

navigating the magical murray river



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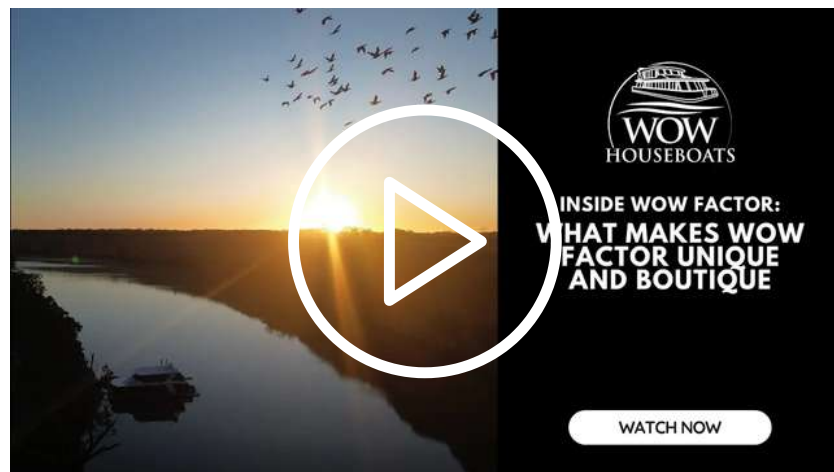


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VIDEO TESTIMONIALS FROM GUESTS



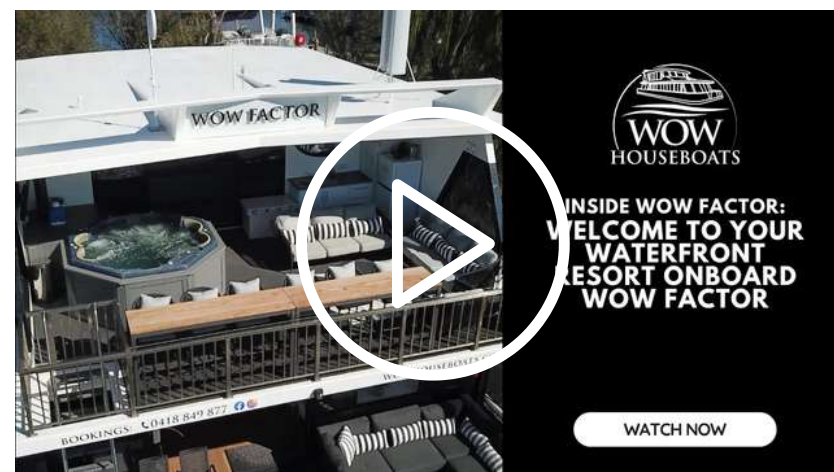
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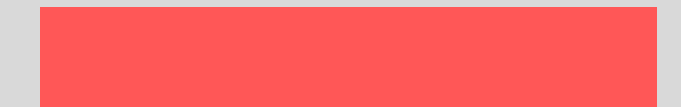
Enjoy the tranquility of the riverbank under the stunning dark sky reserve with our WOW Factor lights. Set them to random or synchronise them with the remote control from your spot on the riverbank to capture remarkable photos and create wow factor memories.

DISTANCE BY RIVER FROM RIVERGLEN MARINA



PLACE	KMS	APPROX. HOURS
Blanchetown	176	35.2
Swan Reach	148	29.6
Nildottie	126	25.2
Walker Flat	110	22
Purnong	94	18.8
Bow Hill	88	17.6
Mannum	52	10.4
Mypolonga	30	6
Murray Bridge	14	2.8
Riverglen	0	0
Tailem Bend	10	2
Wellington	23	4.6

MAP LEGEND:



Prohibited areas i.e.,
backwaters, private
property



Suggested mooring spots

NOTE:

Recommended Engine
RPM 2500. Travelling time
is an average only,
depending on boat,
current flow and wind
conditions.

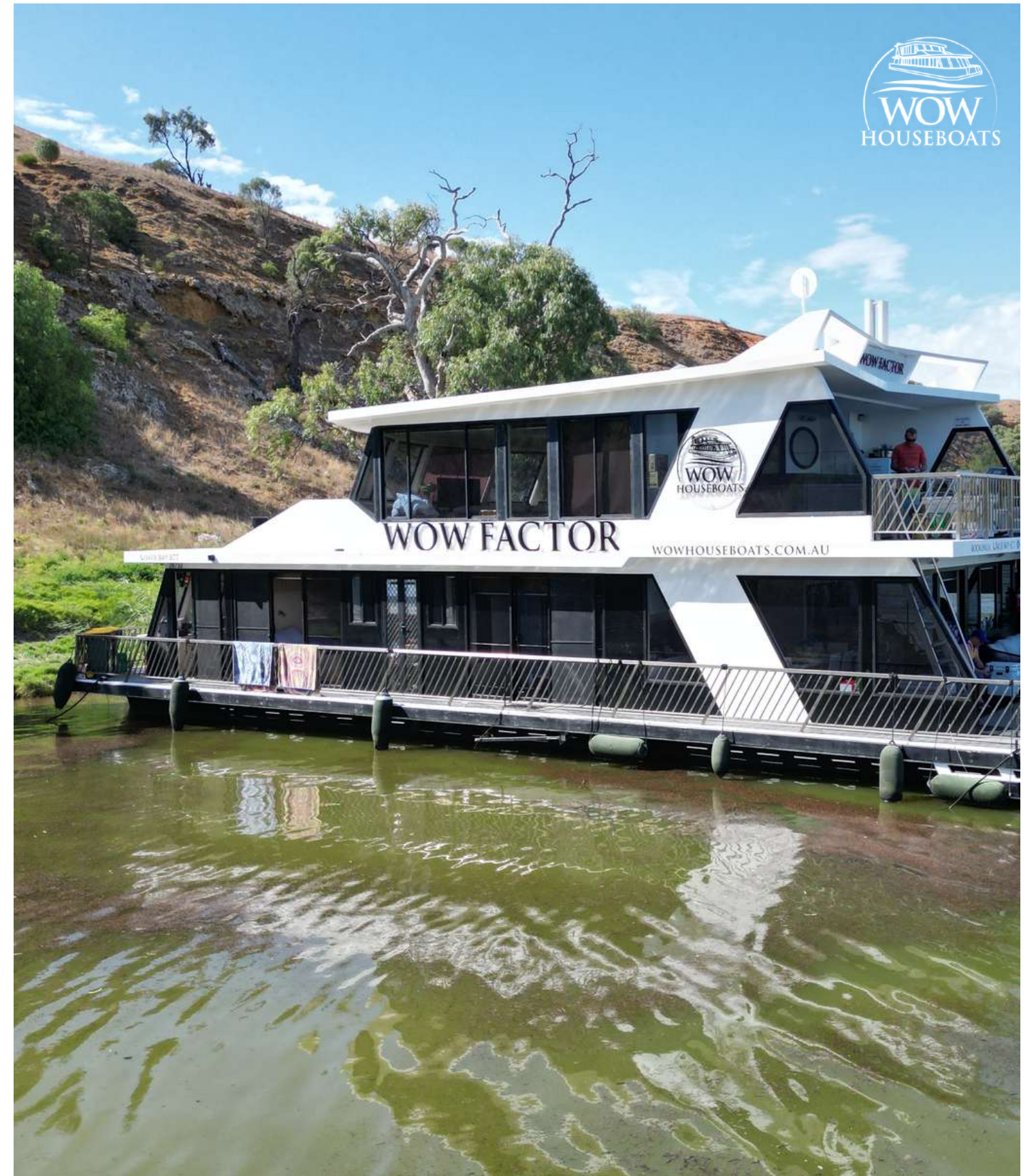
MOORING LOCATIONS

The magical Murray River is a popular destination for houseboat holidays and offers a wide variety of mooring locations to choose from. From serene and secluded spots to bustling towns with plenty of amenities, there is something for everyone.

Some popular mooring locations along the Murray River include historic towns like Mannum and Renmark, where guests can explore local museums, shops, and restaurants. For those seeking a more secluded experience, there are plenty of quiet spots to moor along the riverbank, surrounded by natural beauty and wildlife.

The Murray River also offers a range of water-based activities, including fishing, waterskiing, and kayaking. Guests can moor their houseboats in locations that are convenient for these activities, such as areas with calm waters or nearby boat ramps.

No matter where guests choose to moor their houseboat along the Murray River, they are sure to enjoy the natural beauty and tranquility of this iconic Australian waterway.



MOORING HOUSEBOATS

Houseboats can be moored for up to 48 hours at any of Council's designated mooring sites - allowing equality of access for all. People wishing to moor longer than 48 hours must obtain a Council permit to do so. Approved Council Houseboat Mooring sites are listed below.

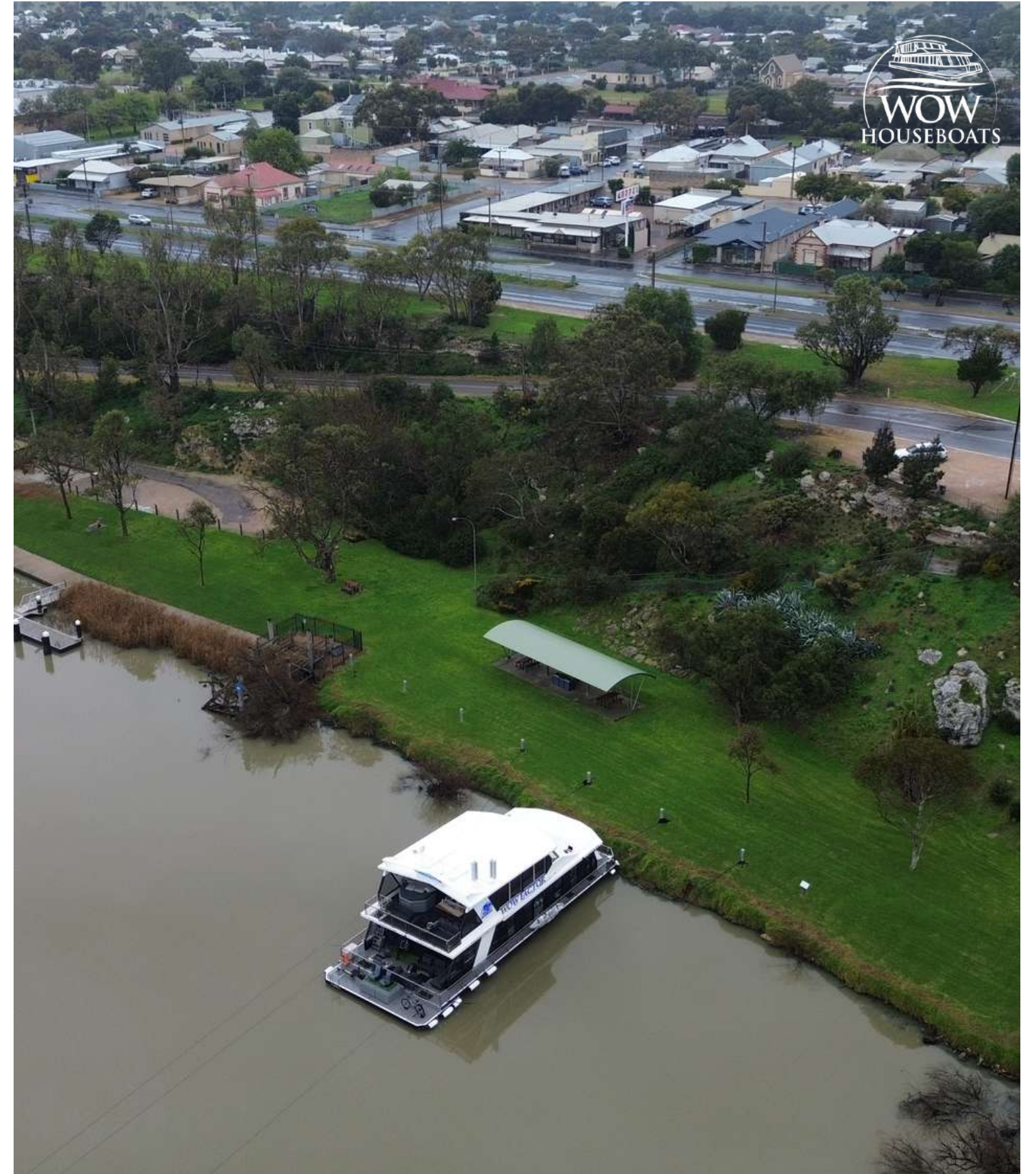
People wishing to moor longer than 48 hours must obtain a Council permit to do so. Permits are available at a rate of \$64 per day and can be obtained by submitting a Houseboat Mooring Application at the Local Government Centre, mailing to PO Box 421 MURRAY BRIDGE SA 5253 or via email council@murraybridge.sa.gov.au

Failure to obtain a permit for those who moor longer than 48 hours will result in fines.

APPLY FOR A PERMIT HERE ▶

RIVERFRONT RESERVES ▶

Source: <https://www.environment.sa.gov.au/topics/river-murray-floods/crown-land#mooring-houseboats>



MOORING HOUSEBOATS

Houseboats can be temporarily moored on Crown land for up to 21 days, but permanent mooring is only permitted with authorisation or in designated marinas. Some parts of the river are under freehold title and require landowner permission for mooring. Local councils may close dedicated Crown land due to changing water levels.

It's essential to regularly check mooring ropes and avoid mooring to trees as they may collapse due to softened ground or erosion caused by floodwaters. Recovery and re-floating of stranded houseboats are the owner's responsibility, and permission is required for vessels stranded for more than 21 days.

Mooring to existing structures may result in damage for which the owner is liable. Private land may require permission to moor.

HOW TO IDENTIFY CROWN LANDS ▶

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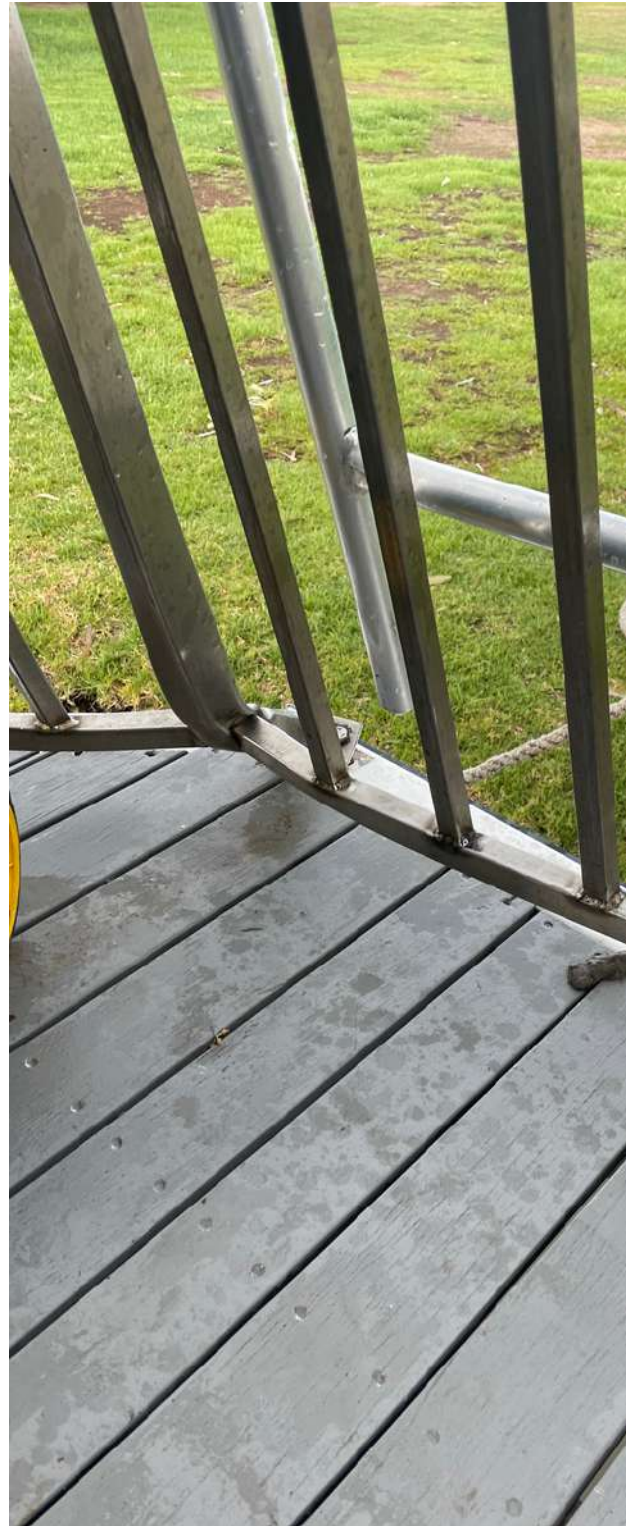
When parking next to another houseboat

- Allow 30 metres between each vessel; this assists with the houseboat safety for reversing from the river bank
 - Every houseboat requires distance next to another vessel in case the rear of the houseboat moves side wards when reversing front the river bank
 - Moving the boat sideways is sometimes required to reverse the boat front the river bank if the boat is beached
 - The wind or current may move the houseboat sideways so a distance between each boat is important
 - Human strength will not be able to fend off the houseboat from hitting each other
- All front hatches need to remain closed when not in operation



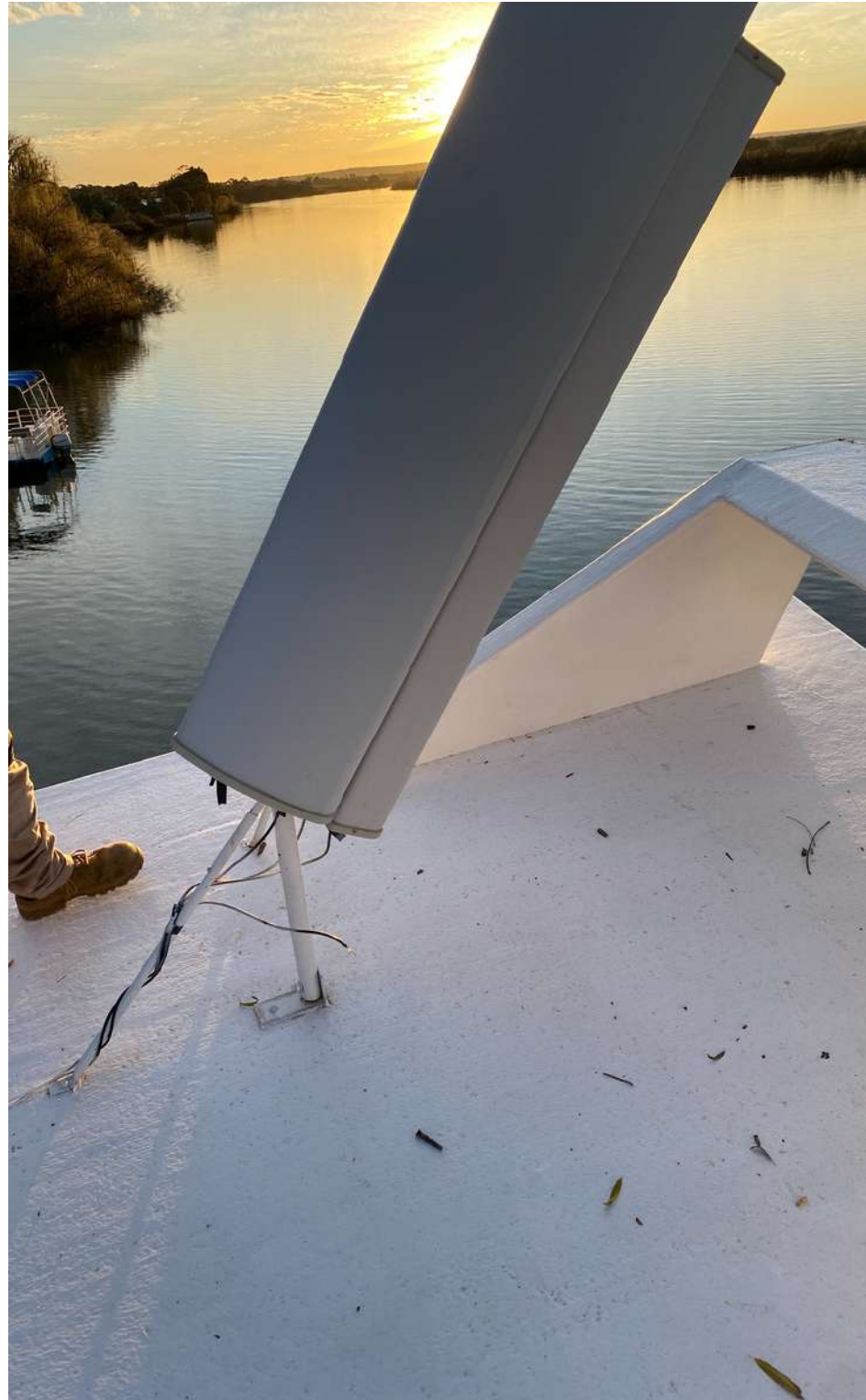
SAMPLES OF WHAT CAN GO WRONG

Front handrail damage after mooring against a jetty at Mannum



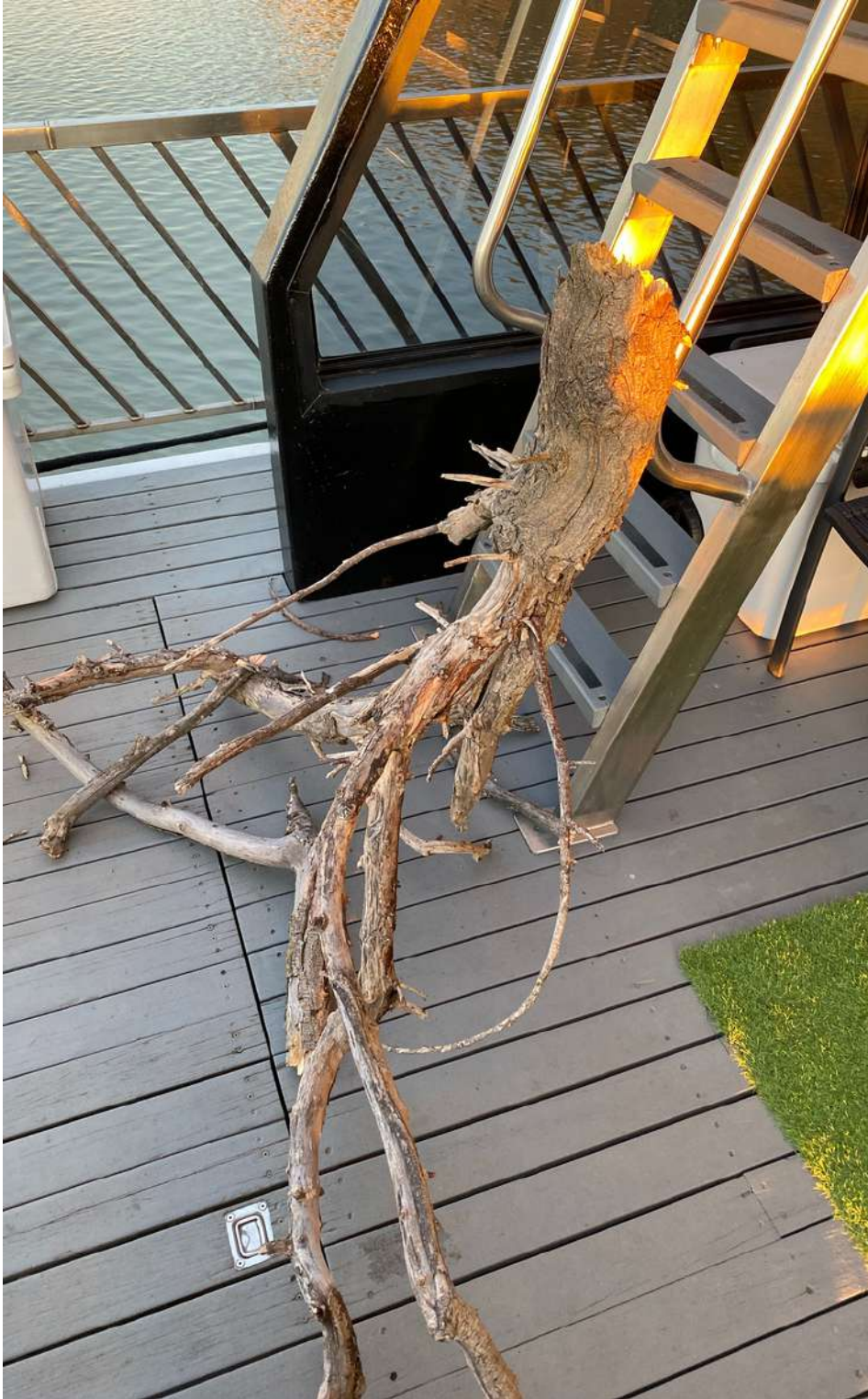
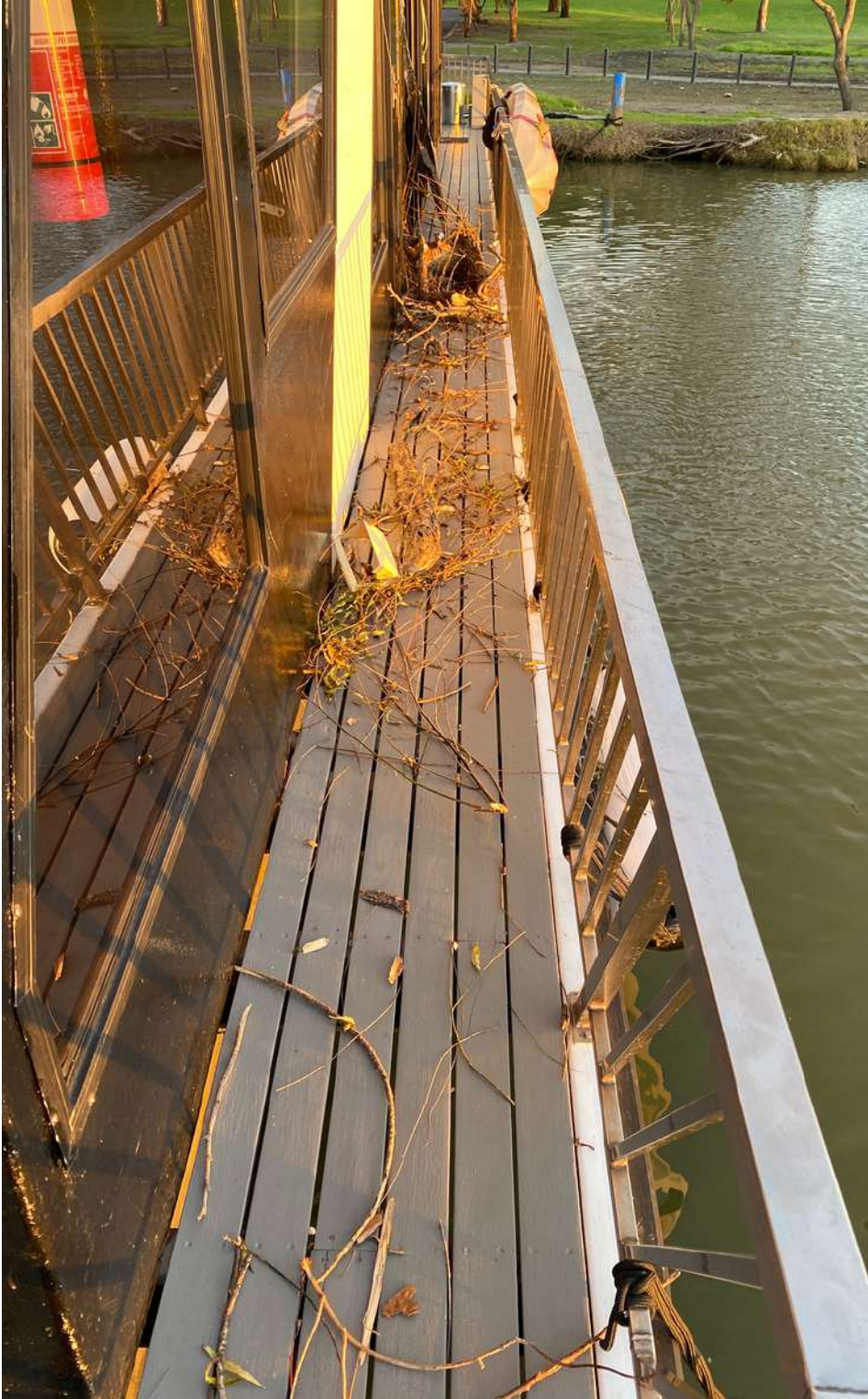
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Willow Tree through a window in front of Taillem Bend Pub



