



Australian Marine Parks Advisory Committees Joint Meeting

The Pullman King George Square,
Corner Ann and Roma St, Brisbane

Tuesday, 27 – Wednesday, 28 May 2025

Meeting Summary

Members of the Australian Marine Parks Advisory Committees (AMPAC) from across Australia gathered for a joint meeting on 27-28 May 2025 in Brisbane. The purpose of the meeting was to build a shared understanding and greater collaboration between AMPAC members.

Throughout the meeting, participants focused on the following:

- Collectively engaged with the Director of National Parks on marine park matters,
- Built a shared understanding of how the Director of National Parks and Parks Australia delivers national marine protection,
- Sought collective advice on the delivery of management programs at the national scale,
- Built a clearer picture of the 2026-28 Management Plan Review process and the AMPAC's preferences for involvement
- Promoted familiarisation between AMPACs to support opportunities for cross-network collaborations and problem-solving, and
- Fostered a sense of collegiality amongst AMPAC members.

The meeting was facilitated and reported on by Will Bessen of Tuna Blue.