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Field Report Western Province

Group

Team Kavachi Ocean Planning Team



Figure 1 Team Kavachi

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Consultation Dates:

Gizo - Provincial Government Stakeholders	19/8/2019
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Gizo – Community stakeholders	20/9/2019
Munda - Community/Provincial stakeholders	23/8/2019
Seghe - Community	27/8/2019
Shortlands - Community	27/9/2019

Introduction

The Team Kavachi members (Honiara-based) departed Honiara on Sunday 18th August 2019 at 7am to Gizo Town, Capital of Western Province, whilst other members travelled on Monday 19th August 2019 7am flights. The counterpart of Team Kavachi WCS members left Honiara to Munda by MV Fair Glory and by OBM to Gizo on Monday 19th August, according to the Western Province Trip Schedule. Team Kavachi first made a courtesy call/ visit to the Provincial Government on Monday 19th August 2019, 10:30am to 11:40am, with Provincial Members, and the Deputy Premier of Western Province. WPG is one of the key informants, and to introduce the ocean story. This was then followed by consultation with the WPG Head of Divisions (HOD) at 1:00pm at Tinokae Conference room, Gizo.

Team Kavachi had its second meeting consultation with community representatives on Tuesday 20th August 2019, at Tinokae Conference Room. Stakeholder included representatives from NGOs, CBRMs, CBOs, Fishing Associations, Faith Based Organizations, Town Council, tourism operators, village reps, and other institutions.

Team Kavachi MSP continued on for Region2: Munda, particularly for Roviana lagoon, and the Vona Vona lagoon. The MSP meeting was held at Agnes Hotel Conference Room on 23rd of August 2019, started at 9:00am-4:30pm. It was a full day meeting with interactions and discussions around topics on MSP; Ocean Policy; Ocean Acts or Laws; rights related to customary rights, national jurisdictions, and international waters and beyond.

The consultation in the third region (Region3-Marovo lagoon), was held at Seghe, substation of Marovo lagoon. Participants were from three main Islands, New Georgia Islands eastern communities, Vangunu Island communities and Gatokae Islands. The consultation meeting took place at Seghe Ecumenical Church Hall on the 26th of August 2019.

In September a team of 3 Ocean Planning team members were deployed to Shortlands to conduct consultation in these remote areas. On 27. September 2019 a full day consultation meeting with community representatives was held in Nila Parish Church Hall, Shortland Islands.



Results and Feedback

Monday 19th August 2019 – Gizo - Provincial Government Executives Courtesy Call



Figure 2 Courtesy call to Provincial Government Executives

<u>Team Kavachi members</u>	<u>WP Govt members</u>
Veira Pulekera Team Leader	Christian Mesepitu MPA & Deputy Premier WPG Minister of Finance & Treasury MPA (ward 7-Vellalvela Island)
Chillion Panasasa	Goldie Nunala MPA Minister for Lands & Housing MPA (ward 21-Marovo Lagoon)
David Aram	Ron Ghemu MPA Minister for Tourism, Culture and Sports(ward 5-Marovo Lagoon)
Tingo Leve	Godfrey Aihakau Senior Admin officer WPG

General Findings and discussion points raised

- The presentation is very interesting and very new to some of us, thank the ocean planning team to visit WP government office and share the ocean story.



- Information like this is very important and should be shared to the rural communities.
- Management practice to be reviewed, we concentrate on things we see and make wrong decision example logging practice
- Ocean planning is a new thing and about right time to have this ocean story thing going
- Ocean planning is new and very interested to know about ocean use.
- Is there any monitoring system for the ocean space by the government in place?
- It is important to have an ocean act put together, the timing is right to put together one and have to be a very good one
- 3D model slide was recommended to be shown to the leaders for their awareness purposes
- Since we are member of the coral triangle initiative, is MSP part of the CTI? Very surprise to see the deep sea mining tenements in the provincial waters of western province.
- Just for precaution purposes for us not involve or associate with military activities from the outside world to come into our waters.

19th AUGUST 2019 – Gizo – Stakeholder: Head of divisions (HOD) of Western Province Government

Group1: Julie Kalamana, Terence Ziru, and Trina Paroi

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	1.Management activities -conservation sites or MPAs, LMMAs (green) 2.Economic Activities -fishing activities (artificial fishing areas/zones) (green) 3-Logging activities (log pond) -logging anchorage area (RED) 4.Tourism activities-homestays; important tourism visit/ sites (YELLOW) 5.Cultural Activities?	1-Fishing (large and small scale) (green) 2-Small scale fishing (green) 3-Conservation (Management activities) (yellow)
What activities would you like to see where? (blue)	6.Aquaculture activity (seaweed/bech de mer) Bechdermer trainings.	1-Fishing (large scale) (green) 2-Fishing (small scale) (green)
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (RED)	7-Logging-log pond should be properly done (RED) Deep Sea mining/sea bed mining) (RED)	8*Mining activities should be minimised(stopped) on coastal (offshore) sites (red) 8 *Mining activities along coastal sites (Isabl-



Bugotu/Marine) should be stopped

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Frequent updates on social media (facebook, twitter)
- Implement ocean related programs in Provincial Communities
- Print media
- Text messages

What do you think of Ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- It is a new topic us
- It is a very important approach to have an integrated plan for ocean

There will be an Ocean Law - what do you think should be included/considered?

- Ocean Law will greatly help by involving everyone. This will ensure the law is upheld (or respected).
- Culture conscious

Group 2: Allan Takanunu, Eddie Kotomae, Brian Beti

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	1-Artisanal fisheries in costal areas of all the islands -fishing -trawling -diving (green) 2-Logging (red) 3-scuba diving (blue) 4-Community conservation (yellow) 5-Surfing (yellow)	1.off shore fishing (FAD) (green) 2. Fishing under PNA (green)
What activities would you like to see where?	6-Potential Tourism sites (yellow) Some existing, others still on the way(development)	3-sustainable harvesting of fish stock and other marine spp, example turtle (green)
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	7-logging (red) 8-Under sea mining (coastal-Offshore) (red)	4-sea bed mining (yellow) 5-Banned Driftnet fishing (blue)



Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- social media
- Pint media
- Continuous community consultation

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- Important because Ocean is part of us
- Contain vast resources that could benefit us
- We need management plans to harvest them sustainably
- Need legislate laws to govern our ocean at the national, Provincial and local level

There will be an ocean law, what do you think should be included/considered?

- National Parliament Acts
- Provincial Ordinances
- Our Rights

Group3: Ceder Nevol, Willie Etupio, Chillion Panasasa

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)	0-Economic activities Logging (green) Tourism (green) organic farming (green) 1-Cultural Activity Fishing (green)/Diving-bechdermer	1-Fishing (large and small scale) (green) 2-Small scale fishing (green) 3-Conservaion (Management activities) (yellow)
What activities would you like to see where?	6.Aquaculture activity (Seaweed/bech de mer) Bechdermer trainings. NB: Conservation Area Fishing Management 5.Tenament Areas NB: No SEA MINING-PROSPECTING Or UNDERSEA Mining	1-Fishing (large scale) (green) 2-Fishing (small scale) (green)



What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)

Logging-log pond should be properly done
Deep Sea mining/sea bed mining)

8*Mining activities should be minimised(stopped) on coastal (offshore) sites (red)
8 *Mining activities along coastal sites (Isabel-Bugotu/Marine) should be stopped

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved

Update us by email/fax

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reason?

- Protect marine ecosystem
- For sustainable harvesting

There will be an ocean law – what do you think should be included/considered

- Include/reconcile traditional heritage
- Involve land owners before endorse the ocean law
- Do not involve foreign laws
- Do not copy and paste foreign laws

General Findings and discussion points raised

- Presentation and information should be given to parliamentarians for their awareness and files
- What we may have experienced with land based activities which are not good should not be included or captured in the ocean planning (example: mining)
- It is important that we use our ocean planning consultation to involve the nation; it's a new idea where we are tasked to do the ocean story and continue from here



Tuesday 20th August 2019 – Gizo - Stakeholder: Community Representatives



Figure 3: Community stakeholder in Gizo

Group 1: Alpha Ghelly, Frazer Nuapitu, Henis Ghoni, and Evemali Ofota'a

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	Green 1 – 16 = Resort (Hotel, Sanbis, Fat boys, Saeragi) , Airport, diving site, mangrove, seaweed, tabu site, agriculture site, fishing ground, conservation site, surfing site, cultural site, spawning site	Green = Tuna hotspot (economic activities)
What activities would you like to see where?	Blue = Resource management along coastal areas (gizo). IFAD (Inshore fishing aggregation device)	More effort to E.E.Z monitoring
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Red = Mining – no coral mining along the coastal areas Pollution – do not treat our ocean as a dumping site	Red = illegal entry inside Solomon Islands zone



	Types of fishing gears – using of gillnets and dynamites should be banned	
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Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Radio
- More awareness
- News paper
- Facebook
- Through politician

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Ocean planning is good tool. Sustainability of everything that meet our livelihood and food security

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Increase penalties
- Tighten up the security

Group 2: Henry Kuma, Stephen Sibiti, Danny Kennedy and Renee Rario

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	1-Red logging 2-Green-Conservation Area 3.Blue-Tourism & bird Watching 4. yellow-FAD& Reforestation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fishing activities
What activities would you like to see where?	1.Diving, Snorkelling, Surfing & Fishing 2. Marine Protected Areas, & FAD Projects 3. Protecting & Promoting historical sites whether its war sites or cultural site Note: Reduction of Destructive Activities & Increase Green, Blue & Yellow coded activities for all locations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restricted fishing method like only pole & line • High value areas



What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?

