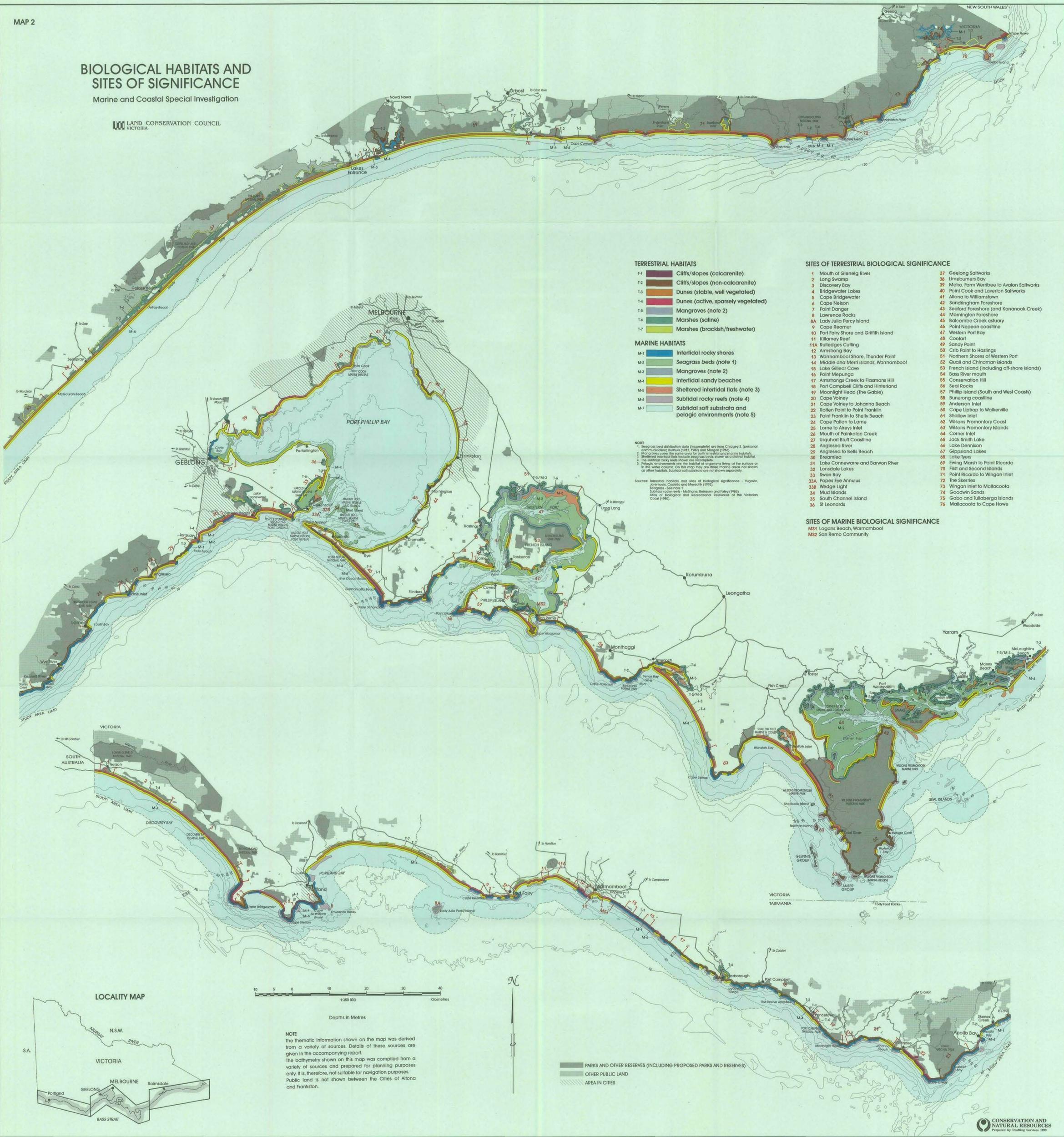


# BIOLOGICAL HABITATS AND SITES OF SIGNIFICANCE

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### TERRESTRIAL HABITATS

- T-1 Cliffs/slopes (calcarenifer)
- T-2 Cliffs/slopes (non-calcarenifer)
- T-3 Dunes (stable, well vegetated)
- T-4 Dunes (active, sparsely vegetated)
- T-5 Mangroves (note 2)
- T-6 Marshes (saline)
- T-7 Marshes (brackish/freshwater)

### MARINE HABITATS

- M-1 Intertidal rocky shores
- M-2 Seagrass beds (note 1)
- M-3 Mangroves (note 2)
- M-4 Intertidal sandy beaches
- M-5 Sheltered intertidal flats (note 3)
- M-6 Subtidal rocky reefs (note 4)
- M-7 Subtidal soft substrata and pelagic environments (note 5)