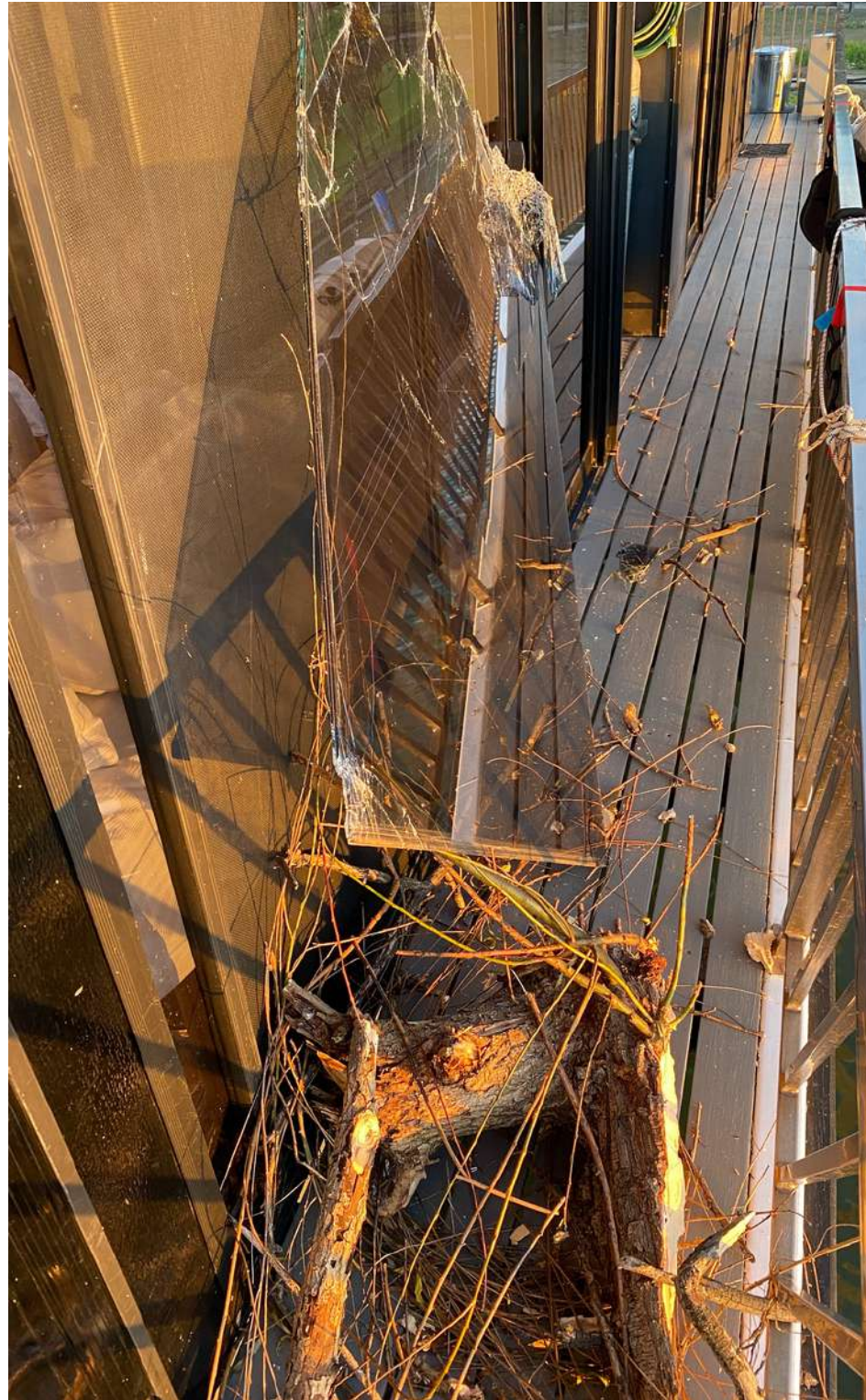
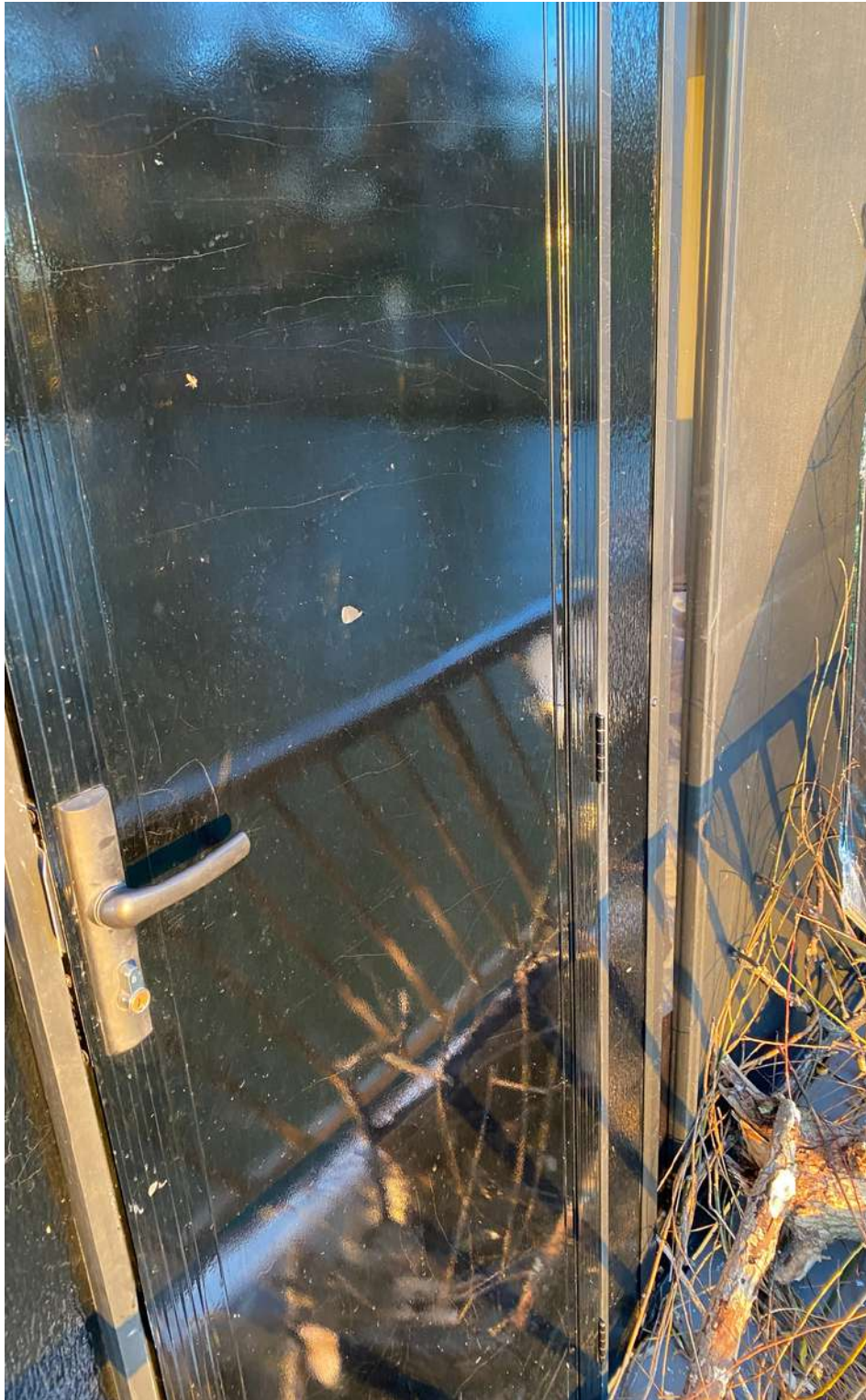
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Willow Tree through a window in front of Taillem Bend Pub



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HOW TO IDENTIFY CROWN LANDS IN THE MURRAY RIVER



Avenza Maps is a mobile app that allows users to download, view, and interact with maps on their mobile devices, even when they are offline.

Users can browse a vast library of maps from around the world, including topographic maps, nautical charts, and road maps. You can download the maps you need for offline use and mark up the maps with your own notes, waypoints, and tracks.

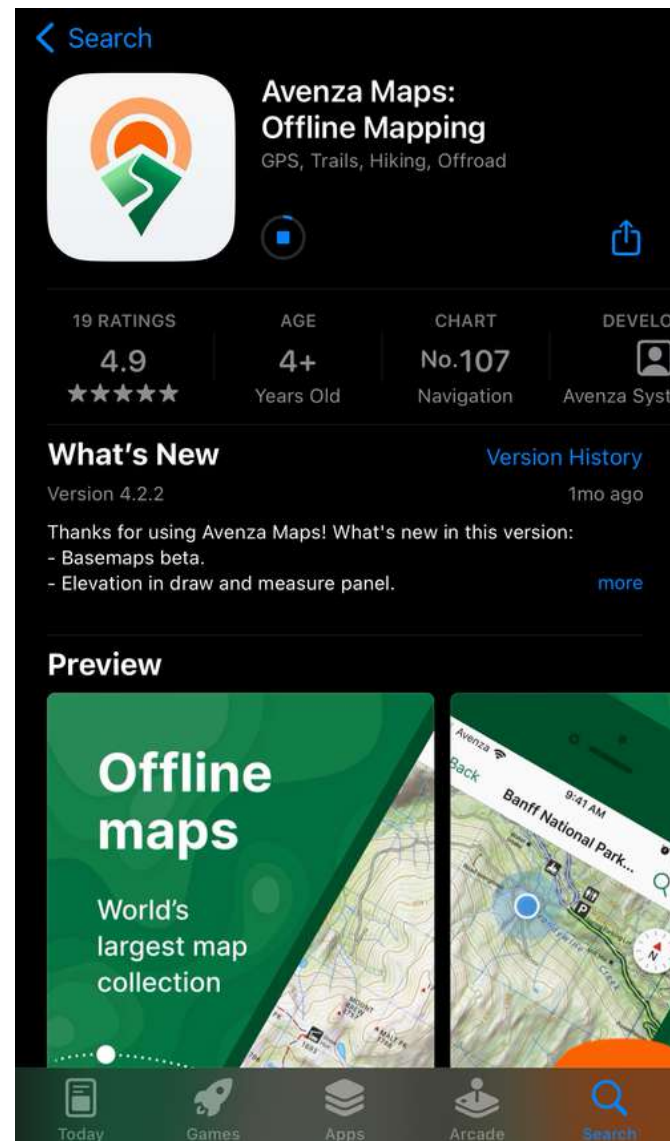
The app also has a feature called "GeoPDF" which allows users to import and interact with geospatial PDF files, including maps with embedded data such as points of interest, trails, and contour lines.

Avenza Maps also includes a built-in location tracking feature that allows users to see their location on the map and record their tracks. This can be useful for outdoor activities such as hiking, biking, and skiing.

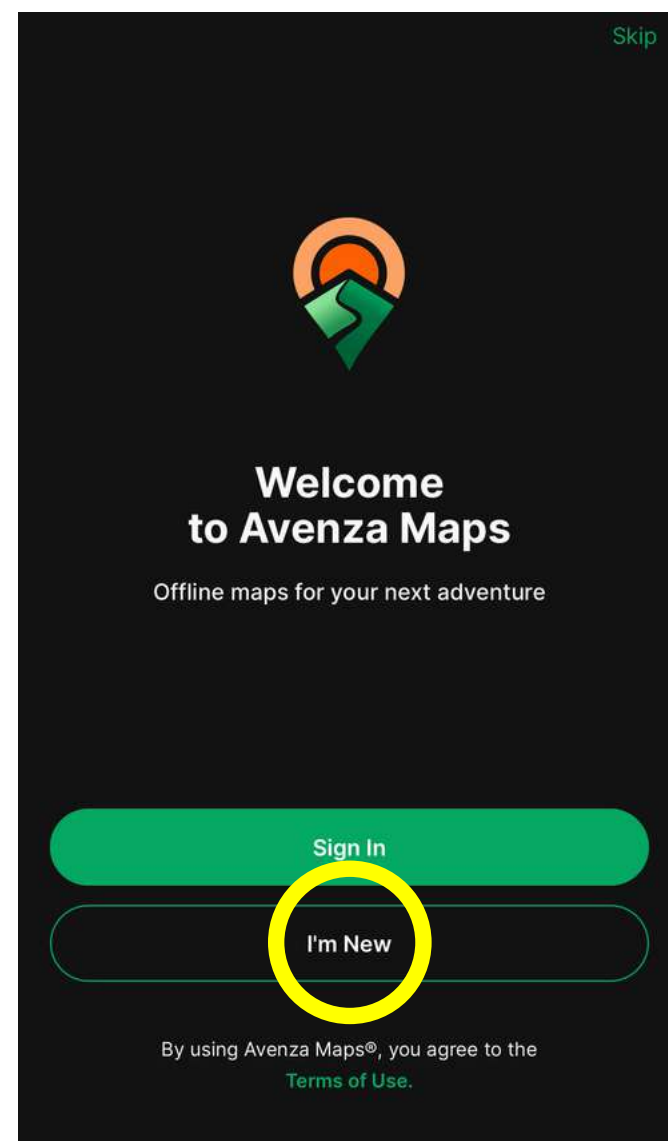
The app is available for both iOS and Android devices.



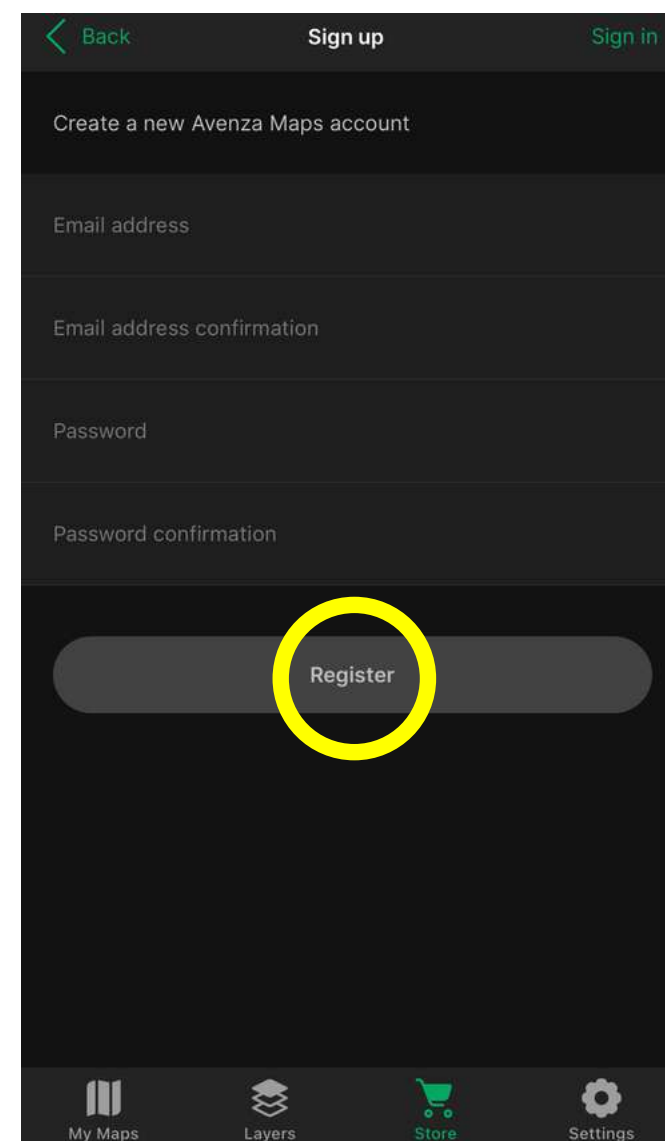
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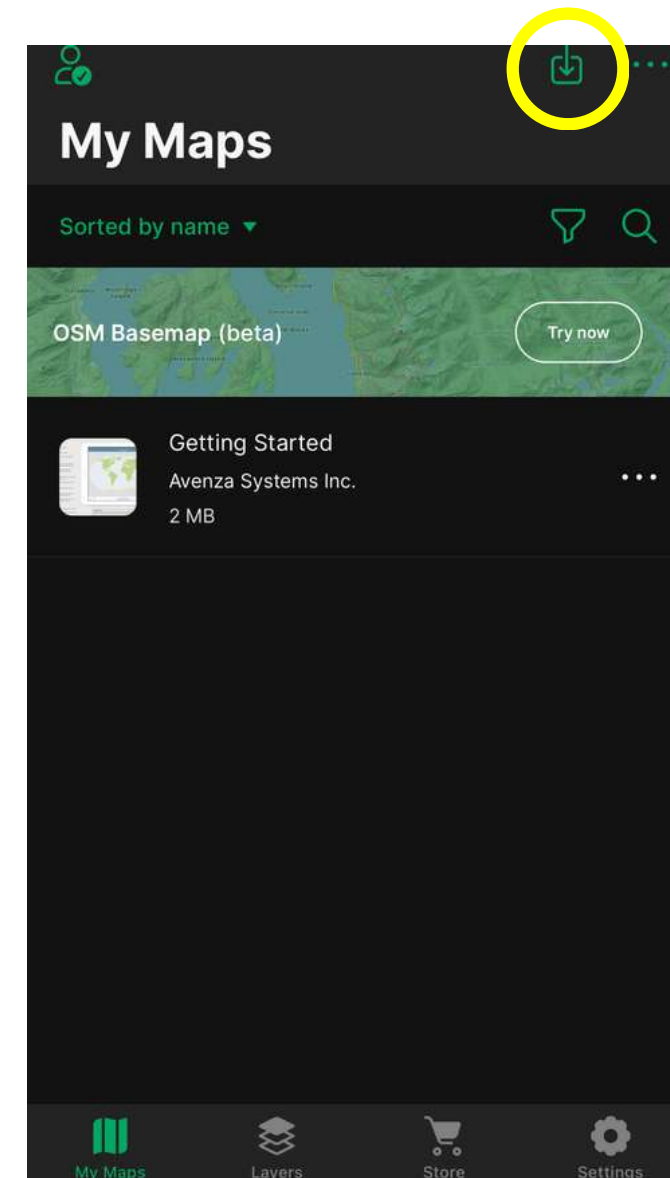
Download the Avenza Maps on your smartphone or tablet/iPad from the App Store or Google Play Store.



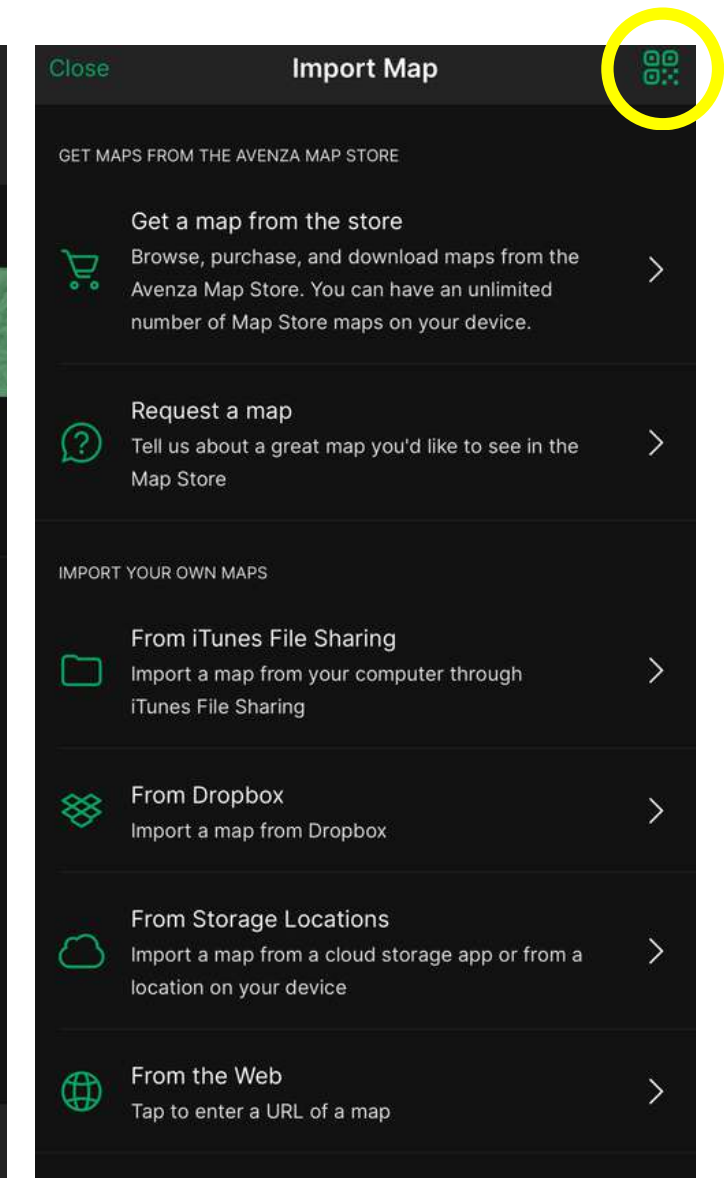
Open the Avenza Maps app on your device and sign in or create an account if you haven't already.



Enter the email address you wish to use for your Avenza Maps account and choose a password. You will receive an email with a link to activate your account. Click on the link within 7 days to activate your account.



Once your account is activated, you can start exploring and using Avenza Maps. Click the import icon.



Locate and click on the QR code icon on the right-hand side of your screen. This will activate the QR scanner on your mobile device's camera. Scan the provided QR code and you will be automatically directed to the download page for the map.

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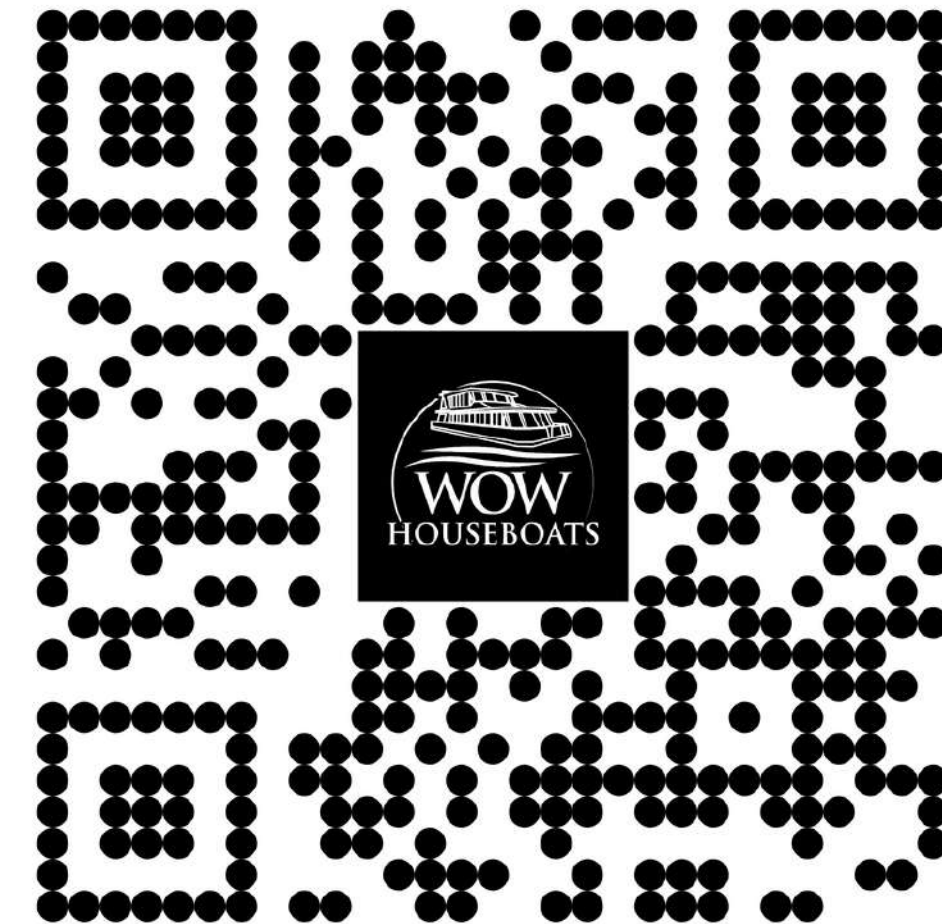


The Wow Houseboats Crown Land Map is a digital map that can be used with the Avenza Maps app to help you navigate and explore the Murray River region. The map provides detailed information on the various crown lands along the river, as well as nearby attractions, facilities, and points of interest.

Using this map, you can easily locate crown lands in the Murray River region, which can be used for a variety of recreational activities such as fishing, camping, and picnicking. The map also includes important information such as land boundaries, regulations, and restrictions to help you plan your activities accordingly.

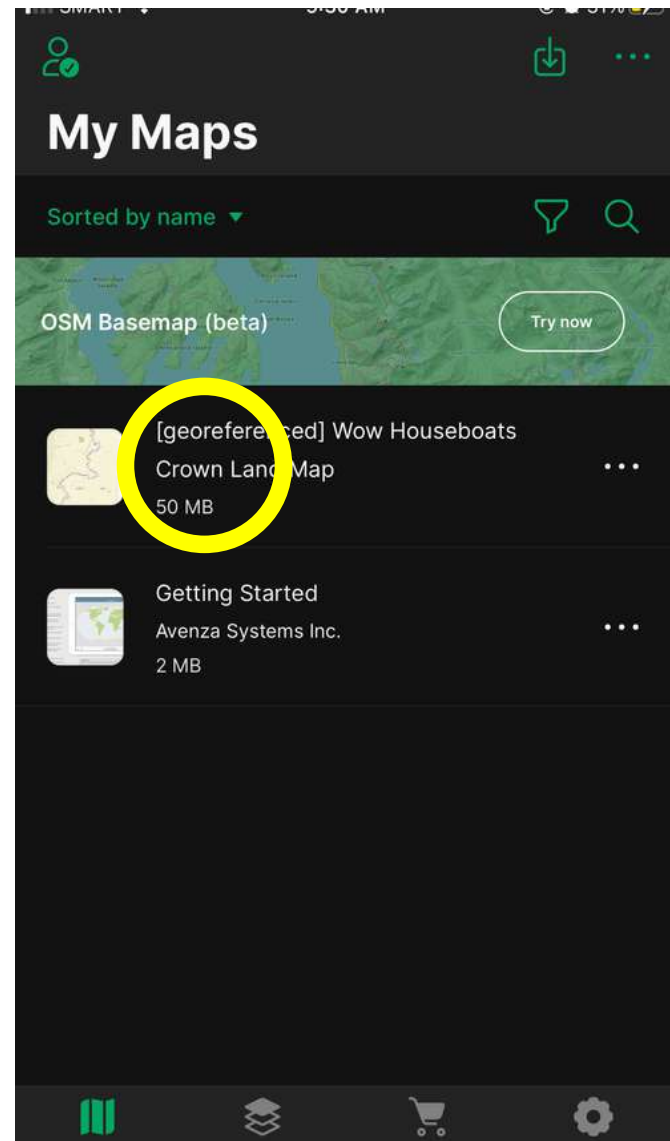
In addition to crown lands, the Wow Houseboats Crown Land Map also includes information on local towns, parks, and other nearby attractions. You can use this information to plan your trip, find nearby amenities, and discover new places to visit.

