

5 EASY STEPS TO GROW YOUR ESPLANADE



1

Let debris collect on the high tide line

Debris catches sand and provides nutrients for seeds to germinate. The plant growth will catch more sand and build a dune, stepping the Esplanade forward.

2

Install sand traps

Seek an assessment and permission from Council to install sand traps, where appropriate, to catch windblown sand.

3

Plant coastal vegetation

This includes native grasses, vines, bushes and trees, which are available from Townsville City Council, free of charge.

4

Avoid mowing coastal vegetation

Mowing coastal vegetation or planting terrestrial grasses causes erosion and prevents sand accumulation.

5

Use public pedestrian paths

Pedestrian paths are provided for safe beach access and minimise vegetation damage caused by the use of unapproved access paths.

BEACH RECOVERY PROCESS

