South Australia

Aquaculture (Zones—Franklin Harbor) Policy 2026

under the *Aquaculture Act 2001*

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Part 1—Preliminary

1—Short title

This policy may be cited as the *Aquaculture (Zones—Franklin Harbor) Policy 2026*.

2—Interpretation

(1) In this policy—

Act means the *Aquaculture Act 2001*;

algae means eukaryotic macroalgae;

aquaculture tourism development has the same meaning as in Part 7A of the Act;

bivalve molluscs includes clams, cockles, mussels, oysters, pipis, razorfish and scallops;

conversation park has the same meaning as in the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972*;

Franklin Harbor (inner north) sector means the area within the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone described in Schedule 1 clause 1(a);

Franklin Harbor (inner south) sector means the area within the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone described in Schedule 1 clause 1(b);

Franklin Harbor (outer) sector means the area within the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone described in Schedule 1 clause 1(c);

lease includes a tourism lease;

leased area, in an aquaculture zone or a sector in an aquaculture zone, means the total area in the zone or sector subject to lease;

tourism lease has the same meaning as in Part 7A of the Act.

(2) For the purposes of the descriptions of an aquaculture zone or an aquaculture exclusion zone in this policy, unless the contrary intention appears, all lines in spatial descriptions are geodesics based on the Geocentric Datum of Australia 2020 (GDA2020) as defined in the determination under section 8A of the *National Measurement Act 1960* of the Commonwealth for the recognised-value standard of measurement of position, and all coordinates are expressed in terms of GDA2020.

(3) The point references given in a description identifying an aquaculture zone or aquaculture exclusion zone in Schedule 1 are references to the corresponding points in the map of that zone in Schedule 2.

3—Object of policy

Pursuant to section 11 of the Act, this policy—

(a) identifies an aquaculture zone in which specified classes of aquaculture are permitted; and

(b) identifies an aquaculture exclusion zone in which aquaculture is not permitted; and

(c) designates an aquaculture zone as a public call area; and

(d) specifies for an aquaculture zone prescribed criteria to be taken into account in the determination of applications for licences or in the making of other decisions under the Act in relation to the zone.

4—Prescription of criteria does not limit matters that may be taken into account

This policy does not limit the matters that may be taken into account in the determination of applications for licences or in the making of other decisions under the Act.

Part 2—Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone

5—Identification of aquaculture zone

The Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone (consisting of the Franklin Harbor (inner north) sector, the Franklin Harbor (inner south) sector and the Franklin Harbor (outer) sector) comprises the State waters described in Schedule 1 clause 1.

6—Designation of aquaculture zone as public call area

The Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone is designated as a public call area.

7—Class of permitted aquaculture

The classes of aquaculture permitted in the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone are—

(a) the farming of bivalve molluscs (other than mussels); and

(b) the farming of algae.

8—Prescribed criteria

In the determination of applications for licences and in the making of other decisions under the Act in relation to the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone, the following prescribed criteria must be taken into account:

(a) in the Franklin Harbor (inner north) sector—

(i) the leased area must not exceed 26.6 hectares; and

(ii) 5 hectares must be leased or otherwise available for lease for the purposes of aquaculture tourism development or for the farming of aquatic organisms for the purposes of research; and

(iii) 2 hectares must be leased or otherwise available for lease for aquaculture comprised of the storage, for any single period not exceeding 2 weeks, of aquatic organisms before or after being farmed elsewhere in the zone by the holder of a licence authorised to farm the aquatic organisms in that other part of the zone;

(b) in the Franklin Harbor (inner south) sector the leased area must not exceed 96.2 hectares;

(c) in the Franklin Harbor (outer) sector—

(i) the leased area must not exceed 10.5 hectares; and

(ii) 2 hectares must be leased or otherwise available for lease for the purposes of aquaculture tourism development or for the farming of aquatic organisms for the purposes of research.

Part 3—Franklin Harbor aquaculture exclusion zone

9—Identification of aquaculture exclusion zone

The Franklin Harbor aquaculture exclusion zone comprises the State waters described in Schedule 1 clause 2.