The Wow Houseboats Crown Land Map is an essential tool for anyone looking to explore the Murray River region. It is easy to use, comprehensive, and can help you make the most of your time on the river.

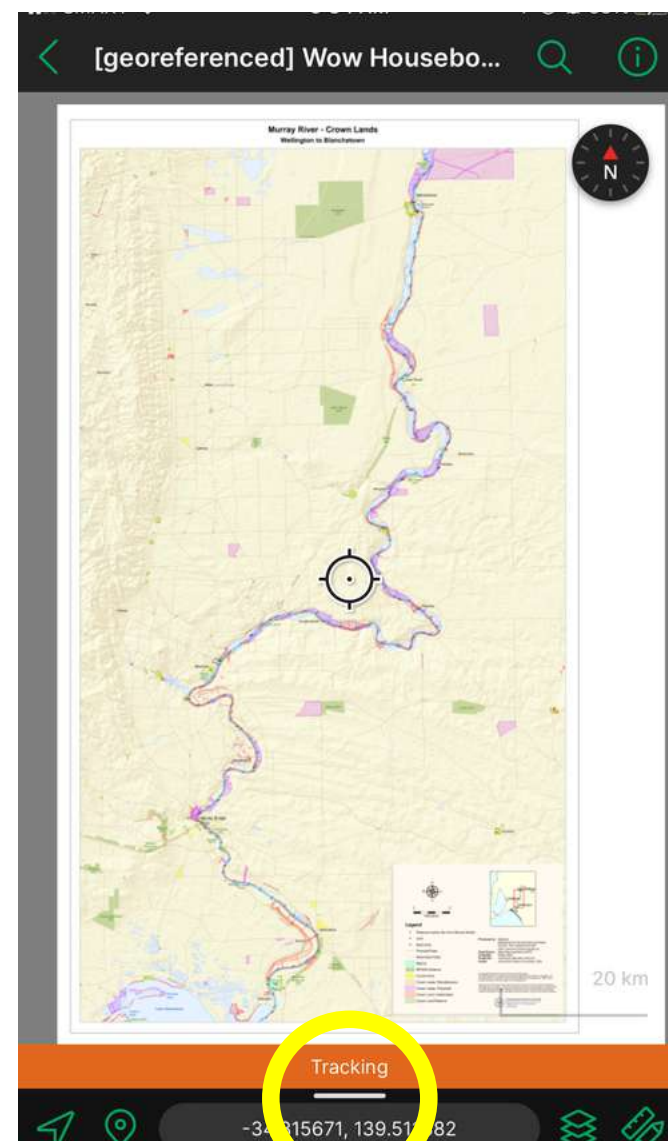


**SCAN THIS QR CODE USING THE AVENZA MAPS
TO DOWNLOAD THE WOW HOUSEBOATS
CROWN LAND MAP**

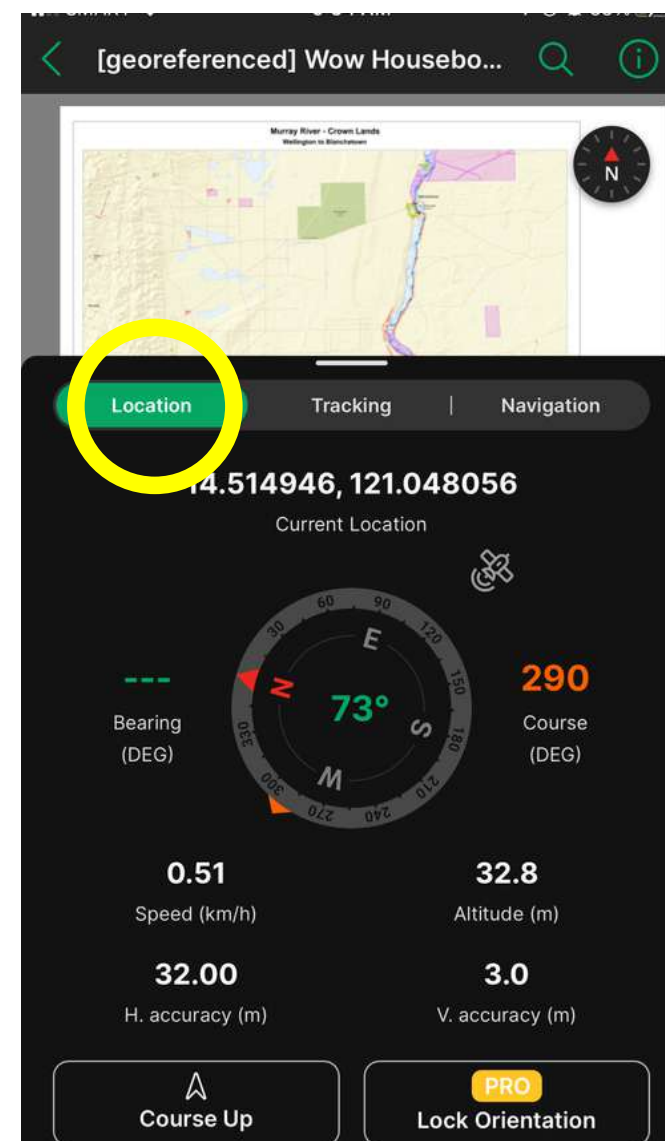
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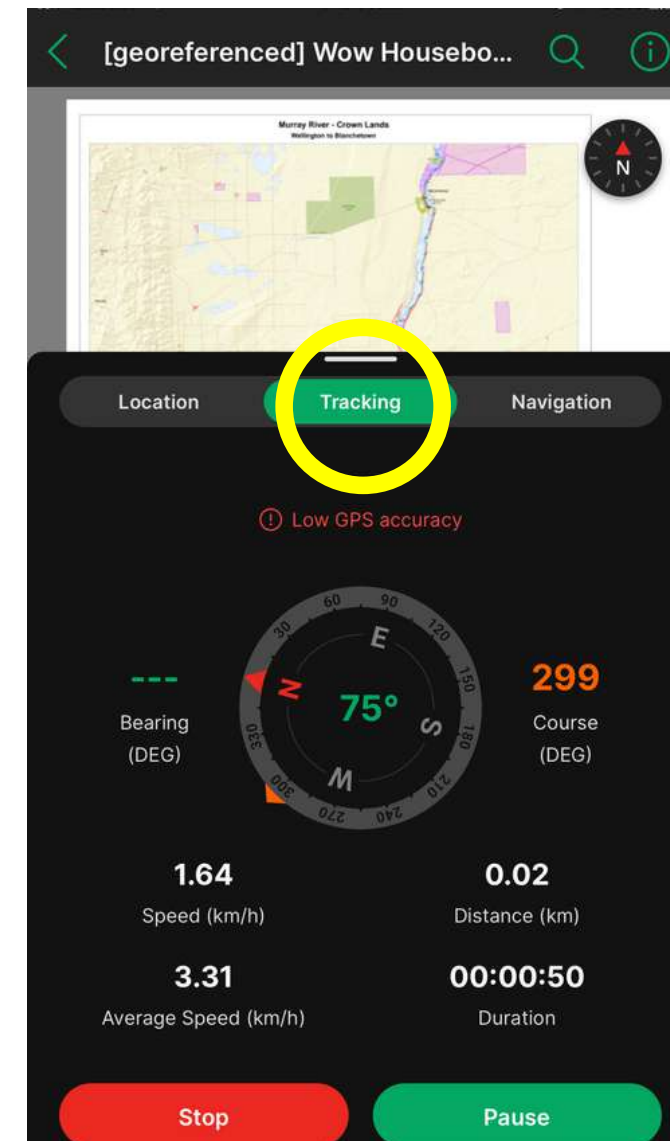
Once the map is downloaded, you can use it offline to explore crown lands in the Murray River. To view the map, tap the "Maps" tab at the bottom of the screen and select the Wow Factor Crown Land Map from the list.



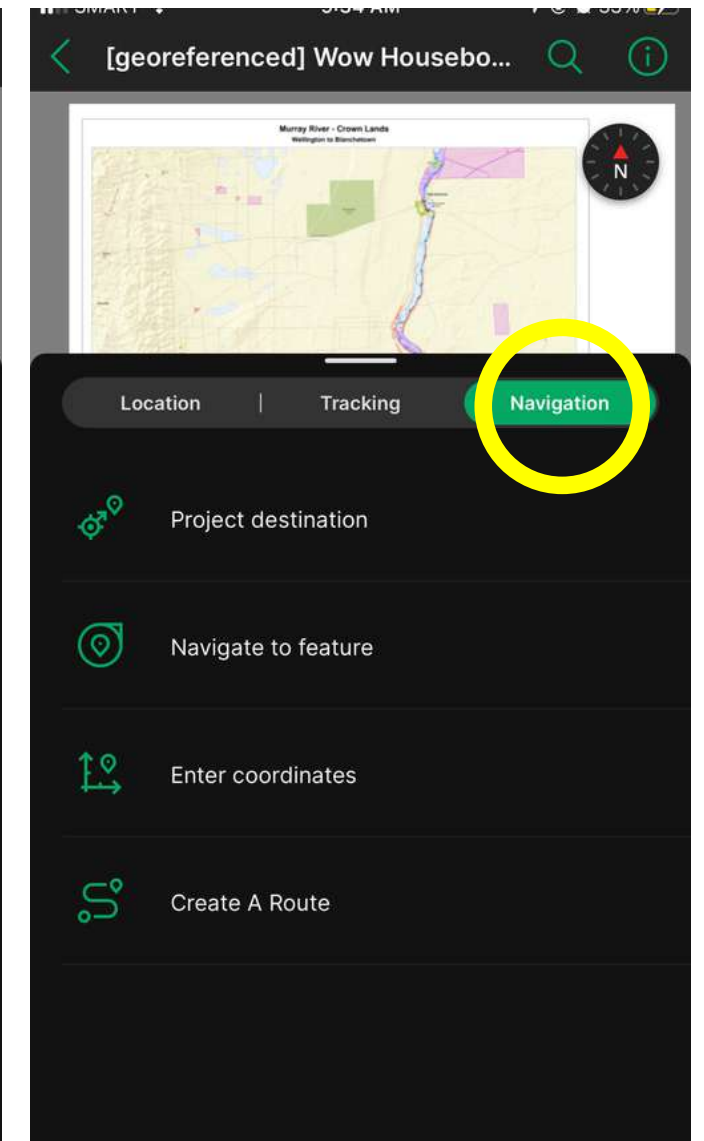
To view your location on the map, ensure that your device's location services are turned on. Use the map's features to zoom in and out of the Murray River area to find the crown lands you are looking for.



To identify a specific crown land, use the map's legend and other markers to locate the area on the map.



Once you have identified the crown land, you can use the app's other features such as adding annotations or recording GPS tracks to mark the location for future reference.



You can also use the app to navigate to any location by tapping on the "Navigation" button and following the directions provided by the app.

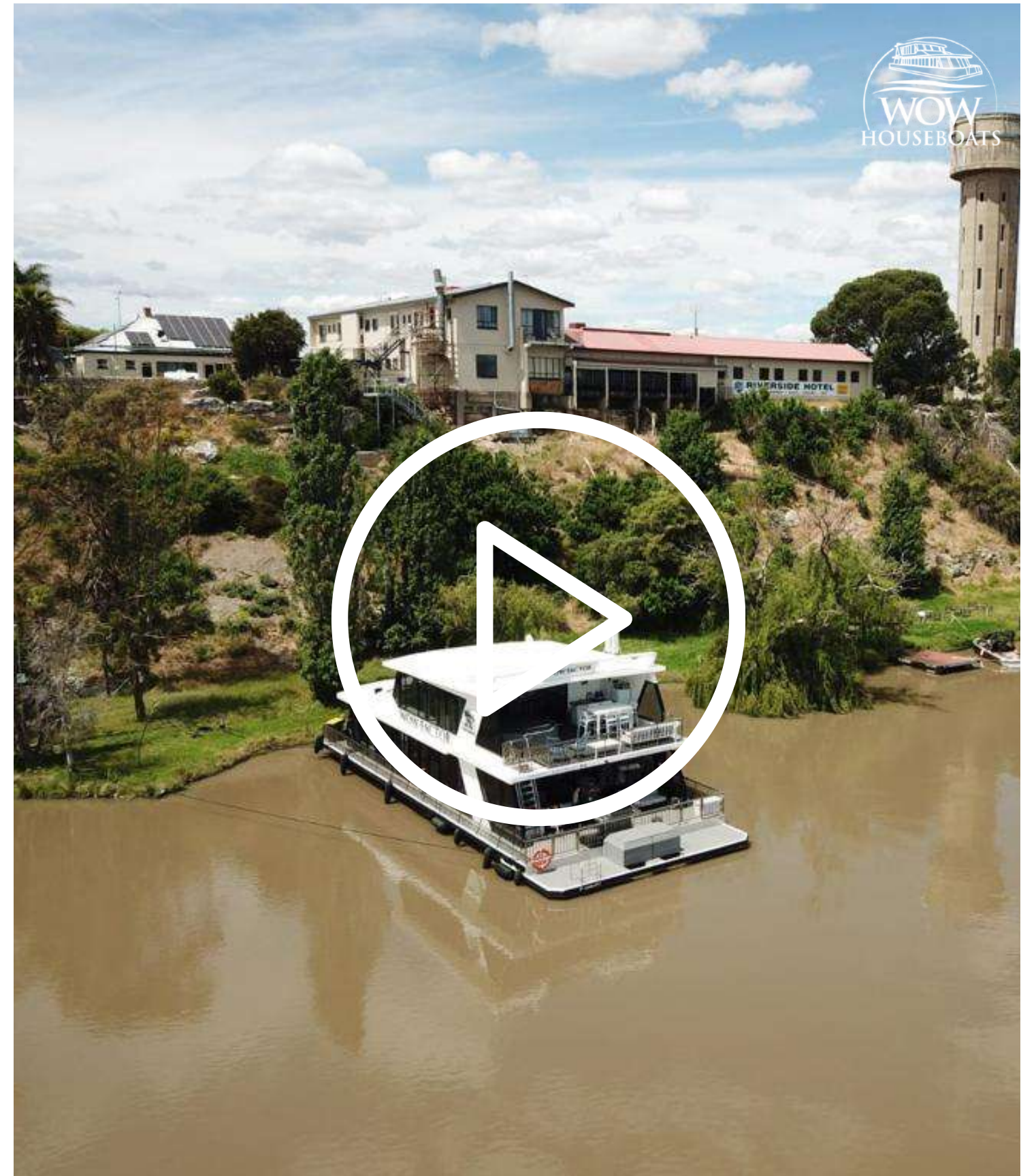
MOORING WOW FACTOR

Wow Factor is moored in some of the most beautiful locations on the Murray River, carefully chosen for their natural beauty and tranquility. But we don't take these locations for granted.

We have a partnership with the Department of Environment and Water, working together to identify crown lands in the Murray River and ensure that our guests can enjoy these beautiful locations while respecting the environment and its natural inhabitants.

But that's not all. We also use Fleetlog, a state-of-the-art tracking system that allows us to monitor the location and safety of our houseboats at all times. This helps us ensure the safety of both our vessels and our guests, giving us peace of mind and allowing our guests to relax and enjoy their holiday.

WOW FACTOR MOORING LOCATIONS



RIVERGLEN MARINA

Riverglen is a full-service marina with river-front and basin berths of varying sizes to suit houseboats, cruisers and small boats, set amongst the gums and willows in a quiet rural-river location.

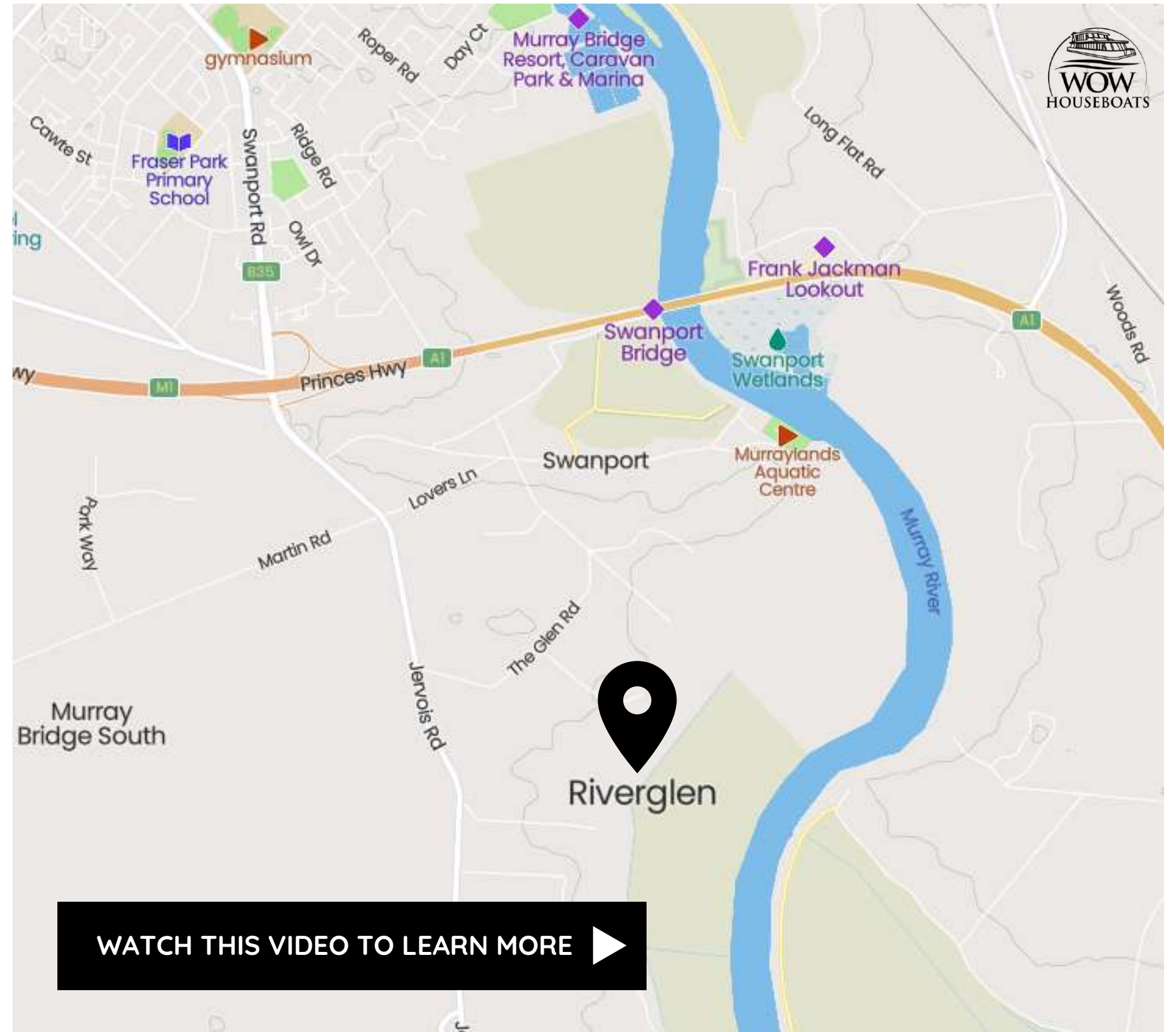
THINGS TO DO

Locally grown and bottled, Willow Point wines are one of the most affordable red and white wines in South Australia. Here at Wow Houseboats, we welcome our guests with impeccable table setting with flowers and drinks from Willow Point Wines. Please contact our team if you wish to have the alcohol purchased in advance.

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HANN ROAD RESERVE

102.5 KMS



This lawned riverfront reserve is ideal for picnics and has been approved for houseboat mooring.

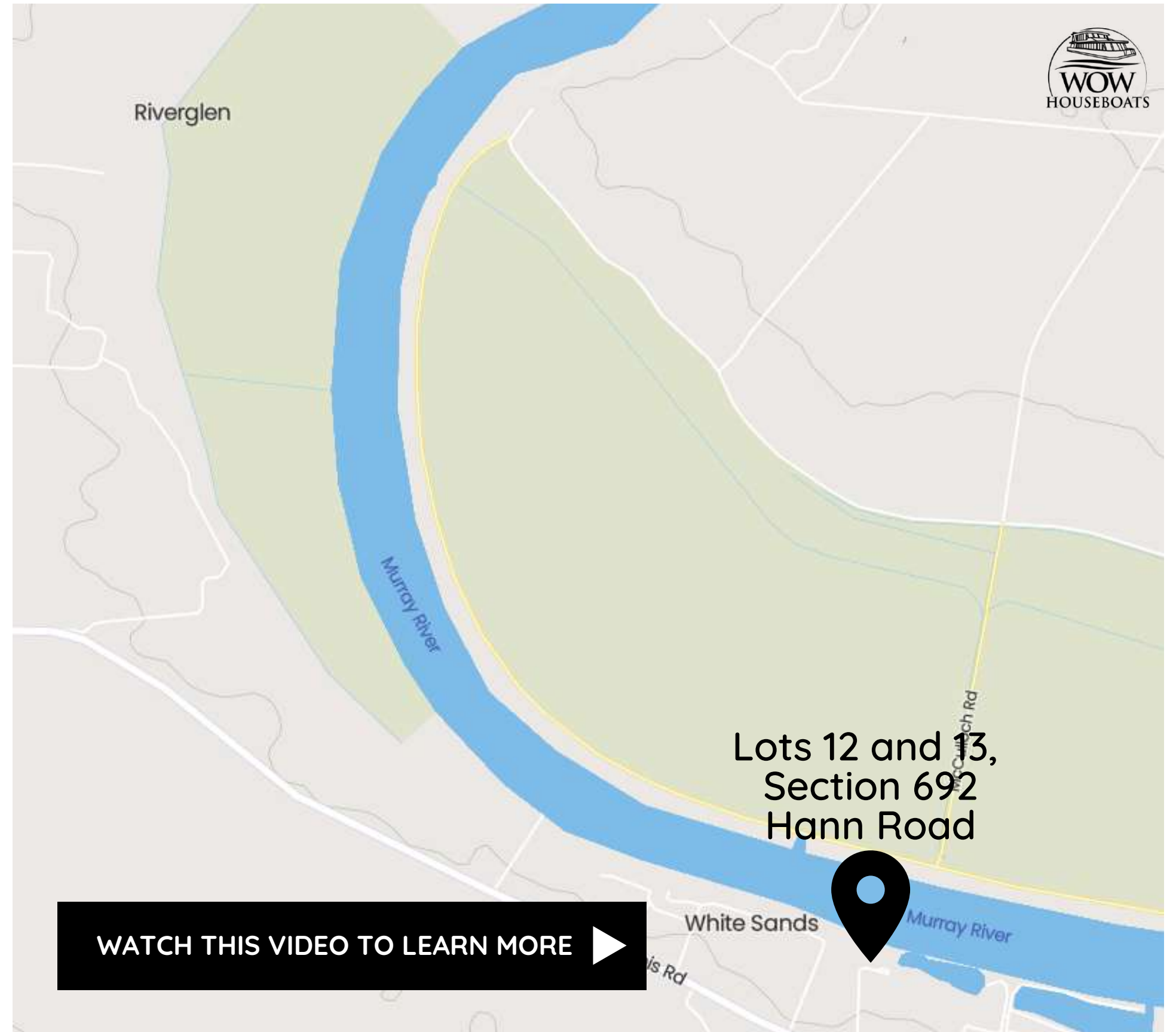
THINGS TO DO

Murray Bridge's South Side Wakeboarding School is devoted to raising the standard of wakeboarding in South Australia. Wow Houseboats purchased all of our ski gears from Adam at Above Board Shop who runs the South Side Wakeboarding School. If you're looking for a wakeboard and waterski store, a boat dealer or even wakeboard lessons, Adam and his team got you covered!

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BELLS LANDING RESERVE

105 KMS



Bells Landing is an attractive lawned riverfront reserve with a boat ramp. The Council acknowledges this land and waters have a close relationship to the Ngarrindjeri People who are the traditional land owners of this area. Bells Landing is a cultural site of significance, rich in history.

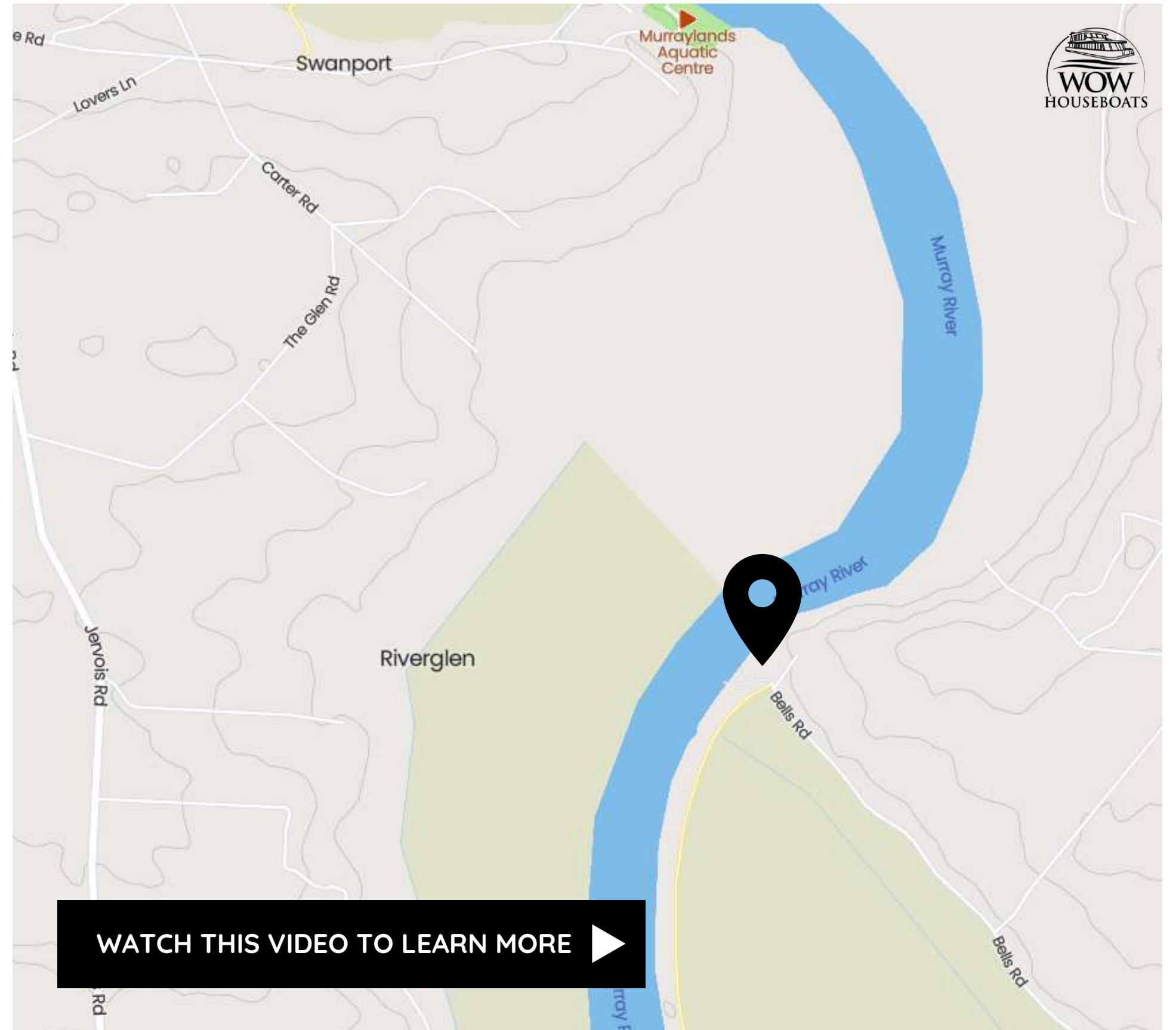
THINGS TO DO

This day-use area offers nice scenery, walking tracks and cycling tracks. Dogs are not permitted. No camping or overnight parking is allowed.

