



## Fast Facts Boykambil Mooring Area

**ABOUT:** The Boykambil mooring area is a category 3 area located at the mouth of Coombabah Creek between the Coomera River (South Branch) and Saltwater Creek. Most the area falls within a designated mooring area (DMA) of the Moreton Bay Marine Park.

**CURRENT MOORINGS IN THE AREA:** There are currently 21 traditional buoy moorings in the mooring area.

**FUTURE CAPACITY:** The Department of Environment and Science (DES) is yet to review designated mooring areas of the Moreton Bay Marine Park for alignment with this historical mooring area. This means the future mooring capacity of the mooring area remains uncertain, at this time.

**IMPORTANT:** The Buoy Mooring Review in 2014 identified instances where proposed GCWA buoy mooring areas did not align with designated mooring areas within the Moreton Bay Marine Park and/or with the current management of declared fish habitat areas. GCWA and DES are working together to resolve these issues, which involves a legislative review process and public consultation by DES. In the interim, GCWA is unable to grant new buoy mooring authorities outside of current designated mooring areas.

*Note: The establishment of buoy moorings in this area may be affected by several factors, such as preservation of the creek's channel for navigation, environmental values of the marine park, sand movements and shoaling, other water traffic, potential road widening, and future marine development.*

