## OPEN SPACE STRATEGY

### **Douglas Shire Council**

The open space strategy provides a strategic framework and direction for the planning and use of open spaces within Douglas Shire over the next 10 years. The strategy has considered the forecast population growth, to identify the land and embellishments needed to deliver an affordable, functional and integrated open space network.



1 July 2019



Engaging, Planning, Partnering Muruku Kirraji – Eastern Kuku Yalanji Nganyji pina ngunda-lum ... Ma:lnyjirri-yngku – Yirrganydji

Artists impression of Anzac Park Lookout (Port Douglas Masterplan)

### **Table of Contents**

Executive Summary	3
What is Open Space?	4
Why Is Open Space Important?	4
Principles for Open Space Provision	9
Existing Open Space	9
Open Space Network – Types	10
Open Space Network – Desired Standards of Service	12
What Will Change?	14
Implementation	15
How to contact us	16
Appendix A – Open Space Definitions and Minimum Standards	17
Appendix B – Suitability of Commercial Uses and Prescribed Activities for Public Parks and Community Facilities	22

### **Executive Summary**

The open space strategy provides a strategic framework and direction for the planning and use of open spaces within Douglas Shire, between 2019 and 2031. The strategy has considered the forecast population growth, to identify the land and embellishments needed to deliver an affordable, functional and integrated open space network.

The strategic framework provided within the Open Space Policy includes definitions, principles and the desired standards of service for planning and design of recreational and sporting parks.

Findings of the assessment conclude that there is currently significantly more open space available in the network than is required under the minimum requirements. There are no additional land requirements for trunk open space required before 2031. There are however, upgrades recommended to major parks.

### What is Open Space?

Open Space is publicly owned land that has been set aside primarily for recreation, nature conservation, passive outdoor enjoyment and public gatherings. This includes public parks, gardens, reserves, foreshores and publicly owned community or sporting facilities.

Other public land such as schools, hospitals, and streets complement the open space network, and are guided by other Council policies or plans. Throughout this strategy, public open space is referred to as 'open space'.

Douglas Shire Council's diversity and quality of open spaces creates a range of different experiences and opportunities across the region.

### Why Is Open Space Important?

### **Social Connectedness**

Open spaces provide places for meeting, events or festivals. They facilitate the community's social connectedness. These restorative places of social interaction provide increased levels of mental health and wellbeing.



Photo : Port Douglas Markets

### **Physical Health and Wellbeing**

The network of open space, parklands and sporting fields provides opportunities for exercising informally through recreational activities, or formally by participating in organised sport.



**Photos : Port Douglas Running Festival** 

### **Biodiversity**

The Daintree National Park is approximately 1,200 km<sup>2</sup> in size and contains the Daintree rainforest – which is part of the oldest continuously surviving tropical rainforest in the world. It is a critical habitat for preserving the biodiversity of the native flora and fauna.



Photos: The flora and fauna biodiversity of the Daintree

### **Cultural Heritage and Character**

Areas that are of relevance or importance to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultural heritage values form part of the open space network.



Photo: Cultural Dancers at the Mossman Gorge Community Centre. The residents of Mossman Gorge Community are predominantly from the Kuku Yalanji Clan, whose traditional lands spread to the Wujal Wujal community and the township of Mossman

### **Economic and Tourism**

Tourism is the primary economic driver of the Douglas region. The tourism industry relies primarily on the spectacular World Heritage listed beauty of the region and several internationally renowned natural attractions. Significant tourism assets include access to the Great Barrier Reef, Daintree Rainforest National Park, unspoilt beaches, the Daintree and other fresh water rivers including dazzling waterfalls.



Photo: Four Mile Beach – Port Douglas

### **Open Space Strategy**

Douglas Shire Council



Photo: Daintree River Weaving through the Daintree Rainforest



Photo: Great Barrier Reef

Figures from Tourism and Events Queensland demonstrate that, with an 80% economic reliance on tourism, the Douglas Shire ranks as the most tourism-dependent region in Australia.