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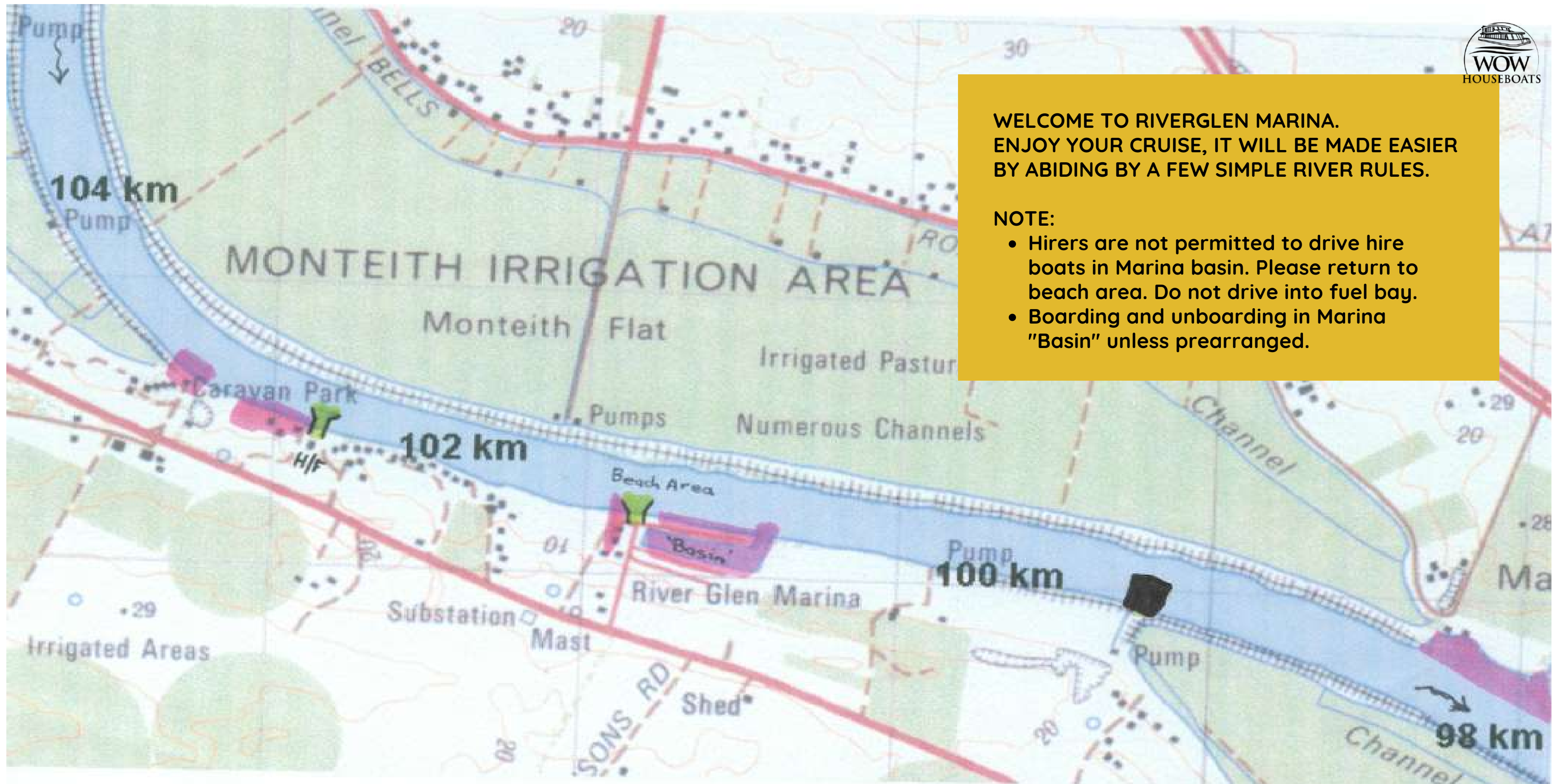
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WELCOME TO RIVERGLEN MARINA.
ENJOY YOUR CRUISE, IT WILL BE MADE EASIER
BY ABIDING BY A FEW SIMPLE RIVER RULES.

NOTE:

- Hirers are not permitted to drive hire boats in Marina basin. Please return to beach area. Do not drive into fuel bay.
- Boarding and unboarding in Marina "Basin" unless prearranged.



SWANPORT RESERVE

107.5 KMS



This is an attractive lawned riverfront reserve. Half the foreshore here is dedicated to swimming only and the other half is dedicated to fishing. This reserve features many tall shade trees, barbecues, picnic shelters and environmentally friendly public toilets.

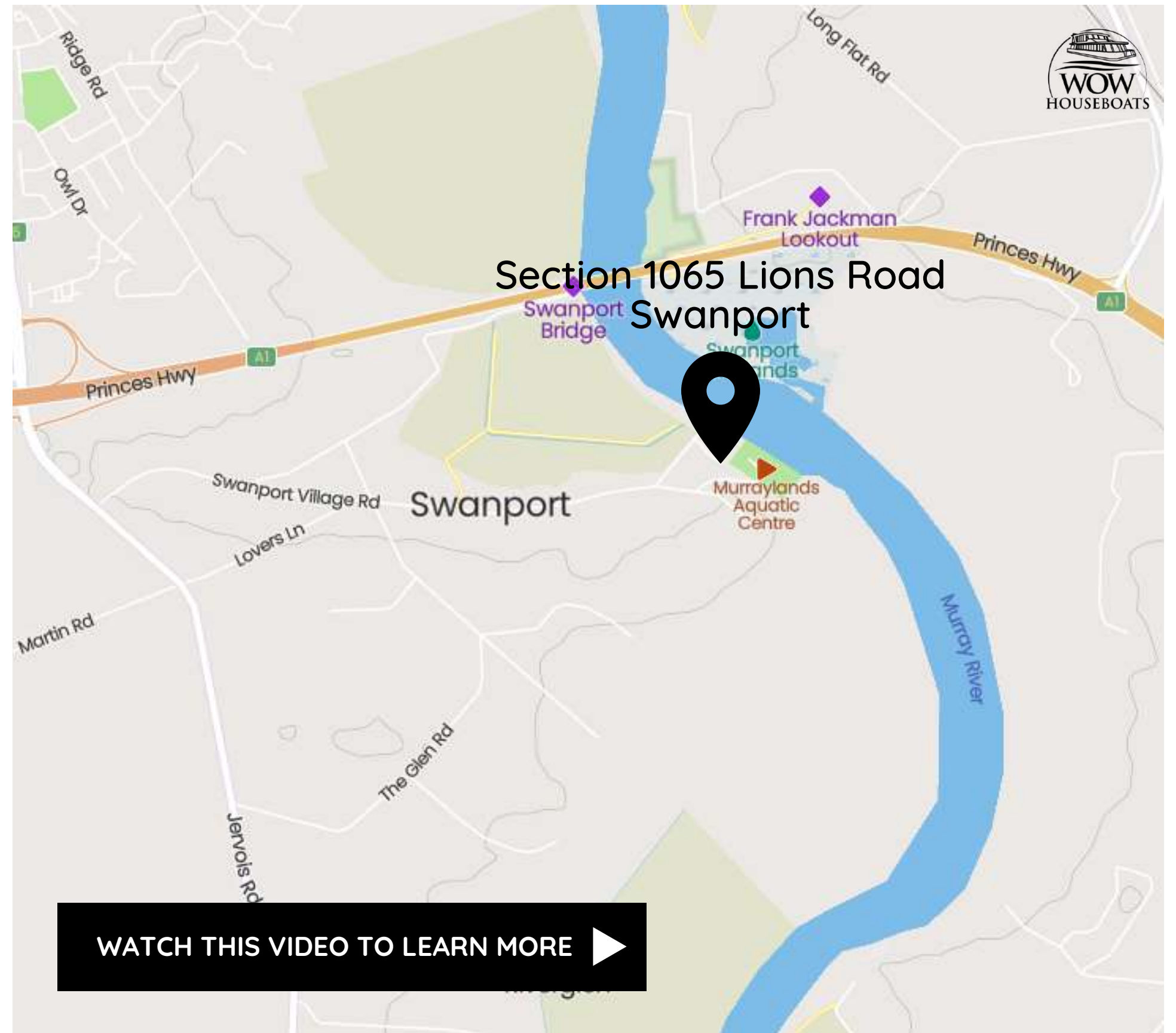
THINGS TO DO

The Murraylands Aquatic Centre has been in operation since 1982. The gorgeous lawned location by the Murray River, about 5 kilometres downstream from Murray Bridge in Swanport (just south of the south eastern freeway bridge), is one of this attraction's features.

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SWANPORT WETLANDS

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This Murray River Wetland situated between the highway and the river is teeming with local wildlife.

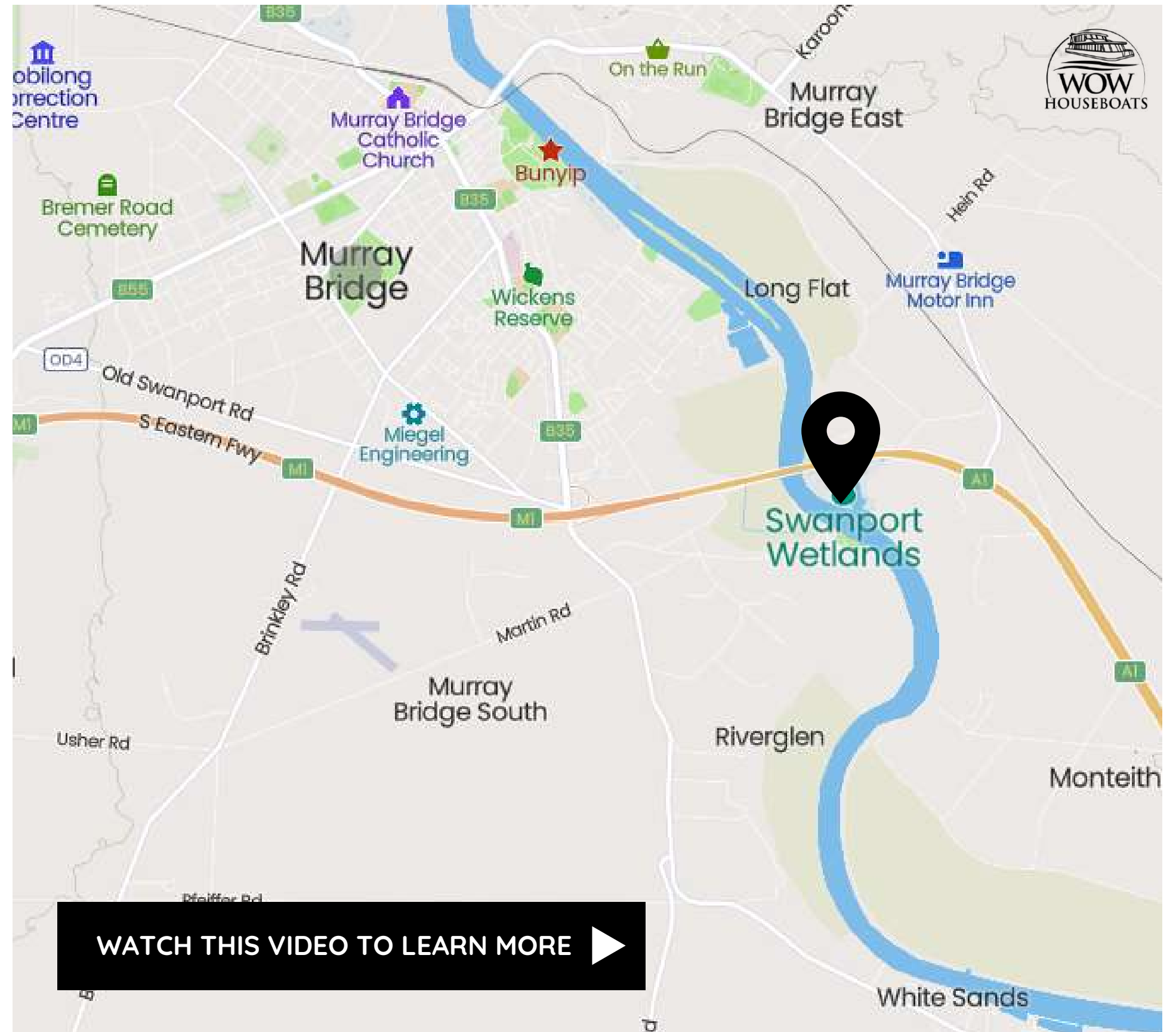
THINGS TO DO

Swanport Wetlands is a recreation reserve under the control of the Rural City of Murray Bridge. A boardwalk and viewing platform have been constructed to provide access for nature lovers and sightseers. This reserve is good for walking and birdwatching.

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LONG ISLAND RESERVE

110.5 KMS



Long Island Reserve is an attractive riverfront reserve and popular summer destination for locals and holidaymakers who enjoy water sports.

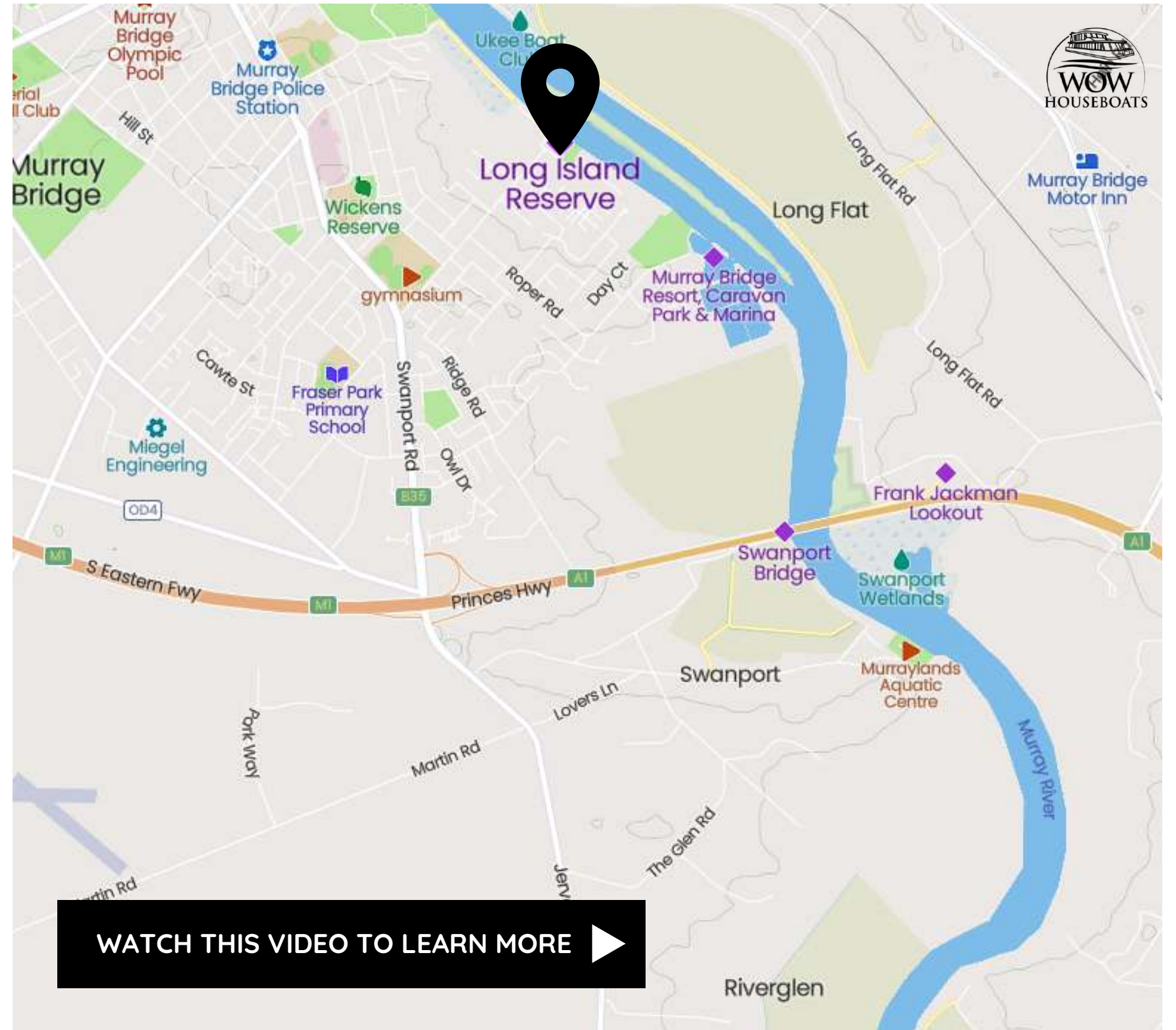
THINGS TO DO

The Murray Bridge Marina Camping and Caravan Park is located on the outskirts of Murray Bridge. This is the ideal area to call 'home' for a quick stopover, whether you're looking for vineyards or animals, water sports or motor sports, or just sitting back, chilling out, watching the pelicans drift by while having a cozy lunch with your friends and family.

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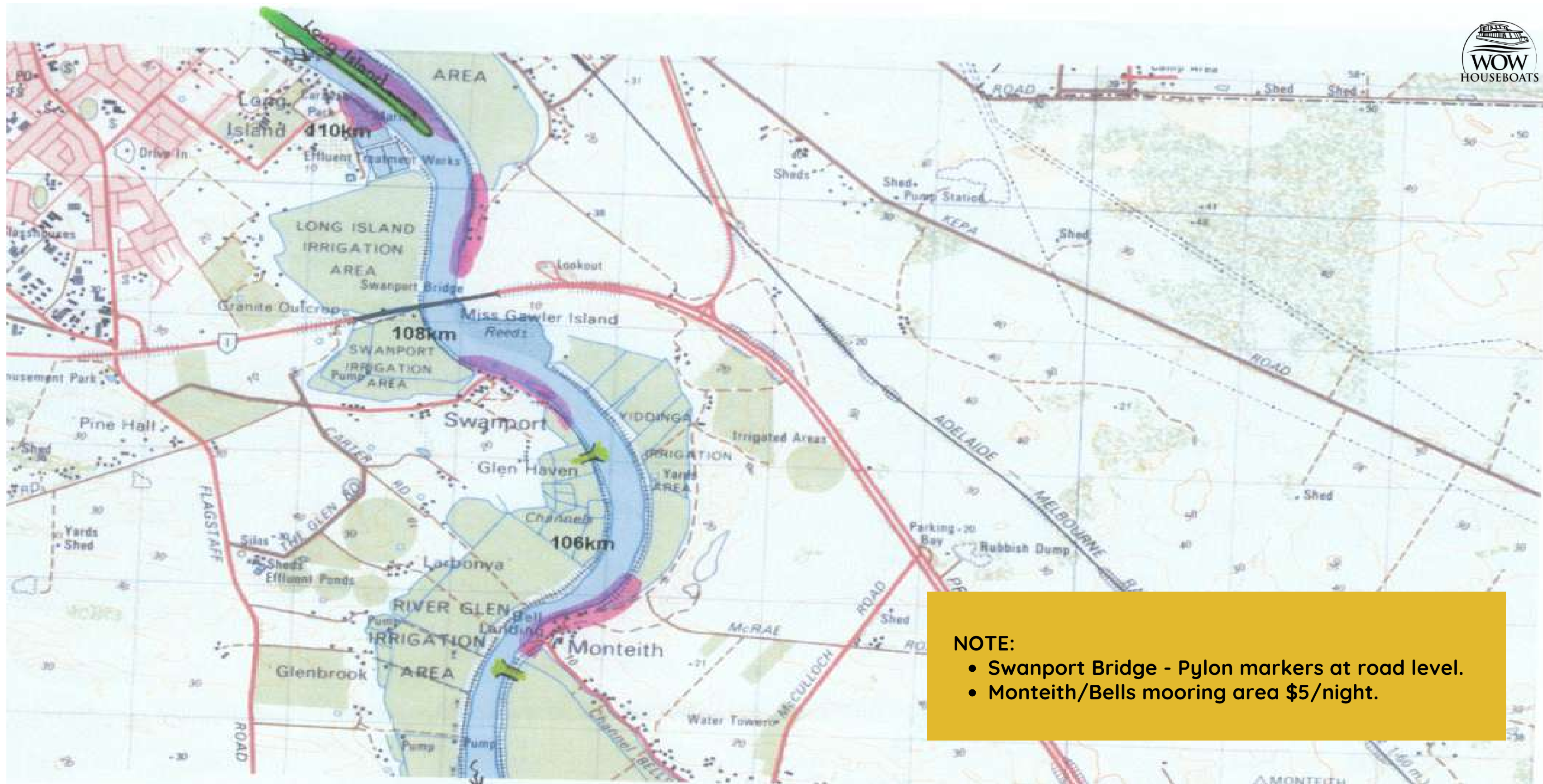
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NOTE:

- Swanport Bridge - Pylon markers at road level.
- Monteith/Bells mooring area \$5/night.

STURT RESERVE (MURRAY BRIDGE)

112 KMS



Sturt Reserve, Murray Bridge's crown gem, is a paradise for outdoor enjoyment and entertainment for both locals and visitors from across the world.

THINGS TO DO

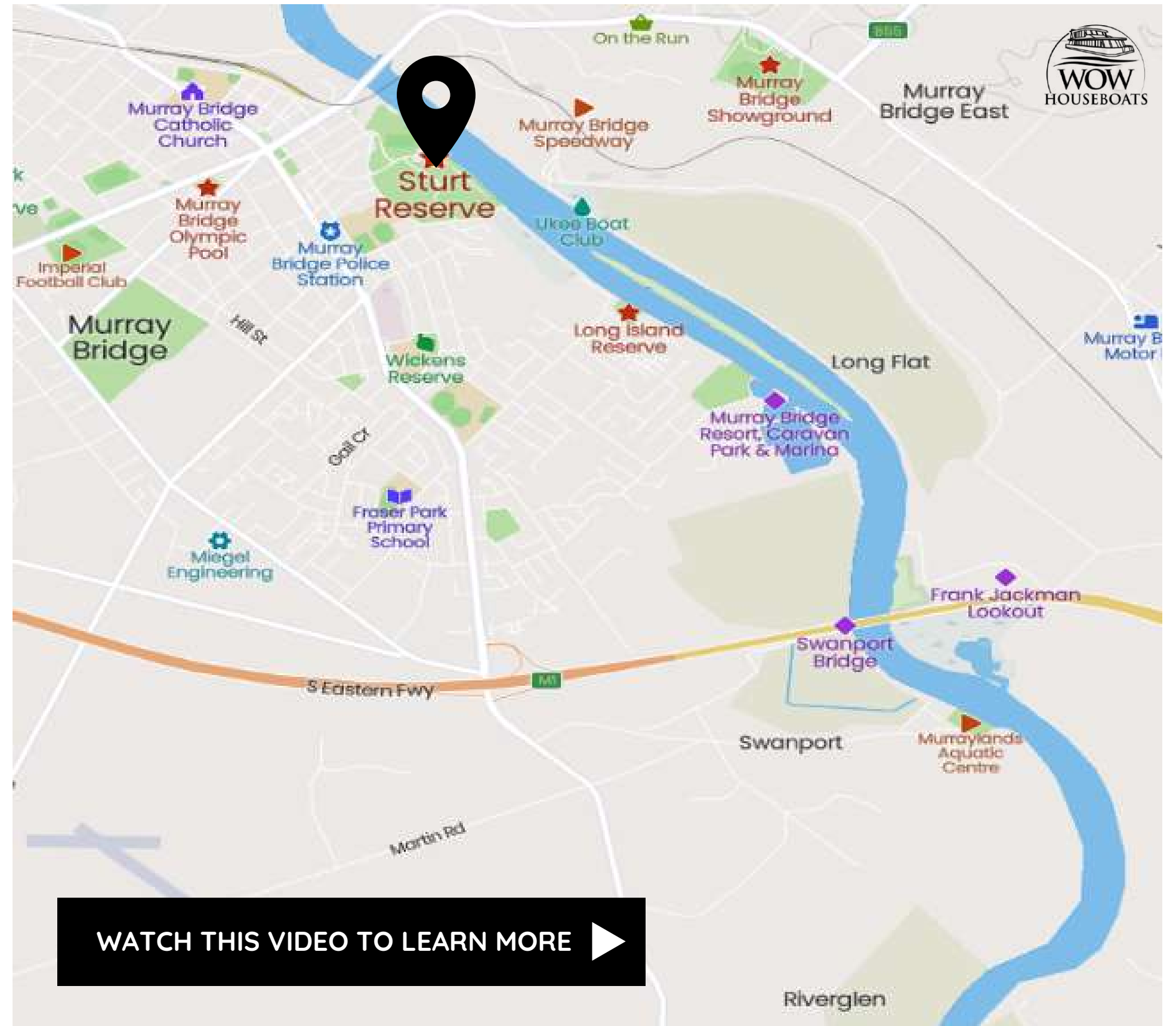
Bertha the Bunyip. Ngarrindjeri children are told never to swim alone or to take more fish than they can eat from the rivers and lakes, or else the Mulyawonk (Bunyip) will get you.

Murray Bridge Speedway. One of Australia's oldest and most successful speedway venues, this speedway hosts racing events on a regular basis and is a must-see site in the Murraylands region.

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112 KMS



THINGS TO DO

Bridgeport Hotel. With a proud view of the famous Murray River, the newly refurbished hotel is a place for visitors and locals to eat, drink, play and stay longer.

