

Insufficient time for public consultation. Dragon boating is a great community sport - it needs to be encouraged, not have impediments thrown in its way at short notice.

Dragon boat operating requirements (Section 6) - 200m from shore is not feasible when crossing the lake to return home, otherwise we need to carry life jackets (without sufficient space). It is safer in general to cross the middle of the lake which is over 400m in places, so we would be breaching the operating requirements. The 200m rule means you can only cross the lake at the narrow sections (ie bridges), Tarcoola Reach, near the islands which are more congested, making this a less safe option.