1. logging
2. Ocean prospecting
3. Coral Harvesting
4. oil spill
5. Industrial Waste/General waste
6. poaching

Note: Reduction of Activities to all location within the Province (1-6)

- Deep sea mining
- Deep sea prospecting
- Net boat fish

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Media broadcast
- Paper media and electronic (online)
- Community awareness program

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Ocean planning is important for sustainability of economy for the country and for our future generation

There will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- No dumping of waste
- No deep sea mining
- Heavy penalties for groundings
- Heavy penalties for poachers



Figure 4 Mapping activities in Gizo

Group 3: Ikuo Gumo Tigulu, John Selwyn Kei and Rev Becky Kahui

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
<p>What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)</p> <p>(Yellow color is used for this question as well)</p>	<p>Green 1 = Logging</p> <p>Green 2 = Fisheries</p> <p>Yellow 3 = Tourism (including diving spots)</p> <p>Yellow 4 = MPA (including hotspots)</p> <p>Yellow 5 = Anchorage</p>	<p>Green 1 = Long line fishing (Japanese Tuna/Chinese Tuna/others) Net boat fishing/whale catching</p> <p>Green 2 = Mining activities</p> <p>Green 3 = Bomb blasting/nuclear testing</p>
<p>What activities would you like to see where? (blue colour)</p>	<p>Blue 6 = Infrastructure (roads & bridges)</p> <p>Blue 7 = Conservation (management area – expand these areas)</p>	<p>Blue 4 = Fishing should continue for food/revenue</p> <p>Blue 5 = Conservation of marine resources</p>



What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)

Red 8 = logging
Red 9 = Over-harvesting of marine resources (stop undersize catch)
Red 10 = Waste Disposal (solid wastes) into marine areas

Red 6 = Dumping waste in our ocean
Red 7 = Bomb blasting/nuclear testing
Red 8 = Dumping wastes (Same as no. 6)

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Stage Lots of workshops/facilitate open forums
- Awareness programmes
- feedback reports
- media
- consultancy administrative duties

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- Very important to plan for future development to include policies that will govern the use of marine resources
- People depend on the ocean for survival
- Special survival depends on it

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Conserve areas that are of high value
- Increase penalty and fine
- Carefully identify nursery areas
- Restrictions on gears. For example, size of net
- Law must be presented in a way that people in the rural areas can understand

GROUP 4: Rendy Solomon, Amon Tauman, Tamisia Teiona and Manoj Dhari

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	<p>Green 1 = Economic activities such as logging, fisheries center, boat repair slipway, tourism, copra, gardening and farming</p> <p>Green 2 = Social Activities – leisure tourism and surfing</p>	<p>Green 1 = Economic activities – tuna harvesting</p>



	Green 3 = Management activities – Marine Protected areas (MPA)	
What activities would you like to see where?	Red 1 = upscale and expand of MPAs Red 2 = Provide trainings & information to communities impacted with environmental diversions and implement coral re-planting	Yellow 1 = Limit fishing activities such as (tuna line, pole line, net boat) to neighbouring islands (not too close/give estimated distance)
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Yellow 1 = Ban logging (use of eco-friendly harvesting of logs) and do reforestation programmes Yellow 2 = Ban any form of prospect for mining Blue = illegally harvesting of undersized fish and other marine life for commercial purposes.	Red 1 = Ban the net boat fishing offshore <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No seabed mining - Illegal fishing activities and harvesting of marine products

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

Establish a local network at the provincial level to work in partnership with the government eg. Western Province Network for sustainable environment

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- It's on right time to develop legislation to govern our resources from ocean. For research purposes.
- It's very important to provide database for our ocean resources. Inventory of available resources.

One day there will be an "Ocean law" – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Control over imports (that will pose risk to our ocean (waste management/plastics)
- Enforcement team to carry out duties on enforcing the legislation.

Feedback and comments

- It's a big task that MSP is shouldering, most basic laws need to be address
- sick of Chinese people coming in and do new developments which are not properly inspected
- sewage needs to be addressed.



- There were policies already we have however the awareness to the rural population is always a challenge: so how can we share the ocean story and how can equip the messengers
- Decision makers have no idea and don't understand as there is no legal advisor for the province
- plastics and other stuff end up in our ocean
- EEZ heard of it but not know about it
- Benefit from the assets in the ocean
- Robbed by our oceans
- Rural areas first time to hear MSP
- First we thought that land is bigger than ocean, now we know that ocean is bigger than land
- Work hard to protect the ocean, ocean is us the people
- Ocean governance should be put in place
- We have worked within the 100 day policy blo govt
- Yes, 2% land and 98% of sea if I'm a fish I will have to swim few miles
- Keep our small land free from logging
- WP highest way of getting benefits is from logging
- 2 things happening at the same time, land pollution and fisheries
- There should be ocean regulation to be put in place for the future and for safe guard
- Put more conservation activities
- Recommendation is let all the stake holders, government, church come together to support the ocean planning as it is the glory of god
- LMMA work at Leona is very good want to thank world fish centre for the set up and the support
- There were no legislation but now the birth of ocean planning process
- Guilty of taking too much from the ocean and not more to look after the ocean
- Learn how to give back to the ocean
- Using the ocean as a dumping ground for waste
- Change direction in terms of managing the ocean
- Mentality to allow logging to be stopped
- 35 years and there were changes to be told
- MPA act is way too hard; logging takes 6 months to operate
- Re look at the system of the PA process
- Government to recognize the communities for their efforts towards their management plan activity
- There have to be a law to protect the economic zones
- Ocean planning should be done before independence



Friday 23rd August 2019 – Munda – Stakeholder: Community representatives



Figure 5 Consultation in Munda

Group 1: Stephen Koito, Junior Tusa, Miri Taqu and Allan T Bero

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)	<p>Green =</p> <p>Economic:</p> <p>E1 – Tuna Fishing</p> <p>E2 – Night diving</p> <p>E3 – Gleaning (shells)</p> <p>E4 – Logging activity</p> <p>E5-collect shells and sea cucumbers</p> <p>E6-tuna</p> <p>E7-</p> <p>Management:</p> <p>Ma1 – Nusa tuva mpa</p> <p>Ma2 – Kennedy island</p> <p>M3 – World Fish center</p> <p>M4 – Sanbis and fat boys resort</p> <p>CA1 – cultural sites/tambu sites</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • P1 pole & line fishing • Bait fish management
What activities would you like to see where? (yellow color)	Yellow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent close for pole & line



	M1 – conservation (400m above sea level) M2 – Whale and dolphin watch M2-Tambu sites Blue-Border security -Monitoring of Ocean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop a tracking device to locate fish
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)	Red = Ban undersea mining/oil/mineral Due to the effect which could poison our sea food and the ocean as a whole	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Under sea mining Waste management Boarder security PNG/Solo

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Community consultation
- MPA committee to be mediator
- Radio

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- Plan how to sustainable use of our resources
- Reserve some for the future and able to share to others

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Proper community consultation and must have element to enforce the law
- Right of use and ownership for traditional
- 100 NM to be owned by local

Group 2: Resly J, Roselyn Maekera, Noah Tawake and Alec Hughes

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green)	1: Small scale fishing activities 2: LMMA (M) 3: Tourism (E) 4: Aquaculture (E) 5: Forestry 6: Coastal development	1. Commercial fishing 2. TDA MPA
What activities would you like to see where? (yellow)	1: Tourism – resort/hotel 2: LMMA (M)	Offshore management area (OMA)



What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)	1: Logging (S) 2: Pollution (Noro Township)	1. Deep sea mining 2. Undersea cable with in the southern trench
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Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Quarterly reports
- Media reports

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Better now than never

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Coastal enforcement compliance
- Ocean act or law should have its own wording of charges and penalties
- High sea waters including foreigners
- Rights to ownership to be recognized
- Revisit the nautical miles and the rightful owners

Group 3: Daniel Suri, Paul Zere and Laeheng Sasabule

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)	Green E1 – Logging activities E2 – Fishing area E3 – Tourism E4 – Marine resources activities C1 – Picnics/sight seeing M1 – MPA, tambu area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economic activities are as follows <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Registered fishing vessel 2. Marine resources 3. Undersea cable • Management activity <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MPA activity
What activities would you like to see where? (yellow)		Create more MPA's in the areas where lots of marine activities involvement
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red)	Red S1 – Plastic waste disposal – littering in the coastal areas/ocean	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over harvesting of marine resources • Intruders harvesting marine resources



	S2 – Logging and sea pollution should be stopped Littering and land pollution from factories (cannery) Logging of vasara S3 – mining (sea/land)	
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Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Conduct more awareness in the rural areas
- More workshop

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Ocean planning is good so that people would know their ocean and their environment

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

Recognize the people’s rights

GROUP 4: Hon. Nickson Tula, Linda Leve, Johnson Haron

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)	Economic: E1: Resort E2: Logging E3: Tuna Factory E4: Tuna fishing (boat) E5: Airport/Transport E6: Dive (Tourism) E7: Fishing (local) E8: Fishery Center E9: Anchorag (Log Ship) Cultural: CS1: Conservation CS2: Mangrove, fishing site CS3: custom shark/cave/stone CS4: Tabu Site	1. Tuna fishing 2. Mining tenements 3. Research
What activities would you like to see where? (Yellow color)	(Yellow) PA1: Resource Management	1. Management of tuna 2. More rights to rural dwellers 3. MPA



		4. Nationwide management of leatherback turtles 5. Surveillance (monitoring)
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)	R1: Mining R2: Seabed mining R3: Mangrove destruction R4: Commercial Fishing R5: Logging	1. Deep sea mining 2. Dumping of rubbish by ships 3. Waste disposal by humans

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Consultation meetings
- Email
- Report distribution
- Social media

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- Necessary and very important
- Rural people seem powerless in terms of ocean developments
- Would like to see more rights given to people

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

More rights or ownership to rural community dweller on the ocean resources and space

General Feedbacks & Some Key Messages from MUNDA PARTICPANTS

- There is only one ocean, no two oceans in Solomon Islands. Sharing the same story is important
- Inform Grass root people, as we sometime destroy or stop activities implemented by the Government
- Ocean is us, if we spoil the ocean, we destroy our ocean,
- As Christians, we are stewards, we must properly manage our ocean
- This is day one, to attend the workshop, first information about ocean. Definition, ocean is large, our life, as reality we connect with the ocean,
- It is good that we must be responsible and manage the ocean.
- As cases, arise, we often deal with foreigners, issues and realities of enforcement over the marine resources.



- Terms on Acts, legislation for enforcement.
- Revisiting Nm, where relevant act stated over the ocean.
- If Ocean ACT is developed? Include wording of charge, and penalty?
- First time ever to attend this workshop to participate in this training.
- Interesting thing over Mapping, (Video), land are on-top over the Ridge to see in the ocean space. That is why foreigners would like to dive, there is beauty in the ocean, wonders, etc, these could be shared with our children, students and all people,
- It is very important, as it should involve stakeholders, church leaders, people
- More Awareness, Mothers included, because homes is where all children should learn about the ocean
- Strengthen Law over rubbish, or pollution or littering in the sea. Draw and learn from case in GIZO women. Let us do it for Munda
- Patrolling, activities in special areas over the ocean space (coral reefs, resources). This is important, and by looking at MAPs over the ocean space, it informs us to control or manage our resources
- It is important that Mapping helps us to understand our ocean, ourselves to properly manage our resources. Even more on awareness program

Some key Recommendations

- 12NM, It's not for BIG TUNA fishing, or coastal areas. It should be banned from deep sea fishing.
- What belongs to the people, in specific areas belongs to the people (ask National Government) to restrict the users over the space. Let the people use or access these areas. (strengthen the enforcement)
- Ocean is special, now the NG realises to work with the people and stakeholders to properly manage our ocean space.
- Strong involvement for all legislators when doing consultation doing, National, Sub-national, and people, since the legislator will endorse the laws or policies
- May be we don't just work on SINOP, and we must quickly develop Acts.



