



KEEP BROOME CLEAN — Don't Litter

Litter includes any articles or materials abandoned or unwanted by the owners. A person found depositing litter on land or in any waters commits an offence.

The driver of any vehicle transporting an unsecured load that is not contained, fastened or covered may be prosecuted. Maximum fines of \$1000 may apply.

CONSIDER OTHERS — Park Legally

The Rangers patrol the townsite to regulate and implement Parking Local Laws.

Check for signs indicating a time, use or purpose of parking areas and facilities.



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RANGER SERVICES

Ranger Services promote voluntary compliance with legislation to help ensure the safety and well-being of the community



Community Safety and Compliance — Make it Your Responsibility

Control Your Dog and Keep it Out of the Pound

Ensure your dog is not able to roam freely. Should it be found roaming, your dog will be impounded. Should you have reason to believe that your dog may have been impounded, contact the Shire Office during working hours or the Duty Ranger. Fees are imposed on all impounded animals and are payable to the Shire before the release of the dog. Dogs can only be released Monday to Friday during office hours. Dogs impounded for more than 72 hours may be euthanased. Fees apply for impounded dogs, in addition to a daily sustenance fee.



Protect Others From Dog Attacks

Pensioners receive a 50% discount. Subsidies are available to pensioners to assist in the sterilisation of a dog or cat. Conditions apply. Contact the Shire Office for further details. Dog attacks are a serious offence carrying with them substantial penalties, so please ensure your dog is fully restrained at home or on a leash at all times when in public.



Unsterilised Dog/Bitch – 1 year \$30. 3 years \$75. Sterilised Dog/Bitch – 1 year \$10. 3 years \$18.

Fees

The law requires all dogs over the age of three (3) months to be registered with the Shire in the name of a person over 18 years. Dog registrations are due on the 1 October each year and you can choose the option of a one (1) or three (3) year term. Fines will be issued for non-compliance. Registrations can be made at the Shire Office.

Register Your Dog



ITS YOUR DOG — Be Responsible Exercise Your Dog

A healthy and fit dog is a happy dog. The Shire provides open spaces for exercising dogs at Cable Beach, Riddell Beach and Entrance Point. Whilst in dog exercise areas, dogs must be under control and the owner or handler must carry a leash at all times. Dogs are prohibited on Cable Beach between the Surf Club and 1km north of the rocks at Cable Beach Reserve. They are also prohibited on Cable Beach Reserve, Town Beach Reserve and Town Beach itself. Shire Ovals and Recreation Grounds are not dog exercise areas. Dogs must be kept on a leash when walked in these areas and in other public places. Dog owners must remove any faeces left by the dog. 'Poo pouches' are available from the Shire Offices and various exercise areas.





PROTECT YOUR COMMUNITY — From Fire

It is the householder's responsibility to ensure that flammable materials are stored safely. Burning off is not permitted within the Broome townsite. Residents of Broome are able to dispose of garden refuse and rubbish at the Shire's tip free of charge.

Outside of the Broome townsite, burning for fire hazard reduction is permitted only after a 'Permit to Burn Bush' has been granted by a Fire Control Officer.

On days when the fire danger issued by the Bureau of Meteorology is 'Very High' or 'Extreme', no fires, including wood burning barbecues are permitted. Gas fuelled barbecues are permitted on these days.

Comply with the Firebreak Notice

Each year in May, Rangers conduct inspections of all properties to ensure they comply with the Shire of Broome Firebreak Notice.



The Firebreak Notice sets out the minimum fire hazard reduction work that must be completed on all properties by 15 May each year and maintained up to and including 31 December each year. In addition to the requirements of the Firebreak Notice, further conditions may be applied to individual properties if necessary to ensure bushfire safety.

Copies of the Firebreak Notice and advice on bushfire hazard reduction can be obtained from the Shire Office.



DRIVE SAFELY — on Cable Beach

The Control of Vehicles (Off-Road Areas) Act 1978 applies to the Broome townsite.

There are off-road areas on Cable Beach set aside for use by road registered vehicles.

Motor cars and other road-registered vehicles are permitted to drive and/or park between the high and low water marks on Cable Beach north of the rocks from the access ramp at Cable Beach Reserve.

At Gantheaume Point vehicles are only permitted to travel between the high and low watermarks for 500 metres from the access ramp. The areas in which vehicles are permitted are clearly signposted.

Unregistered vehicles are not permitted on any part of Cable Beach.

In order to conserve Broome's dune system, motor vehicles and motor bikes are not permitted above high water mark, in sand dunes, and in lagoon areas.

The speed limit on all beach areas is 15km per hour. This limit is strictly enforced.

The purpose of these restrictions is to protect the local environment and to ensure the beach is safe for everyone.

RESPECT THE ENVIRONMENT — Camp Legally

Throughout the State of Western Australia camping is only permitted in designated camping grounds, caravan parks and on private properties with permission from the owner. Permission to stay on private land for extended periods must be sought from the Shire.

Whilst the Shire recognises the huge demand for resources during the tourist season, unauthorised camping will not be tolerated and infringement notices will be issued.

Free 24 hour roadside rest areas are clearly signposted and are situated on the Great Northern Highway.

Campers staying beyond the legislative period of time may be liable for a \$1,000 penalty.



Should you breach the Control of Vehicles (Off Road Areas) Act 1978 you may be liable for a maximum penalty of \$1000.

