

Water Connections - Middle Boambee Policy

1 Purpose

Council has a requirement to restrict water connections in the Middle Boambee area and this policy defines such limits. The circumstances for the policy are that the supply main is a long dead end water reticulation main with limited flow capacity. Allowing connections greater than 100 could reduce supply to below the service standard to existing connections, especially at the end of the water reticulation main.

2 Policy

The following is Council’s Policy for water connection in Middle Boambee:

- The existing allotments with frontage to Middle Boambee Road and Lindsays Road be allowed a water metered connection to a total maximum of 100 connections.
- Any future subdivisions adjacent to Middle Boambee Road and Lindsays Road not be provided with a water connection to the existing water main.

3 Definitions

Reticulation Main: Gravity pressure main as part of the water supply distribution network

4 Key Responsibilities

General Manager

To lead staff through delegated authority in their understanding of this Policy.

Director Sustainable Infrastructure and Group Leader Strategic Asset Management

To ensure the commitment made within this Policy is implemented and met.

Water Services Team Leader

To oversee compliance with, and coordination of the Policy.

Council Officers

To promote the use of, and knowledge of this Policy.

5 References (laws, standards and other Council documents)

- Local Government Act 1993
- Local Government (General) Regulation 2005
- AS / NZS 3500 National Plumbing and Drainage Code
- National Construction Code 2016 – Volume 3 – Plumbing Code of Australia

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