iNaturalist and City Nature Challenge Quick Guide

Getting Started

1. Go to App Store, search and download the iNaturalist App.
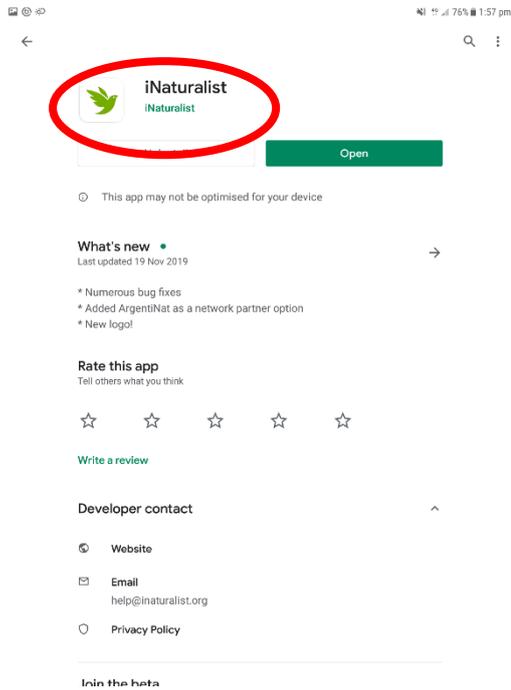
2. Register or Log-in. Once logged in, you should be kept logged when using the App in the future for ease of ease.

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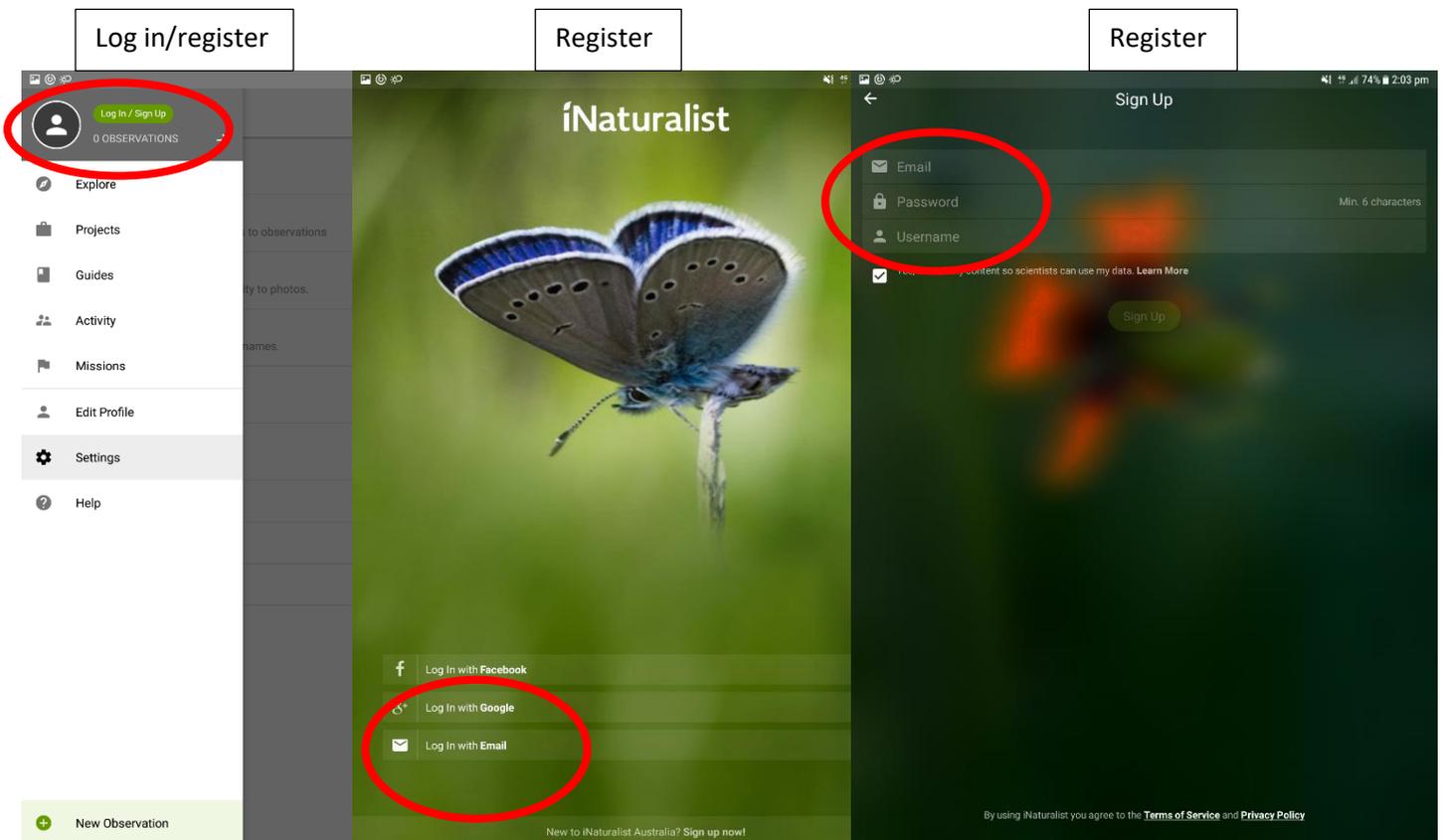
3. From drop down menu, select 'Projects', then search Redlands and select City Nature Challenge 2020 Redland City Qld Australia project.
