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REEF FORUM

Strengthening
resilience-based
management of the
Great Barrier Reef

27-29 October
Townsville



Program

Welcome: Monday 27 October 2025

Location: The Splash Lawn, The Ville Resort

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| 3:00pm | Delegate registration and check-in open at The Ville Resort |
| 4:00pm | Welcome to Country and official opening |
| 5:30pm | Meet and greet |

Day one: Tuesday 28 October 2025

Location: Barrier Reef Room, The Ville Resort

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| 8:30am | Acknowledgement of Country |
| 8:35am | Welcome - Mr Josh Thomas |
| 9:00am | Outlook for the Great Barrier Reef |
| 9:45am | Panel - High impact management actions |
| 10:45am | Morning tea |
| 11:15am | Management timeline |
| 11:45am | Recipe for Reef resilience |
| 12:15pm | Resilient Reef Network demonstration |
| 12:45pm | Lunch |
| 13:30pm | Key Marine Park management tools |
| 14:15pm | Challenge #1: Management tools to strengthen resilience workshop |

15:15pm	Afternoon tea
15:30pm	Challenge #2: Management tools to strengthen resilience workshop
16:30pm	End of day one remarks
18:15pm	Sit-down dinner and Reef trivia Location: Pavilion 1, The Ville Resort

Day two: Wednesday 29 October 2025

Location: Barrier Reef Room, The Ville Resort

8:30am	Acknowledgement of Country
8:35am	Introduction to day two
8:45am	Case study: Raine Island
9:15am	Challenge #2 continues: Management tools to strengthen resilience workshop
11:15am	Panel: Table report back
12:00pm	Lunch
12:45pm	Activity: Management tools
13:15pm	Panel - Whole of system integration
14:15pm	Forum close