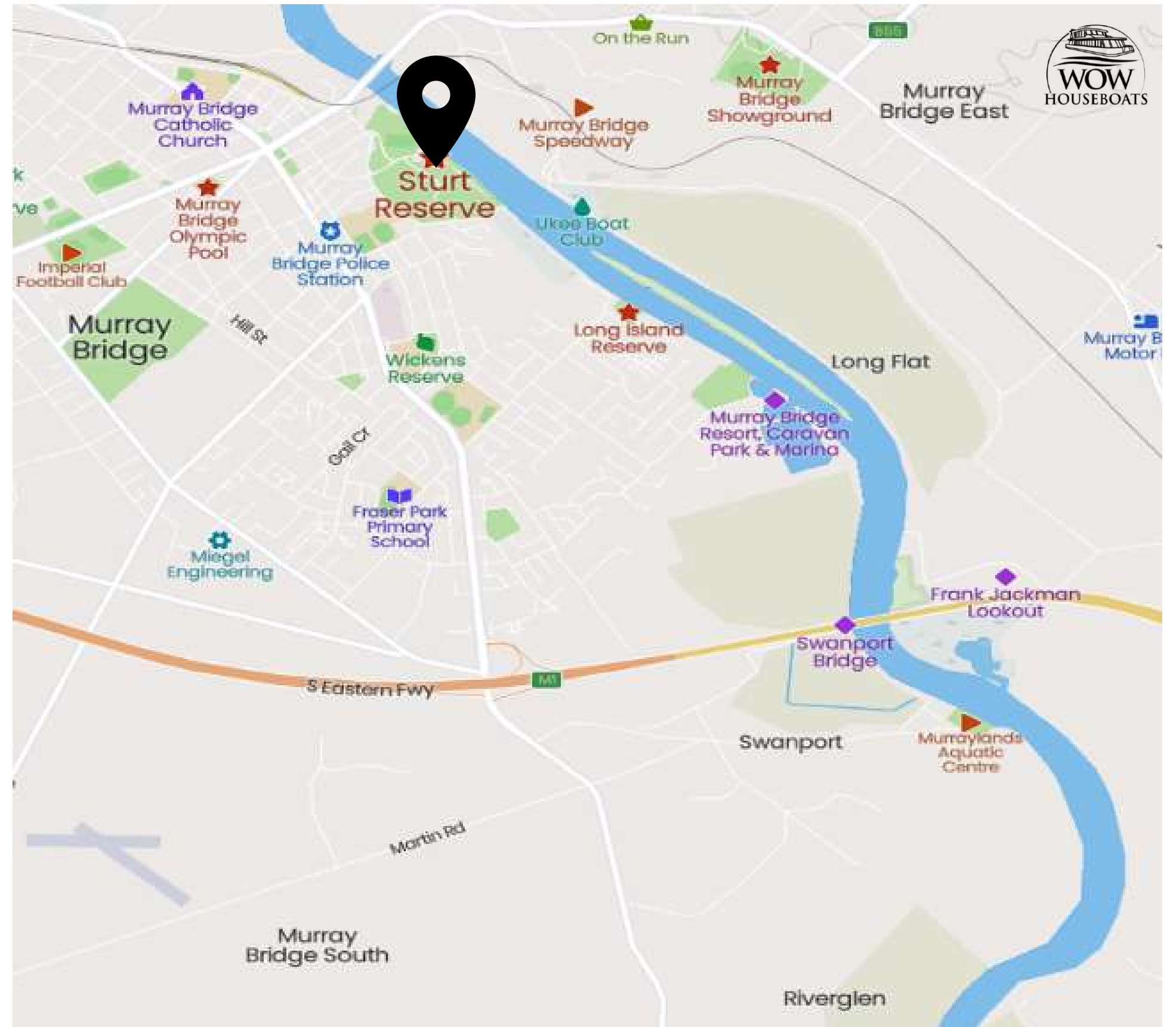
Riverscape Food & Wine. Located upstream of the Murray River, this is the perfect place to enjoy a quality meal while enjoying a relaxing view of the Murray River.

Murray Bridge Club. You can find this in the heart of the Murray Bridge overlooking the majestic Murray River. Join the club for great dining, entertainment and event space.

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HUME RESERVE (MURRAY BRIDGE)

113 KMS



This riverfront reserve features a houseboat mooring opportunity. Hume Reserve was named after Hume Brothers, whose factory was on the site. They were world leaders in cement pipe construction in the 1920s.

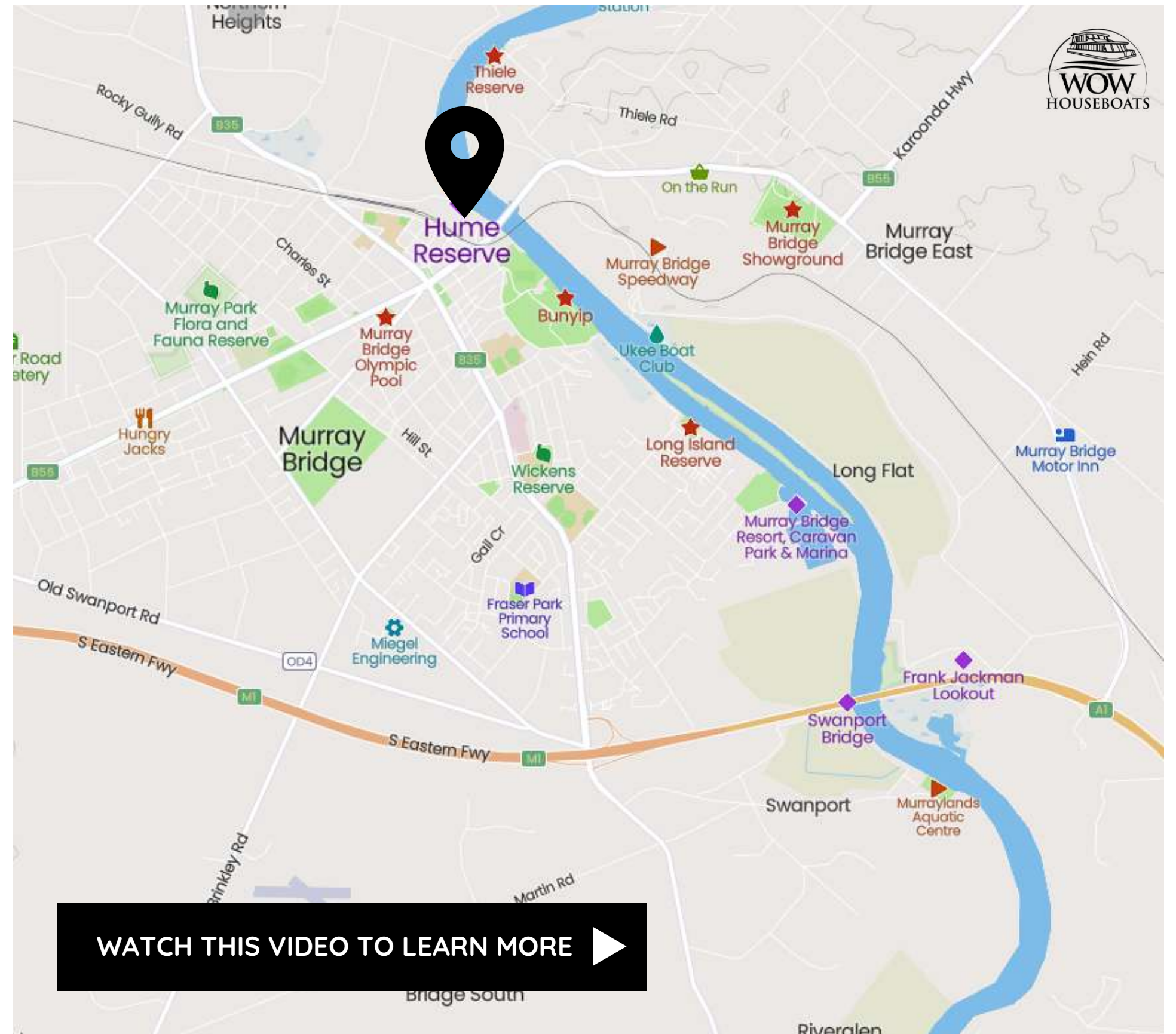
THINGS TO DO

This reserve is good for fishing, walking, and hiking trails. Dog friendly.
No camping or overnight parking allowed.

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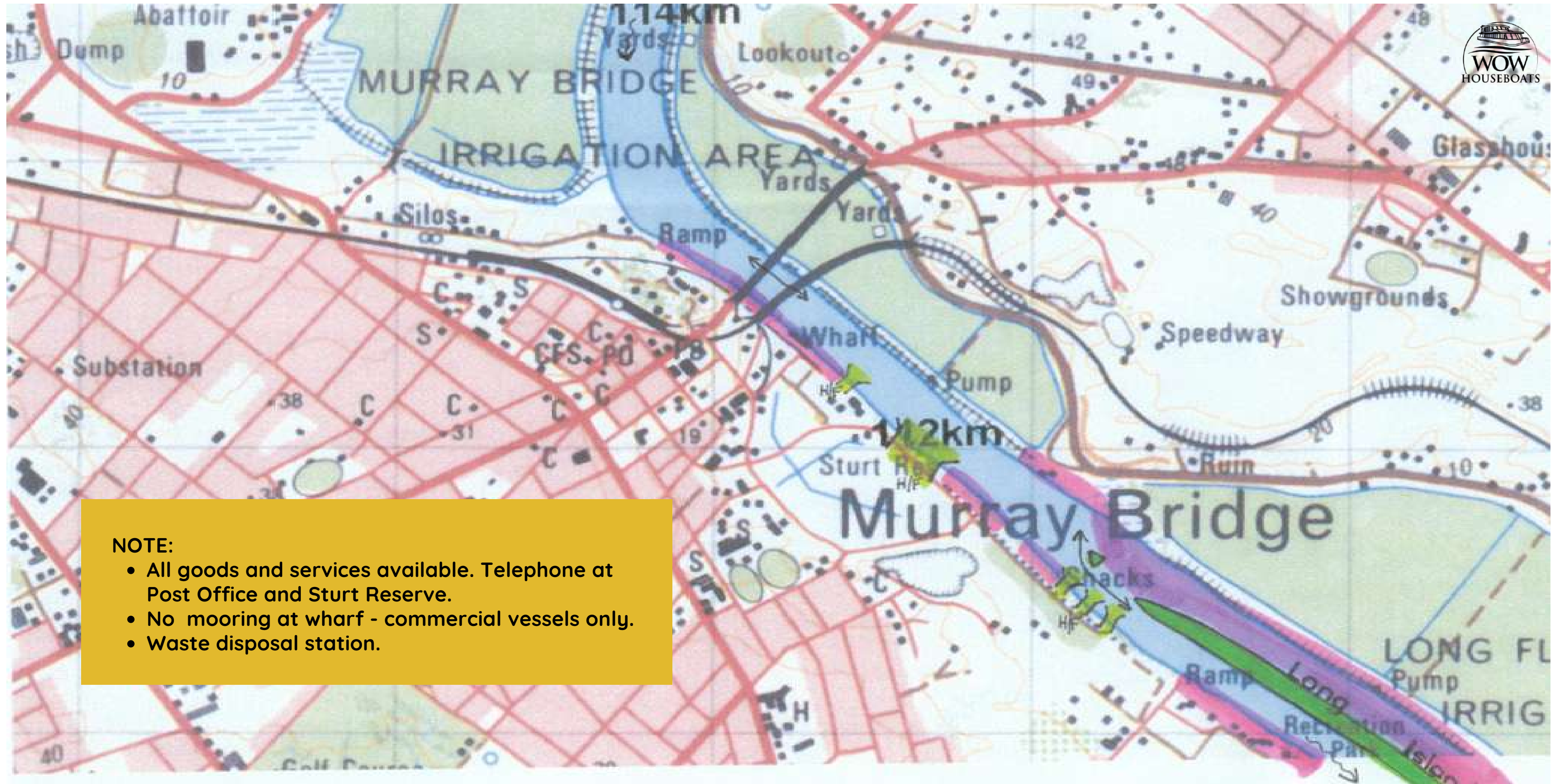
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NOTE:

- All goods and services available. Telephone at Post Office and Sturt Reserve.
- No mooring at wharf - commercial vessels only.
- Waste disposal station.

THIELE RESERVE

114 KMS



Thiele Reserve is a popular waterfront reserve on the east side of Murray Bridge. Features include barbecues, benches under shelter, boat ramp, carpark and toilets.

The playground features a "spider" climbing structure comprised of a rope pyramid with ladders and swings on a soft fall base.

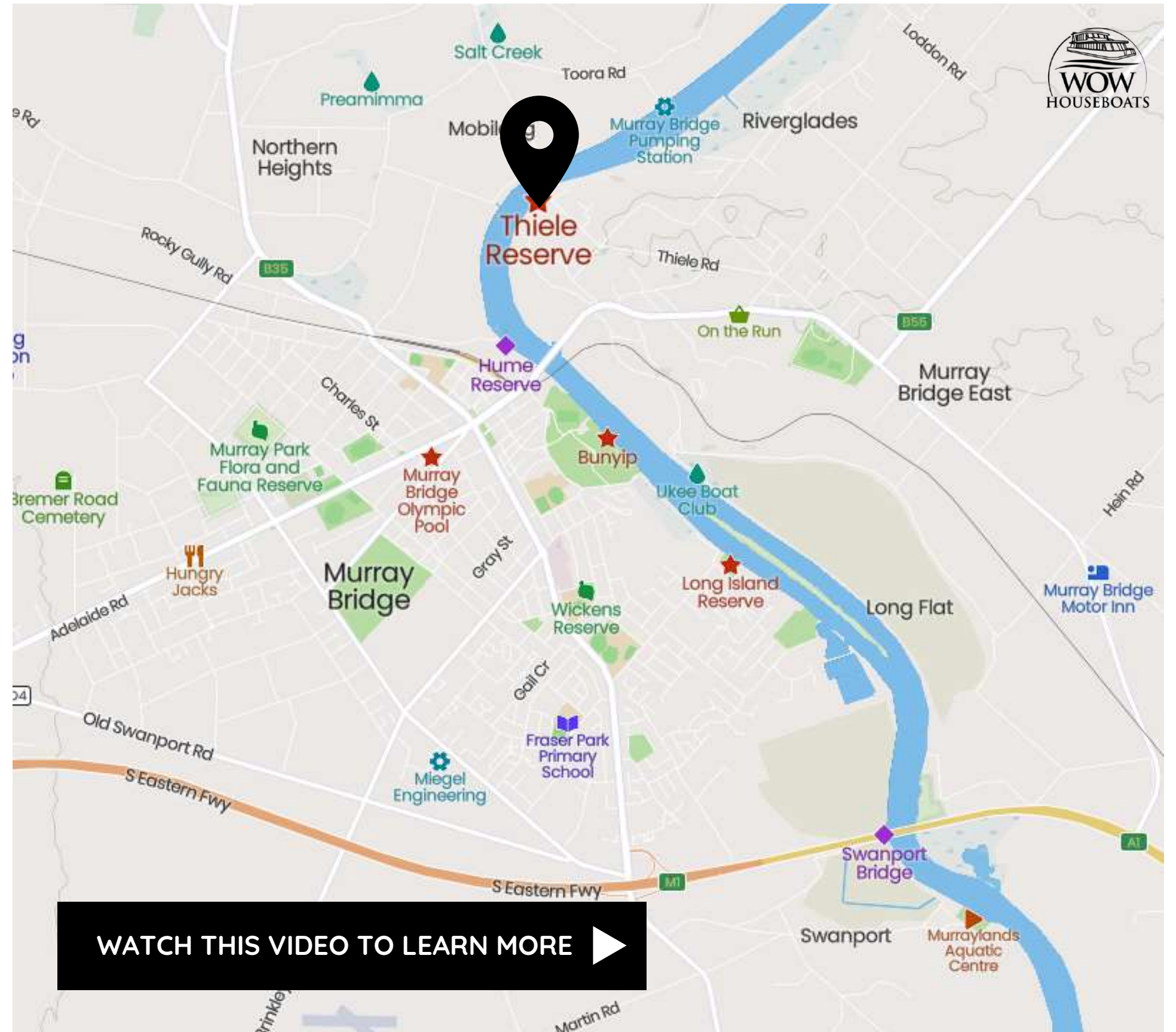
THINGS TO DO

Pack your lunch and enjoy a picnic along the river. This beautiful sanctuary on the eastern side of Murray Bridge is a perfect environment with lush lawns, shelters and a small playground. Let the kids burn their energy and enjoy the sun!

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AVOCA DELL RESERVE

118 KMS



Avoca Dell is a picturesque riverside reserve with spectacular views of and easy access to the Murray River. The reserve is popular with tourists, boating enthusiasts and families.

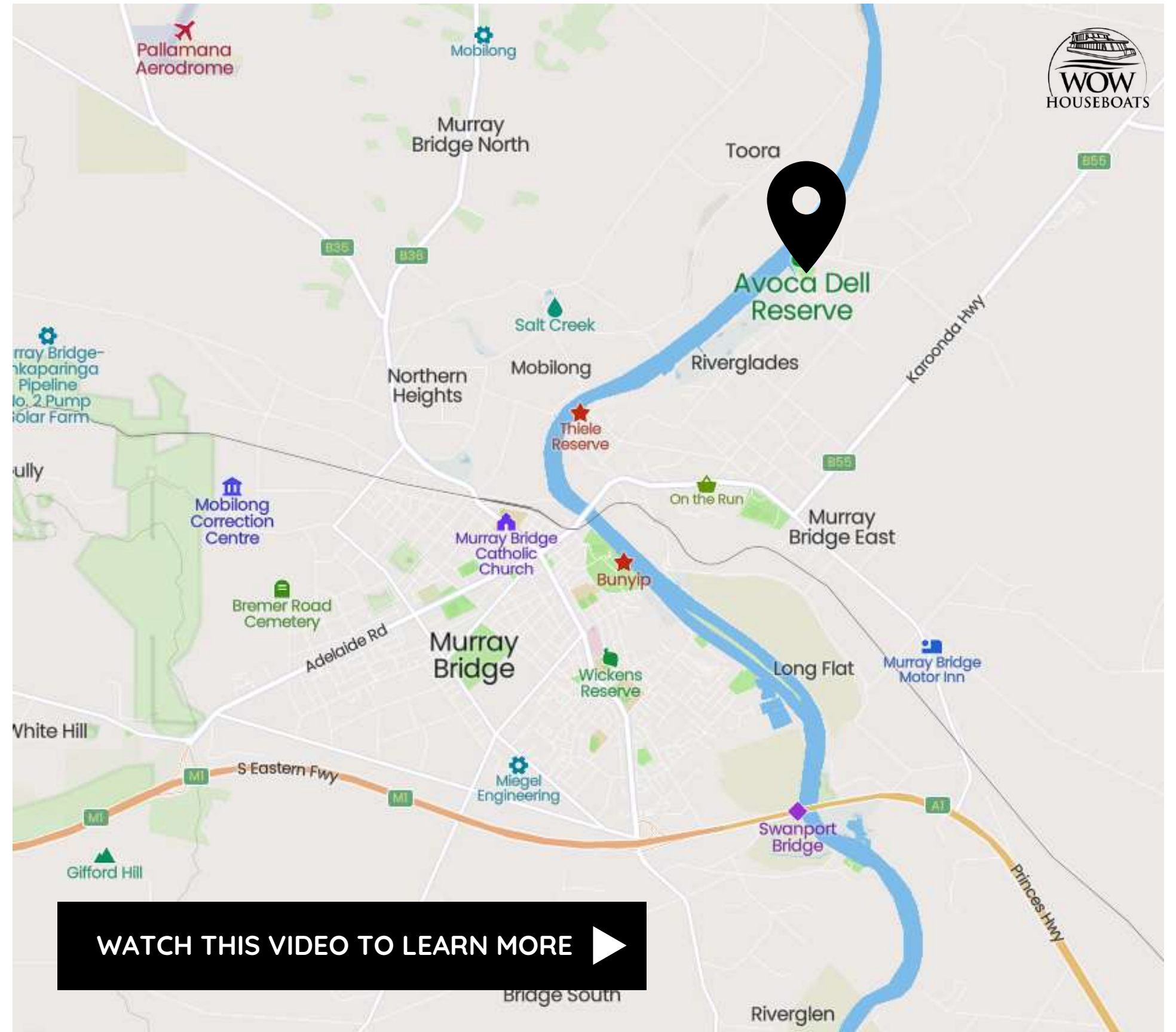
THINGS TO DO

Riverglades Community Wetlands Walking Trail. Walk a loop through the wetlands at Riverglade. Formerly a dairy and sheep property, the area was converted to a wetland with a lagoon, increasing the biodiversity of the river here. Please watch out for reptiles and snakes.

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<https://www.murraybridge.sa.gov.au/discover/facilities/houseboatmoorings>



TOORA RESERVE

119 KMS



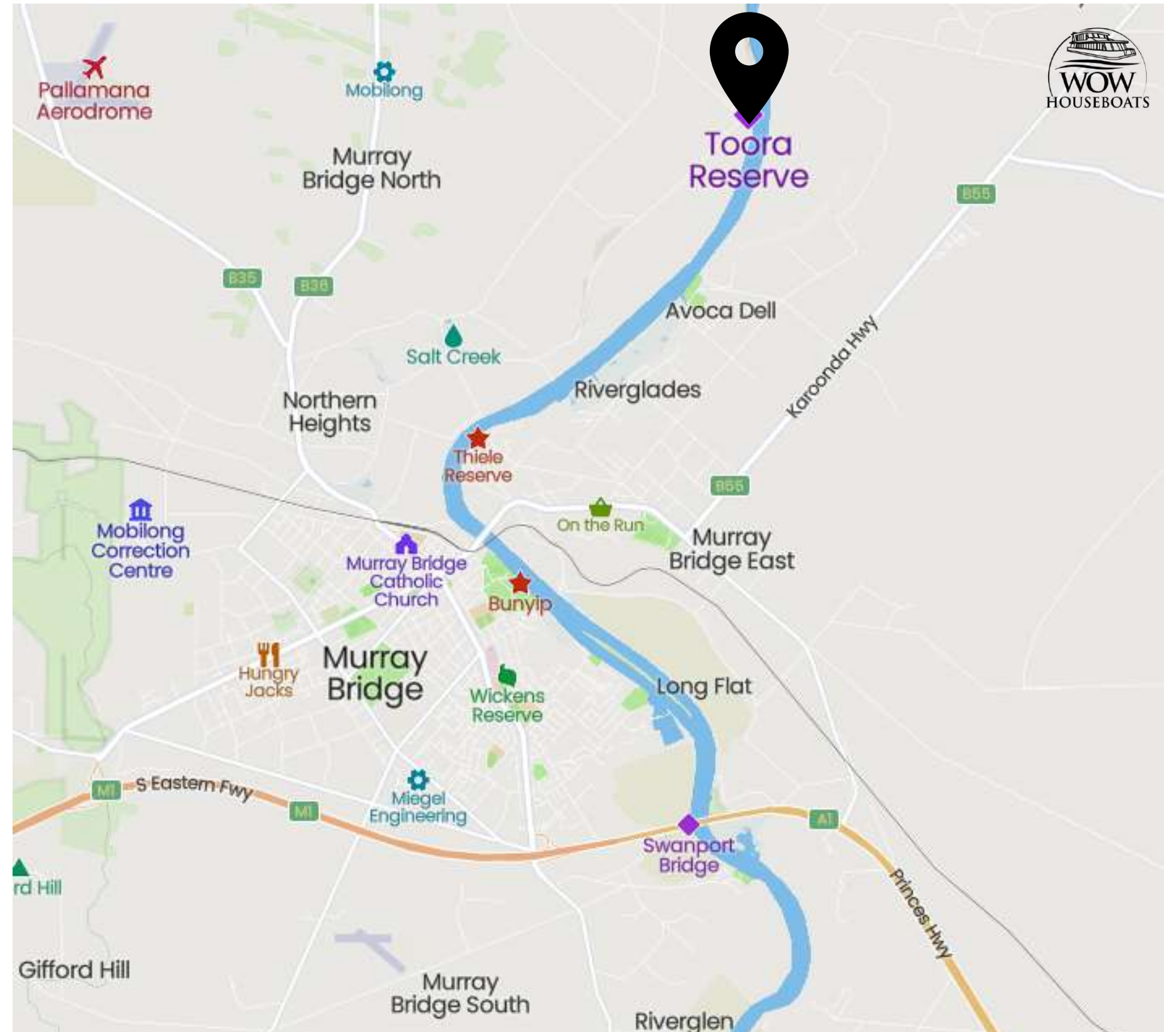
Toora Reserve is comprised of two geographically separate pieces of riverfront land - one is a vegetated triangular-shaped piece of land at the end of Toora Road and the other is a long thin stretch nearby which follows the curve of the Murray River.

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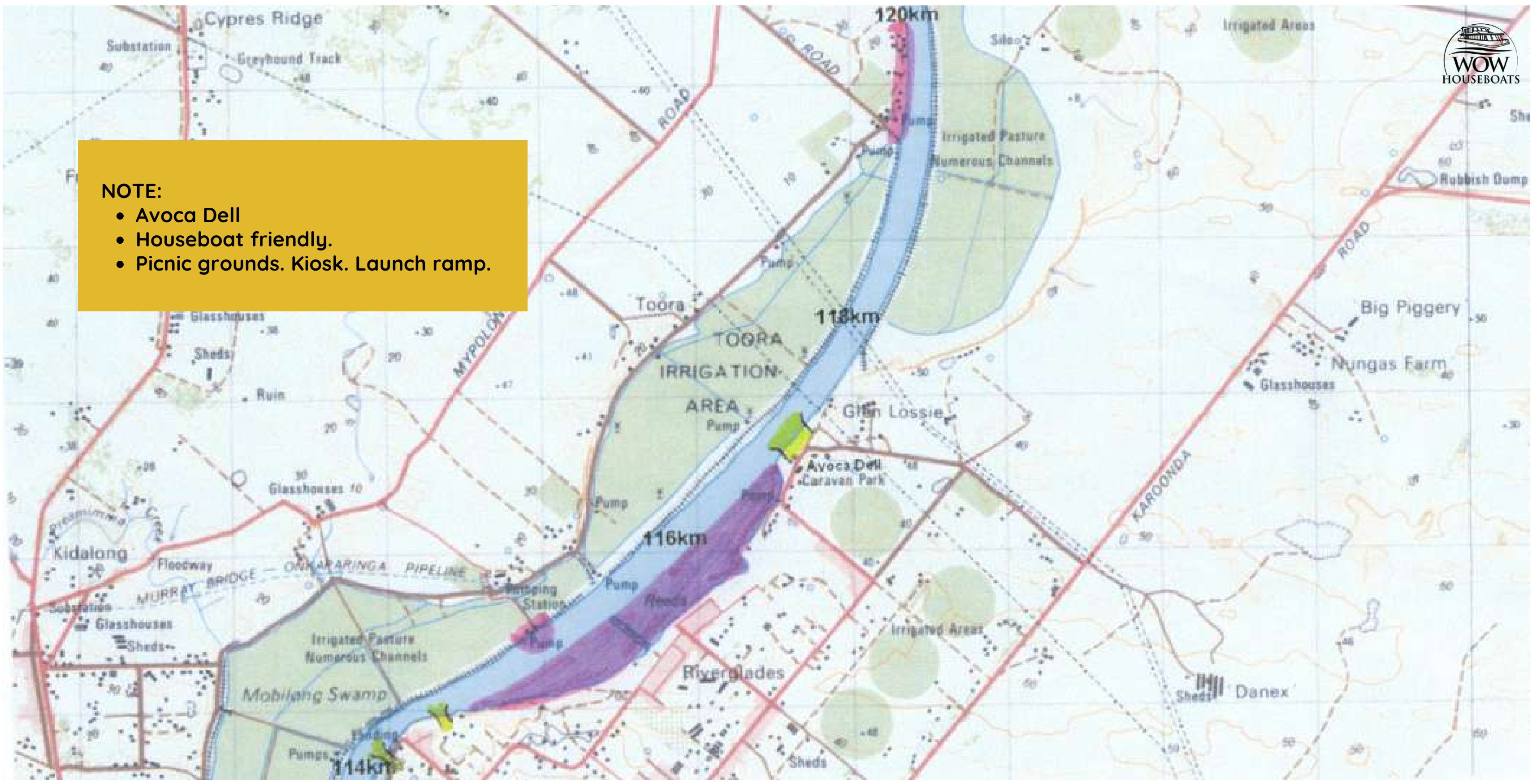
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NOTE:

- Avoca Dell
- Houseboat friendly.
- Picnic grounds. Kiosk. Launch ramp.