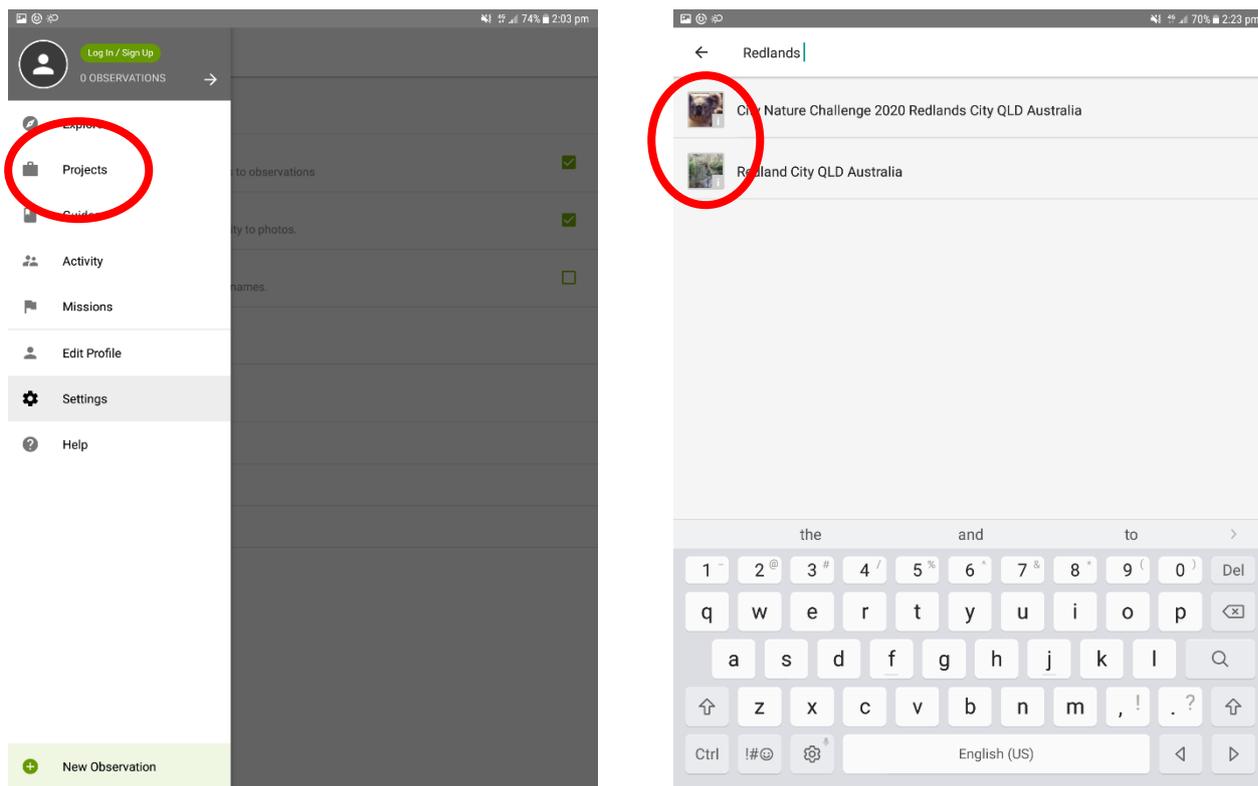
4. It will bring up the projects home page and select 'Join (new projects) or 'leave' (already joined projects).
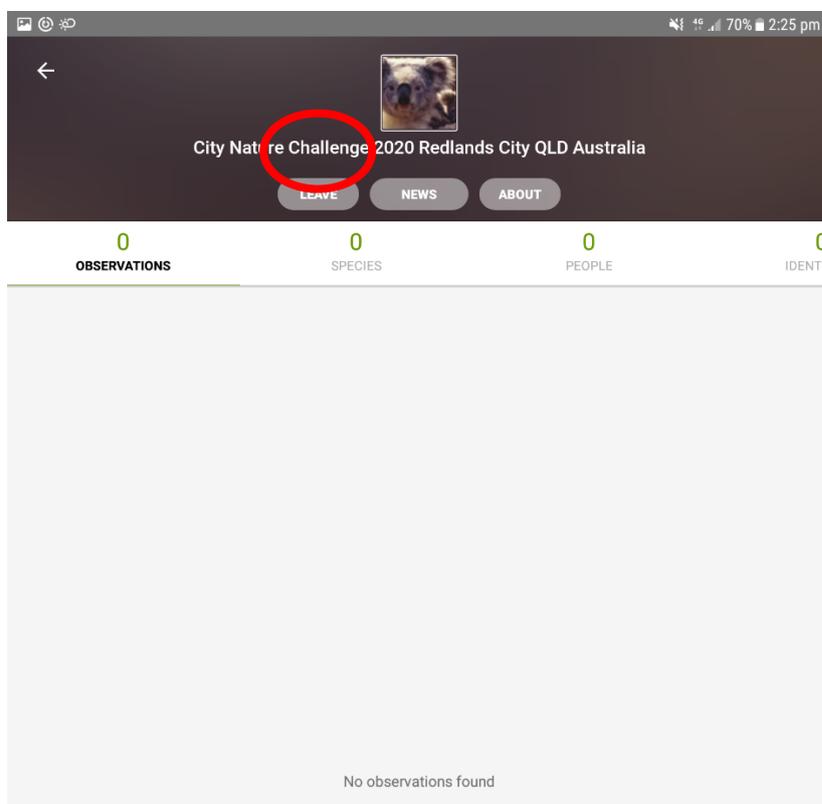
5. Do the same for Redland City Qld Australia Project.

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How It Works

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Record your observations	Share with fellow naturalists	Discuss your findings	Contribute to the Atlas of Living Australia
