

## MEDIA RELEASE

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### **Popular day use area at Agnes Water to reopen from next week**

Gladstone Regional Council advises the Day Use Area at Workman's Beach, Agnes Water, will reopen on Tuesday 14 July.

The area had previously been closed due to the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) health emergency.

Gladstone Mayor Matt Burnett encouraged residents to explore their backyard and visit the area this winter.

"Now that Queensland restrictions have eased, why not explore the Southern Great Barrier Reef and all it has to offer by visiting the beautiful Discovery Coast on your next holiday," Councillor Burnett said.

Cr Burnett also thanked the Discovery Coast Ranger Service for their management of the associated campgrounds at Workman's Beach.

The campgrounds will remain closed while Council explores options for managing this area.

Cr Burnett encouraged residents interested in camping to visit other campgrounds in the Agnes Water and Seventeen Seventy area.

For more information on exploring the Gladstone Region visit [www.gladstone.qld.gov.au/camping-beaches-1](http://www.gladstone.qld.gov.au/camping-beaches-1) or [www.gladstoneregion.info](http://www.gladstoneregion.info).

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