### **Events**

Open Spaces provide public areas for Events and the Arts. These may include:

- Art Installations;
- Performances; or
- Events (Commemorative or Celebratory).





Photos: Port Douglas Carnivale

### Principles for Open Space Provision

There are six guiding principles, which underpin the need and planning for open space in the Douglas Shire. These are listed in the open Spaces General Policy and include:

- 1. Accessible and Connected;
- 2. Place Making;
- 3. Safe and Healthy;
- 4. Sustainability;
- 5. Diversity; and
- 6. Consultation.

### **Existing Open Space**

The Douglas Region is the traditional homeland of Aboriginal Rainforest People (Bama) who have lived within the area and maintained their culture and languages for thousands of years. The two main language groups within the Shire are the Eastern Kuku Yalanji to the north and Yirrganydji to the south. The Eastern Kuku Yalanji and Yirrganydji peoples are the Traditional Custodians and Owners of the land and sea country that encompass the Douglas Shire region.

The Traditional Owners of the region place great importance on the protection and sustainability of the land and sea (country); as well as sites of great cultural significance to their people. This Open Space Strategy acknowledges and reflects the principles of sustainability throughout.

The major open spaces in the Douglas Region include formal and informal areas of Open Space.

### **INFORMAL OPEN SPACE**

Examples of Informal open space may include:

### Daintree National Park (1,200 km<sup>2</sup>)

- Founded in 1981 and in 1988 became part of the World Heritage Site
- Mossman Gorge Section (56,500 ha of mostly inaccessible forests)
- Cape Tribulation (17,000 ha of rainforest lowlands)

### **Coastal Beaches**

- Four Mile Beach Esplanade
- Wonga Beach
- Cooya Beach
- Thornton Beach
- Cape Tribulation Beach

The informal areas of open space have been provided over time and are accessible for residents and tourists alike. Indeed many of the informal areas of open space within the Douglas Shire Council are significant national and international tourist attractions.

### FORMAL OPEN SPACE

There are formal areas of open space that have been planned and delivered to serve the needs of the residents of Douglas Shire Council. These include

- Recreational Parks;
- Sports Parks and Facilities; and
- Land for Community Purposes.

The settlement patterns within the Douglas Shire Council Local Government Area consist of two major population centres (Port Douglas and Mossman) and multiple smaller satellite towns and villages (e.g. Daintree Village, Cooya Beach township, Wonga Beach, Rocky Point, Mossman Gorge Community, Wangetti etc.).

A hierarchical approach to the provision of open space within the Douglas Shire has been adopted and is explained in the following sections.

### **Open Space Network – Types**

### **Overview**

The open space network is comprised of formal and informal spaces. In the Douglas Shire, informal spaces are typically large tracts of rainforests or beaches and are controlled by the State of Federal Governments. The formal open space network consists or a three (3) tiered system of parks, which provide open space on the local, district and regional levels, for recreational or sporting activities. An explanation of each of the hierarchies has been provided below, with a more detailed explanation of each provided in Appendix A. The appendix provides information on the minimal level of Supply/ embellishments.

### **Local Park**

Local Parks are typically provided to provide open space opportunities on a local neighbourhood level. They are designed to be accessible by pedestrians or bicycles users and provide basic facilities for informal use and play.

### **District Park**

District Parks are provided to provide open space for recreational or sporting activities for a group or collection of neighbourhoods.

### **District Recreational Parks:**

District level recreational Parks are provided to service several neighbourhoods and offer a range of active and passive opportunities.

### **District Sport Parks:**

The District level sports parks usually support one or more sports training or competition venues and service multiple suburbs and across the region.

### **Regional Park**

Regional Parks supply opportunities to the whole of local government area or a "sub regional" catchment comprised of multiple district catchments.

### **Regional Recreational Parks**

These are "destination parks" which attract users from all over the city and usually encourage extended stays of half a day or more. These parks are master planned to provide multiple opportunities and facilities to encourage extended use.