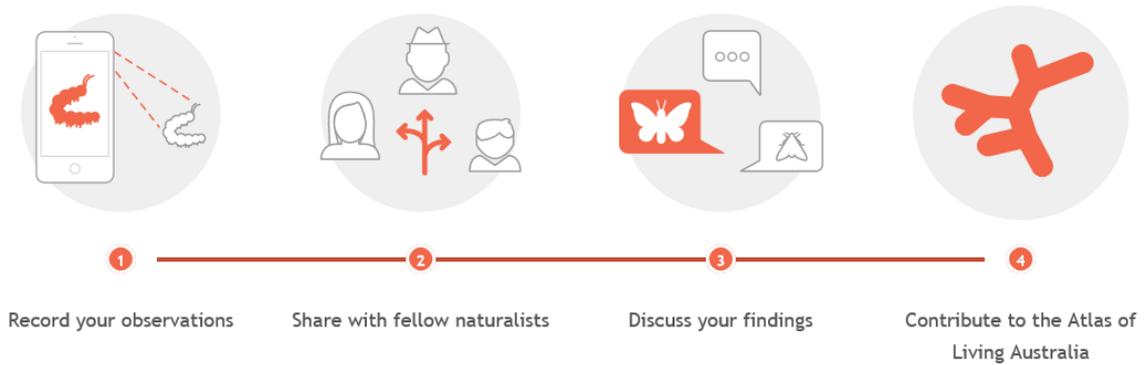
6. Select new observation.
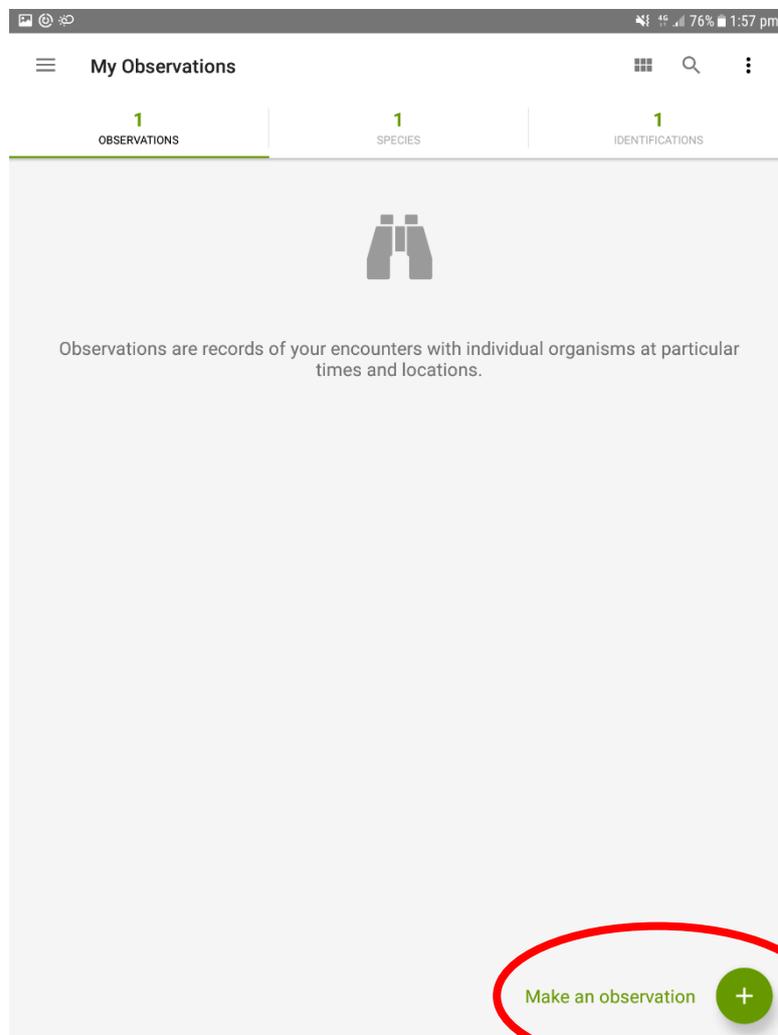
7. Prompted to take a photo or upload photo. It's suggested to take more than 1.
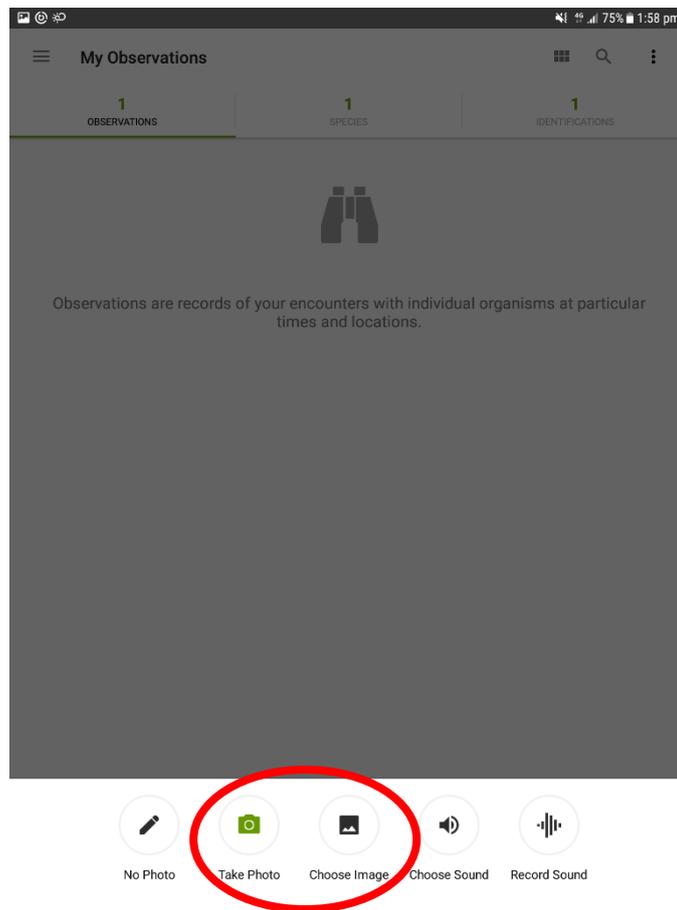
8. Click 'view suggestions'. The App provides a list of potential species it thinks it could