**Maroochy Waterwatch Inc – River Patrol Report for December, 2016.**

**Number of Report Sheets :** 10 compared to 12 the previous month.

**Total volunteer hours :** 101.5 hours compared to 126.75 hours the previous month. This is 25.25 hours less than the previous month, however, some members away travelling, including me until March 2017, hence this & the next 3 belated reports – compiled 26/04/17.

**Total non-recyclable bags collected :** 24.5 bags - approx 1,225 litres compared to 31.75 bags – approx 1,587.5 litres previous month, somewhat less than previous month.

**Total recycled bags collected :** 3.75 bags – approx 187.5 litres, compared to 7.75 bags, approx 387.5 litres previous month. Less than half compared to last month.

**Rubbish reported collected :**

One of each unless stated otherwise :

- Many plastic bottles

- Aerosol cans

- Plastic bait bags

- Tyre rim

- Shopping trolley

- Metal chair

- Cane chair

- 2 x buckets

- Tractor tyre – narrow profile

- 100’s of cigarette butts (Chambers Island & Cotton Tree Park

- Car tyre

- 2 x broken chairs

- 3 x Styrene boxes

- Pram

- Paddle.

- 6 x misc objects !!

- Fire extinguisher

- Wheel trim

Lots of general plastic & glass bottles & a lot of general rubbish, not specifically listed. Hard to compare with other months but nevertheless well done “Patroller’s”

Safe boating to you all & it’s nice to be back.