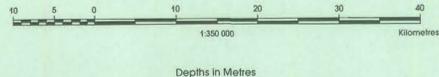
**NOTES**  
 1. Seagrass bed distribution data (incomplete) are from Chidgey S. (personal communication) (1981, 1982) and Morgan (1986).  
 2. Mangroves cover the same areas for both terrestrial and marine habitats.  
 3. Sheltered intertidal flats include seagrass beds, shown as a distinct habitat.  
 4. The subtidal rocky reefs shown are incomplete.  
 5. Pelagic environments are the habitat of organisms living at the surface or in the water column. On this map they are those areas not shown as other habitats. Subtidal soft substrata are not shown separately.  
**Sources:** Terrestrial habitats and sites of biological significance - Yugovic, Janenovic, Costello and Meredith (1993); Seagrass - See note 1; Subtidal rocky reefs - McIvor, Beilman and Foley (1986); Sites of Biological and Recreational Resources of the Victorian Coast (1988).

### SITES OF TERRESTRIAL BIOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

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| 1 Mouth of Glenelg River                 | 37 Geelong Saltworks                           |
| 2 Long Swamp                             | 38 Limeburners Bay                             |
| 3 Discovery Bay                          | 39 Metro Farm Werribee to Avon Saltworks       |
| 4 Bridgewater Lakes                      | 40 Point Cook and Laverton Saltworks           |
| 5 Cape Bridgewater                       | 41 Allona to Williamstown                      |
| 6 Cape Nelson                            | 42 Sandringham Foreshore                       |
| 7 Point Danger                           | 43 Sealord Foreshore (and Kanook Creek)        |
| 8 Lawrence Rocks                         | 44 Mornington Foreshore                        |
| 8A Lady Julia Percy Island               | 45 Balcombe Creek estuary                      |
| 9 Cape Rearmur                           | 46 Point Nepean coastline                      |
| 10 Port Fairy Shore and Griffith Island  | 47 Western Port Bay                            |
| 11 Killarney Reef                        | 48 Coolart                                     |
| 11A Rutledges Cutting                    | 49 Sandy Point                                 |
| 12 Armstrong Bay                         | 50 Crib Point to Hastings                      |
| 13 Warrambool Shoals, Thunder Point      | 51 Northern Shores of Western Port             |
| 14 Middle and Merril Islands, Warrambool | 52 Quail and Chinaman Islands                  |
| 15 Lake Gilliar Cave                     | 53 French Island (including off-shore islands) |
| 16 Point Mepunga                         | 54 Bass River mouth                            |
| 17 Armstrongs Creek to Flaxmans Hill     | 55 Conservation Hill                           |
| 18 Port Campbell Cliffs and Hinterland   | 56 Seal Rocks                                  |
| 19 Moonlight Head (The Gable)            | 57 Phillip Island (South and West Coasts)      |
| 20 Cape Volney                           | 58 Bunurong coastline                          |
| 21 Lake Connawarre and Barwon River      | 59 Anderson Inlet                              |
| 22 Rotten Point to Point Franklin        | 60 Cape Liptrap to Walkerville                 |
| 23 Point Franklin to Shelly Beach        | 61 Shallow Inlet                               |
| 24 Cape Patton to Lorne                  | 62 Wilsons Promontory Coast                    |
| 25 Lorne to Aireys Inlet                 | 63 Wilsons Promontory Islands                  |
| 26 Mouth of Painkalac Creek              | 64 Corner Inlet                                |
| 27 Urquhart Bluff Coastline              | 65 Jack Smith Lake                             |
| 28 Angelsea River                        | 66 Lake Dennis                                 |
| 29 Angelsea to Bells Beach               | 67 Gippsland Lakes                             |
| 30 Brearleya                             | 68 Lake Yerris                                 |
| 31 Lake Connawarre and Barwon River      | 69 Ewing Marsh to Point Ricardo                |
| 32 Lonsdale Lakes                        | 70 First and Second Islands                    |
| 33 Swan Bay                              | 71 Point Ricardo to Wingan Inlet               |
| 33A Popes Eye Annulus                    | 72 The Skerries                                |
| 34 Wedge Light                           | 73 Wingan Inlet to Mallacoota                  |
| 35 Mud Islands                           | 74 Goodwin Sands                               |
| 36 South Channel Island                  | 75 Gobo and Jullaberga Islands                 |
| 37 St Leonards                           | 76 Mallacoota to Cape Howe                     |

### SITES OF MARINE BIOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

- MS1 Logans Beach, Warrambool
- MS2 Son Remo Community



**NOTE**  
 The thematic information shown on the map was derived from a variety of sources. Details of these sources are given in the accompanying report. The bathymetry shown on this map was compiled from a variety of sources and prepared for planning purposes only. It is, therefore, not suitable for navigation purposes. Public land is not shown between the Cities of Allona and Frankston.

- PARKS AND OTHER RESERVES (INCLUDING PROPOSED PARKS AND RESERVES)
- OTHER PUBLIC LAND
- AREA IN CITIES