Tuesday 27th August 2019 – Seghe – Stakeholder: Community representatives



Figure 6 Community representatives in Seghe

Group 1: Remy Papae, Jeremiah Loleke, Siale Puilingi, Siana Watts, Sole Watts

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?(green color)	Green 1 = Fishing activities (income) Green 2 = Tourism Green 3 = MPA Green 4 = Logging	1. Fishing vessel (pole & line) 2. Perseine net boats 3. MPA
What activities would you like to see where?(yellow color)	Yellow 1 = MPA Yellow 2 = Marine management training Yellow 3 = Infrastructure (road/wharf) Yellow 4 = Tourism	1. Tuna management (size)



	Yellow 5 = Oil Palm Plantation/Reforestation	
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)	Red 1 = Rubbish disposal Red 2 = Pursene/log ships (oil spill/fishing) Red 3 = logging Red 4 = sea bed mining Red 5 = mining (land)	1. Waste disposal (ban) 2. Vessel route (restricted) 3. Sea bed mining (ban)

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved

Community awareness (inform the community through government officials on the ground e.g Fisheries officer Seghe or other officers from other ministries)

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons

- Beneficial
- It was a awareness to us of what is going on with in our ocean
- It will help sort out our confusion and competence
- Have a sense of ownership

There will be a ocean law – what do you think should be included/considered

We think our boundaries must be well indicated (customary rights, Provincial and national government sea boundaries)

Group 2: Tedrick Cyril, Iram Tupiti, Jenken Titihau and Hansome Here Jino

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green color)	Green 1 = Logging activities (including previously logged areas) Green 2 = Tourism (homestays, resorts, eco-tourism) Green 3 = Conservation (CBRM) Green 4 = Fishing grounds (spear fishing, diving, fishing etc.) Green 5 = Airport Green 6 = Health centres (clinics, hospital) Green 7 = mining (prospecting)	1. Commercial fishing (purseiners, pole & line, long line) 2. Ships routes (international shipping and inter island 3. Under sea mining (santa Isabel)



<p>What activities would you like to see where? (Yellow color)</p>	<p>Yellow 1 = sea port (wharf) Yellow 2 = International airport Yellow 3 = Five-star hotel Yellow 4 = Fisheries centre Yellow 5 = hydro power – (mini hydro) Yellow 6 = Prawn and tilapia farm Yellow 7 = clamshell farm Yellow 8 = coconut crab farm Yellow 9 = reforestation (plantation) Yellow 10 = sanctuary for birds (e.g. on Hele island) Yellow 11 = oyster farm Yellow 12 = Seaweed farm Yellow 13 = Ocean academy (marine school to be established) Yellow 14 = Marine tourism (sightseeing area)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Pole & line fishing and traditional fishing (artesinal) only 2. Commercial fishing (perseiners and long line fishing
<p>What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (red color)</p>	<p>Red 1 = Mining (undersea and land) Red 2 = quit logging (ban this activity for life)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Commercial fishing (stopped commercial fishing on the tuna hotspots 2. Under sea mining 3. No disposal of rubbish (discharging of wastes, oil, chemicals etc or other hazardous substances 4. Nuclear vessels travelling into our EEZ

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved

- Radio awareness program by MSP
- Newspapers and news letters
- Phone
- Regular community visits

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?



Though its quite late, but it's the way forward in managing our ocean. It is the key ocean policy (master plan) for the government

There will be an ocean law – What do you think should be included/considered?

- Resources owners' rights (customary rights) should be considered, recognized and taken into account
- There supposed to be a very clear laws regarding the ocean, separate laws should not clash with each other as in the case now
- There should be a very clear and specific mention at the law differentiating the ocean from sea, lagoons, lakes and streams etc

Group 3: Pr. Varane Graham, Fiona Kuve, Ronald Landa, Benneth Daiyda and Nickson Jino

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	Green 1 = Logging activities Green 2 = Fisheries activity Green 3 = Tourism Green 4 = MPA Green 5 = Agriculture activities Green 6 = mining activities	1. Foreign fishing vessel route 2. Tuna fishing grounds 3. MPA
What activities would you like to see where?	Yellow 1 = tourism activities Yellow 2 = MPA approval (Akara) must be expanded Yellow 3 = bechdemer – harvesting and export locally must be operated in Marovo Yellow 4 = Seaweed farming Yellow 5 = reforestation (merusu/ cattie – tree)	1. MPA activities 2. Illegal vessel route to be legalized
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Red 1 = Logging – must be strictly controlled. Red 2 = stop mining, no mining under water Red 3 = disposal of rubbish (out side vessel/foreign) from the log ship must be restricted Red 4 = fishing – commercial fishing must be controlled 30 nautical mile.	1. Foreign vessel route to be restricted 2. Poaching 3. Smuggling

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved



- Awareness non stop
- Create a centre (sinop) base for each province for continuous networking

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Best idea, it gives us good insights financially, education benefits and improved livelihoods

There will be an ocean law – what do you think should be included/considered

Boundary restriction

Group 4: Lidon Soga, Kanibule Whitney, Philipi Warane, Morgan Jimuru, Nelsy Kulu

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)? (green Color)	Green 1 = FAD Green 2 = conservation Green 3 = tabu site Green 4 = diving site Green 5 = resort (tourism) Green 6 = ports and anchorage	Commercial Fishing
What activities would you like to see where? (yellow)	Yellow 1 = more awareness in chubikopi mpa and sasaghana mpa Yellow 2 = conservation – need to conserve for marine research area Yellow 3 = diving site at Kavachi (tourism)	No inputs
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted? (Red color)	Red 1 = mining Red 2 = FAD. No commercial fishing Red 3 = logging Red 4 = Local dynamite	1. Commercial fishing 2. mining

Tell us the best way to keep you informed?

- Community awareness
- Social media
- Radio

What do you think of ocean planning? What your reasons?

- Ocean planning to protect the ocean from other threats



- To secure food security and other livelihoods

There will be an ocean law – what do you think should be included/considered?

Custom and culture

Group 5: Cleston Oti, Scofield Vora, Rodger Hapa, Eddie Hilton, Chuck Tati, Elmah Apia and Kerry Jembi

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	Green 1 = conservation Green 2 = tourism Green 3 = cultural sites Green 4 = commercial bait ground	1. Fishing activities by pole and line, purseiners, longliners 2. Rafters 3. MPA – first 50 miles zone
What activities would you like to see where?	Yellow 1 = surfing Yellow 2 = dive sites/snorkelling Yellow 3 = MPA Yellow 4 = wharf Yellow 5 – special areas for tourist activities	1. Control commercial fishing activities 2. Increase survilience
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Red 1 = dynamite fishing Red 2 = gill net fishing (under size) Red 3 = Pole and line fishing vessels fish outside 3 nautical Red 4 = No mining	1. Under sea mining 2. Dumping of rubbish and waste 3. Testing of nuclear weapons and chemicals

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved?

- Through awareness program
- Any form of media
- Through leader in the communities

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- The presentation of the ocean planning is very good initiative which includes all citizens
- Benefit for the future generations

There will be an ocean law – what do you think should be included/considered?



Refer to the coastal and offshore presentation in this workshop

General Feedbacks & Some Key Messages from MUNDA PARTICPANTS

- We still believe in our custom and culture
- This policy comes too late, should be done during independence time
- Every things already being destroyed and how will the policy be implemented
- Obstacles are global issues e.g. new technology we have to adapt to
- Include this in the education syllabus
- Plan to engage school on climate change activity, small but will have a clear message about the climate change
- Forget about the 3NM get as far as the 200NM
- Recommendation to the government is to stop or not allow fishing boats fishing in the 3 – 12 NM seas and just concentrate in the fisheries 30NM activity
- Interesting about the mapping exercise is we were remained of the existing activities happening in marovo area, some are good and some are bad
- Government acknowledged for getting the MSP down to the people, feel that we are part of the planning process
- Recommendations are, revisit the ownership of the 3nm and the 12nm, clear identify of boundary rights, common understanding on the boundaries, ear and eye for government if be part of it e.g. reporting poachers
- Air have effect on the land and sea
- Happy that there is an ocean policy
- Government principle – top down approach, your approach nice one bottom up approach
- Recommendation
 - Government to engage or involve more in sustainable developments activities
 - Reduce the mining and fishing industries
 - Involve the people so that they feel part of the ownership
 - Government to screen ocean activities and not too much pressure on commercial activities
 - Get this to the Planning Aid Coordination ministry that marovo to host 3 international tourism or ocean academy schools
 - More awareness to the schools and the rural areas
- Recommendation is to stop deep sea mining
- Speed up with MSP or ocean policy or act to have guide lines
- Important is the bottom up approach
- Foreign company e.g. uepi no development gain same as boats coming in no benefit
- Conservation is our property and not foreign owned
- Mining is not to be entertained – ban mining



Friday 27th September 2019 – Shortland Islands – Stakeholder: community representatives



Figure 7: Explaining mapping activities in Shortlands



Figure 8 Mapping activities in Shortlands

Group 1: Rem Alisae, John Bakeleng, James Auther, Zorike Tinida, Joseph Kaga

Questions	Costal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	(Green) 1.potential fishing ground 2.Managment Activities 3.Economic Activities	(Green) 1: Tuna Fishing 2: Common Fishing ground for local fisherman for Tuna 3: No dumping of waste- Diving and snorkelling site for tourists
What activities would you like to see where?	(Yellow) 1.FAD 2.Fishing Farming (mangrove)	(Yellow) 1-5: No dumping of waste materials such as plastics, tins and pet bottles.
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	(Red) 1.No use of explosives 2.No under size gillnet 3.No poaching from foreigners	(Red) 6: No use of drift net in the area



Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved?

Direct Communication to every stakeholders and proper consultation with communities involved.

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- Ocean planning is important.
- To manage our ocean and its sea resources
- Future use of the resources for the next generation

There will be an ocean law- what do you think should be included/considered?

- The law will safe guard and protect the ocean and its resources and stakeholder who will be responsible to implement to grassroots level.
- The Gov't should include the people in the communities who are traditional users of the ocean.

