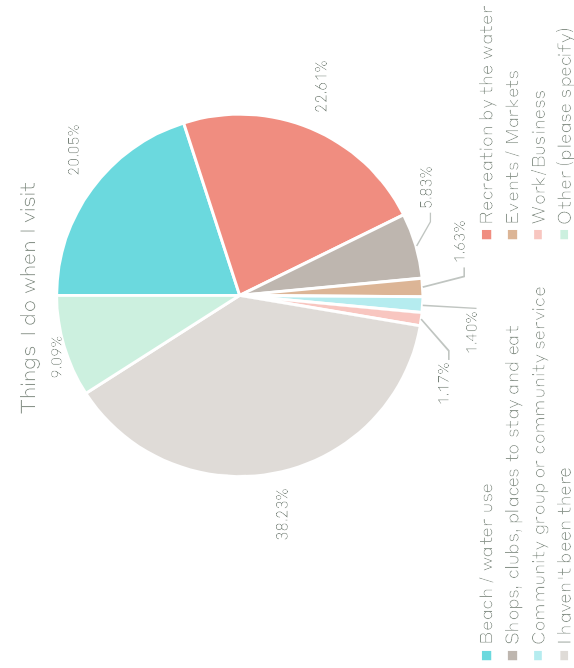


Poona



Key Values

- Average value of 3.01 out of 5 (on a scale of 1-5, with 5 being 'very highly valued')
- Village provides lifestyle for residents strong community connection to fishing, boating, foreshore and sea air
- Workshop feedback identified that coastal mangroves and wetlands are a highly valued natural feature
- Workshop participants placed value on the locality as a feeding and resting place for migratory shore birds

"The natural beauty of Poona."

"The nature at Poona is something that should be preserved."



Poona, Boonooroo and Tuan

Values and Changes (all workshops)

VALUES

1. Beach and foreshore north of boat ramp
2. Tuan boat ramp
3. Coastal mangroves ★
4. Wetlands and threatened species ★
5. Migrating shore bird feeding and nesting area
6. All three villages provide lifestyle for their residents with strong community/connection to ocean (fishing, boating, views, sea air)
7. Boat ramp, amenity block and road
8. Poona foreshore (east)
9. Poona foreshore (north)

CHANGES OBSERVED

1. Illegal removal of mangroves and poisoning of some coastal vegetation. Erosion on high tides with strong winds behind them ★★ ★★ ★★ ★★
2. Boat ramp and car park upgrade (no impact on foreshore)
3. Coastal erosion at Poona beaches ★
4. Consistent dumping of fishing equipment, including nets and ropes, torn up parts of a boat etc ★★ ★★ ★★
5. Loss of road esplanade (Boonooroo) - fast pace
6. Erosion resulting in toilet block removal
7. Tidal inundation
8. Drainage changes, past development impacting on foreshore (redirect outflow)
9. Historic flow changed by development