Schedule 1—Description of zones

1—Description of Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone

The Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone comprises sectors as follows:

(a) the Franklin Harbor (inner north) sector, comprising the State waters contained within and bounded by—

(i) a line commencing at 33°40'50.95" South, 136°56'19.03" East (Point 1), then north-easterly to 33°40'39.75" South, 136°56'25.93" East (Point 2), then easterly to 33°40'39.75" South, 136°56'32.06" East (Point 3), then north-easterly to 33°40'34.85" South, 136°56'33.12" East (Point 4), then north-easterly to 33°40'33.49" South, 136°56'35.76" East (Point 5), then north-easterly to 33°40'30.11" South (Point 6), then north-easterly to 33°40'26.61" South, 136°56'40.75" East (Point 7), then north-easterly to 33°40'25.11" South, 136°56'45.55" East (Point 8), then easterly to 33°40'24.68" South, 136°56'49.98" East (Point 9), then south-easterly to 33°40'25.41" South, 136°56'54.93" East (Point 10), then south-easterly to 33°40'27.21" South, 136°57'01.20" East (Point 11), then south-easterly to 33°40'29.29" South, 136°57'04.58" East (Point 12), then south-easterly to 33°40'32.61" South, 136°57'08.34" East (Point 13), then north-easterly to 33°40'31.53" South, 136°57'13.03" East (Point 14), then north-easterly to 33°40'31.11" South, 136°57'18.17" East (Point 15), then south-easterly to 33°40'32.50" South, 136°57'24.07" East (Point 16), then south-easterly to 33°40'34.11" South, 136°57'29.01" East (Point 17), then south-easterly to 33°40'36.14" South, 136°57'33.60" East (Point 18), then south-easterly to 33°40'40.03" South, 136°57'39.80" East (Point 19), then south-easterly to 33°40'43.23" South, 136°57'42.76" East (Point 20), then southerly to 33°40'46.68" South, 136°57'43.23" East (Point 21), then north-easterly to 33°40'45.23" South, 136°57'47.14" East (Point 22), then easterly to 33°40'44.68" South, 136°57'52.94" East (Point 23), then easterly to 33°40'44.67" South, 136°57'57.01" East (Point 24), then south-easterly to 33°40'46.86" South, 136°58'07.95" East (Point 25), then south-easterly to 33°40'49.26" South, 136°58'13.47" East (Point 26), then south-easterly to 33°40'50.99" South, 136°58'16.23" East (Point 27), then south-easterly to 33°40'51.64" South, 136°58'18.98" East (Point 28), then south-easterly to 33°40'54.01" South, 136°58'22.35" East (Point 29), then south-easterly to 33°40'54.78" South, 136°58'24.86" East (Point 30), then south-easterly to 33°40'56.35" South, 136°58'26.73" East (Point 31), then south-easterly to 33°41'03.43" South, 136°58'28.55" East (Point 32), then south-westerly to 33°41'06.88" South, 136°58'27.49" East (Point 33), then south-westerly to 33°41'10.00" South, 136°58'27.30" East (Point 34), then south-westerly to 33°41'18.60" South, 136°58'25.79" East (Point 35), then south-westerly to 33°41'23.86" South, 136°58'23.07" East (Point 36), then south-westerly to 33°41'30.19" South, 136°58'10.34" East (Point 37), then south-westerly to 33°41'32.28" South, 136°58'00.69" East (Point 38), then north-westerly to 33°41'31.23" South, 136°57'57.24" East (Point 39), then south-westerly to 33°41'32.78" South, 136°57'53.13" East (Point 40), then south-westerly to 33°41'41.50" South, 136°57'51.48" East (Point 41), then southerly to 33°41'49.63" South, 136°57'52.06" East (Point 42), then south-easterly to a location on a line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park closest to 33°41'56.10" South, 136°57'55.76" East