### **Regional Sports Precinct**

Large sports precincts usually catering to more than one sport and used for major competitive events.

### **Community Facilities**

Community Facilities may include a variety of uses, which can be generalised into -

- Cultural Activity Space;
- Community Meeting and Activity Space;
- Community Service Facilities;
- Formal Memorial Spaces.

Table 1 – breakdown of the Formal Open Space hierarchies

Park Type	Park Hierarchy	Annotation	Examples							
	Local Park	LRP	Jalumbu Park – Port Douglas							
	(Recreational)		Lou Prince Park – Bonnie Doon							
			Bells Park – Wonga							
			Pioneer Park - Daintree							
Recreational	District Park	DRP	Rex Smeal Park – Port Douglas							
	(Recreational)		Jim Holdsworth Park – Cooya Beach							
			Hutchings Park - Craiglie							
	Regional Park	RRP	Market Park – Port Douglas							
	(Recreational)		George Davis Park - Mossman							
Sports	District Sports	DSP	Reynolds Park – Port Douglas							
	Park		Wangetti Sports Field-Wangetti							
			Cassowary Soccer Grounds – Cassowary							
			Diwan Sports Reserve - Diwan							
	<b>Regional Sports</b>	RSP	Port Douglas Sports Grounds							
	Park		Coronation Park/ Show Grounds - Mossman							
Land For	Land For	LFCF	Community Hall – Port Douglas							
Community	Community		Anzac Park – Memorial – Port Douglas							
Facilities	Facilities		Library and Shire Hall – Mossman							
			Boat Ramps – Cooya, Newell, Daintree, Port							
			Douglas							
			Wonga Beach Caravan Park							

# Open Space Network – Desired Standards of Service

To ensure that the Open Space Network is planned and delivered to the expectations of the community the Desired Standards of Service have been provided for planning and engineering design.

Planning Standard	Community Outcomes
Provide a connected and accessible network of parks, open space, and community facilities that meet the needs of the Local government's resident population.	<ul> <li>Provides opportunities for access and increased usage of open space, recreational and community facilities.</li> <li>Provides for an appropriate balance of land uses and ensures high levels of amenity in the urban form.</li> <li>Provides a basis for a healthy and active community.</li> </ul>
Ensure strong linkages and, where possible, co-location of existing and future parks, open space and community facilities.	<ul> <li>Provides a basis for a healthy and active community.</li> <li>Ensures utilisation of existing and future assets while maintaining maximum access.</li> </ul>
Provide embellishments to public parks, commensurate with the range of activities envisaged.	<ul> <li>Provides open space embellishments that meet the needs of the community by providing a range of facilities for social activities and/or fitness/recreational pursuits.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ensures activities are met and contained within designated areas - reducing potential off-site impacts to other more sensitive areas in the Local government.</li> </ul>
Ensure that existing and future parks, open space and community facilities with significant environmental, waterway or cultural heritage	• Protects and enhances items of cultural interest in the Local government for the benefit of current and future communities in the Local government.
value are managed appropriately.	Provides a basis for tourism opportunities.
	<ul> <li>Protection of the natural landscape ensures maintenance of quality of air, water and land resources reducing negative impacts requiring amelioration.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Recreational and sporting parks promote the health and wellbeing of the Local government's residents.</li> </ul>
Ensure that the proposed uses and prescribed activities for the Public Parks and Community Facilitates are co-ordinated and managed appropriately	<ul> <li>Provide guidance as to the Suitability of Commercial Uses and Prescribed Activities for Public Parks and Community Facilities (See Appendix B)</li> </ul>