Group 2: Boala Steve, Caroline Laure, Gorae, Bruce Ofuana, Peter Kawaita, John Poliete, Flodina Brian, William Morgan, Chief Dominic Bukele

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	(Green) E1-Fishing E2-Malihina Log Pond E3-FAD E4-Nunuqari, Qema C1-Mamalohui Cultural Shark feeding. M1-Marine Protected Area (Tomoa) MI-(Map5) mainly for Feast Harvest area. M2-MPA Suinai M3-Onva MPA	(Green) E1: Route of boarder agreement 2004- fishing and cultural activity E2: Soltuna FADS C1: Taboo area for shark worship
What activities would you like to see where?	C1-Tourism-Support C1 –shark feeding C2-Support E1-Onvar for tourism C3 Support for tourism on Balalae C4Support fishing & cultural activities in Nunuqari and Qema C5 job opportunities for shortlands and people to administer the border	Yellow E3: Solomon Islands own fishing boats employing Solomon Islanders to harvest tuna- no foreigners E4: Bech-de- mer farming established



<p>What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?</p>	<p>(Red)</p> <p>R1 Dynamite fishing for sale by Bougainville should be (stopped) Refer Map6</p> <p>R2 International shipping routes passing through Alemy, Maleai, Mono to stop dumping harmful waste in the sea-, e.g, empty gas bottles, containers, plastics oil. Fishing with nets purseiners (Map8) should be stopped</p> <p>R3 No mining at Nunugari & Qema(Map1), between Aleang & Mono (map4)</p> <p>R1-E2-FAD (map4)</p> <p>R3</p> <p>R4 No Mining</p> <p>R5 No Mining in Sea Bed</p> <p>R6-No Mining behind Maleai, Nuhui to Moon Islands (Map6)</p> <p>Map 7- <i>Comments Turtle harvesting for Buin market and own Consumption</i></p> <p><i>Fresh fish for fresh fish buyer in Buin</i></p> <p><i>Crayfish harvesting shell money trade in Honiara</i></p> <p>E1 (red)-refers to Fishng</p>	<p>RED</p> <p>R1: No mining in tuna hot spot areas</p> <p>R2: No plastics, rubbish, oil spillage, empty drums, chemicals dumped in EEZ by foreign ships and local ships.</p>
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Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved?

- Workshop to continue update people on progress
- Educating children on how to manage the ocean
- Internet

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

We need Act, regulations, monitoring, evaluation, enforcement, compliance to be developed and enforced in our communities, province and in our country

There will be an ocean law- what do you think should be included/considered?

Balanced approached between survival provisions, economic, management, development, harvesting, reporting, monitoring, evaluation and futuristic



Group 3: Johnny Laena, Junita B, Tarasius, Margaret Lowen, John Alisae, Willie Subasu, Paul Maike, Morris B

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	(Green) E1-Fishing site (small scale fishery/Cook/smoking) C1-tambu sites/areas M1-Management area S1-Tourism(leisure) E2-Tourism-eco	(Green) E1: Commercial Fishing E2: Mining E3: Logging E4: Seaweed Farming
What activities would you like to see where?	Yellow C-Conservation Areas T-Tourism site SWF-Sea Weed Farming	Yellow : Reforestation M: Conservation area RF: Sea Farming: Clams/dolphins, turtles etc S: Tourism site
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Red L-Logging DSM-Mining/deep sea mining SR-Shipping Routes(commercial logging ships)	Red FV: Stop foreign vessels E3: Logging (Destruction of breeding grounds e.g. Mangroves) E2: Mining/Deep sea mining Over harvesting and collection of undersize sea marine resources

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved?

- Through media
- Provide workshop/Trainings
- FB, Internet, twitter etc

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

Ocean planning is a way of monitoring, protecting and managing of our ocean in order to have a safe and healthy ocean

There will be an ocean law- what do you think should be included/considered?



- No littering of rubbish in the sea (pollution)
- Overharvesting and collecting of undersize sea resources should be stop
- There should be regular sea monitoring (EEZ area)

Group 4: Peter E, Dellar Anthony, Kauto Lokiri, Claver peter, Josaphat Aminef, James Kito, and Chief Terence Tenepalo

Questions	Coastal	Offshore
What activities currently exist in the ocean (economic, cultural, social and management)?	(Green) E1-fishing activities E2-Shipping Route E3-Diving Bechdemer E4-logging pond E5-Tourism Industrial site/conservation area C1-Tambu Area/site M1-Conservation/MPA	(Green) E1: Fishing Industries E2: Transportation (Logs, Machineries, Diving E3: Economic Route- Marketing C1: Cultural shark C2: Cultural Crocodile
What activities would you like to see where?	Yellow C1-Clam Shell Breeding C2-Sea Weed Farming C3-Rafter (Fad) C4-Turtle Breeding C5-Bechdemer	Yellow T1: More tuna hotspot T2: Border control properly T3: sustainable harvesting of tuna (PHQ) marine resources
What activities do you think should be stopped or restricted?	Red D1-Dynamite fishing D2-logging (Pollution Coastal Areas) D3-Diving (scuba) D4-Over Harvesting D5- No mining -prospecting zones (Map2) - wreckage (tug boat-Map3) Wreckage (tug boat)	RED S1: Disposing of Garbage (Rubbish) S2: Overharvesting of Marine Resources S3: illegal crossing of maritime border S4: logging activities S5: Pollution (Fuel and waste) S6: Disposal of human waste

Tell us the best way to keep you informed or involved.

- Through SIBC program (twice a week)
- Internet



- More workshops

What do you think of ocean planning? What are your reasons?

- No over harvesting of our marine resources
- Less pollution

One day there will be an “Ocean law” – what do you think should be included/considered?

- Stop illegal crossing of border (Document)- No traditional ties)
- Stop using dynamite/Air bottles for harvesting of marine resources (scuba-diving)

Additional Comments from Parish Women Vocational Training Institution

1. Acknowledging that Ocean planning is timely, and crucial for purpose of proper management of our ocean space. Even this presentation helped us to get a bit of understating of Government roles and its commitments.
2. If these could strengthen Enforcement, and monitoring of ocean space, seeing that our ocean already face reality challenges.
3. Fisheries activities especially information of inshore fisheries if the informations could be shared to remote places like Shortlands, Our institutions should be resourced with such information to support staffs and students learning , and up skills, etc.

Participants lists

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Gizo Community – 19th August 2019

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Shortlands Islands – 27th September 2020

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Annexes

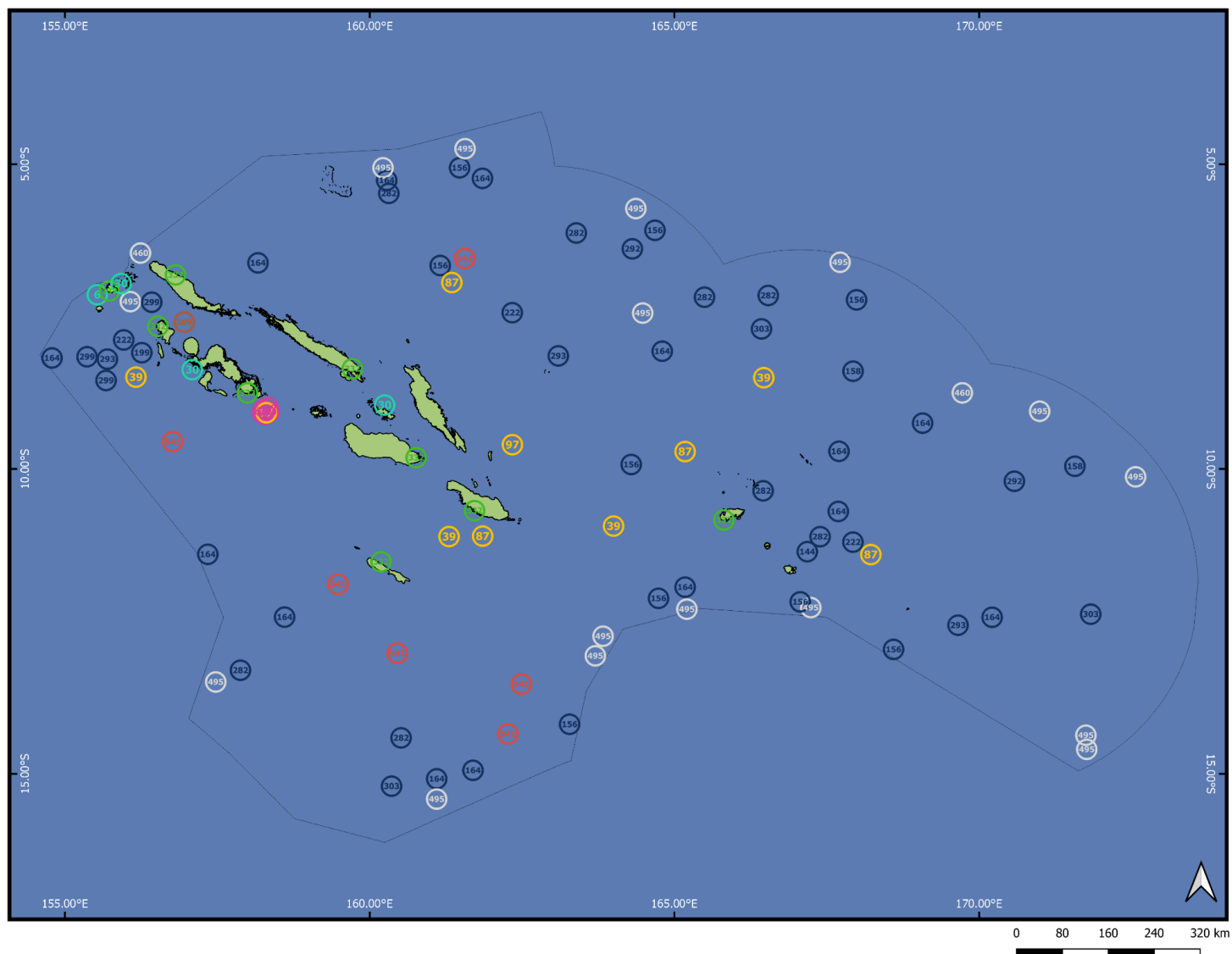
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Offshore maps	Coastal maps
Western Province - proposed activities	Shortland - proposed activities
Detail - proposed activities	West - proposed activities
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Ocean Planning Consultations 2019 - Western Province - Proposed Activities - offshore



Theme	No	Activity
Aquaculture	6	Beche de mer farming
Aquaculture	30	Sea farming: clams, dolphins, turtles, etc
Conservation and Resource Management	39	Conservation area
Conservation and Resource Management	87	Marine Protected Area
Conservation and Resource Management	97	Offshore Management Area
Fisheries	144	Artisanal fishing
Fisheries	156	Commercial & Industrial Fishing
Fisheries	158	Commercial fishing
Fisheries	164	Control Commercial Fishing
Fisheries	199	Fishing (fisheries)
Fisheries	222	Identification of more tuna hotspots
Fisheries	282	SI owned tuna fishing boats employing
Fisheries	292	Sustainable harvesting
Fisheries	293	Sustainable harvesting of tuna (PHQ) m
Fisheries	299	Tuna fishing
Fisheries	303	Tuna Management
Forestry	332	Reforestation
Marine Tourism	429	Potential Tourism Site
Maritime Security	460	Border control properly
Maritime Security	495	Increase Surveillance
Maritime Transport	541	Legalize Illegal Vessel Route
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	589	Dumping of waste