(Point 43), then beginning south-westerly following the line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park to the location closest to 33°42'47.59" South, 136°57'34.38" East (Point 44), then north-westerly to 33°42'12.95" South, 136°57'19.03" East (Point 45), then north-westerly to 33°41'19.95" South, 136°56'17.03" East (Point 46), then northerly to the point of commencement; and

(ii) a line commencing at 33°41'28.95" South, 136°56'15.03" East (Point 47), then south-easterly to 33°42'23.95" South, 136°57'12.03" East (Point 48), then south-easterly to 33°42'49.95" South, 136°57'26.03" East (Point 49), then south-westerly to a location on a line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park closest to 33°43'02.79" South, 136°57'23.17" East (Point 50), then beginning south-westerly following the line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park to the location closest to 33°43'19.46" South, 136°57'01.89" East (Point 51), then north-westerly to 33°43'15.65" South, 136°56'54.34" East (Point 52), then north-westerly to 33°43'06.98" South, 136°56'51.12" East (Point 53), then north-easterly to 33°43'02.69" South, 136°56'51.08" East (Point 54), then north-westerly to 33°42'53.29" South, 136°56'49.18" East (Point 55), then north-westerly to 33°42'44.01" South, 136°56'46.33" East (Point 56), then north-westerly to 33°42'36.54" South, 136°56'41.44" East (Point 57), then north-westerly to 33°42'33.50" South, 136°56'37.72" East (Point 58), then north-westerly to 33°42'29.73" South, 136°56'31.97" East (Point 59), then north-westerly to 33°42'28.02" South, 136°56'26.55" East (Point 60), then westerly to 33°42'27.86" South, 136°56'21.41" East (Point 61), then westerly to 33°42'27.52" South, 136°56'18.08" East (Point 62), then westerly to 33°42'28.16" South, 136°56'12.62" East (Point 63), then south-westerly to 33°42'29.27" South, 136°56'08.78" East (Point 64), then northerly to the point of commencement; and

(iii) a line commencing at 33°42'39.81" South, 136°56'15.67" East (Point 65), then south-westerly to 33°42'59.09" South, 136°56'05.22" East (Point 66), then easterly to 33°42'57.29" South, 136°56'31.50" East (Point 67), then southerly to 33°43'05.56" South, 136°56'33.48" East (Point 68), then westerly to 33°43'08.14" South, 136°56'05.21" East (Point 69), then southerly to a location on a line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park closest to 33°43'17.21" South, 136°56'05.71" East (Point 70), then beginning westerly following the line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park to a point closest to 33°43'49.88" South, 136°54'43.52" East (Point 71), then south-westerly to 33°43'54.32" South, 136°54'11.47" East (Point 72), then south-westerly to 33°44'01.54" South, 136°53'56.27" East (Point 73), then north-westerly to 33°43'58.08" South, 136°53'53.92" East (Point 74), then north-easterly to 33°43'50.86" South, 136°54'09.11" East (Point 75), then north-easterly to 33°43'46.57" South, 136°54'33.16" East (Point 76), then north-easterly to 33°42'49.09" South, 136°55'44.58" East (Point 77), then north-easterly to the point of commencement; and