### **Desired standards of service- PLANNING**

### **Open Space Strategy**

Douglas Shire Council

### **Desired standards of service - DESIGN**

Design Standards	Community Outcome
Public parks and land for community facilities areas are provided in accordance with the preferred quantity, distribution (Shire Wide, district, local, sporting, community), quality and level of development specified in Council's 'Public Parks and Land for Community Purposes Trunk Infrastructure Planning Study' and Plans for Trunk Infrastructure – Public Parks and Land for Community Facilities.	<ul> <li>Provides a standard of service reflecting the communities' needs as identified by the local government's adopted strategies.</li> <li>Provides recreation and sporting parks with a diverse range of activity opportunities and landscape settings to encourage healthy lifestyles and maximise opportunities for activity.</li> <li>Recreation and open space facilities are managed in the most efficient and cost-effective way.</li> <li>Recreation and open space facilities can be safely and conveniently accessed by all existing and potential users.</li> </ul>
Land provided for parks, recreation, and sport is not constrained by physical, environmental or other hazards.	Ensure adequate provision of safe, accessible and usable facilities.
Ensure land is accessible, of suitable quality and integrated with the urban and open space networks. Provide an accessible network of parks, open space, and community facilities that meets the needs of residents and visitors in accordance with the rate of provision , accessibility standards and minimum land size as identified	<ul> <li>Provides community access to a range of park, open space and community facilities.</li> </ul>
in Appendix A Ensure suitable Embellishments are provided to complement and facilitate the type and purpose of the open space (Appendix A)	<ul> <li>Provides a range of park types that are suitability embellished to meeting their purpose within the park hierarchy.</li> </ul>

### What Will Change?

As the region grows, there is a need to ensure that we provide enough Open Space, Parks and Community facilities for the region for the growing resident population.

### POPULATION



### **OPEN SPACE**

### **Land Provision**

An analysis was conducted of all the land in the Douglas Shire Council's Open Space Network<sup>1</sup>. When considering the minimum land provision requirements, and the desired standards of service land provision it was found that there i approximately 50% more land in the network than is required to service the resident population in 2031. <u>No additional trunk park land is required to be provided to</u> <u>maintain the minimum open space requirements before 2031.</u>

### Embellishments

Upgrades are recommended to be undertaken on a number of parks within the Open Space network. These are focussed around the major population centres and major facilities.

### **Port Douglas**

Mossman

b.	Upgrade Port Douglas Sports Precinct Upgrade Waterfront Parks Upgrade Foreshore Park 4 mile	~ \$2M ~0.5M ~0.5M
a.	Upgrade Mossman District Park (David Jack Park)	~ \$0.5M

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Open Space Strategy is supported by the Technical report for Public Parks and Land for Community Purposes, undertaken by Trinity Engineering Pty Ltd (2018)

### Implementation

### **Overview**

To ensure the successful implementation of the open space strategy, and delivery the of the identified projects, key responsibilities, funding, and immediate actions have been outlined below. The provision and embellishment of parks will be delivered through the Council's Local Government Infrastructure Plans (LGIP), general revenue and external grants.

### **Responsibilities**

Douglas Shire Council will take the lead implementation role. The successful implementation of the strategy requires -

Council

(a) to undertake planning, procurement and construction of the identified embellishments in existing parks to meet the needs and expectations of the wider Community.

Developers:

- (a) To continue to develop a well-planned, efficient and highly desirable urban fabric, which reflects the requirements and intent of Council's Planning Scheme;
- (b) To provide sufficient areas and quality of open spaces, to meet the desired standards of service;
- (c) To contribute to the Trunk Facilities (Public Parks and Community Facilities) in accordance with Council's LGIP

### Funding

Funding of the capital works embellishments and future land acquisition costs will be sourced from a combination of:

- (d) Open space contributions collected under the provisions of the Local Government Infrastructure Plans (LGIP);
- (e) External grants from State and or Federal Government Sources
- (f) Council (constrained) reserves;

### **Next Steps**

Delivering the Open Space Strategy requires the following actions to be undertaken:

