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1. What are the values (environmental, social and cultural) you associate or identify with in and around Exmouth Gulf? *The Gulf is a place forgotten in time where many marine creatures can be left in peace, away from the destructive nature of human beings. There is already many industrial towns and ports in our North West, Exmouth Gulf needs to be preserved.*
2. What activities do you engage with in and around Exmouth Gulf? *My family and I visit the gulf to camp, and reconnect with nature, diving and photographing the wonderful creatures that live there.*
3. What environmental pressures do you observe in and around Exmouth Gulf? *Well Humans are Destructive, wherever we go the environment suffers. I've Surfed and Dived around the Gulf and Ningaloo reef for 35 years, in that time I've noticed areas such as Lighthouse Bay where once many fish resided now only a few remain.*
4. What environmental pressures in and around Exmouth Gulf affect you/your sector or business? *Tourism, Fishing, the threat of Industrialisation, and the expansion of all or any these activities give me great anxiety.*
5. Are there other activities that are proposed (or likely to be proposed) that you are aware of, which will impact the Exmouth Gulf? *As an Ocean Lover and an elder citizen I've noticed a few things. The Exmouth Gulf and Ningaloo Reef is a biodiversity hotspot. It will become a tourist Mecca one day. We need to protect it from industry but also set in place vast sanctuary zones to protect it from the pressures of the ever expanding human race.*

*Sincerely*  
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