

DRIVING ON OUR BEACHES



Our shorelines are shared spaces — places to relax, connect with nature, and enjoy time with family and friends. To keep them safe and beautiful, we all have a role to play. That means respecting the environment, following local rules, and speaking up when something's not right.

How to report issues

If you observe	Contact
A vehicle being driven on a beach: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Unregistered• Unlicensed driver• Dangerous driving (e.g. Speeding near pedestrians)• Noise complaints A motorbike or quadbike being driven on Council land	Queensland Police Police link on 131444 or Local Station: Ingham Police Station (07) 47769777 Halifax Police Station (07) 40615995
Reckless and dangerous driving	Hoon Hotline 134 666
A vehicle (other than a motorbike or quadbike) being driven on Council land without Council approval	Hinchinbrook Shire Council 4776 4600
Damage to vehicle exclusion barriers, bollards and signage on Council land	Hinchinbrook Shire Council 4776 4600
Damage to marine plants (e.g. Salt marsh succulents, salt couch and mangroves)	Fish Watch Hotline 1800 017 116
Any of the following in a protected area such as a National Park, above high tide: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Damage to vegetation• Disturbance to native animal, e.g. Shore birds and sea turtles• Driving without a licence or in an unregistered vehicle• Driving through with a domestic animal, e.g. Dog, cat or horse• Driving above high tide except on a designated road• Damage to signs, bollards and fences Any of the following in a protected area such as a Marine Park, below high tide: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Disturbance to native animals, e.g. Shore birds and sea turtles• Damage to signs, bollards and fences in a protected area or marine park	Department of Environment, Tourism, Science and Innovation 1300 130 372



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