- (a) Council adopts the open space strategy;
- (b) Council review the findings of the Open Space Technical Document and integrate the agreed actions into the Local Government Infrastructure Plan;
- (c) Commence detailed planning on parks identified for embellishment within the next 10 years;
- (d) Commence master planning for the additional parks identified in the 10+ year horizon;

### Open Space Strategy Douglas Shire Council

### How to contact us

**Council Chambers:** 64 - 66 Front Street, Mossman **Postal Address:** PO Box 723 Mossman Qld 4873

Email: enquiries@douglas.qld.gov.au Web: www.douglas.qld.gov.au Phone: (07) 4099 9444 or 1800 026 318 Fax: (07) 4098 2902 After Hours Emergencies: (07) 4099 9444 Open Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm



## Appendix A – Open Space Definitions and Minimum Standards

For each park type and hierarchy referred to within this strategy, Appendix A contains

- A detailed explanation of each;
- A minimum rate of provision;
- Desired accessibility Standards;
- Minimum Park Sizes; and
- Minimum Levels of Embellishment.

### DEFINITIONS

### **Local Recreation Park**

A local recreational park offers informal recreation and play opportunities. Typical characteristics include:

- A minimum area of 0.5 Ha with a preferred area of 1 Ha.;
- At least 95% of residences should have access to a local park or local recreation node within 500m safe walking distance;
- Minimum 50% road frontage;
- Minimal hazards and constraints;
- Embellished with local facilities as outlined A5 and A6;

### **District Recreational Park**

A district level recreational park offers informal recreation and play opportunities to a group of neighbourhoods. Typical characteristics include:

- Minimum 2 ha of usable area
- District Recreation Parks should be provided within 2-5 km of 95% of residences.
- Provides a range of informal passive and active opportunities (eg. picnic facilities, ½ courts, kick-about areas, teenage activities, bike paths, exercise stations)
- Provided as a stand-alone park, as a node within district or regional linear open space systems or as part of a larger individual park which includes formal sporting opportunities.
- High accessibility (car, bike, foot) multiple access points and accessible for people with mobility challenges.
- Linked to local bikeway and pathway network.
- Min 50% road frontage

### **District Sports Park**

Formal sporting provision in a single area or "precinct" which provides for organised and programmed sport and recreation activities. They may include fields, courts and built facilities supporting community and club use 2.

- Minimum 10 Ha;
- 95 % of Residences should be within a 5 km radius;
- Formal layout for fields and specific use areas;
- Includes club facilities and amenities;
- High accessibility;
- Location should consider buffering of noise and other impacts from residential areas;

#### **Regional Recreation Park**

A Regional recreational Parks are provided to service the whole region/ local government area and are based on specific or unique features. They are typically master planned and provide a range of facilities and uses. Typical characteristics include:

- Usually 5-10 Ha +
- 95 % of Residences should be within a 20 km radius;
- Planned provision based on identified opportunity;
- Serves whole city/ region / multiple neighbourhoods;
- Infrastructure based on master plan;
- Could have a major landscape or habitat conservation objective
- Accessible by all transport modes and should be located on public transport routes

### **Regional Sporting Park**

A Regional sporting park or precincts are required to service the whole city/ region/ local government area.

- 20 Ha preferred minimum size;
- 95% of residents should be able to access a regional sporting park within 15km;
- Multiple sports and multiple facilities;
- Planned provision based on identified opportunity;
- Serves whole city/ region / multiple neighbourhoods;
- Infrastructure based on master plan;
- Provided on a planned basis- usually master planned;
- May also provide local and district level recreation opportunities; and
- Accessible by all transport modes and should be located on public transport routes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Under the constraints of IPA and the November version of the Standard Infrastructure Charges Schedule the cost of building club houses, indoor sports centres and public pools can not be included in any infrastructure charge.

### **District Level - Land/ Space for Community Purposes**

Land space provided for community purposes including the potential provision of a range of facilities such as community halls and libraries.