SNAKEY GULLY RESERVE

126 KMS



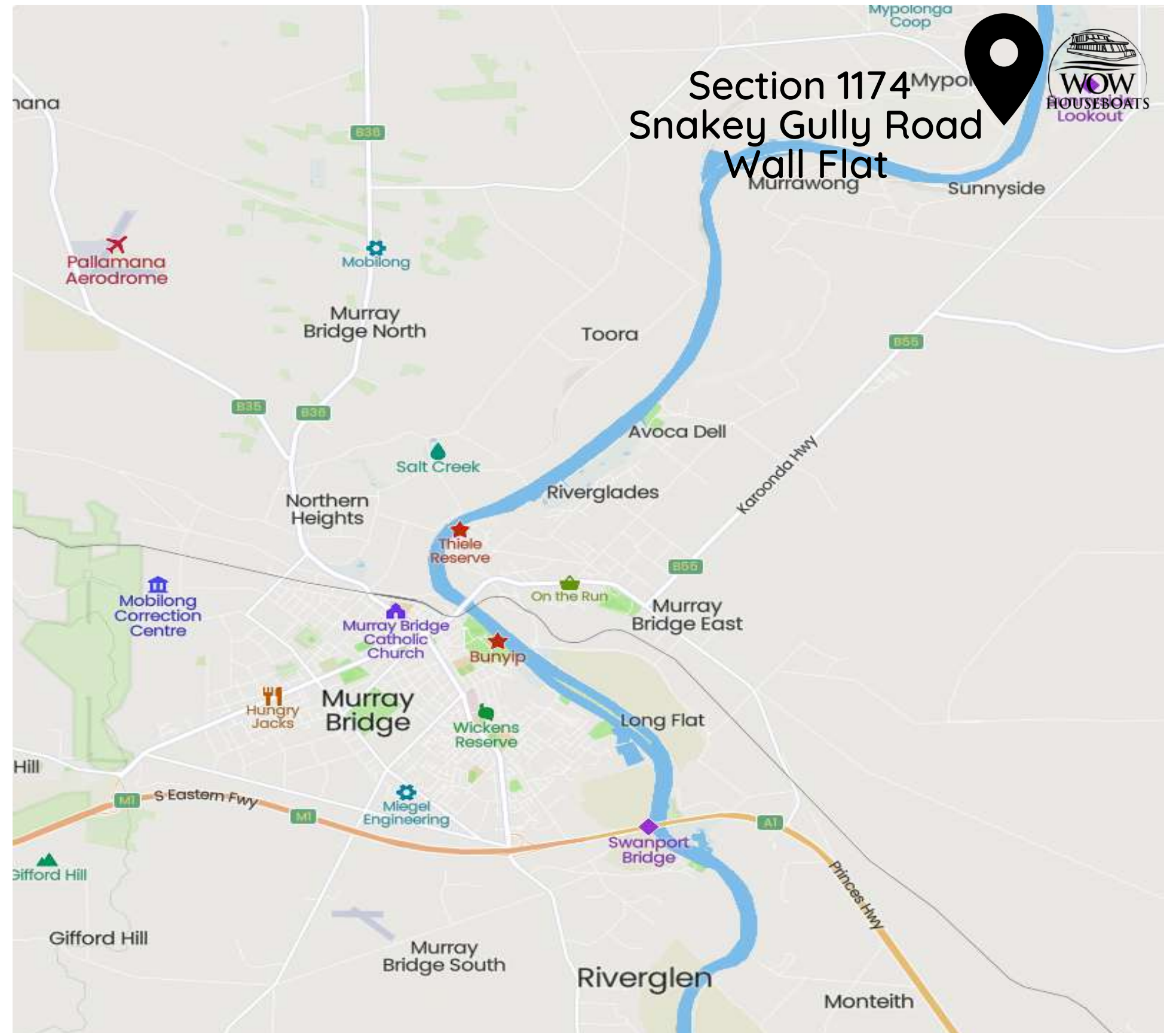
This reserve is approved for houseboat mooring. This is a public reserve free for all members of the public to enjoy.

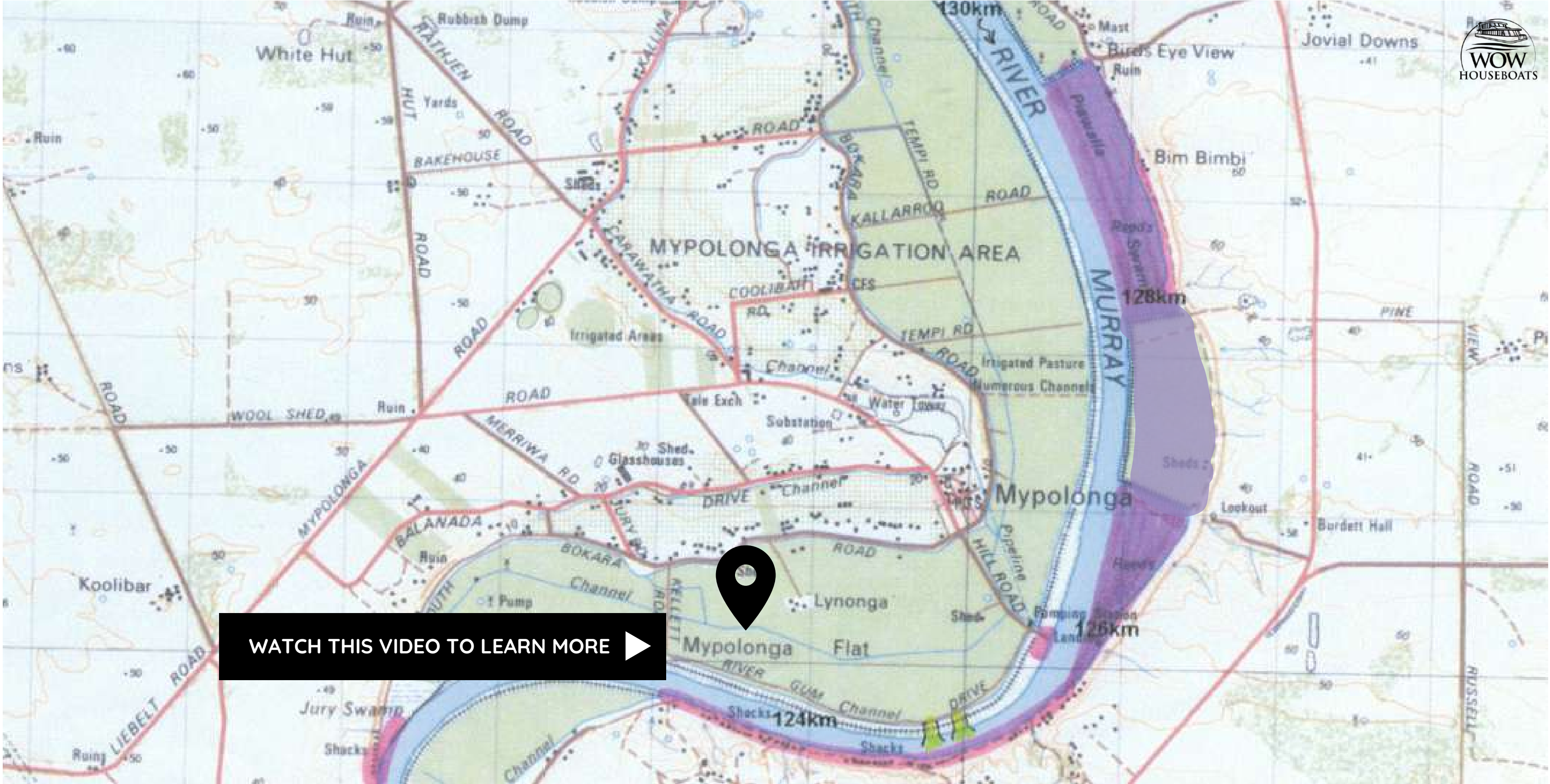
Snakey Gully Reserve gets its name due to being a long thin front stretch of land which runs alongside the Murray River.

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WOODLANE RESERVE

132.5 KMS



Woodlane Reserve is a beautiful place to visit, perched right on the Murray River's edge in our friendly little South Australian community of Mypolonga.

The new playground includes a face-to-face swing, inclusive diablo and a huge climbing frame.

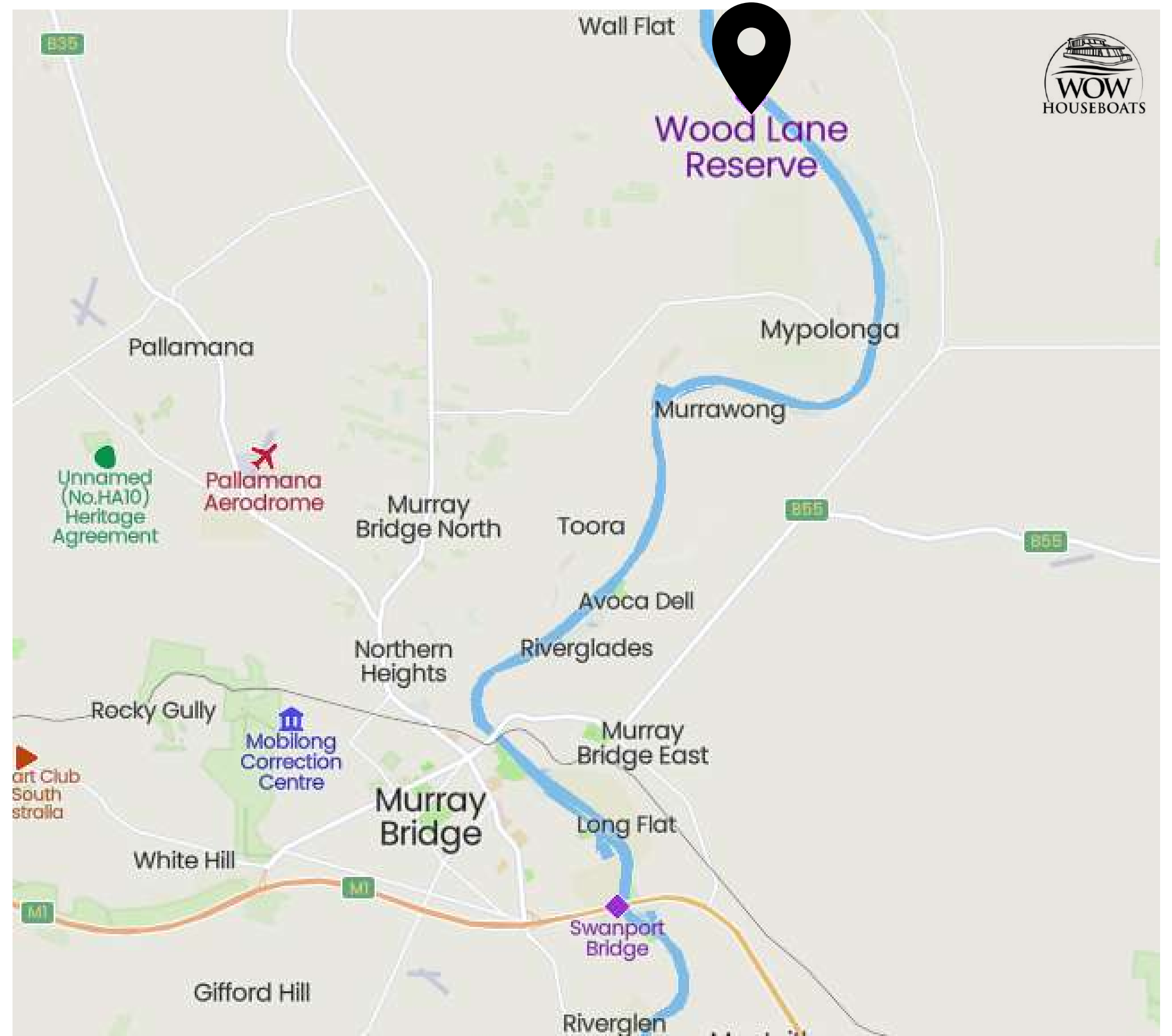
This developed riverfront reserve also features lawned areas, picnic shelters, a boat ramp and public toilets.

This reserve is good for water activities.

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NOTE:

- Poor mobile phone signal between 134km and 142km.

MARY ANN RESERVE (MANNUM)

148 KMS



The Mary Ann Reserve is perfect for BBQ, relaxing, cycling, fishing, and picnics. Beware of the fruit fly when bringing fruits and veggies at risk or you'll get fined. Check our document - [Beware of the Fruit Fly!](#) - for more details.

THINGS TO DO

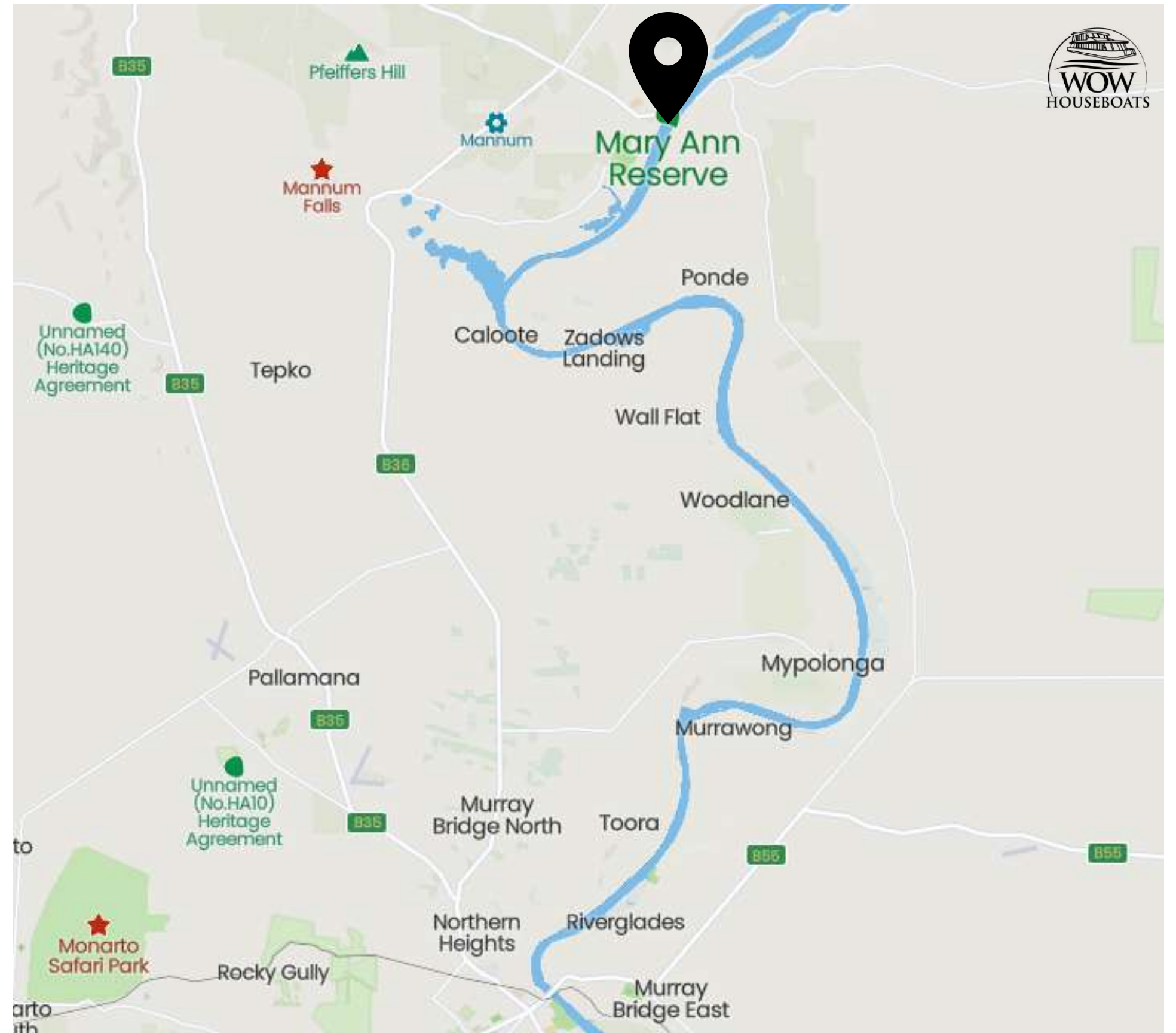
Pretoria Hotel is over 100 years old. You can still see the 1956 flood marker as you head into the bar. But don't worry, now you can have a great view of the water from a safe distance; from the bar.

Randell Street Bakery. Located in Mannum's main street, this family-run bakery offers hand-crafted bread, pies, freshly-made sandwich rolls, a wide variety of cakes and delicious coffee. They also supply decorated cakes on every occasion.

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Source:
<https://southaustralia.com/products/murraylands/attraction/mary-ann-reserve>



BOLTO & HAYTHORPE RESERVE (MANNUM)

151 KMS



Situated just over the ferry from Mannum on the east side of the river is the Bolto & Haythorpe Reserve camping grounds. The picturesque camping ground is located on the riverbank between Khartoum Road and the river.

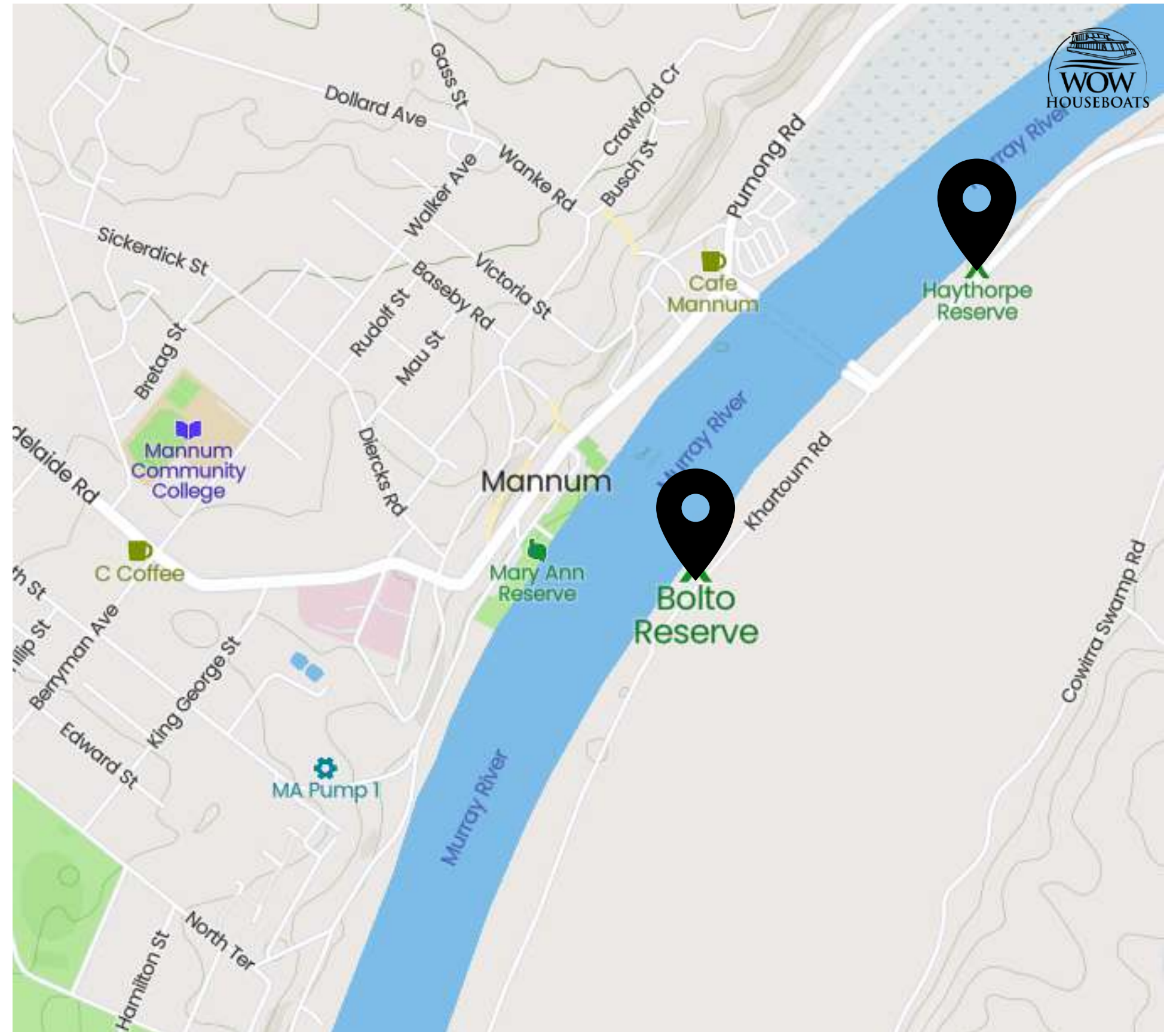
The reserve offers a unique style of bush camping, yet is still a short ferry ride to all the facilities and tourist attractions that Mannum has to offer. No bookings are required, simply turn up, set up and enjoy.

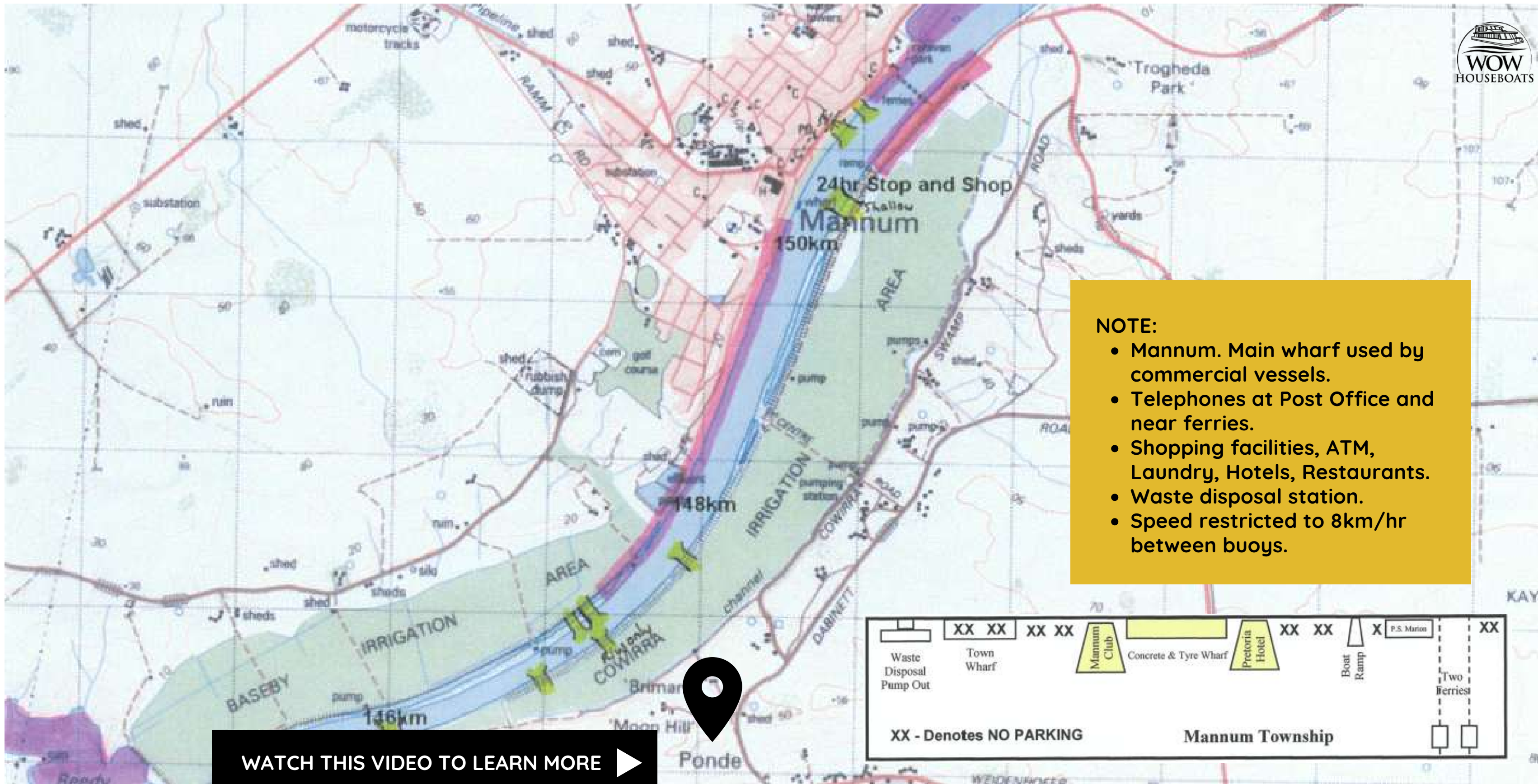
Guests of Wow Factor can meet their friends and family over lunch in this reserve - perfect spot for camping and for those family/friends of guests on caravan.

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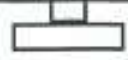



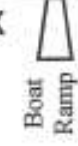


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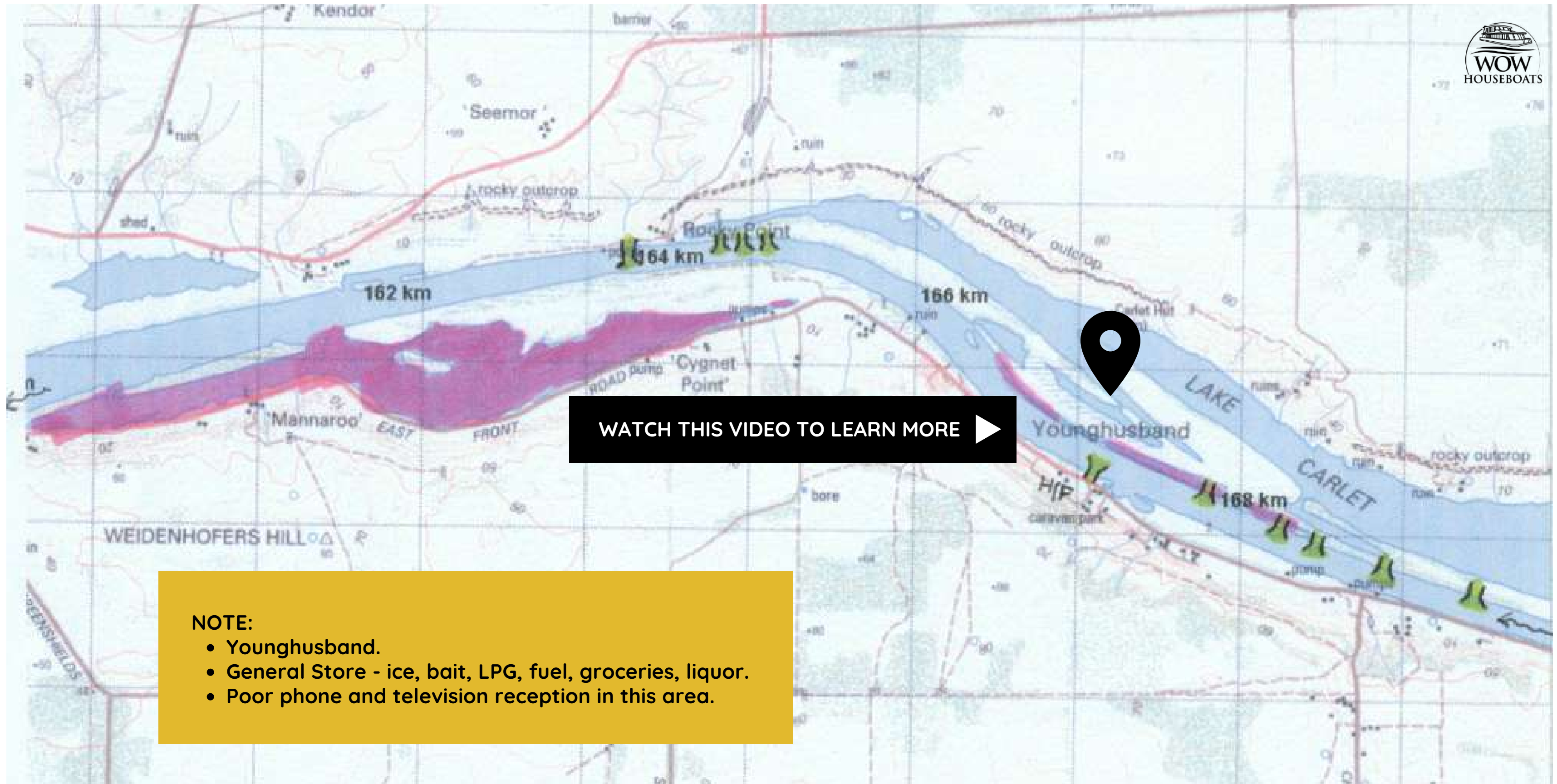
NOTE:

- Mannum. Main wharf used by commercial vessels.
- Telephones at Post Office and near ferries.
- Shopping facilities, ATM, Laundry, Hotels, Restaurants.
- Waste disposal station.
- Speed restricted to 8km/hr between buoys.