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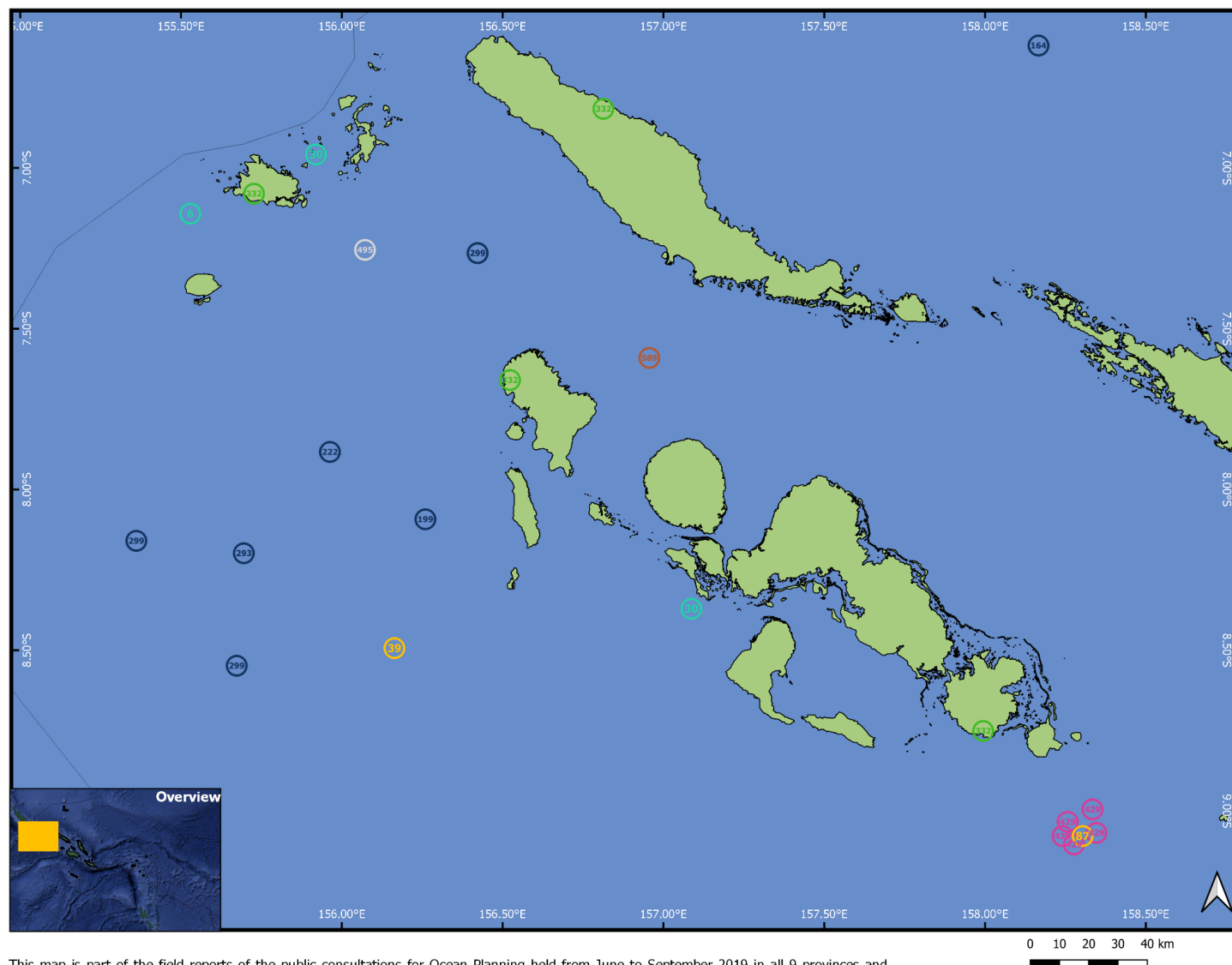
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Ocean Planning Consultations 2019 - Western Province (Detail) - Proposed Activities - offshore



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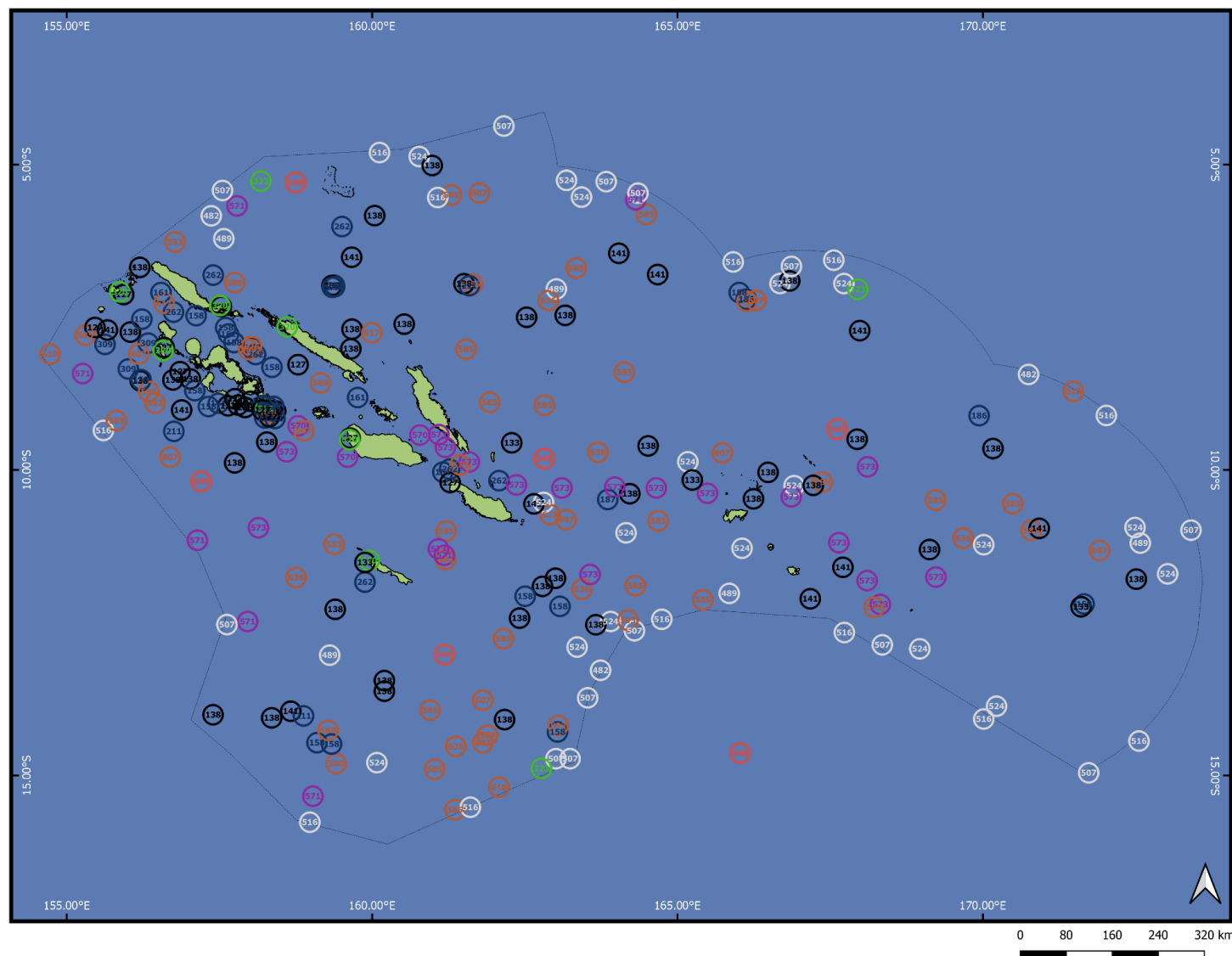
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Ocean Planning Consultations 2019 - Western Province - Unwanted Activities - offshore



Theme	No	Activity
Extractive Industry	127	Mining
Extractive Industry	133	Mining/ Seabed mining
Extractive Industry	138	Seabed mining
Extractive Industry	141	Seabed mining in Tuna Hotspot Areas
Fisheries	158	Commercial fishing
Fisheries	161	Commercial fishing ground
Fisheries	175	Destruction of breeding grounds
Fisheries	186	Drift net fishing
Fisheries	187	DSM (Monitoring)
Fisheries	203	Fishing vessel
Fisheries	211	Foreign fishing vessel
Fisheries	259	Overharvesting, collecting of undersize s
Fisheries	262	Pole line & Fishing Vessel
Fisheries	309	Use of drift net in the area
Fisheries	309	Use of drift net in the ocean
Forestry	319	Log Ship
Forestry	320	Logging
Forestry	323	Logging Activities
Maritime Security	482	Illegal crossing of maritime border
Maritime Security	489	Illegal Vessel Entry
Maritime Security	507	Poaching
Maritime Security	516	Smuggling
Maritime Security	524	Testing Nuclear Weapons
Maritime Transport	549	Shipping Route
Technology & IT	570	Nuclear Testing
Technology & IT	571	Nuclear Weapon
Technology & IT	573	Undersea cable
Waste Management/	575	Convenience Area (public toilet)
Waste Management/	585	Dumping of rubbish & waste
Waste Management/	589	Dumping of waste
Waste Management/	590	Dumping Rubbish
Waste Management/	593	Garbage disposal
Waste Management/	607	Plastics, rubbish, oil spillage, empty dru
Waste Management/	610	Pollution (fuel/waste)
Waste Management/	617	Rubbish
Waste Management/	618	Rubbish Disposal
Waste Management/	636	Waste disposal



