## Information for visitors to Bribie Island Recreation Area

## 24hr number plate surveillance cameras in use

All vehicles entering and exiting the recreation area will have their vehicle number plates recorded.

A penalty of \$232 (from 1 July 2023) applies for entering a recreation area without a valid vehicle access permit.

Vehicle registration details are checked against the Queensland National Parks Booking Service and a Penalty Infringement Notice (PIN) will be issued to the registered owner of any vehicle that does not have a valid vehicle access permit.

The penality amount will increase each financial year from 1 July. To avoid receiving a PIN, ensure you purchase a vehicle access permit before entering the recreation area.

Under the Recreation Areas
Management Act 2006 section 109(1)
it is an offence to take, drive or ride
a motor vehicle in a recreation area
without a vehicle access permit or
under a commercial activity permit
or commercial activity agreement.
Maximum penalty—20 penalty units.

#### How to avoid a fine

Before entering the recreation area:

- Ensure you have a valid vehicle access permit for Bribie Island Recreation Area.
- Check that your number plate details on your vehicle access permit are correct.





## Purchasing your vehicle access permit

- Online using the Queensland National Parks Booking Service.
- Over-the-counter at a booking office.
   Visit qld.gov.au/CampingBooking
   Offices for locations.
- If you cannot book through one of these channels, phone 13 QGOV (13 74 68). Mobile phone charges may apply.



Scan for Queensland National Parks Booking Service

Two-wheel-drive (2WD) vehicles, trail bikes and motorbikes are prohibited from obtaining a vehicle access permit and entering the Bribie Island Recreation Area.

# Hiring a vehicle or purchasing a vehicle with a vehicle access permit attached

On each occasion a rental vehicle is in a recreation area, the person who hired the vehicle for that occasion must be the person who applies for the vehicle access permit. The same applies if you have recently purchased a four-wheel drive that has a vehicle access permit. Permits are not transferable and you must purchase a vehicle access permit under your own name for the vehicle.

### Display of vehicle access permits

Permits must be attached to the lower left hand side of the vehicle's windscreen or, if the vehicle does not have a windscreen, another prominent position on the vehicle. Invalid or expired permits must be removed.

### **Driving tips for Bribie Island:**

- Speed limits apply on the beach, all inland tracks and camping areas.
   Keep an eye out for speed zone signs.
- Stay on designated inland tracks, beach access points and beaches.
   Keep to the harder sand between the waterline and the high tide mark for the firmest driving surface.
- Avoid beach driving three hours either side of high tide.
- Do not drive or park on dunes or vegetated areas. Turtles and birds nest above the high water mark.
- All Queensland road rules apply. Police regularly patrol the recreation area.

### Your privacy is protected

All camera footage is stored securely and will only be viewed and accessed by authorised persons. The footage is retained in accordance with the *Public Records Act 2002*, which in most cases is 30–90 days, unless it is required for official purposes, or as a retained public record. For further information on our privacy and security practices visit des.qld.gov.au/help/legal/privacy

### **Further information**