be. Either select the right one, or type the species in the search bar and select.
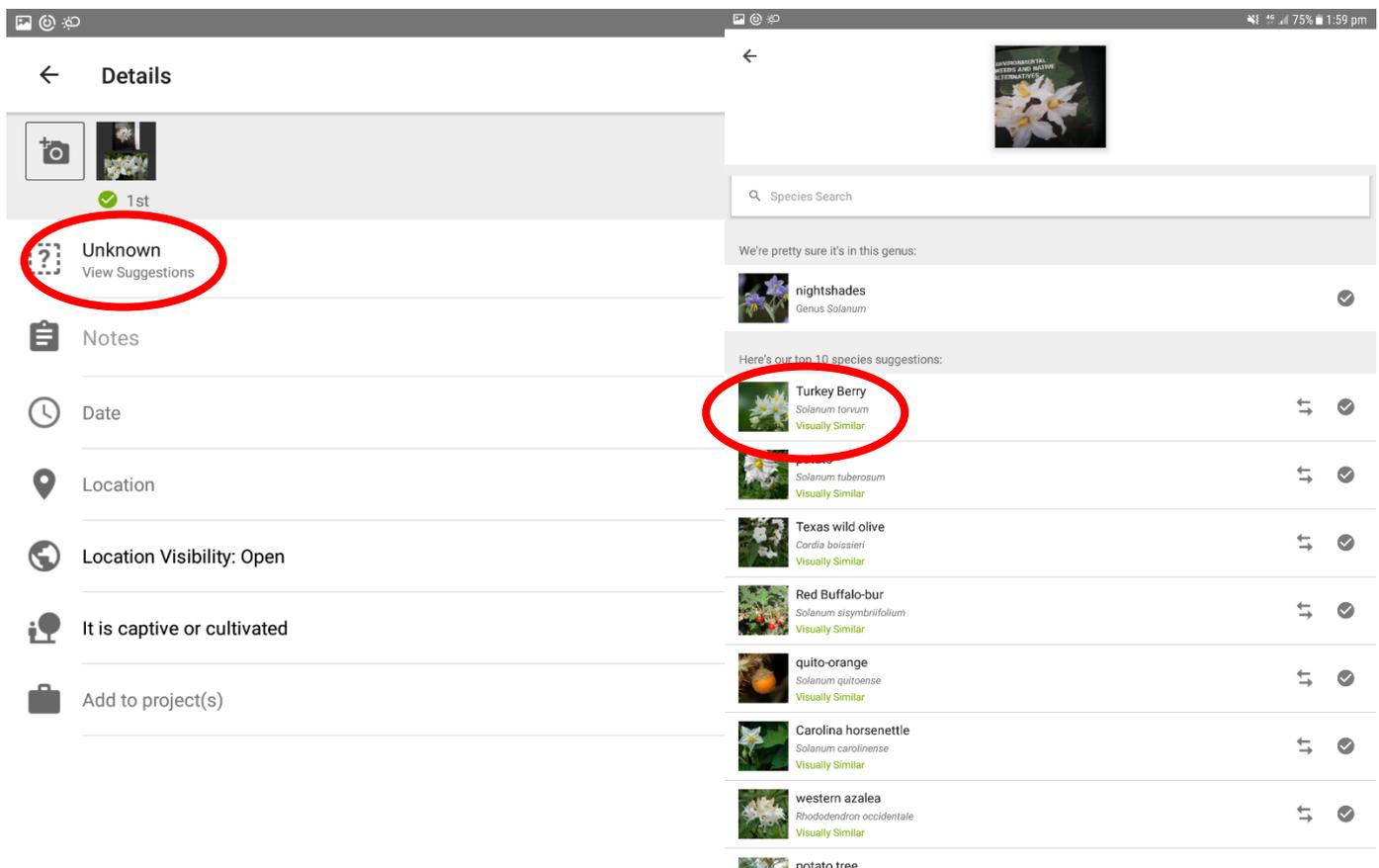
9. You'll be taken to a species profile. Confirm the selection, or select compare to view your image with the suggested/provided image of the similar species.
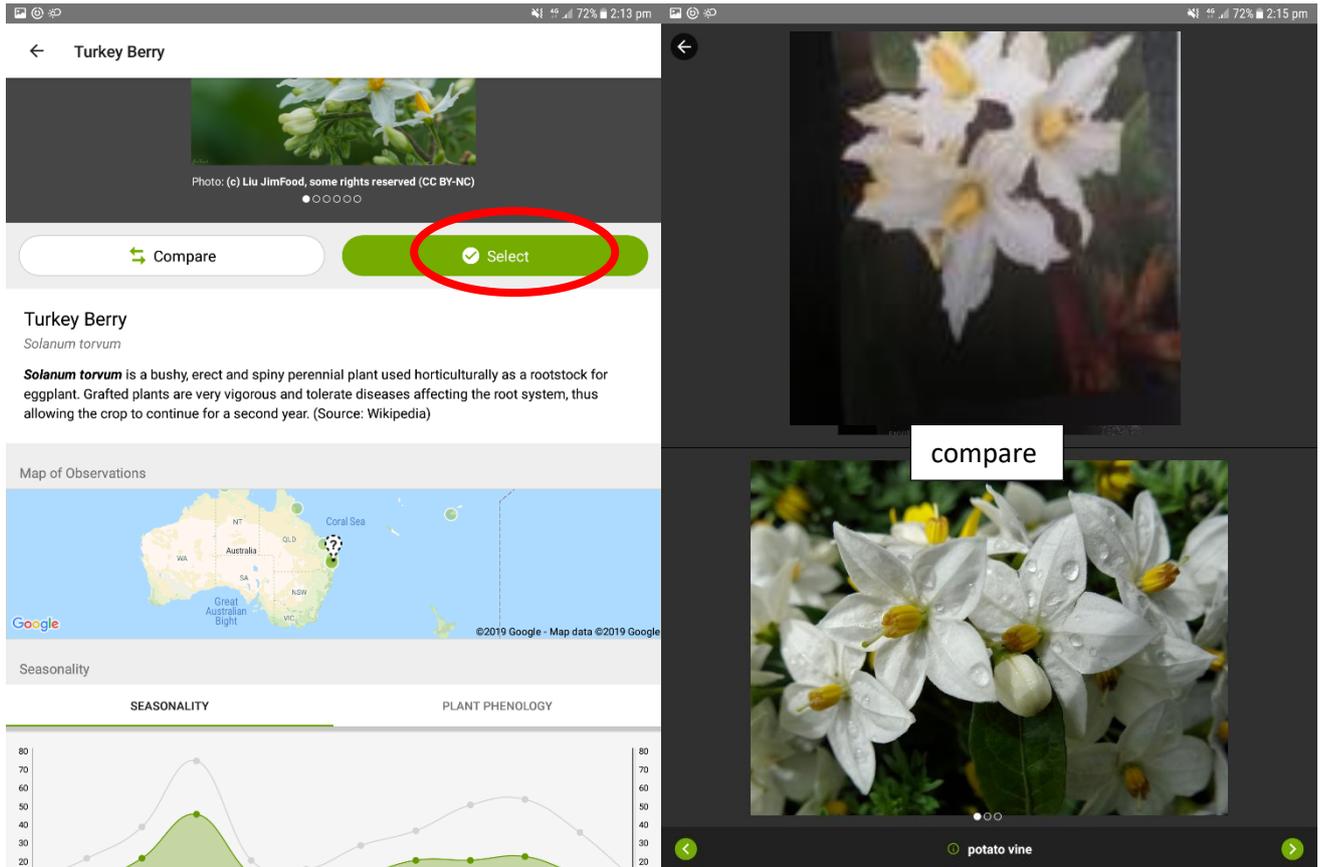
