

## **Enforcement Policy**

Responsible Manager Executive Director Community & Building

Services

Head of power Local Government Act 2009 (Qld)

State Penalties Enforcement Act 1999 (Qld)

Queensland Civil and Administrative

Tribunal Act 2009 (Qld)

Authorised by Council

Authorised on 20 July 2021

Implemented from 2013

Last reviewed January 2022

**Review history** 2021, 2019, 2017, 2015, 2014, 2013

To be reviewed on 30 June 2022

Corporate Plan People: Outcome 2: Our Communities are

safe, healthy and active.

Sustainability: Outcome 9: we actively reduce our environmental footprint and manage our resources sustainably.

## 1. Purpose

Council is strongly committed to ensuring that the local government principles are reflected in:

- (a) Proactive, lawful, ethical, effective, responsible, strategic, culturally sensitive and timely practices in the enforcement of rights and remedies reasonably available to it.
- (b) A proactive approach to efficient identification, minimisation and reporting to senior Managers of events which in all reasonableness have potential to adversely affect Council's interests.
- (c) Seeking to implement and proactively enforce Local Laws for the betterment of community and the welfare of constituents generally.

## 2. Application

This policy applies to all Council employees, Councillors, contractors, and agents of Council.

## 3. Legislation/Policies

This policy is established with reference to obligations specified in the *Local Government Act* 2009 (Qld), *State Penalties Enforcement Act* 1999 (Qld) and *Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act* 2009 (Qld).

Manager Responsible for Review:

Executive Director Community & Building Services

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