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Waste Disposal Pump Out	Town Wharf		Mannum Club	Concrete & Tyre Wharf	Pretoria Hotel		Boat Ramp		P.S. Marion	
XX - Denotes NO PARKING										
Mannum Township										
										

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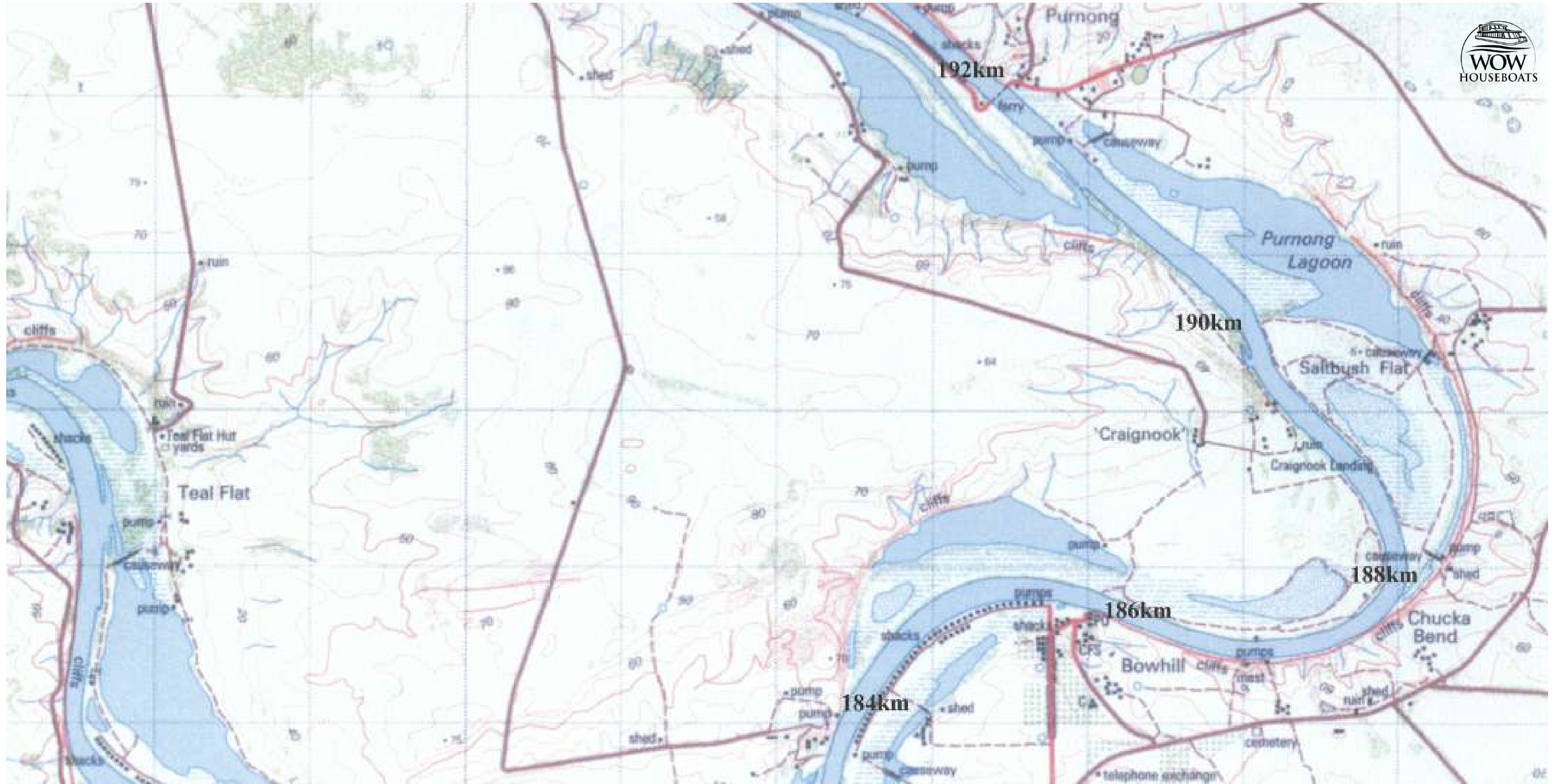


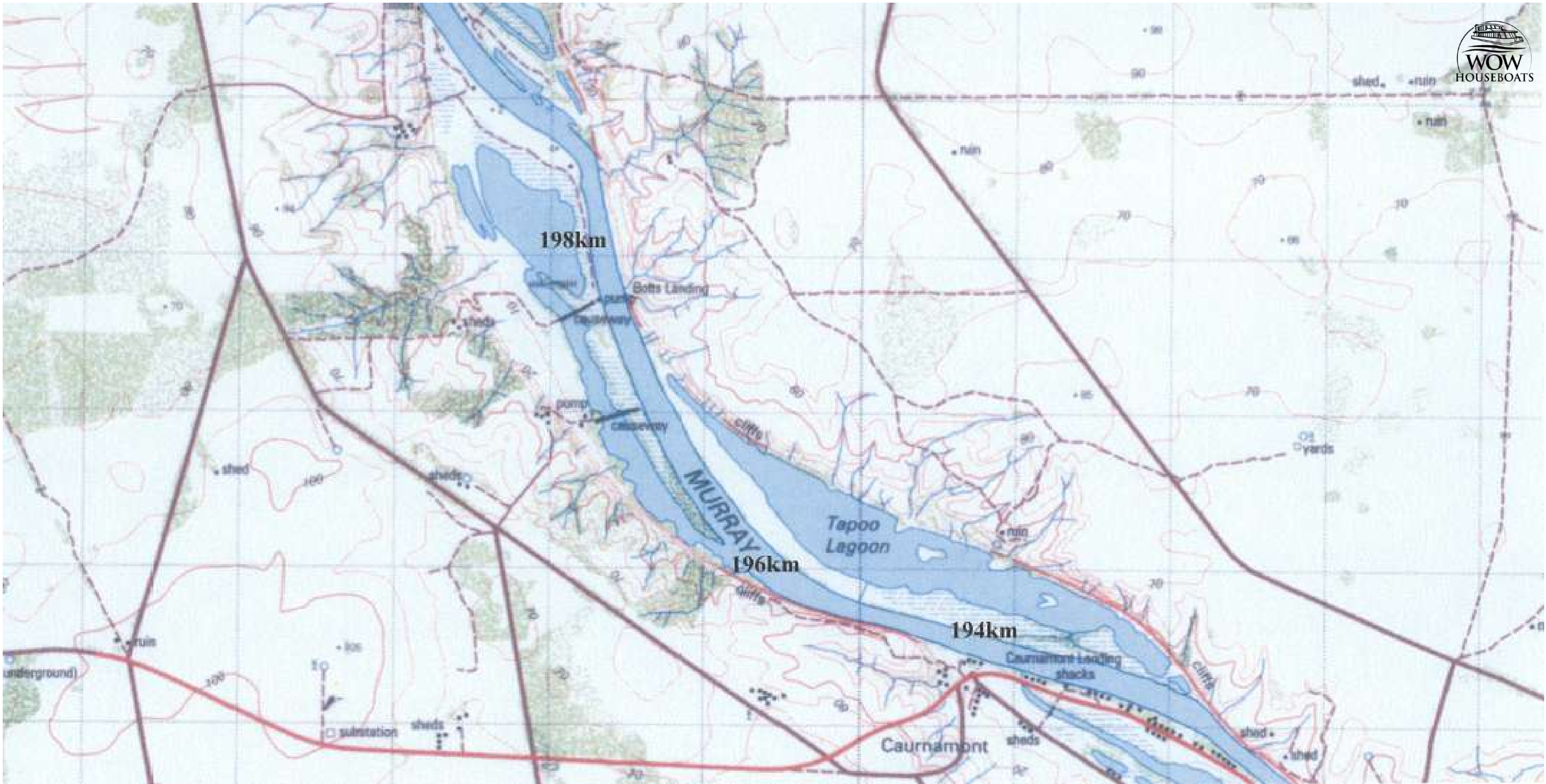


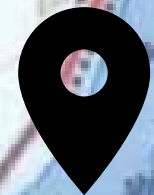
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- NOTE:**
- Younghusband.
 - General Store - ice, bait, LPG, fuel, groceries, liquor.
 - Poor phone and television reception in this area.

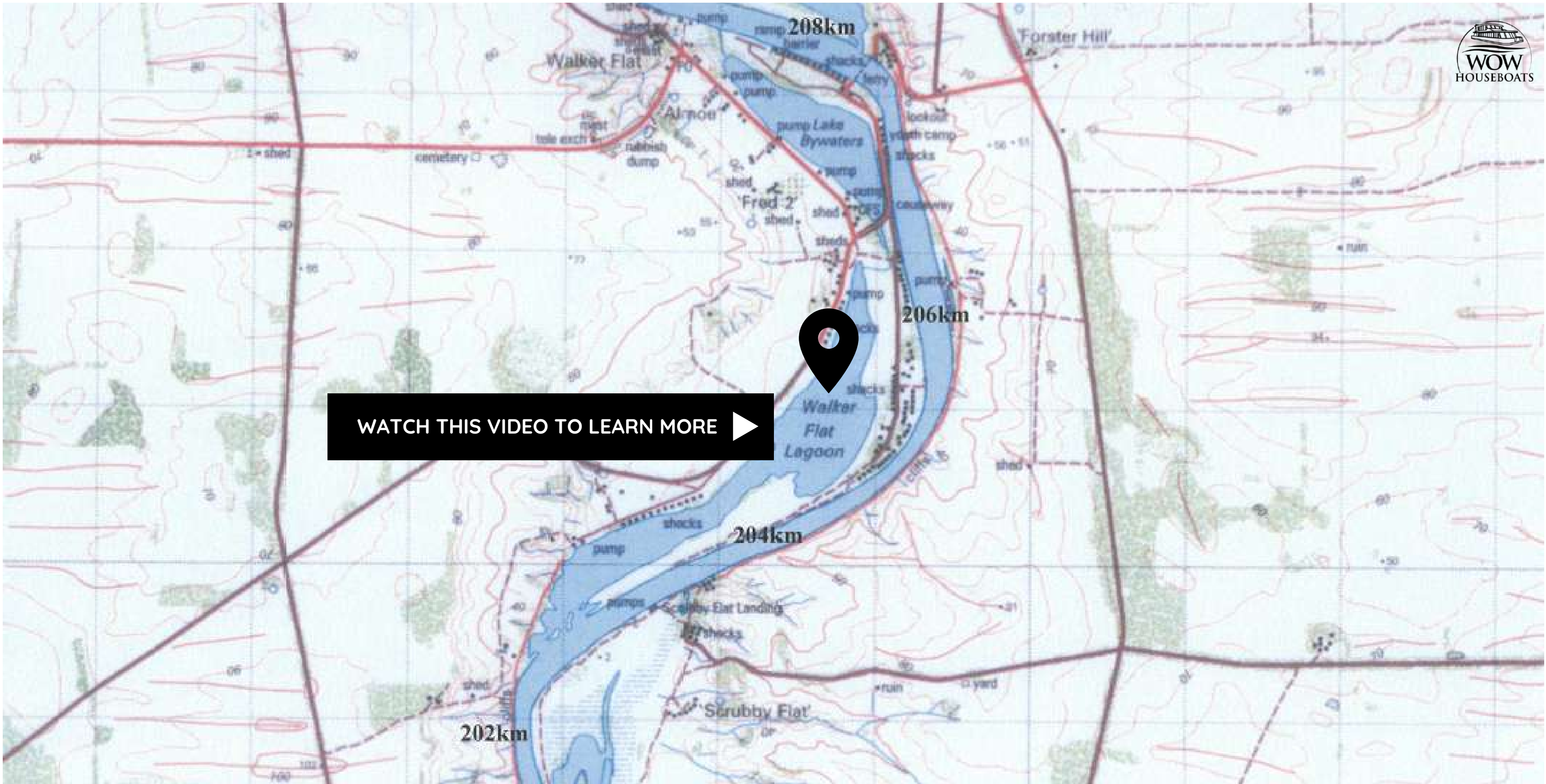








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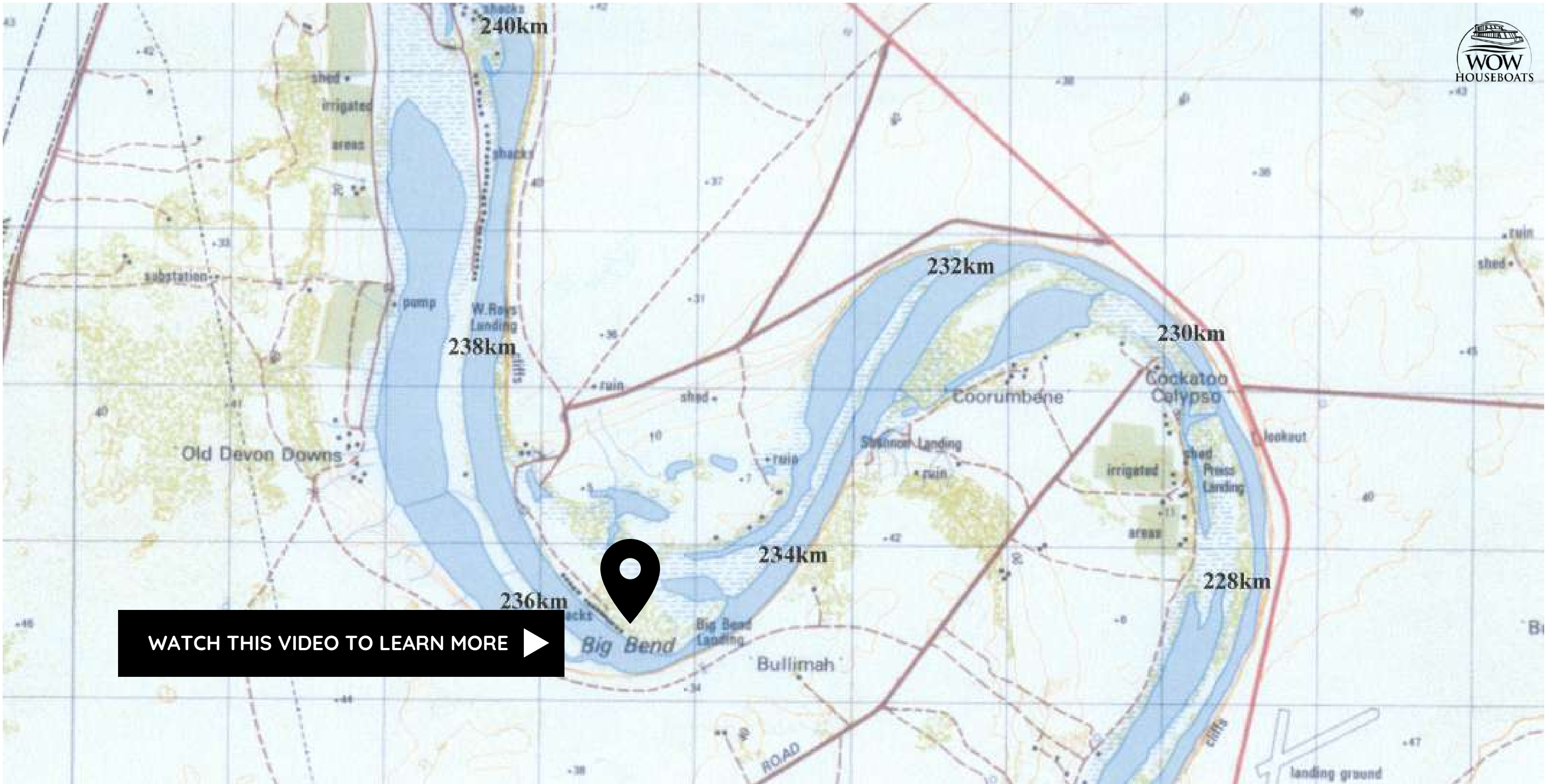




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TAILEM BEND

88 KMS



Tailem Bend is a lower Murray town at the junction of the Dukes and Princes Highways in South Australia's Big River Country. It is dominated by the river and the railway which was for so long its lifeblood.

THINGS TO DO

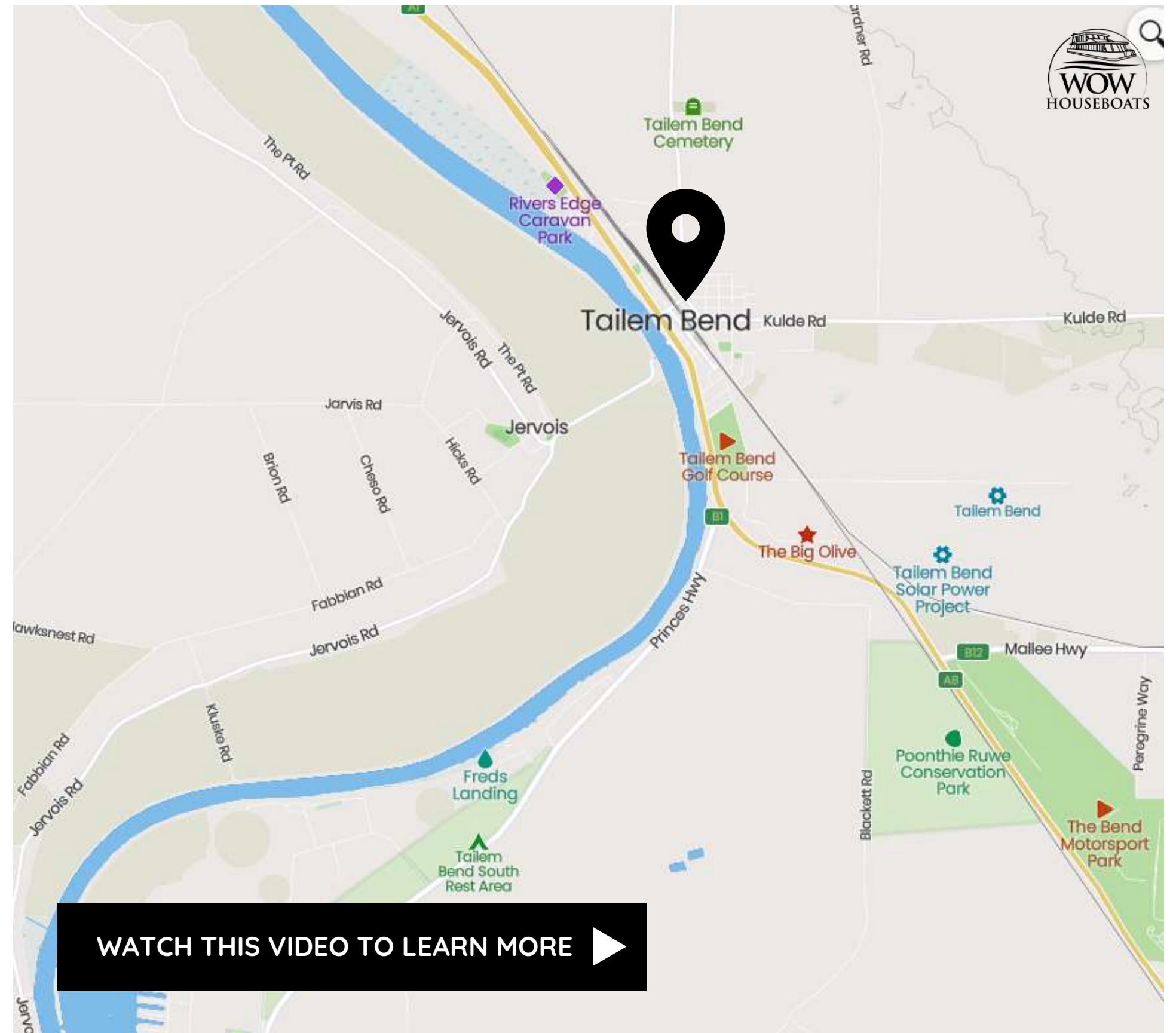
The Rydges Pit Lane Hotel is Australia's world-class motorsports complex, which sets it apart from other hotels in Tailem Bend. Whether for business/leisure, the hotel offers exhilarating views in many of its hundred well-equipped rooms overlooking the main race circuit of Bend Motorsports Park.

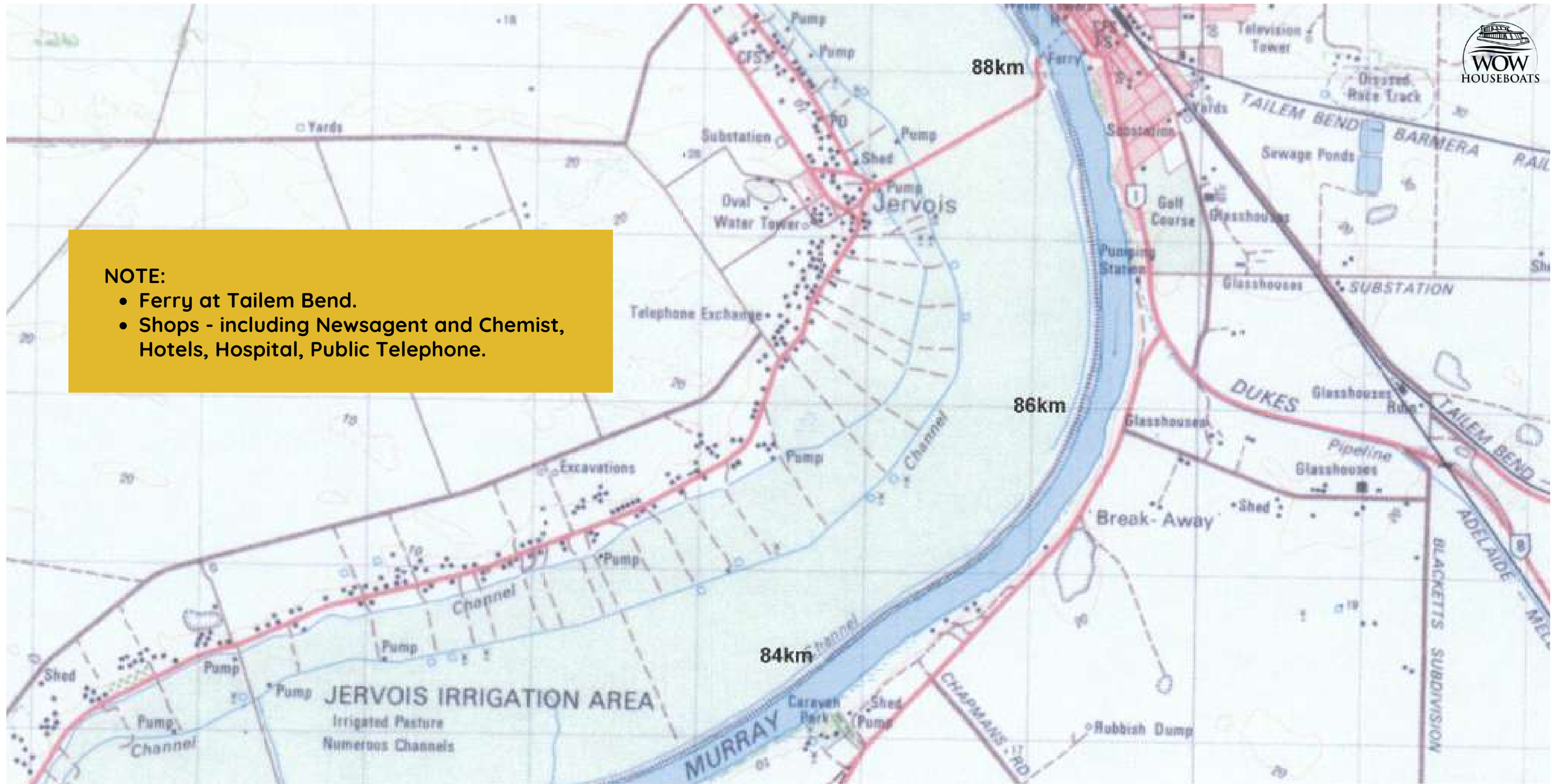
Bend Motorsports Park. Race around The Bend's world class karting circuit in some of the fastest hire karts available in Australia. Bookings now available via email. Available karts from tandem karts for 5+ years old with min. height of 100cm to adult karts for 13+ years old with min. height of 138cm.

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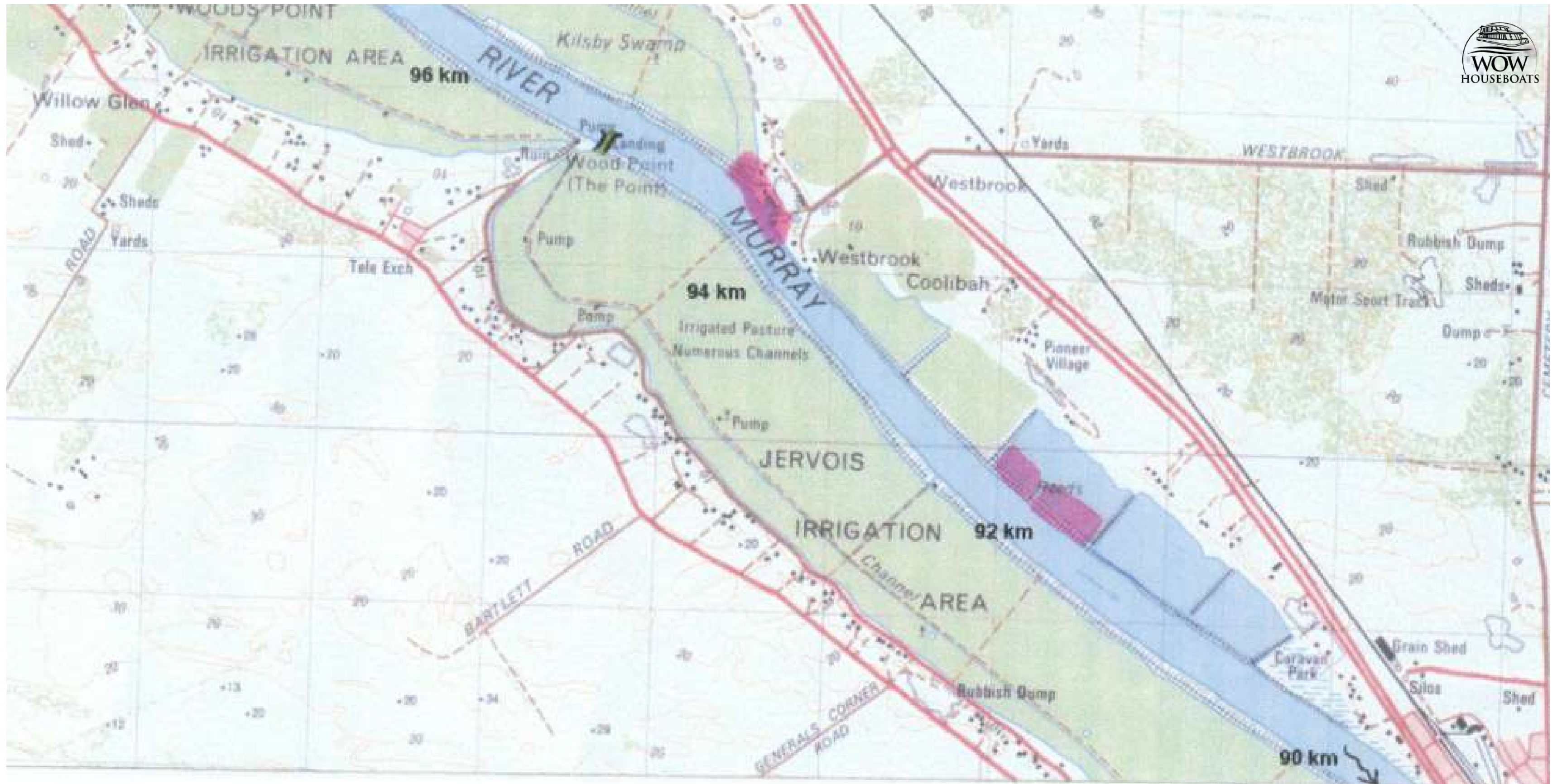
Source: <https://visittailembend.com.au/>





NOTE:

- Ferry at Taillem Bend.
- Shops - including Newsagent and Chemist, Hotels, Hospital, Public Telephone.



