

Laneways – Closure and Sale Policy

1 Purpose

Ensure that a consistent approach is taken in dealing with requests for the closure and sale of laneways and to ensure the protection of Council infrastructure.

2 Policy

- Council not close laneways for the purpose of sale unless special circumstances so warrant.
- Proposals for widening of laneways to be considered on their individual merit.

3 Definitions

Laneway: Laneways can exist in many forms, but are generally six metres or less in width adjacent to the rear or side boundaries of properties.

4 Key Responsibilities

<i>Position</i>	<i>Directorate</i>	<i>Responsibility</i>
Mayor	Council	To lead councillors in their understanding of, and compliance with, this policy and guidelines.
General Manager	Executive	To lead staff (either directly or through delegated authority) in their understanding of, and compliance with, this policy and guidelines.
Directors	All Directorates	To communicate, implement and comply with this policy and related guidelines.
Group Leaders	All Directorates	To implement this policy and related procedures.
All Council officials	Council	To comply with this policy and related procedures.

5 References

NIL

6 Details of Approval and revision

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- **Responsible Section:** Logistics
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