- Minimum sizes range from 1,000m<sup>2</sup> to 2,000m<sup>2</sup>
- Land must be suitable for buildings
- Provided within 5 km of 95% of residences.
- Ideally collocated with other community facilities or service precincts.
- Provided as a single site for a specific building or as a portion of a community precinct providing space for several facilities.
- High accessibility (car, bike, foot) multiple access points and accessible for people with mobility challenges.
- Linked to local bikeway and pathway network.
- Min 50% road frontage

### **City Wide Land for Community Purposes**

- Community facilities that serve a City Wide catchment are centrally located and provide access to major opportunities or services such as Galleries, Performing Arts Centres, Museums, Council Chambers and Memorial Spaces. Preferred access for City Wide level recreation parks is within 15-20 km of 95 % of all residences.
- Areas needed range from 1Ha to 10 Ha (i.e. cemetery)
- Usually located as part of a major services and community hub.
- Serves whole city
- Can be provided as part of large integrated complex (eg. floor space in a major centre)
- accessible by all transport modes and should be located on public transport routes

### MINIMUM STANDARDS

Hierarchy	Rate	Rate of Provision (Ha / 1000 people)											
Supply Rates	Local	District	Regional										
Recreation Park (2.5 Ha/1000)	1 Ha/1000	1.3 Ha/1000	0.2 Ha/1000										
Sport Park (2 Ha/1000)	N/A	1.6 Ha/1000	0.4 Ha/1000										
Land for Community Facilities (0.3 Ha/1000)	N/A	0.15 Ha/1000	0.15 Ha/1000										

 Table 1 – Rate of Land Provision for Public Parks and Land for Community Facilities

Table 2 – Accessibility standards for Public Parks and Land for Community Facilities

Hierarchy		Accessibility Standard (km)										
	Local	District	Regional									
Recreation Park	500m	2-3km	10-15km									
Sport Park	N/A	2-5km	15km									
Land for Community Facilities	N/A	5km	20km									

Table 3 – Desired size of public parks and land for community facilities

Hierarchy		Minimum Size (Ha	)
	Local	District	Regional
Recreation Park	0.5 - 1 Ha	2-5 Ha	2-5 Ha
Sport Park	N/A	10 Ha	20 Ha
Land for Community Facilities	N/A	Cultural Activity Space (CAS) 1,500m <sup>2</sup>	CAS 1 Ha
		Community Meeting & Activity Space (CMS) 2,000m <sup>2</sup>	CMS 1 Ha
		Community Service Facility (CSF) 1,000m <sup>2</sup>	CSF 1 Ha
		Formal Memorial Space (FMS) 1,000m <sup>2</sup>	FMS 10 Ha

### MINIMUM STANDARDS – EMBELLISHMENTS (PLANNING)

		Refe	erence Embellishments to be provided / park Type																
Park Type	Park Types- Hierarchy	Open Space Code	LGIP	Water connection/ tap	drinking fountain	Lights (gen use/ safety) + field	Fencing (bollards)	Playground equipment. (inc soft fall + shade sails)	Seating	Picnic shelter	BBQ (2 electric plates and shelter)	earth works (Field prep/ Kickabout)	active specific facilities	L'scape	Power	New park establishment and Irrigation	Public toilets	Path / bikeways	Car parking and access works
	Local Park (Recreational)	LRP	LP	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	×	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	✓	×
Recreational	District Park (Recreational)	DRP	DP	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$
	Regional Park (Recreational)	RRP	CWRP	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$
	District Sports Park	DSP	DSP	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	×	$\checkmark$	×	x	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Sports Park	Regional Sports Park	RSP	CWSP	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	×	$\checkmark$	×	×	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	~	$\checkmark$
Land for Community Facilities	Land for Community Facilities	LFCF	LFCF	$\checkmark$	×	×	$\checkmark$	x	×	×	×	$\checkmark$	×	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	×	$\checkmark$	×	×

### Open Space Strategy Douglas Shire Council

### Appendix B – Suitability of Commercial Uses and Prescribed Activities for Public Parks and Community Facilities.

To be reviewed once adoption of the new Local Laws and Open Spaces is completed. The intention is to provide the community and Council Officers with a matrix detailing what activities will be con sidered appropriate for each park.