(iv) a line commencing at 33°41'19.95" South, 136°56'00.03" East (Point 78), then East to 33°41'19.95" South, 136°56'05.03" East (Point 79), then south-westerly to 33°41'57.95" South, 136°55'59.03" East (Point 80), then south-westerly to 33°42'21.95" South, 136°55'47.03" East (Point 81), then south-westerly to 33°43'29.11" South, 136°54'32.59" East (Point 82), then south-westerly to 33°43'48.16" South, 136°54'03.98" East (Point 83), then south-westerly to 33°43'52.18" South, 136°53'50.14" East (Point 84), then north-westerly to 33°43'34.19" South, 136°53'38.53" East (Point 85), then north-easterly to 33°43'30.88" South, 136°53'44.29" East (Point 86), then north-easterly to 33°43'29.76" South, 136°53'47.23" East (Point 87), then north-easterly to 33°43'27.04" South, 136°54'02.59" East (Point 88), then north-easterly to 33°43'23.92" South, 136°54'10.25" East (Point 89), then north-easterly to 33°43'08.50" South, 136°54'29.21" East (Point 90), then north-easterly to 33°43'05.87" South, 136°54'31.45" East (Point 91), then north-easterly to 33°42'49.18" South, 136°54'49.75" East (Point 92), then north-easterly to 33°42'45.68" South, 136°54'52.50" East (Point 93), then north-easterly to 33°42'37.91" South, 136°55'02.92" East (Point 94), then north-easterly to 33°42'33.94" South, 136°55'16.52" East (Point 95), then north-easterly to 33°42'30.05" South, 136°55'23.62" East (Point 96), then north-easterly to 33°42'26.35" South, 136°55'25.47" East (Point 97), then north-westerly to 33°42'21.92" South, 136°55'25.09" East (Point 98), then northerly to 33°42'14.13" South, 136°55'25.36" East (Point 99), then north-easterly to 33°42'10.70" South, 136°55'27.15" East (Point 100), then north-easterly to 33°42'06.82" South, 136°55'28.97" East (Point 101), then north-easterly to 33°42'03.06" South, 136°55'32.57" East (Point 102), then north-easterly to 33°41'57.61" South, 136°55'40.57" East (Point 103), then north-easterly to 33°41'50.60" South, 136°55'48.57" East (Point 104), then north-easterly to 33°41'47.80" South, 136°55'50.78" East (Point 105), then northerly to 33°41'42.97" South, 136°55'51.16" East (Point 106), then north-westerly to 33°41'36.75" South, 136°55'48.42" East (Point 107), then north-easterly to the point of commencement;

(b) the Franklin Harbor (inner south) sector, comprising the State waters contained within and bounded by a line commencing at 33°43'58.08" South, 136°53'53.92" East (Point 74), then south-easterly to 33°44'01.54" South, 136°53'56.27" East (Point 73), then north-easterly to 33°43'54.32" South, 136°54'11.47" East (Point 72), then north-easterly to a location on a line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park closest to 33°43'49.88" South, 136°54'43.52" East (Point 71), then beginning south-westerly following the line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park to a location closest to 33°44'06.38" South, 136°54'38.47" East (Point 108), then south-easterly to 33°44'09.95" South, 136°54'46.03" East (Point 109), then south-easterly to 33°44'25.95" South, 136°55'07.03" East (Point 110), then south-easterly to 33°44'41.95" South, 136°55'20.03" East (Point 111), then south-easterly to 33°44'58.95" South, 136°55'25.03" East (Point 112), then south-westerly to 33°45'15.95" South, 136°55'19.03" East (Point 113), then south-westerly to 33°45'18.95" South, 136°55'14.03" East (Point 114), then westerly to 33°45'20.95" South, 136°55'03.03" East (Point 115), then westerly to 33°45'21.95" South, 136°54'54.03" East (Point 116), then westerly to 33°45'21.95" South, 136°54'40.03" East (Point 117), then south-easterly to 33°45'34.95" South, 136°54'43.03" East (Point 118), then south-westerly to 33°45'46.95" South, 136°54'35.03" East (Point 119), then south-westerly to 33°46'02.95" South, 136°54'15.03" East (Point 120), then south-westerly to 33°46'09.95" South, 136°53'58.03" East (Point 121), then westerly to 33°46'10.95" South, 136°53'32.03" East (Point 122), then westerly to 33°46'09.95" South, 136°53'22.03" East (Point 123), then north-westerly to 33°45'52.95" South, 136°52'53.03" East (Point 124), then North to 33°45'27.95" South, 136°52'53.03" East (Point 125), then East to 33°45'27.95" South, 136°53'00.12" East (Point 126), then south-easterly to 33°45'53.50" South, 136°53'47.74" East (Point 127), then north-easterly to 33°45'42.85" South, 136°54'12.08" East (Point 128), then north-easterly to 33°45'07.16" South, 136°54'25.42" East (Point 129), then north-easterly to 33°45'00.24" South, 136°54'40.87" East (Point 130), then North to 33°44'33.95" South, 136°54'40.87" East (Point 131), then West to 33°44'33.95" South, 136°52'16.63" East (Point 132), then northerly to 33°44'29.04" South, 136°52'16.14" East (Point 133), then northerly to 33°44'22.28" South, 136°52'16.71" East (Point 134), then north-easterly to 33°44'15.36" South, 136°52'19.24" East (Point 135), then north-easterly to 33°44'10.29" South, 136°52'22.14" East (Point 136), then north-easterly to 33°44'05.40" South, 136°52'25.46" East (Point 137), then north-easterly to 33°43'59.97" South, 136°52'32.19" East (Point 138), then north-easterly to 33°43'57.89" South, 136°52'38.17" East (Point 139), then north-easterly to 33°43'55.63" South, 136°52'43.49" East (Point 140), then north-easterly to 33°43'53.98" South, 136°52'47.87" East (Point 141), then north-easterly to 33°43'52.19" South, 136°52'50.49" East (Point 142), then north-easterly to 33°43'50.46" South, 136°52'55.21" East (Point 143), then easterly to 33°43'49.83" South, 136°52'59.80" East (Point 144), then easterly to 33°43'48.31" South, 136°53'09.18" East (Point 145), then north-easterly to 33°43'41.93" South, 136°53'25.65" East (Point 146), then north-easterly to 33°43'34.19" South, 136°53'38.53" East (Point 85), then south-easterly to 33°43'52.18" South, 136°53'50.14" East (Point 84), then south-westerly to 33°43'53.95" South, 136°53'44.03" East (Point 147), then south-westerly to

