

Marine Park: Encounter Marine Park (MP15) – PART C

Note: these comments should be read in conjunction with the feedback map.

Zone	Comment number (or colour)	Comment
J	J1 (purple) – Member	Would rather that the eastern boundary of sanctuary zone be brought in 1nm to leave the "Flat Irons" available for fishing.
K	K1 (blue) – Member	No comments for this zone, other that it would be a good place for schools to run field trips and be involved in monitoring.
L	L1 (yellow) – Member	Monitoring opportunities for schools. Environmental and storm water discharge is an issue. Would be good to focus attention on Inman river. Perhaps garfishing issues.
M	Member	Pullen Island is used by fisherman in small vessels.
N	N1 (red) – Members	Remove zone.
	N2 (orange) – Member	Reduce the seaward boundary by approximately 6 km.
	N3 (blue) - Member	Accept the initial DENR proposal as it is.
	N4 (pink) - Member	Extends 300 m from the Goolwa Barrage, from Hindmarsh Island and extending over the beach.
	Member	Impacts on marine scale and Lakes & Coorong fishery. Important to protect approach. Having the channel out of the sanctuary zone doesn't help the C&L fishers, as they don't fish within the channel.

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		Impacts of this zone on recreational harvest of cocklers are not acceptable.
	Member	The channel is not a stationary environment.
	Gallery	Fishways have a 150m buffer, plus Lakes & Coorong fishery have volunteered an additional 150m.
	Member	Zones have been added from the EMPP, there was no marine park inside the Murray Mouth.
	Gallery	That there should be commensurate management action in relation to pipi harvest, in that the reduction in catch area should be reflected in a reduction in take.
	Gallery	Remove zones from mud flats adjacent to the channel. Lakes & Coorong fishery doesn't accept zones inside the Coorong.
	1 (blue) – Member	A zone should exist over the Murray Mouth extending 500 m either side and out to sea.
	2 (pink) – Member	A zone should be in the Mundoo channel from Hunters Creek to the Mundoo Barrage.
О	O1 (orange) - Member	Reduce zone O on Younghusband Peninsula side back to just include the bays.
	O2 (blue) – Member	Extends over the Coorong bays and the Younghusband Peninsula out to State waters (in conjunction with removing zone P).
	Gallery	Lakes & Coorong fishery doesn't accept zones inside the Coorong.
	Member	Local boat sales will suffer if there is a sanctuary zone, and Goolwa traders will also suffer .
	Member	That is impossible to evaluate the impact on biodiversity in a dynamic environment such as the Coorong estuary.

	Member	That there are issues with the current water management, and fisheries management in this area.
P	P1 (blue) – Member	Same size and location as the initial DENR proposal but reduce the shoreline extent by half, to allow for shore fishing and extraction.
	P2 (red) – Member	Remove zone P, and replace with the alternative O2.
	P3 (orange) – Member	Reduce the initial DENR proposal by half of the shoreline extent, and have only half of the remaining extent overlaying the beach.
	Gallery	80% of the commercial pipi comes out of 40km of beach, which 10km of sanctuary zone would be equal to 20% of the commercial catch.