



Vehicular Beach Access (interim only)

Policy

Recfishwest strongly advocates continued and enhanced vehicular access to and along beaches on behalf of the fishing community, and consequently will oppose arbitrary and unsubstantiated cases for the curtailment of fair continuing access. Recfishwest supports the continued historical safe access to beaches by responsible anglers.

Recfishwest recognises that occasionally there may be justification for curtailment of vehicular access to and along beaches (ie. a diminishing of rights), on a 'case by case' basis. It is, however, Recfishwest's strong view that the onus for explaining such action lies with the proponent for the changes, and that any such change must be undertaken in accordance with normal community consultation principles, which should include Recfishwest as the peak recreational fishing body recognised by Government.