33°44'10.95" South, 136°53'17.03" East (Point 148), then south-easterly to 33°44'15.95" South, 136°53'23.03" East (Point 149), then north-easterly to 33°44'00.10" South, 136°53'46.35" East (Point 150), then north-easterly to the point of commencement;

(c) the Franklin Harbor (outer) sector, comprising the State waters contained within and bounded by a line commencing at 33°43'34.61" South, 136°59'24.42" East (Point 151), then south-easterly to 33°43'50.72" South, 137°00'01.86" East (Point 152), then south-westerly to 33°44'01.95" South, 136°59'57.80" East (Point 153), then West to 33°44'01.95" South, 136°59'12.40" East (Point 154), then north-westerly to 33°43'51.16" South, 136°59'01.81" East (Point 155), then north-easterly to the point of commencement.

Note—

The point references in this description are references to the corresponding points in the maps in Schedule 2.

2—Description of Franklin Harbor aquaculture exclusion zone

The Franklin Harbor aquaculture exclusion zone comprises the State waters contained within and bounded by a line commencing at mean high water springs closest to 33°40'15.69" South, 136°56'09.25" East (Point 161), then beginning south-easterly following the line of mean high water springs to the location closest to 33°43'22.23" South, 137°00'27.88" East (Point 156), then southerly to 33°44'08.31" South, 137°00'31.42" East (Point 157), then south-westerly to a location on a line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park closest to 33°44'34.71" South, 136°58'45.11" East (Point 158), then beginning south-easterly following the line 1 000 metres seaward of Franklin Harbor Conservation Park to the line of mean high water springs closest to 33°48'00.12" South, 136°50'32.93" East (Point 159), then beginning generally north-easterly following the line of mean high water springs to the southern boundary of Allotment Piece 51 in Deposited Plan 91096 closest to 33°40'15.72" South, 136°55'51.38" East (Point 160), then easterly along the boundary of that allotment to the point of commencement, but excluding—

(a) any land or waters so encompassed that lie landward of the line of mean high water springs; and

(b) the Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone.

