



CAN HAPPEN DUE TO TO THE *LACK OF*:

- ENFORCEMENT
- MONITORING
- FUNDING
- COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

CAN MEAN *DAMAGING* *ACTIVITIES* STILL HAPPEN, SUCH AS:

- DESTRUCTIVE FISHING PRACTICES
- POLLUTION
- HABITAT DESTRUCTION

PAPER PARKS

are Marine Protected Areas (MPAs) that only exist on “paper”, i.e are legally established but not effective.

WHY SHOULD WE AVOID THEM?

- UNDERMINES CONSERVATION GOALS
- NO PRESERVATION OF ECOSYSTEM SERVICES
- FALSE SENSE OF PROTECTION
- WASTE OF RESOURCES

A *SUCCESSFUL* MPA NEEDS:

- EFFECTIVE MANAGEMENT
- ADEQUATE NUMBER OF STAFF
- ADEQUATE FUNDING
- PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT