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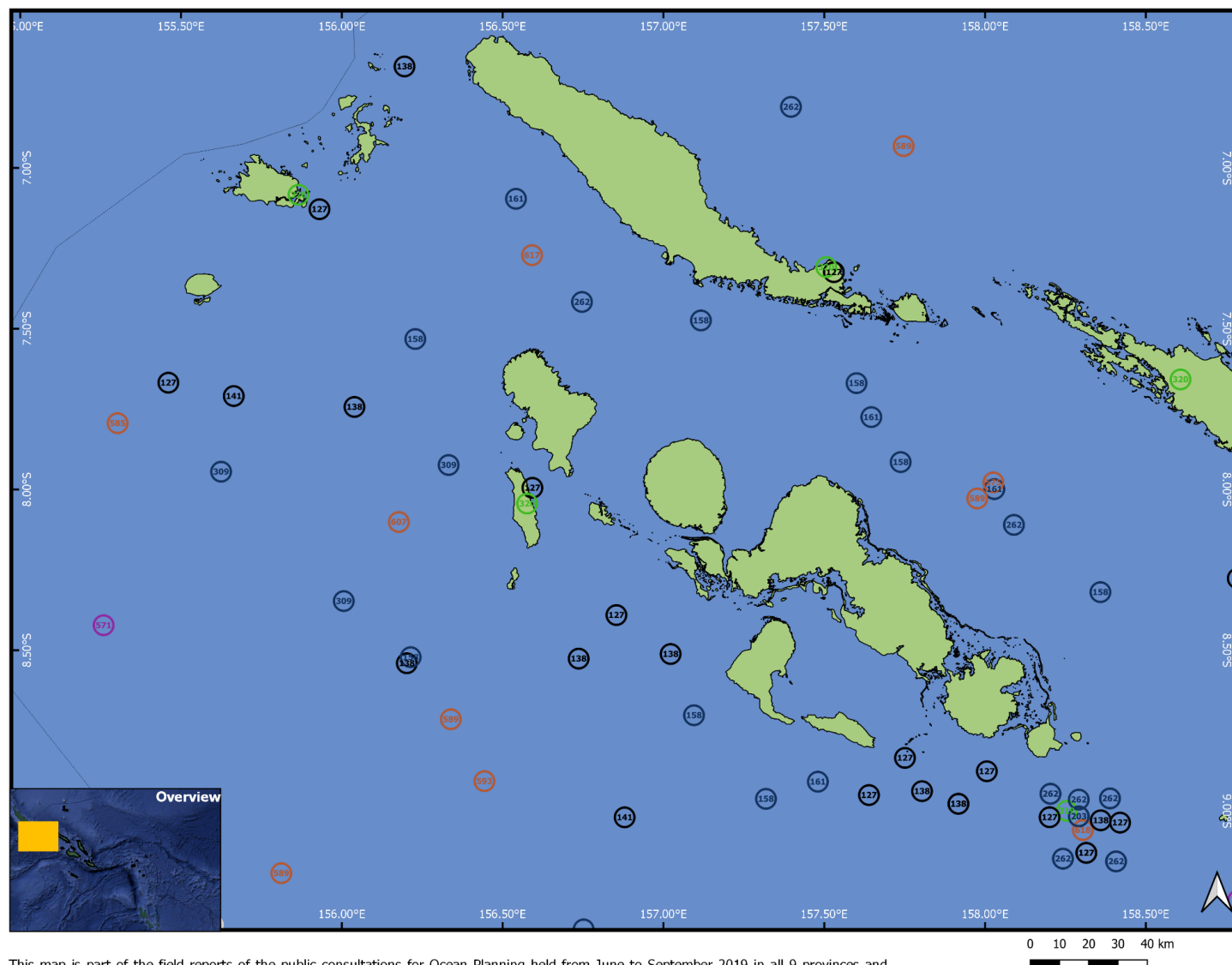
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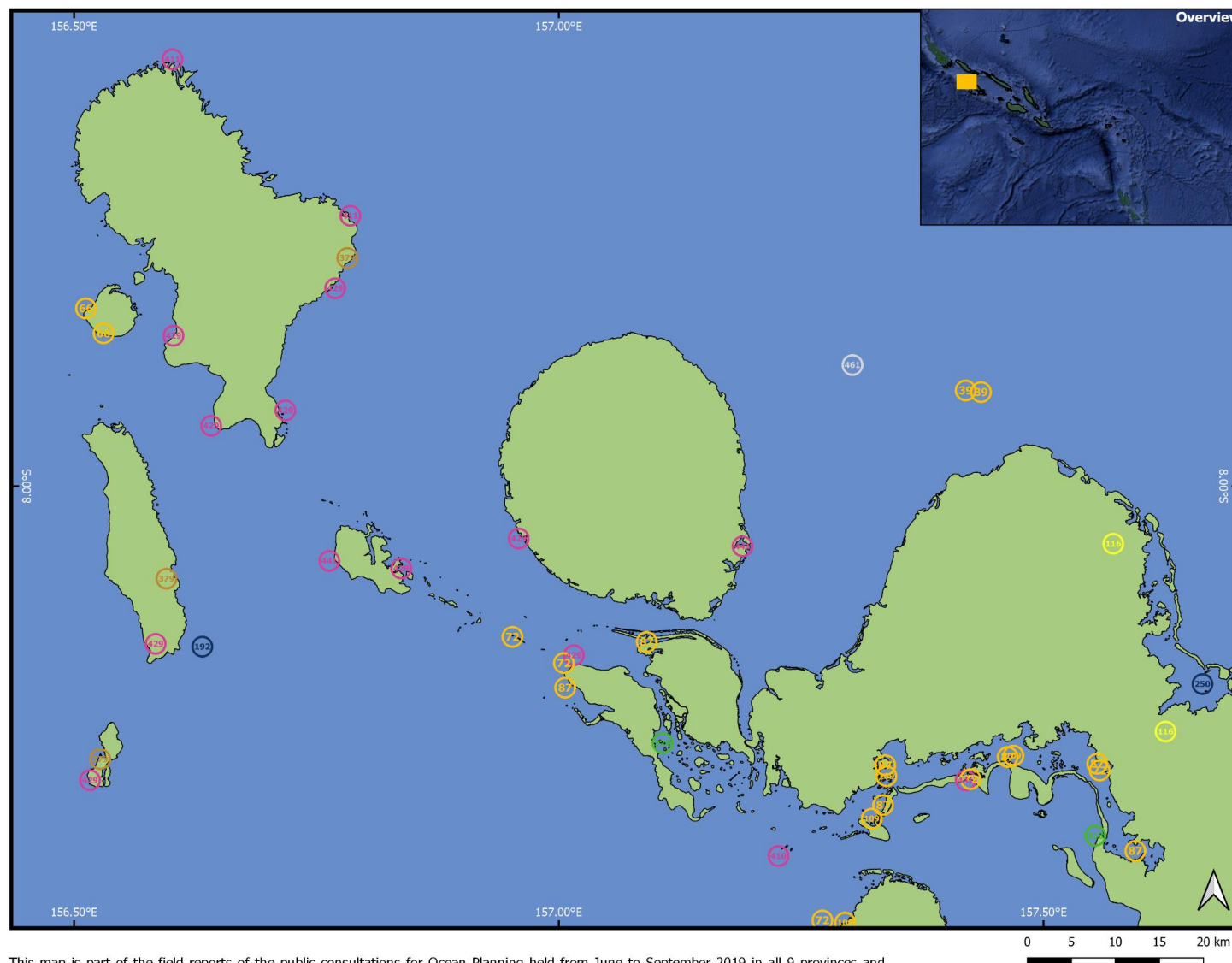
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Ocean Planning Consultations 2019 - Western Province (West) - Proposed Activities - coastal



Theme	No	Activity
Conservation and Resource Management	39	Conservation area
Conservation and Resource Management	66	Expanding Conservation Area
Conservation and Resource Management	72	Locally managed marine area
Conservation and Resource Management	87	Marine Protected Area
Conservation and Resource Management	109	Tabu area
Cultural Feature	116	Cultural site
Fisheries	192	Fish Aggregating Device
Fisheries	250	Night Diving
Forestry	318	Log Pond
Forestry	320	Logging
Infrastructure Development	379	Road & Bridges Development
Marine Tourism	410	Dive (Tourism)
Marine Tourism	411	Dive site
Marine Tourism	429	Potential Tourism Site
Marine Tourism	441	Tourism
Maritime Security	461	Border security



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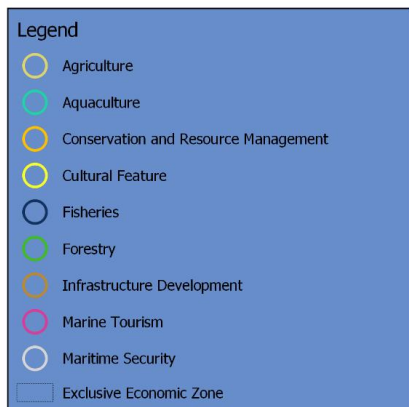
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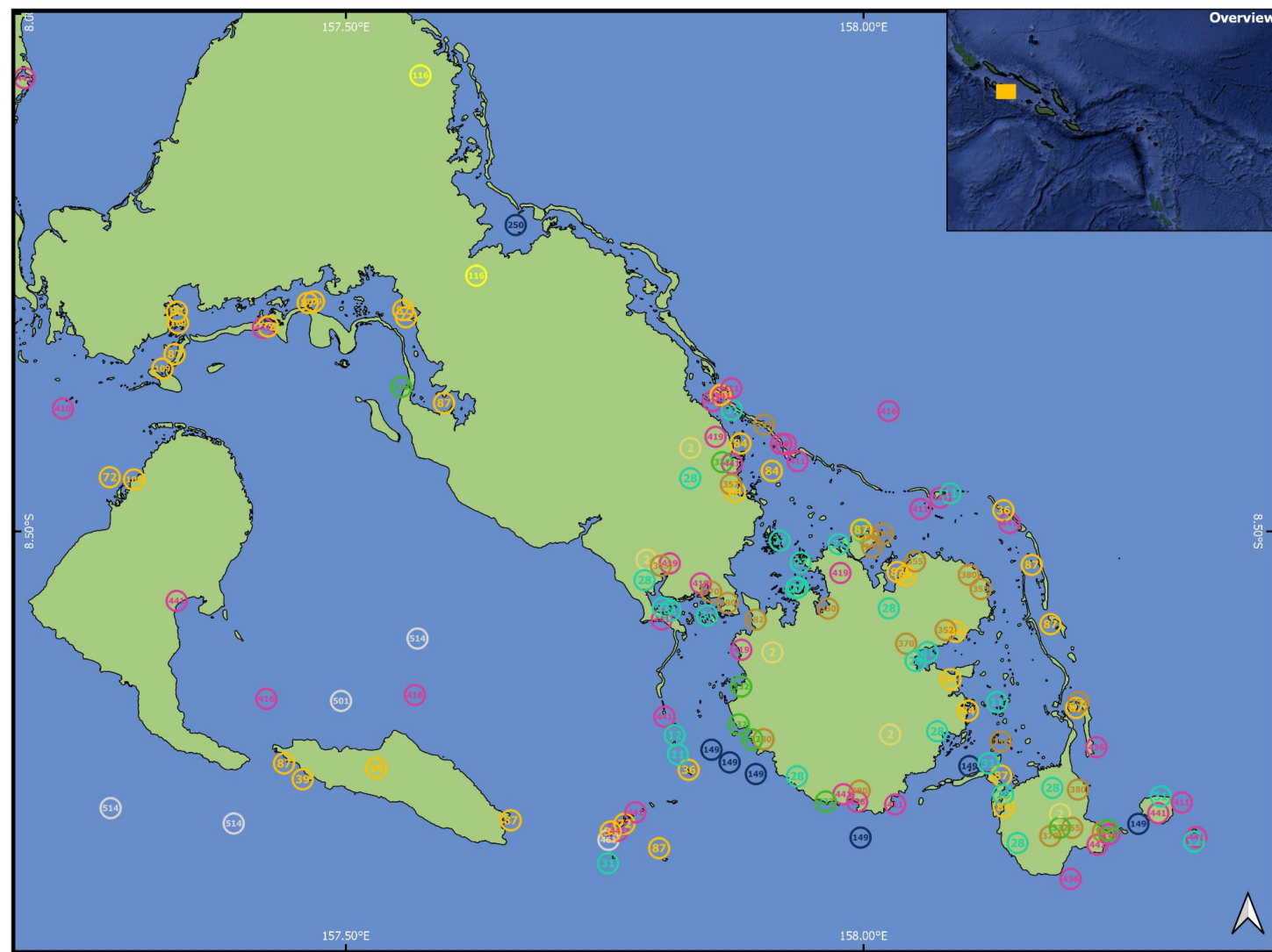
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Theme	No	Activity
Agriculture	2	Oil Palm Plantation
Aquaculture	11	Clamshell farming
Aquaculture	12	Coconut crab farming
Aquaculture	27	Oyster farming
Aquaculture	28	Prawn & Tilapia farming
Aquaculture	31	Seaweed farming
Conservation and Re	36	Bird Sanctuary
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Conservation and Re	39	Conservation area
Conservation and Re	72	Locally managed marine area
Conservation and Re	84	Marine Management Training
Conservation and Re	87	Marine Protected Area
Conservation and Re	109	Tabu area
Cultural Feature	116	Cultural site
Fisheries	149	Beche de mer fisheries
Fisheries	250	Night Diving
Forestry	318	Log Pond
Forestry	332	Reforestation
Infrastructure Devel	352	Fisheries Center
Infrastructure Devel	355	Hydro Power
Infrastructure Devel	359	International Airport
Infrastructure Devel	370	Ocean Academy
Infrastructure Devel	380	Road & Wharf
Infrastructure Devel	382	Seaport Wharf
Infrastructure Devel	390	Wharf
Marine Tourism	410	Dive (Tourism)
Marine Tourism	411	Dive site
Marine Tourism	416	Dolphin & Whale Watching
Marine Tourism	416	Dolphin & Whale watching
Marine Tourism	419	Five Star Hotel
Marine Tourism	436	Surfing
Marine Tourism	441	Tourism
Maritime Security	461	Border security
Maritime Security	501	Monitoring
Maritime Security	514	Security