BAKER RESERVE (WELLINGTON)

77.5 KMS

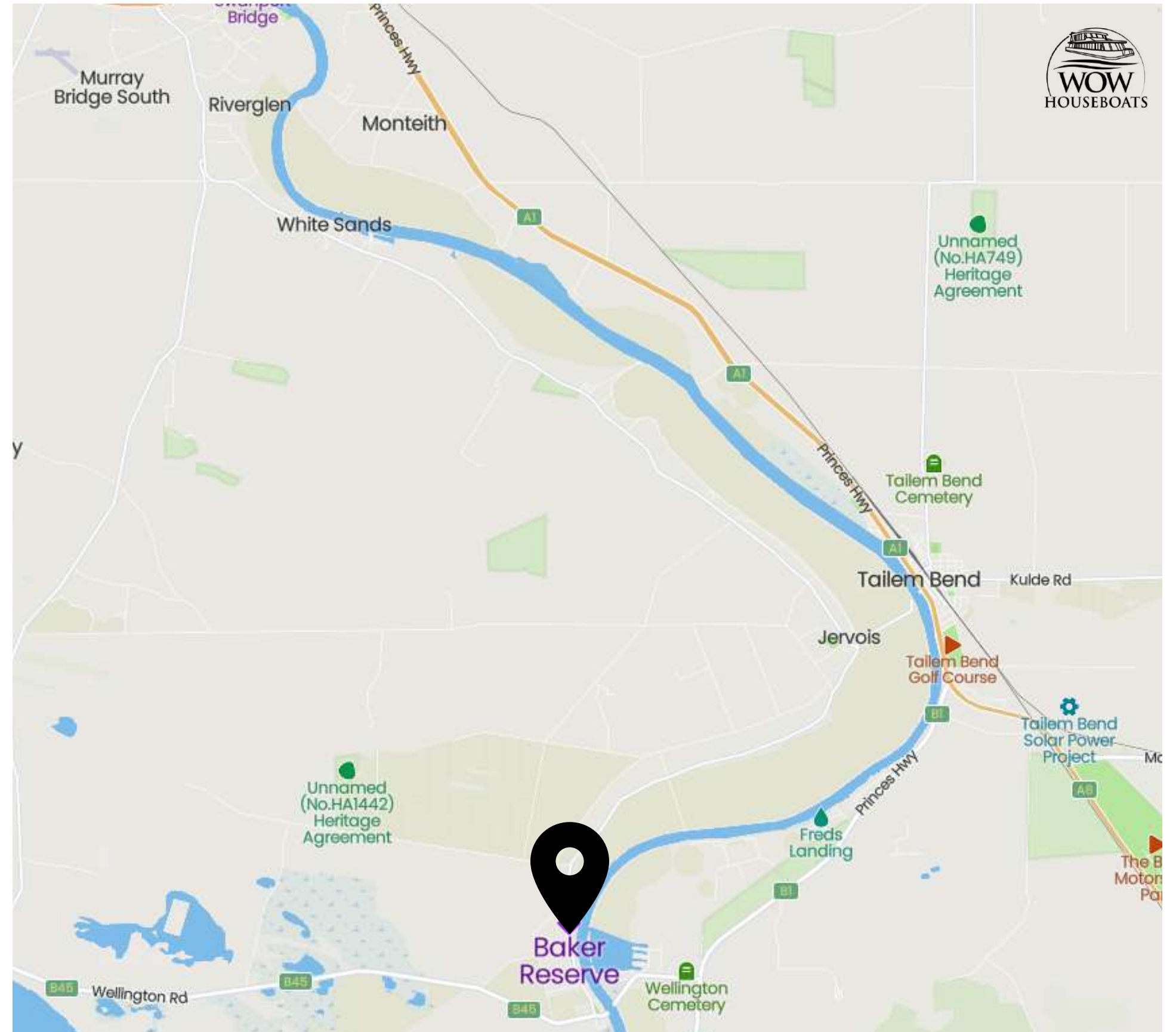


This is a public reserve free for all members of the public to use. This attractive riverfront reserve features picnic facilities, a barbecue shelter, a boat ramp, a car park and public toilets. The playground features a twin swing set, spring rocker and slippery dip, on rubber soft fall.

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MURRUNDI RESERVE (WELLINGTON)

77.5 KMS



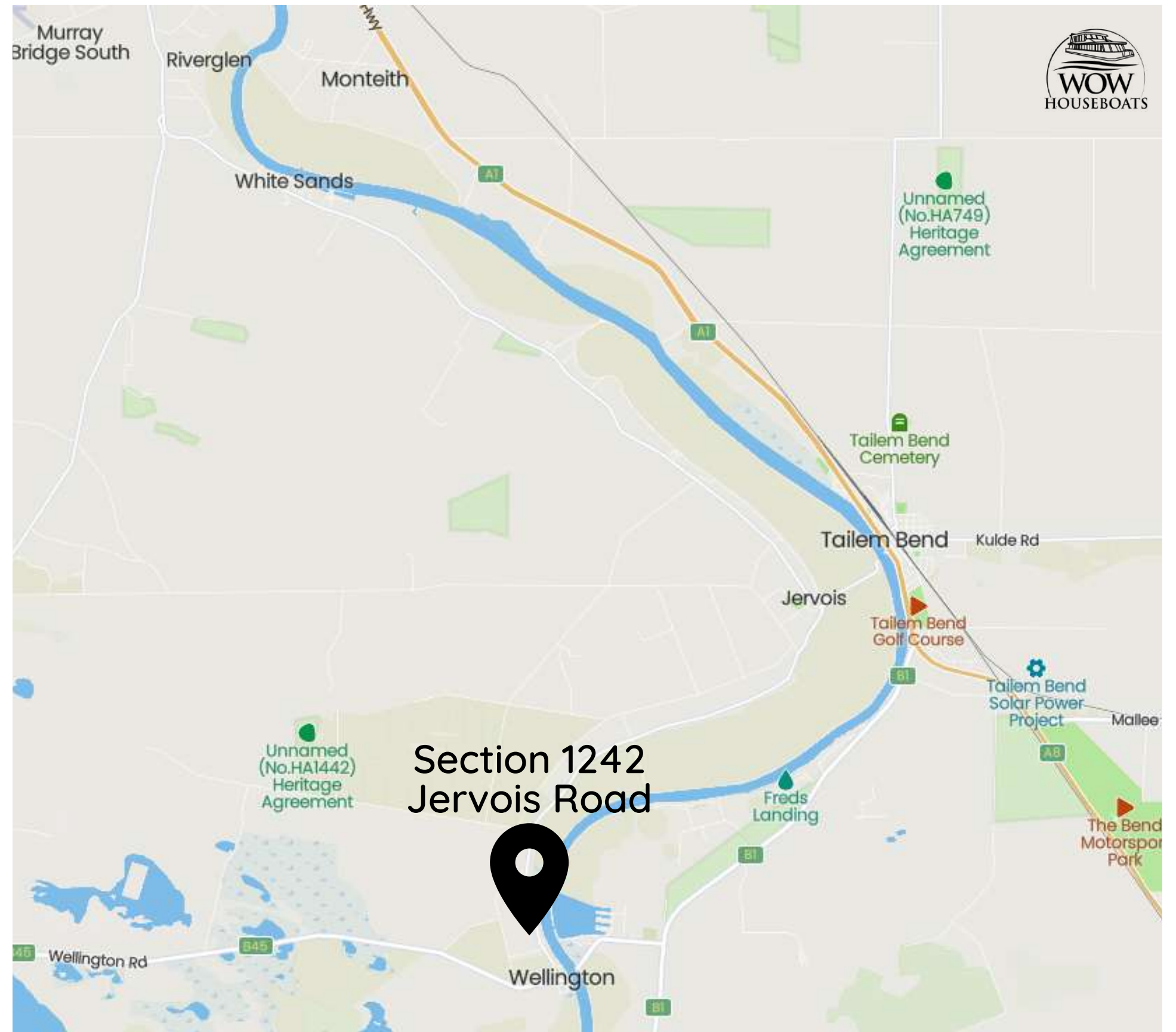
Murrundi Reserve was once a quarry site and is now being rehabilitated by a community group. Part of the River Bend Heritage Trail, Murrundi Reserve is a great place to see native vegetation and river wildlife.

This reserve is good for walking and hiking trails.

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WELLINGTON HOTEL

76 KMS



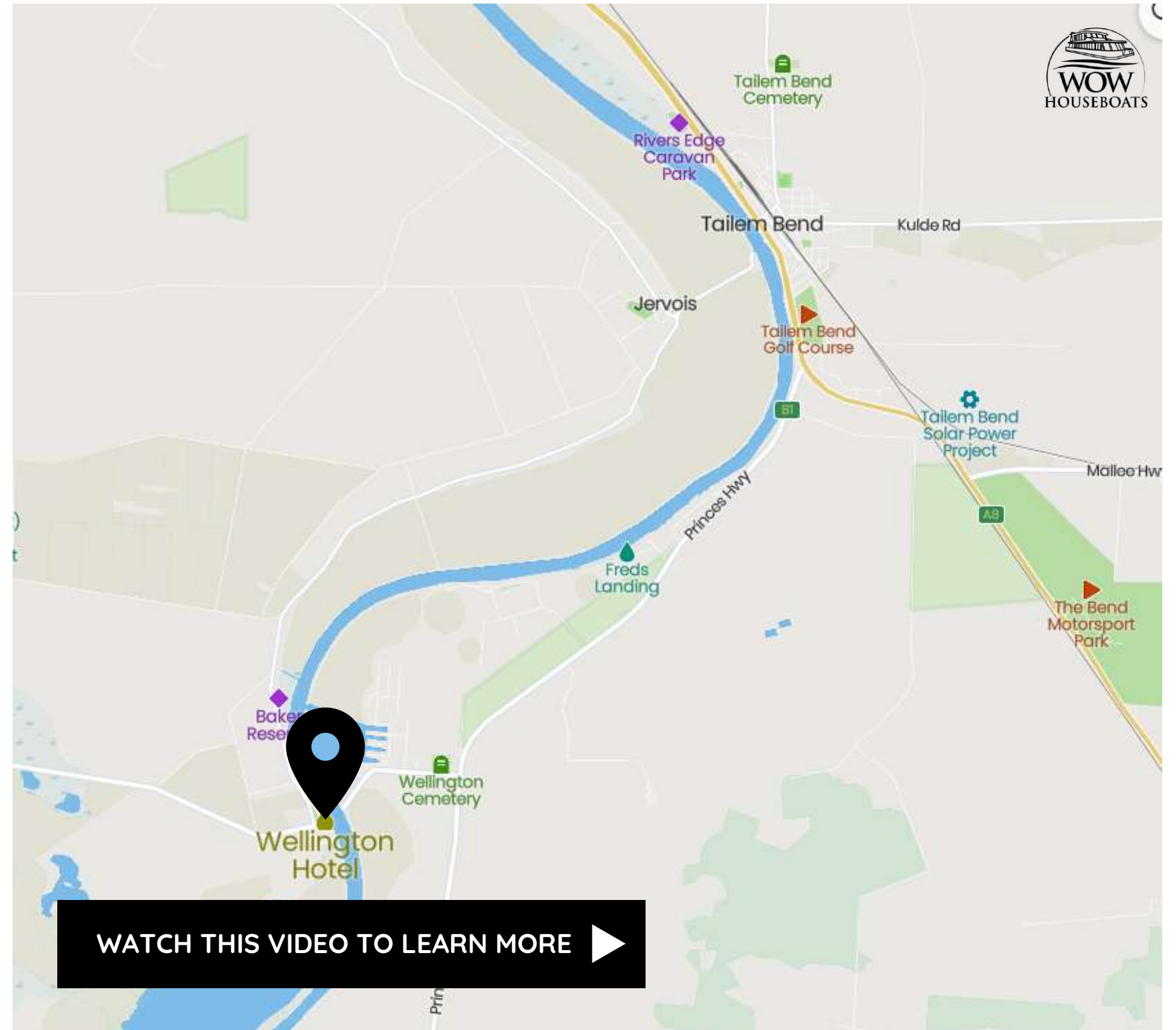
Wellington is the gateway to one of Australia's largest fresh water lakes and the Fleurieu Peninsula. Wellington is only an hour and 15 mins from Adelaide with scenic drives through Langhorne Creek, one of Australia's finest wine regions or via Jervois which is home to the dairy industry with cattle crossings a common sight.

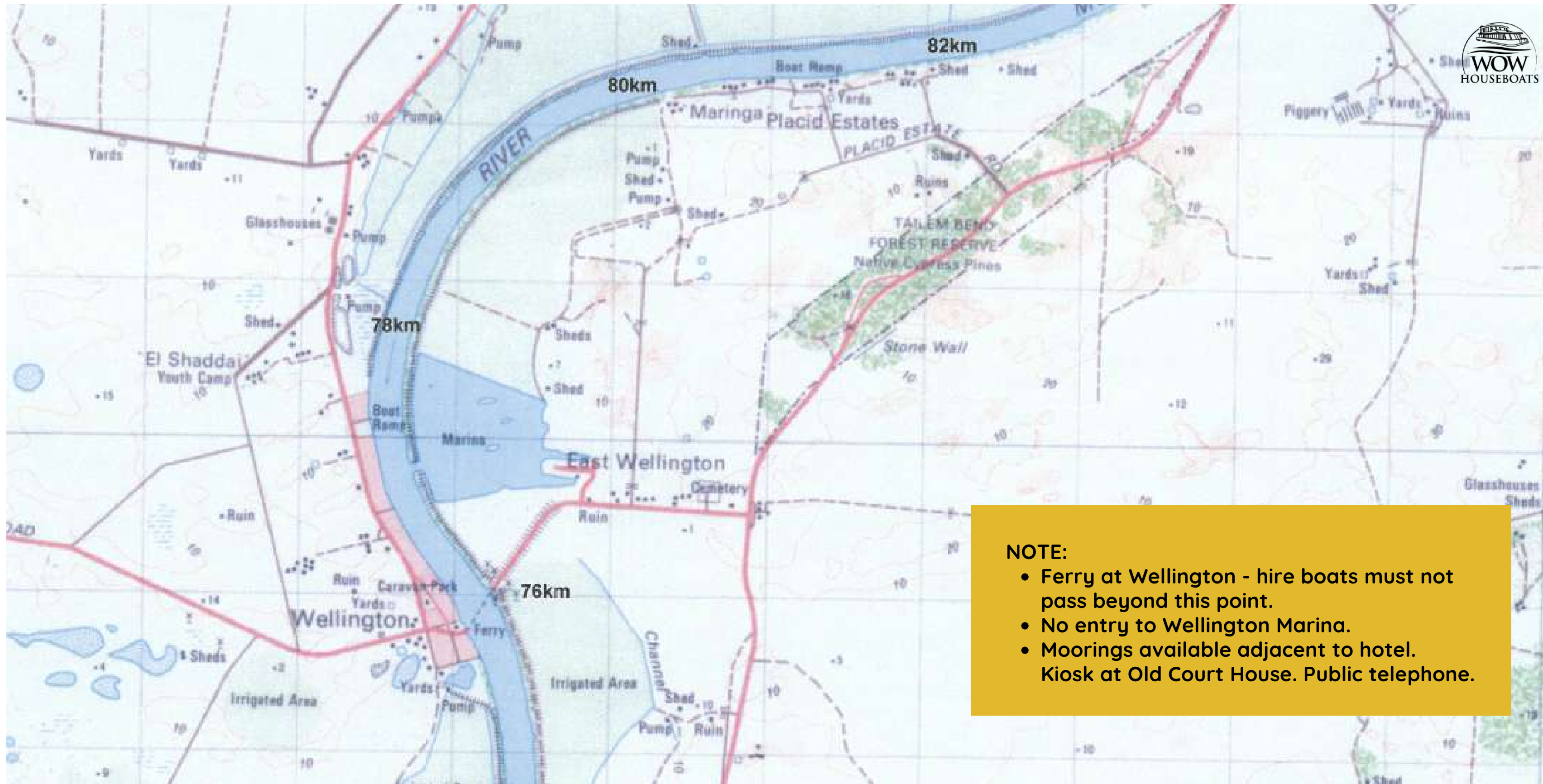
The Wellington Hotel was licensed in 1848 and is one of the oldest working hotels in South Australia. The hotel is located directly on the banks of the River Murray with a licensed lawn area, front bar, dining room and new decking area. All with panoramic views overlooking the river.

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Source: <https://www.wellyhotel.com.au/about-us>





NOTE:

- Ferry at Wellington - hire boats must not pass beyond this point.
- No entry to Wellington Marina.
- Moorings available adjacent to hotel.
Kiosk at Old Court House. Public telephone.

WEATHER FORECAST

Once in the river, it is important to check weather forecasts and monitor regular weather reports. You must be very careful to moor the houseboat in a suitable mooring location and be aware of the changing tides during the day and night. Beaching the houseboat can cause significant damage and you are likely to lose your bond and the \$5000 insurance excess by doing so.

The vessel should not be operated by Hirers during periods of

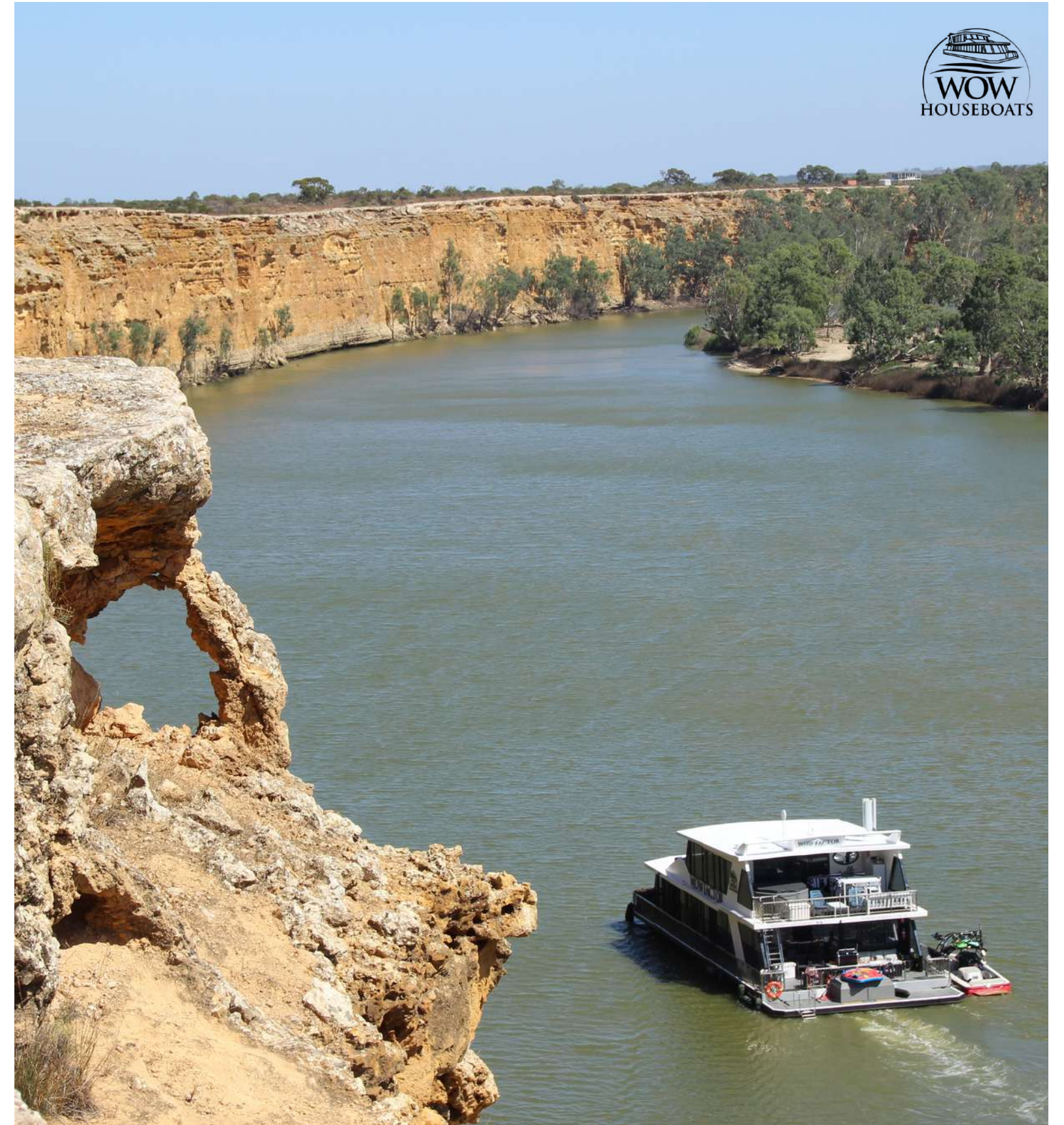
- high wind (i.e. force 7, which is > 50 kph or 30 knots)
- poor visibility, whether due to darkness, dust, fog or heavy rain
- strong current (> 6 kph)

The vessel should be firmly roped (both sides and fore & aft) to the bank during such times. Wow Houseboats will not permit you to commence your cruise under these conditions.

CHECK FORECAST HERE



Source: <http://www.bom.gov.au/places/sa/murray-bridge/>



NATUREMAPS

NatureMaps is an initiative of the Department for Environment and Water that provides a common access point to maps and geographic information about South Australia's natural resources in an interactive online mapping format.

Use NatureMaps to navigate to an area of interest and display a range of GIS datasets including:

- Administrative Boundaries
- Cadastral Information
- Coast and Marine
- Fauna and Flora
- Fire
- Heritage and Tourism
- Landscapes
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HOW TO USE NATUREMAPS

In NatureMaps, most navigation can be done using the mouse, but at times you may also use a key press in combination with a mouse click and dragging across the map.

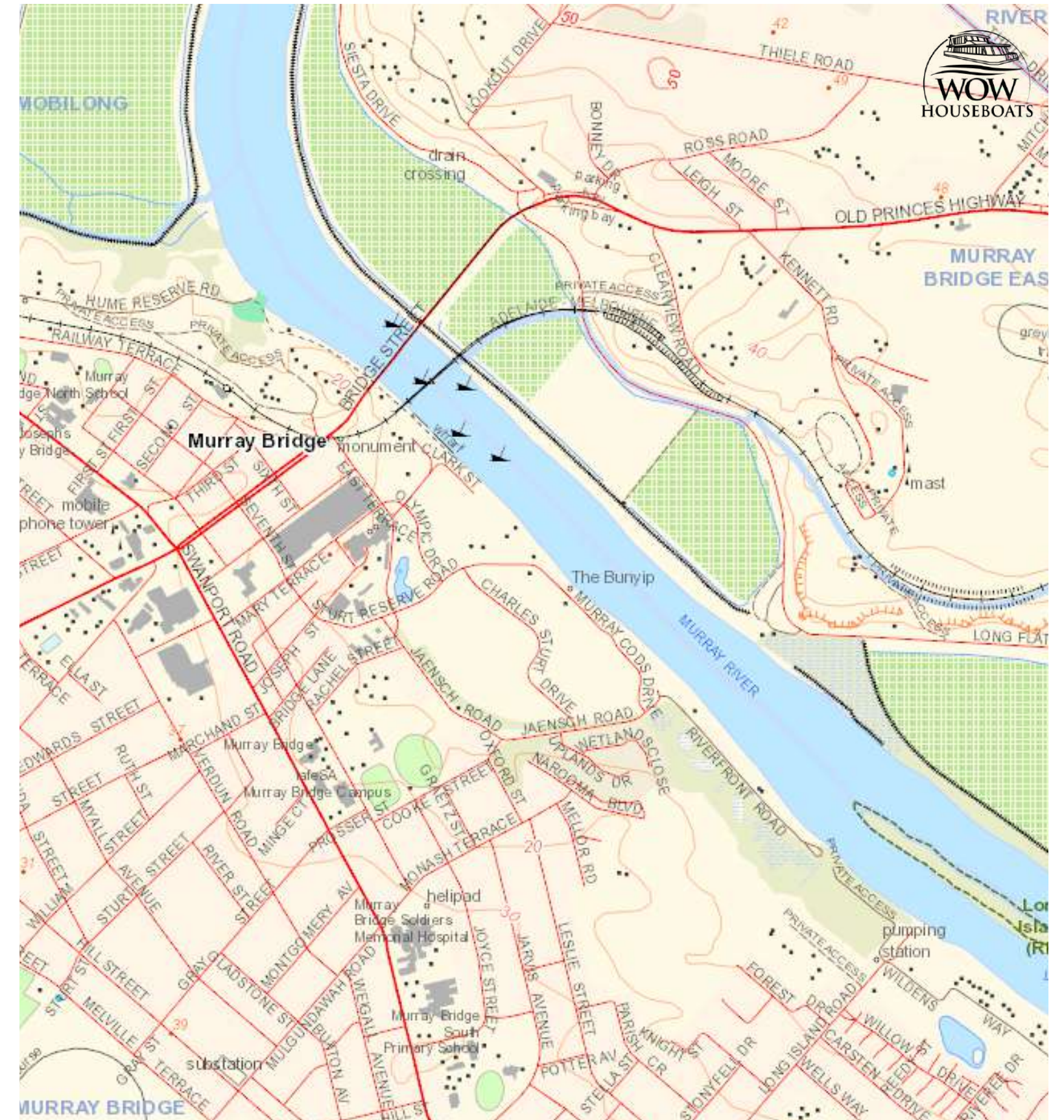
If you're using a touch screen, touch a spot on the map and move your finger to move the map around. Double tap or pinch outwards to zoom in. Pinch inwards to zoom out.

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We have some exciting news for our valued guests! For a limited time, we're offering an amazing deal for both repeat customers and those who leave us a positive review (either on Google or Facebook) after their stay. If you're a repeat customer, you can enjoy 7 nights on our stunning houseboat for the price of 6. That's one free night to soak up the beauty of the river and make even more wow factor memories with your loved ones.

But that's not all - if any of the guests leave us a positive review after their holiday and books within 7 days after, we'll give you the same deal of 7 nights for the price of 6. Not only will you be helping us by sharing your experience, but you'll also be able to save money on your next trip!

Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to relax and unwind on our luxurious houseboat. Book your stay with us now and take advantage of this special offer. We can't wait to welcome you aboard!

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