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## POLICY REGISTER

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<b>Title:</b>	FIREWORKS AND CEREMONIAL FIRES ON COUNCIL LAND
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### Policy Details:

Council will approve requests for small fireworks displays and the lighting of small ceremonial fires on Council's reserves subject to:

- A. All fireworks displays being under the control of a specialist pyrotechnic company (copy of Licence required together with WorkCover authorisation).
- B. Corporate fireworks displays and displays in excess of 4 metres in height must finish by 9.30 pm and be of a maximum 10 minutes duration. All displays are to be restricted to the grassed areas of reserves away from the water's edge and bushland and be at a safe distance from any buildings and structures. The use of fireworks known as salutes or reports is prohibited.
- C. Applications from community based organisations only being considered with regard to the lighting of ceremonial fires.
- D. A plan detailing all safety measures that will be taken to prevent injury or harm to the surrounding residences, spectators and the general public being submitted and approved by the General Manager prior to the event.
- E. The applicant notifying the Fire Brigade of the event and, in respect of fireworks over 4 metres in height, notifying all surrounding homes within a 500 metre radius or as directed by the General Manager.
- F. Standard conditions for use of Council's reserves concerning damage to the reserve and rubbish removal to apply, it being noted that fees for use of reserves are additional to those proposed for the specific purpose of lighting of ceremonial fires and fireworks displays.
- G. Applications are to be accompanied by a copy of the relevant Public Liability insurance cover with a minimum cover of \$20 Million.

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