### Public Parks and Community Facilities

Suitability of Commercial Uses / Prescribed activities

					Prescribed Activities															
Park	Feature	Adress	Location	Area	Lot/ Plan No	Wedding ceremony	Infrastructure allowed	d? Drive a vehicle/Horse	Event/Activity under 50	Event/Activity under	Event/Activity under	Event/Activity under	Event/Activity under	Event/Activity over	Lifesaving	Organised Camping	Filming/Photography	Fireworks	Helicoper/skydiving/la	In Use of area for car
									ppl	100 ppl	200 ppl	500 ppl	1000 ppl	1000 ppl	comp/training/other				ding	parking
															aquatic event					
Crown Park	Flagstaff Hill Walking Trail	8-40 Island Point Rd	PORT DOUGLAS	10753	119SP126932															
Endeavour St Park	Ergon Transformer	Endeavour St	PORT DOUGLAS		168RP747298															
	Pump Station Access		PORT DOUGLAS	932																
Escape St Park Four Mile Park	Fourmile Beach Access South End	Escape St Reef St	PORT DOUGLAS	1215																
	Lighthouse	Wharf Street	PORT DOUGLAS		1315K529 R15 L119 SR836119															
Island Point Lookout	Lighthouse				1															
Jalun Park	Pump Station Access	Esplanade	PORT DOUGLAS PORT DOUGLAS	2112																
Nautilus St Reserve		41-43 Nautilus St																		
St Crispins Ave Reserve Park	Pump Station Access	St Crispins Avenue	PORT DOUGLAS	803																
Reynolds Park	Tennis Club/Basketball Court	34-56 Davidson St	PORT DOUGLAS	2024																
Jalumbu Park	Behind Surf Club	18 Garrick Street	PORT DOUGLAS	2114																
Bruno Riedwig Park		Solander Boulevard	PORT DOUGLAS		110SR606															
Buluru Park	Mobile Phone Tower	Escape Street	PORT DOUGLAS		48RP747344															
Bale Drive Park	Maintained by Resort	Bale Dr	PORT DOUGLAS		901SP165909															
Warri Park	Lake	Ulysses Ave	PORT DOUGLAS		13SP173000															
Hutchings Park		Oriole Street	PORT DOUGLAS	997SP175	728/999SP148506															
Willy Pye Memorial (Teamsters) Park	Dump point	Capt. Cook Highway	CRAIGLIE		108SR538															
Port Douglas Sporting Complex		Wharf Street	PORT DOUGLAS		99SP150469															
Football/Cricket Oval																				
Netball Courts																				
Rugby/Soccer Ground																				
Skate Ramp/ Pump Track																				
DIRT track	Aboretum																			
Land to right of Wharf St entrance																				
Land next to Port Douglas Community																				
Centre	Aboretum																			
Rex Smeal Park		Wharf St	PORT DOUGLAS	2222	128SR804927															
St Mary's By The Sea park																				
Market Park																				
ANZAC Park																				
Dixie Park																				
Little Cove																				
Bill Reese Park & Rotary Park		Mossman-Daintree Rd	MOSSMAN																	
Coronation Park		Grogan Street	MOSSMAN																	
David Jack Park		Jack St.	MOSSMAN																	
George Davis Park	1	Foxton Ave	MOSSMAN	1	1							1	1							
Jack Park		Jack Street	MOSSMAN	-																
Jack Park North Mossman Park		Jack Street 18 Atherton St	MOSSMAN	-						1		1	1							
Shepherd Valley		18 Atherton St 17 Forest Glen Road	MOSSMAN	1	1							1	+	<u> </u>						
	1	1/ FUIESL GIEII KUdu			1							1								
Conservery, Conserver Field																				
Cassowary Soccer Field		73R Cassowary Road	CASSOWARY																	
Cassowary Soccer Field Jim Holdsworth Park																				
		73R Cassowary Road	CASSOWARY																	
Jim Holdsworth Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St.	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit)		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park New Wonga Esplanade Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive Marlin Drive	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park New Wonga Esplanade Park Wonga Community Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive Marlin Drive Marlin Drive Mossman-Daintree Road	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA WONGA																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park Rocky Point Park New Wonga Esplanade Park Wonga Community Park Bells Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive Marsman-Daintree Road Snapper Island Dr	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA WONGA WONGA WONGA WONGA																	
Jim Holdsworth Park Lou Prince Park Newell Beach Esplanade Newell Beach Park Jimal Park (The Fire Spirit) Phil Lunn Park Rocky Point Park New Wonga Esplanade Park Wonga Community Park Bells Park New Wonga Esplanade Park		73R Cassowary Road Bougainvilia St. Barbell Cl Marine Parade 46-48 Marine Parade Caulthad Place Pacific St Mossman & Daintree Rd Marlin Drive Marlin Drive Marlin Drive Marlin Drive Snapper Island Dr Kadan Cl	CASSOWARY COOYA BEACH COOYA BEACH NEWELL NEWELL NEWELL BEACH NEWELL BEACH ROCKY POINT WONGA WONGA WONGA BEACH WONGA BEACH																	





