

Notice of Intention to Impose Differential Rates

In accordance with Section 6.36 of the Local Government Act 1995, the Shire of Broome intends imposing the following differential rates.

The general rate increase across all rate categories will yield an additional 4.95% except Residential Vacant Land which will yield an additional 2.5%. The Minimum rate for all categories will increase 4.95%.

Unimproved Valued Properties

<i>DIFFERENTIAL RATE CATEGORY</i>	<i>CENTS IN THE DOLLAR</i>
<i>Dampier Pastoral</i>	<i>2.3035</i>
<i>Dampier Mining</i>	<i>11.5579</i>
<i>Dampier Coconut Wells</i>	<i>0.1624</i>
<i>Dampier Twelve Mile</i>	<i>0.3095</i>
<i>Dampier Short Stay Accommodation</i>	<i>3.4030</i>
<i>Dampier Commercial Operations & Pearlring</i>	<i>2.3065</i>
<i>Dampier Horticulture & Wattle Downs</i>	<i>0.3962</i>
<i>Dampier Skuthorpe</i>	<i>0.4475</i>

Gross Rental Valued Properties

<i>DIFFERENTIAL RATE CATEGORY</i>	<i>CENTS IN THE DOLLAR</i>
<i>Broome Residential</i>	<i>7.4554</i>
<i>Broome Residential – Vacant</i>	<i>12.1355</i>
<i>Broome Commercial</i>	<i>8.9667</i>
<i>Broome Tourism</i>	<i>10.0152</i>

A minimum land rate of \$1004.00 is proposed for all categories.

The figures shown above are estimates and may change as part of Council's deliberations after consideration of any submissions received.

A statement of objects and reasons for the proposed differential rates is available at Council's offices, corner Weld and Hass Streets, Broome and on the Shire of Broome Website www.broome.wa.gov.au.

Written submissions on proposed rates and the minimum rate are to be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Broome, PO Box 44, Broome WA 6725. No submissions will be considered after 4pm, **Monday 08th August 2011**.

For further details, contact Doug Muirhead on 9191 3456.

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