established, and implement works.	No change to the document. MOU with NAC could be considered once ranger program established.
3. Clinton Walker – Local indigenous tourism business operator		
3.1 Generally supportive of plan and would like to investigate future cultural camping.	Noted. Officers will continue to liaise with Mr Walker and investigate opportunities for cultural camping in the area.	No change to document.
3.2 Recommended permanent closure of the northern beach, not just during turtle season.	Officers discussed this proposal with DBCA who recommended no permanent closure of the beach to vehicles at this time. The condition of the beach and the access arrangements will continue to be monitored.	No change to the document.