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**MEDIA STATEMENT.**

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**Dingo deliberately run down on K'gari (Fraser Island)**

Social media has taken up the cause to identify a driver who deliberately targeted and killed a dingo sitting on the beach in the Orchid Beach area around 9PM on the 6 March. The original post on social media stated that “a man in hi vis work shirt driving a late model silver/gray landcruiser came pumping down the beach, spotted the dingo, sped up and swerved into the defenceless animal. The dingo was killed”

The incident has been reported to police and QPWS who are investigating. This kind of malicious and malevolent behaviour is unacceptable. The public and local community expect who ever is responsible to be identified and held accountable. With the heavy fines now introduced to deter people from feeding animals we would expect this crime be investigated to the full extent of the law. This is the time for the authorities to demonstrate just how committed they are in seeking justice.

If anyone has information please contact:

Fraser Island Police Station (07) 4123 7911 or 131 444

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