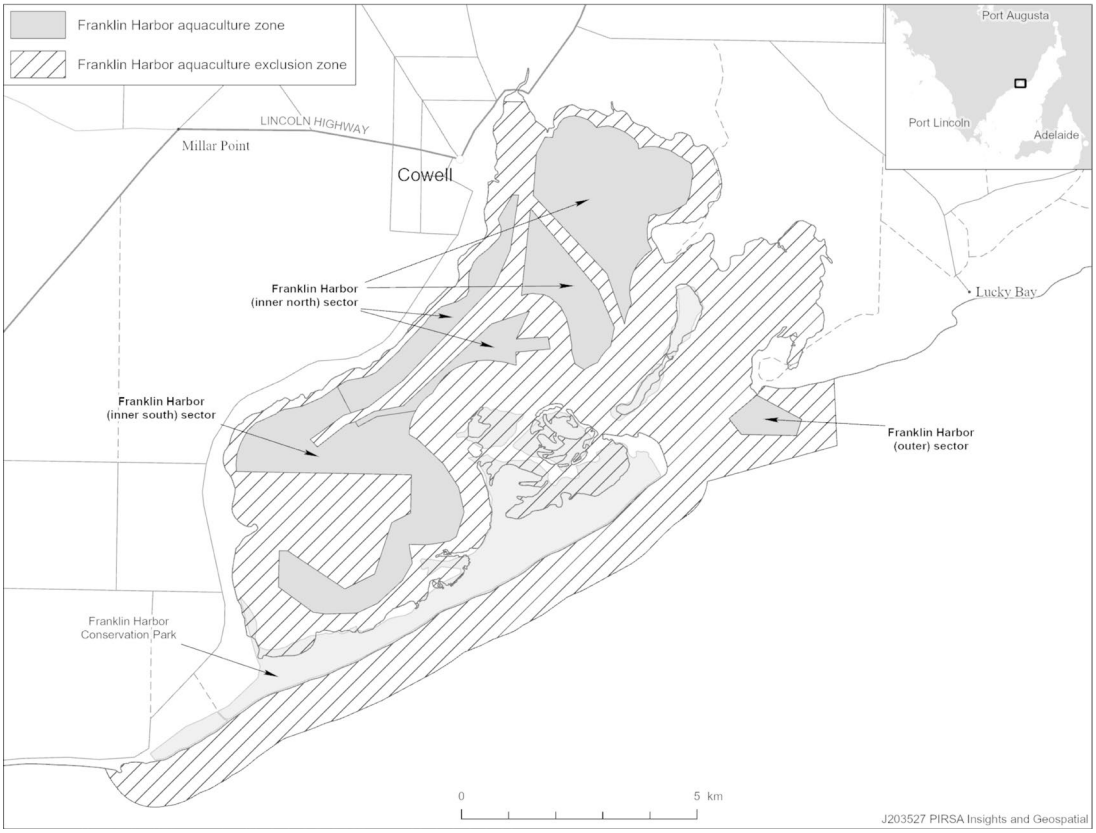
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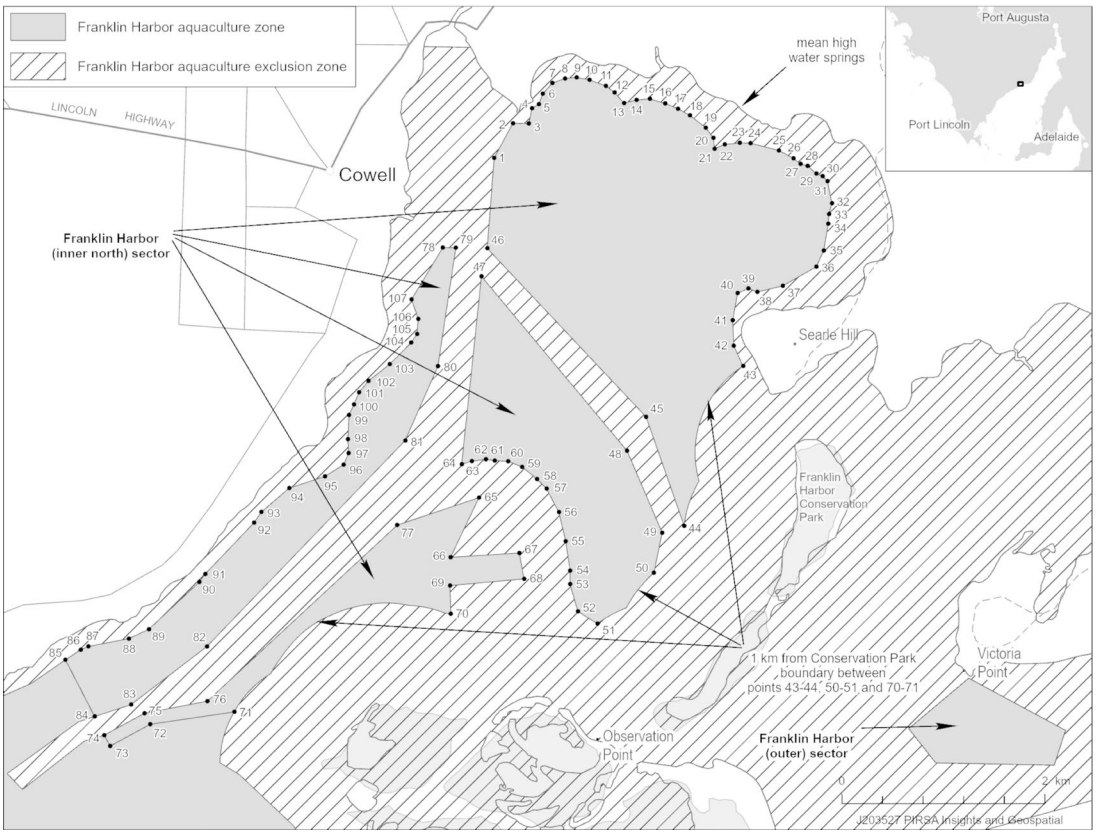
Schedule 2—Maps of zones

