



Lizard Island Localities Site Arrangements

Lizard Island is an important location with important bird nesting and roosting grounds as well as significant conservation, scientific research and indigenous cultural heritage values. Follow the special requirements for this location to help protect its sensitive values.

All Localities

Locality 1

- No motorised water sport
- Vessels ≤ 35 m may access and anchor except where specified below
- Vessels > 35 m and ≤70 m can anchor outside
- a Location or at a Reef Anchorage where available

 Vessels ≤ 70 m can anchor outside a Location or at
- a Designated Anchorage where available
 Zoning varies around the island, refer to Zoning Map 4
- Sensitive Location
- Low use Location max 15 people per vessel
- Aircraft must remain above 500 feet
- Vessels >7m in length cannot anchor
- Two public moorings are available see mooring map for size limits.
- One private mooring allowed
- No bookings limit applies
- Natural Resources Conservation Special Management Area declared at Mermaid Cove, refer to Zoning Map 4

Locality 2 and 3

- Intensive use Location no group size limits
- One public mooring available for vessels see mooring map for size limits.
- Private moorings installed
- Anchoring is allowed within 50 metres of a mooring
- Reef Anchorage in Locality 3 (no booking required) for vessels > 35 m and ≤70 m
- Designated Anchorage available with a booking for one vessel >35m
 - Anchor outside the Reef Anchorage and no-anchoring areas
 - Additionally, vessels may also use their existing private moorings
- Hovercrafts may be used in Locality 2 only

Locality 4

- Low use Location max 15 people per vessel
- No anchoring within 50 metres of a mooring
- Reef Anchorage available
- In northerly winds large vessels may in anchor in accordance with an approved strategy for that vessel
- Public Appreciation Special Management Area declared within Conservation Park Zone (yellow zone), refer to Zoning Map 4
- * Group sizes include crew and children 4 and above
- * The boundary of a 'Location' is generally 500 metres from the seaward edge of the reef
- * A primary mooring that also has a northerly mooring is considered one mooring
- * Refer to the Cairns Area Plan of Management 1998 for more information