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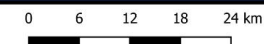
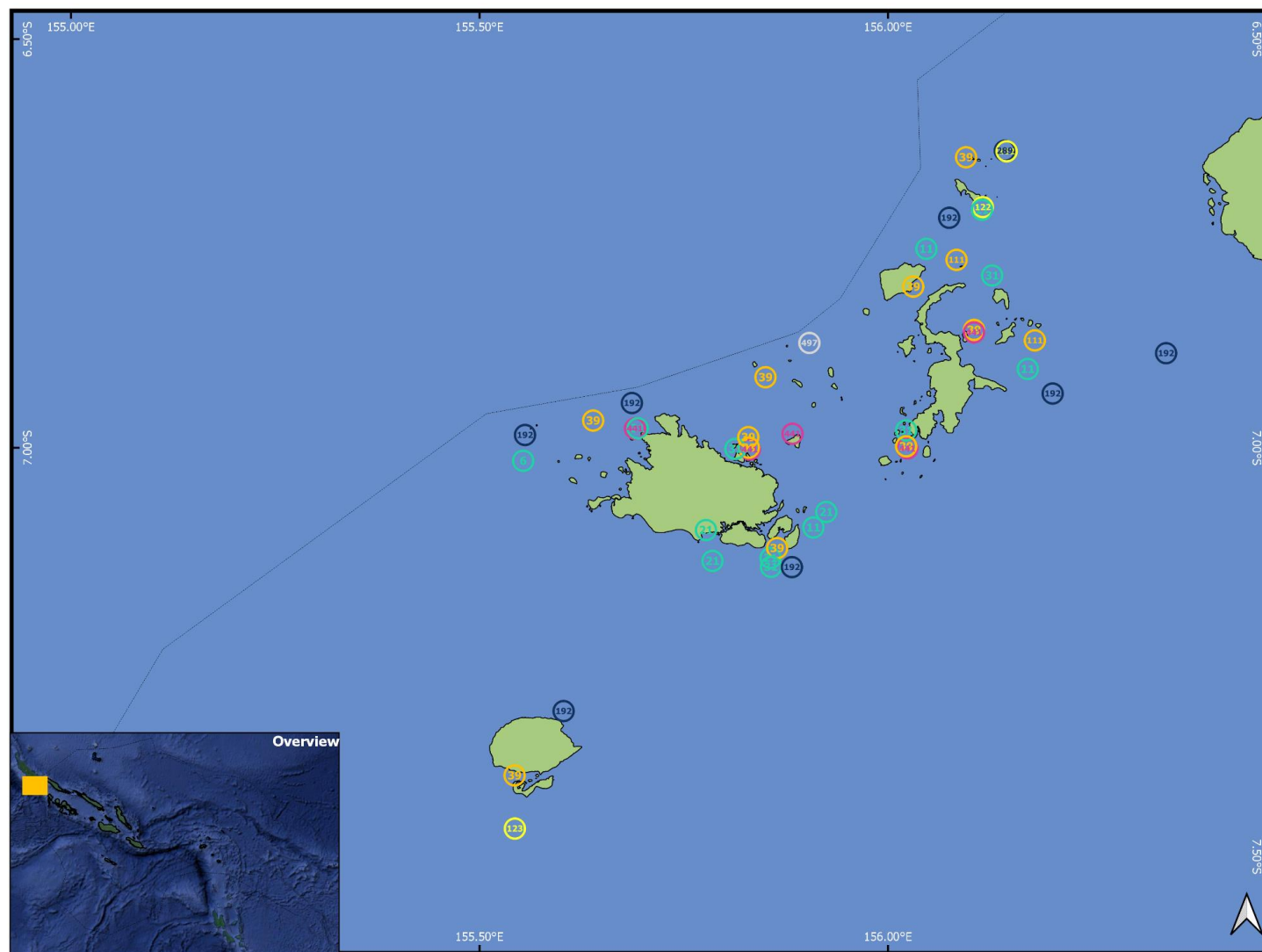
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Theme	No	Activity
Aquaculture	6	Beche de mer farming
Aquaculture	11	Clamshell farming
Aquaculture	21	Fish farming
Aquaculture	31	Seaweed farming
Conservation and Resource Management	39	Conservation area
Conservation and Resource Management	111	Turtle nesting area
Cultural Feature	122	Support cultural activities in Nunugori & Oema
Cultural Feature	123	Tambu site
Fisheries	192	Fish Aggregating Device
Fisheries	289	Support fishing in Nunugori & Oema
Marine Tourism	441	Tourism
Maritime Security	497	Job opportunities for shortland people to work in the maritime sector



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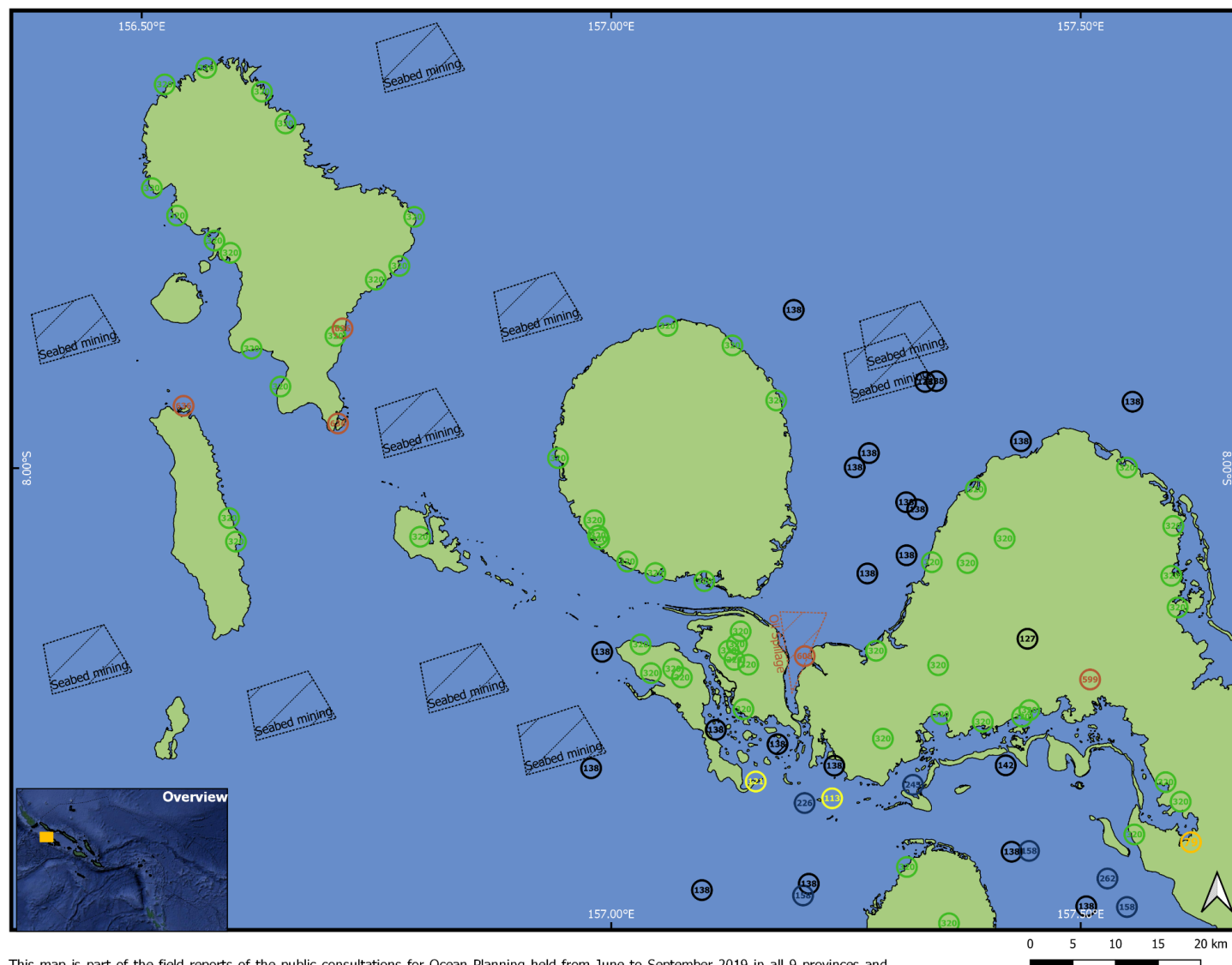
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Ocean Planning Consultations 2019 - Western Province (West) - Unwanted Activities - coastal