10. Add notes if you need to, but this isn't necessary.
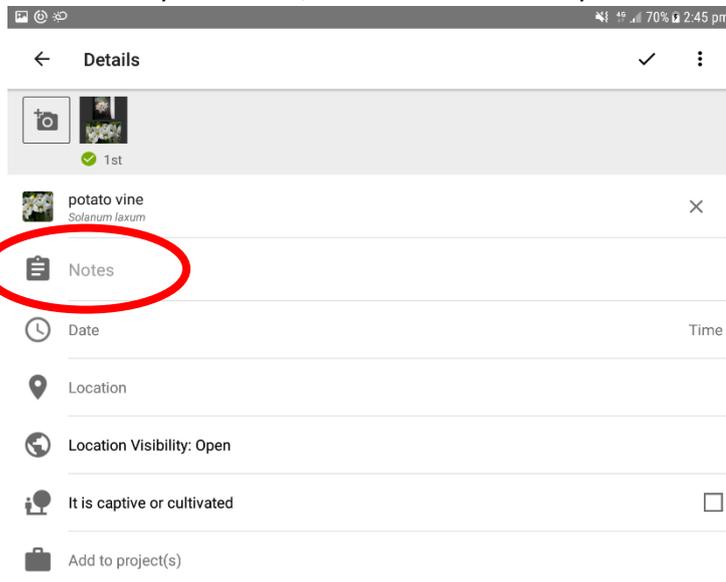
11. Date and location should be auto filled based on your image and GPS location of your observation. The App may prompt you to access the location services and photos. If it does, approve, or decline the request. If decline access, you will need to identify the location manually.

12. Click location. Select *open* for the specific location to be viewable on the map, but select *obscured* to have the record show up as an area for the record (good for threatened species and your back yard). *Private* won't show up at all and won't be regarded as a proper record.