The maps in this Schedule are provided for convenience of reference only.

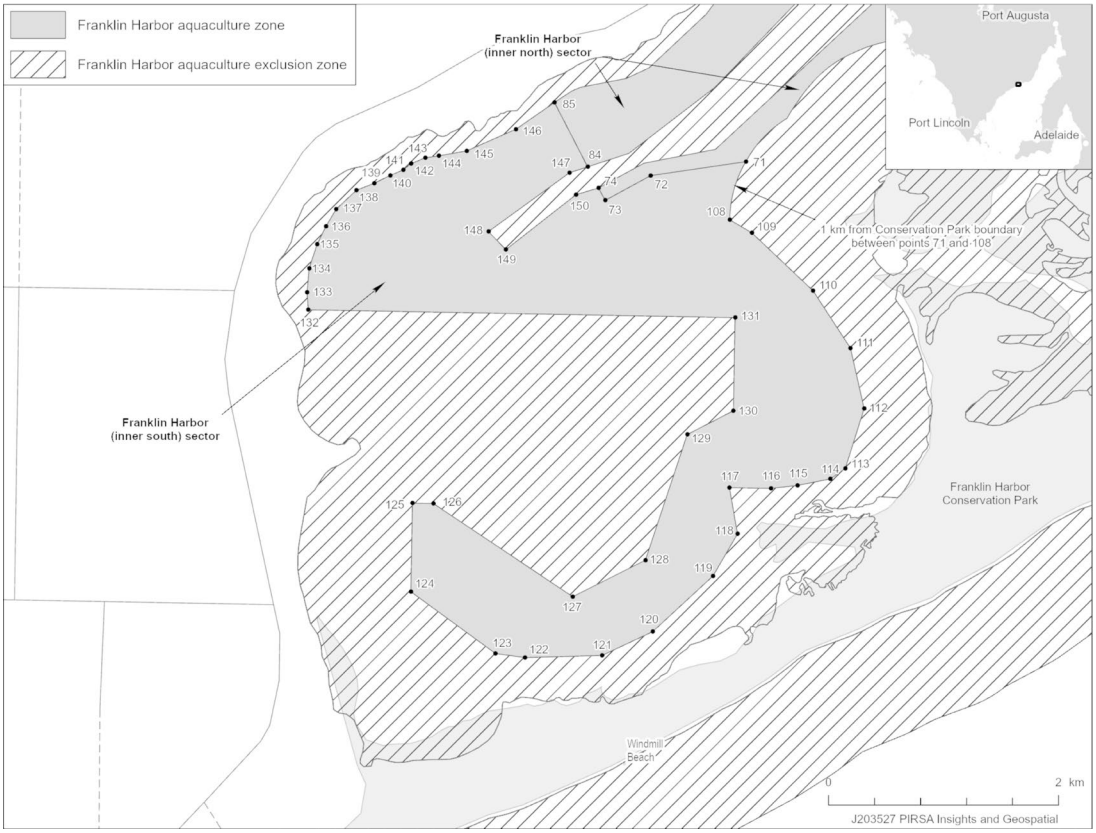
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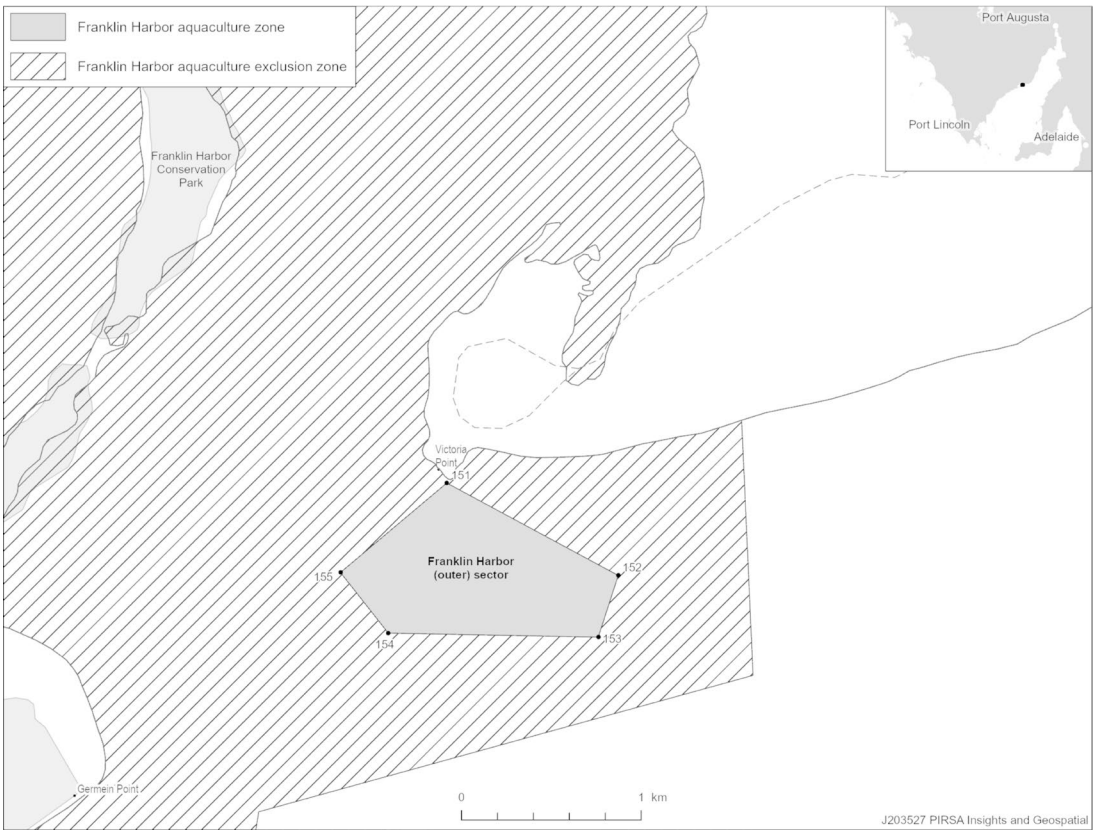
Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone (Franklin Harbor (inner north) sector)



Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone (Franklin Harbor (inner south) sector)



Franklin Harbor aquaculture zone (Franklin Harbor (outer) sector)



Franklin Harbor aquaculture exclusion zone

