Booking of Designated Busker and Street Stall Sites

Coffs Harbour City Council (Council) has five designated sites on public footpaths that can be booked for free for busking and street stall activities. Applicants for street stalls must be local and not-for-profit community groups. **Bookings will not be accepted from paid collection agencies.**



By booking one of these sites, applicants agree to comply with the following conditions of approval.

Conditions of Approval

Public Liability Insurance

- 1. Applicants must have current public liability insurance of not less than \$5 million (AUD).
- 2. The insurance must cover the booking use, legal liability to the public in respect of personal injury, and note Coffs Harbour City Council as an interested party.
- 3. The applicant is required to keep a copy of the required insurance available at all times when using a designated site. This insurance must be presented for inspection upon request of any officer of Council.

Indemnity

- 4. The applicant agrees the booking is at their risk and releases the Council to the full extent permitted by law from all actions, claims and demands of every kind and from all liability which may arise in respect of any accident or damage to property or injury to or death of any person in or in the vicinity of the booked area except in the case of the Council's negligence, default act or omission.
- 5. The applicant indemnifies the Council against all actions, costs, suits, claims and demands which may at any time be taken or made against the Council with respect to any matter or thing arising directly or indirectly out of the booking except in the case of the Council's negligence, default act or omission.

Booking location

6. Applicants can only use one of the designated sites listed on Council's website.

Booking duration

- 7. Buskers are permitted a maximum of 3 hours per session, with a maximum of 3 bookings per week in one site.
- 8. Street stalls are for a maximum of 6 hours, with a maximum of 3 bookings per annum in one site.

Site conditions

- 9. Buskers may place a small receptacle on the ground for offerings, but must not ask for money.
- 10. A street stall holder may place a small trestle table at the designated site but not must not attach any items, mark and/or draw on any footway or paved area.
- 11. When using the booked space the applicant must ensure there is enough room (minimum 1.8m space) for pedestrians (including those with prams, wheelchairs or vision impaired etc.) to move along the footpath unimpeded.

Buskers

- 12. Applicants are limited to 2 persons busking together as a group at any one time.
- 13. Buskers under the age of 16 years must be supervised by a parent or guardian at all times.

General

- 14. Applicants under the age of 18 years must have parental/legal guardian consent.
- 15. Applicants must not:
 - Perform dangerous acts that place the public in danger
 - Create a public nuisance (offensive activities or behaviour will not be tolerated)
 - Use loud speakers or any other form of electric sound amplification

- 16. Applicants must respect the rights of others to enjoy these public spaces and not unduly disrupt the activities of nearby retailers, workers and residents in the surrounding areas.
- 17. If any of these Conditions are not met, Council reserves the right to refuse and/or withdraw a site booking at any time.