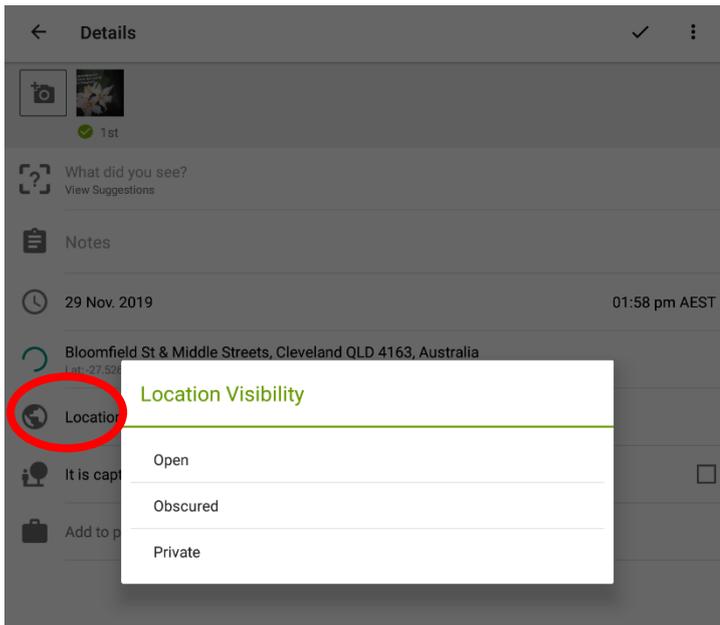
13. If it's domesticated, tick that its captive or cultivated
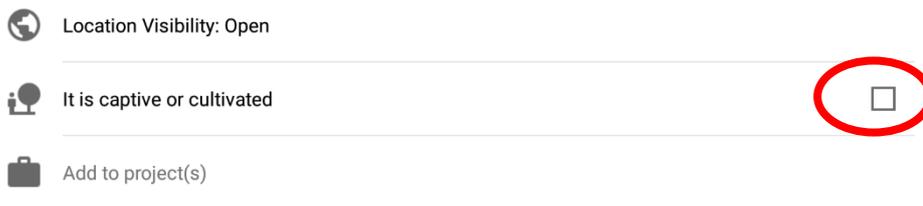
14. During the City Nature Challenge, select 'add project' and select the *City Nature Challenge 2020 Redland City Qld Australia* project. Otherwise, leave blank if no projects. Only projects you've joined can be selected.
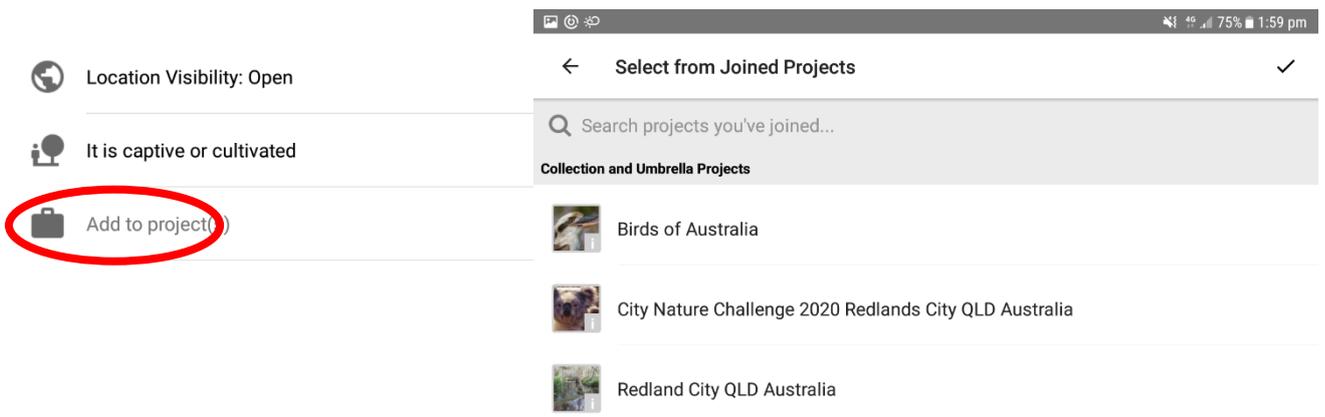
15. When complete, click the 'tick' ✓ in the top right corner.