Legend		
	Conservation and Resource Management	
	Cultural Feature	
	Extractive Industry	
	Fisheries	
	Forestry	
	Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	
	Extractive Industry	
	Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	
	Exclusive Economic Zone	

Theme	No	Activity
Conservation and Resource Management	79	Mangrove destruction
Cultural Feature	113	Baitfish
Cultural Feature	121	Skull Island
Extractive Industry	127	Mining
Extractive Industry	138	Seabed mining
Extractive Industry	142	Seabed mining Total Ban
Fisheries	158	Commercial fishing
Fisheries	226	Line fishing
Fisheries	245	Net Fishing
Fisheries	262	Pole line & Fishing Vessel
Forestry	320	Logging
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	599	Logging & Factories Pollution
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	608	Pollution
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	636	Waste disposal



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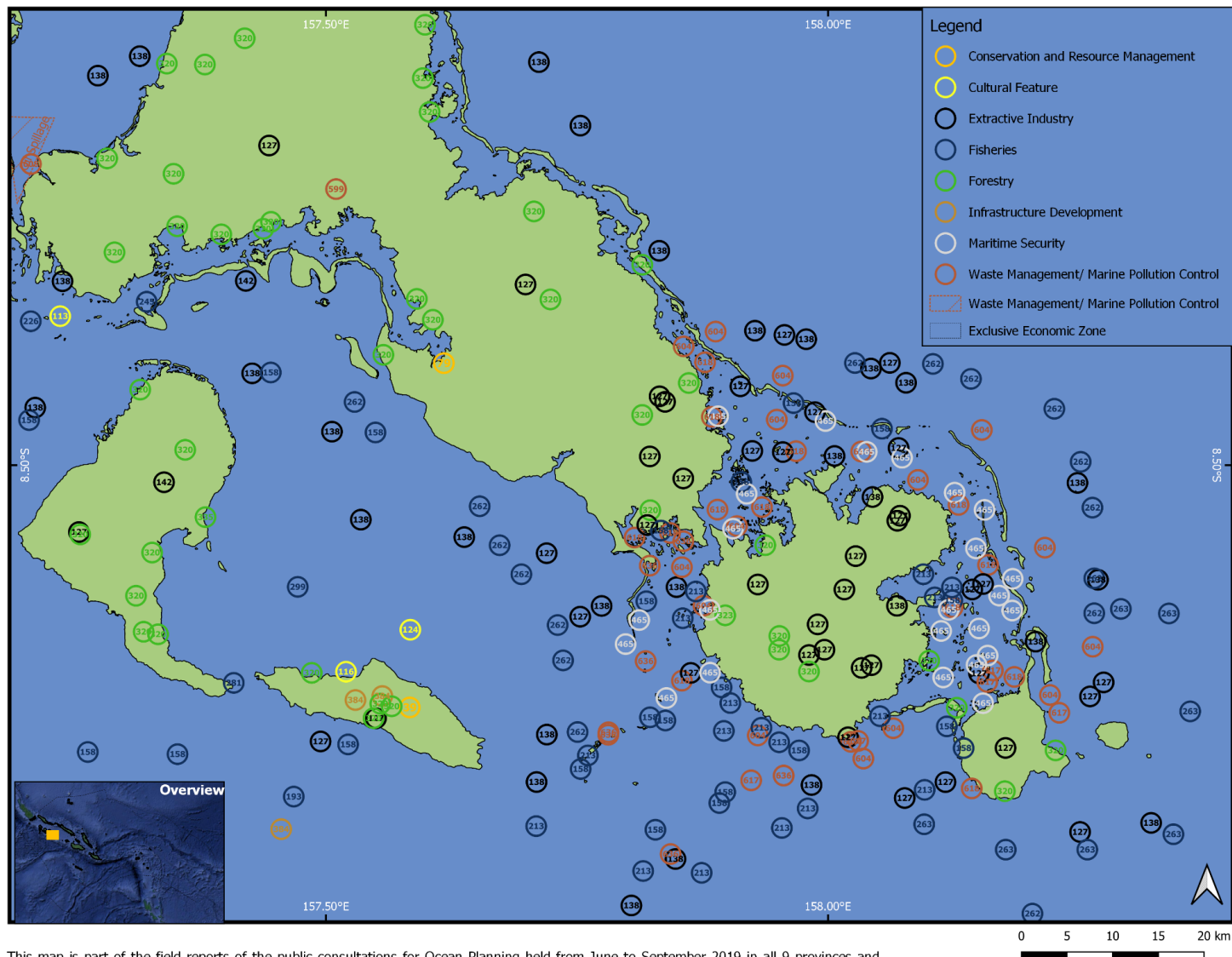
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Cultural Feature	113	Baitfish
Cultural Feature	116	Cultural site
Cultural Feature	121	Skull Island
Cultural Feature	124	Tuna Fishing
Extractive Industry	127	Mining
Extractive Industry	132	Mining seabed at Nunugori & Oema fish
Extractive Industry	136	Prospecting zone (Seabed mining)
Extractive Industry	138	Seabed mining
Extractive Industry	139	Seabed mining around fishing areas
Extractive Industry	140	Seabed mining between Aleang and Mor
Extractive Industry	142	Seabed mining Total Ban
Fisheries	158	Commercial fishing
Fisheries	181	Diving with air bottle
Fisheries	193	Fish Aggregating Device & NFD
Fisheries	203	Fishing vessel
Fisheries	213	Gillnet Fishing
Fisheries	226	Line fishing
Fisheries	245	Net Fishing
Fisheries	255	Overharvesting
Fisheries	256	Overharvesting
Fisheries	262	Pole line & Fishing Vessel
Fisheries	263	Pole line Fishing
Fisheries	281	Shells
Fisheries	299	Tuna fishing
Fisheries	306	Undersize gillnet
Forestry	319	Log Ship
Forestry	320	Logging
Forestry	321	Logging (Pollution of coastal areas)
Forestry	323	Logging Activities
Forestry	335	Timber Milling
Infrastructure Development	384	Settlement
Maritime Security	465	Dynamite fishing
Maritime Security	466	Dynamite fishing at Balalae Island by Bouganville
Maritime Security	467	Dynamite fishing for sale by Bouganville
Maritime Security	508	Poaching from foreigner
Maritime Security	527	Use of explosives
Maritime Security	528	Use of Explosives, No under size gillnet,
Maritime Transport	540	International shipping routes passing th
Maritime Transport	550	Shipping route (Log steamer)
Maritime Transport	551	Shipping route (logging ships)
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	599	Logging & Factories Pollution
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	604	Oil Spill
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	608	Pollution
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	609	Pollution (due to logging)
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	612	Pollution of coastal areas due to logging
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	617	Rubbish
Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control	618	Rubbish Disposal
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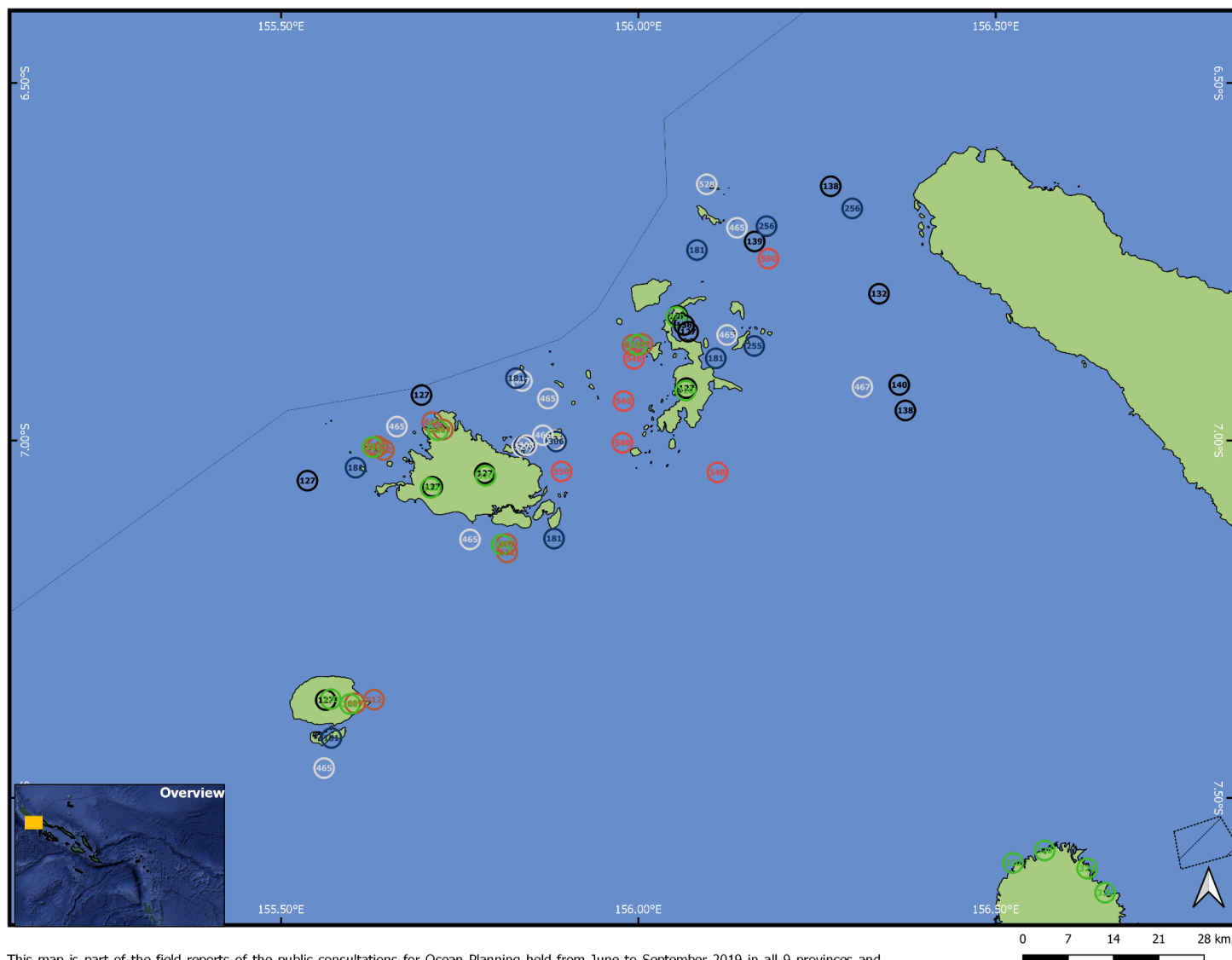
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Legend	
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 	Fisheries
 	Forestry
 	Maritime Security
 	Maritime Transport
 	Waste Management/ Marine Pollution Control
 	Extractive Industry
 	Exclusive Economic Zone

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