Approved Activities By DSC approval Only Prohibited Activities



### Public Parks and Community Facilities

Suitability of Commercial Uses / Prescribed activities

						Prescribed Activities ot/ Plan No Wedding ceremony Infrastructure allowed? Drive a vehicle/Horse Event/Activity under 50 Event/Activity under Event/Activity under Event/Activity under Event/Activity under Event/Activity over Lifesaving Organised Camping Filming/Photography Fireworks Helicope																
Park	Feature	Adress	Location	Area	Lot/ Plan No	Wedding ceremony	Infrastructure allowed	P Drive a vehicle/Horse	Event/Activity under 5 ppl	0 Event/Activity under 100 ppl	Event/Activity under 200 ppl	Event/Activity under 500 ppl	Event/Activity under 1000 ppl	Event/Activity over 1000 ppl	Lifesaving comp/training/other aquatic event	Organised Camping	Filming/Photography	Fireworks	Helicoper/skydiving/lan ding	n Use of area for car parking		
Daintree Jetty Park			DAINTREE																			
Daintree Sports Oval		24-26 Osborne Street 10-18 Douglas Street	DAINTREE																			
Daintree Environmental Park		Stewart Street	DAINTREE																			
Pioneers Park		Stewart St.	DAINTREE																			
Park		151R Forest Creek Road	FOREST CREEK																			
Park		Stewart Creek Road	STEWART CREEK VALLE	Y																		
Cape Tribulation Rd Park		Cape Tribulation Rd	THORNTON BEACH																			
Park		Cape Tribulation Road	THORNTON BEACH																			
Thornton Beach Reserve		Cape Tribulation Road	THORNTON BEACH																			
Cape Tribulation Beach Esplanade			CAPE TRIBULATION																			
Cape Kimberley Beach Esplanade			CAPE KIMBERLY																			
Pretty Beach Esplanade			PRETTY BEACH																			
Oak Beach Esplanade			OAK BEACH																			
Pebbly Beach Esplanade			PEBBLY BEACH																			
Emmagen Creek Beach Esplanade			CAPE TRIBULATION																			
Cow Beach Esplanade			COW BAY																			
Four Mile Beach			PORT DOUGLAS																			
Cooya Beach			COOYA BEACH	_																		
Newell Beach			NEWELL BEACH		_																	
Wonga Beach			WONGA BEACH																			
Myall Beach			CAPE TRIBULATION																			
Wangetti Beach			WANGETTI BEACH																			





Approved Activities By DSC approval Only Prohibited Activities