

Local Government Act 2009

GYMPIE REGIONAL COUNCIL (MAKING OF LOCAL LAWS AND SUBORDINATE LOCAL LAWS) NOTICE (NO.1) 2026

Title

1. This notice may be cited as the *Gympie Regional Council (Making of Local Laws and Subordinate Local Laws) Notice (No. 1) 2026*.

Making of local law and subordinate local laws

2. On 23 September 2026, Gympie Regional Council resolved to make *Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026* and *Subordinate Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026*.
3. *Subordinate Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026* is authorised to be made by *Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026* (the authorising local law).
4. On 26 August 2026, Gympie Regional Council resolved to make *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2026*.
5. *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2026* repeals *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011*.
6. *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2026* is authorised to be made by *Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011* (the authorising local law).

Making of amendment local law

7. On 23 September 2026, Gympie Regional Council resolved to make *Amendment Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026*.
8. *Amendment Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026* amends:
 - a. *Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011*;
 - b. *Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2011*;
 - c. *Local Law No. 3 (Community and Environmental Management) 2011*.

Making of amendment subordinate local law

9. On 23 September 2026, Gympie Regional Council resolved to make *Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026*.
10. *Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026* amends:
 - a. *Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2011*;
 - b. *Subordinate Local Law No. 3 (Community and Environmental Management) 2011*;
 - c. *Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2011*.
11. *Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026* is authorised to be made by:
 - a. *Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2011*;
 - b. *Local Law No. 3 (Community and Environmental Management) 2011*;
 - c. *Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2011*.

Purpose and general effect of the local laws and subordinate local laws

- 12.** The purpose and general effect of *Amendment Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026* is to:
- a. make various amendments to the local laws relating to approvals for prescribed activities, including introducing new approvals for short stay accommodation and temporary placement of shipping containers;
 - b. make various amendments to the animal management local laws, including to reinforce requirements to register dogs and implant cats and dogs with identification devices, and to align local laws with changes to State laws regarding effective control of dogs in public places;
 - c. make various amendments to local laws for community and environmental management, including to align local laws with State laws about invasive species, clarify laws about overgrown allotments and visual pollution, amend requirements about storage of waste containers, and insert new laws about shopping trolleys, feeding wildlife, and use of scare guns.
- 13.** The purpose and general effect of *Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026* is to:
- a. make various amendments to animal management subordinate local laws, including changes to minimum standards for keeping animals, changes to animal keeping prohibitions and approvals, and insertion of requirements for keeping animals in koala areas;
 - b. make various amendments to subordinate local laws for community and environmental management, including changes to provisions about local pests, insertion of new community safety hazards, and amended regulation of fires;
 - c. make various amendments to local laws about local government controlled areas and roads, including changes to prohibited activities and restricted activities in these public spaces.
- 14.** The purpose and general effect of *Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026* and *Subordinate Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026* is to regulate the use and operation of aerodromes controlled by the local government.
- 15.** The purpose and general effect of *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2026* is to replace the previous subordinate local law providing for the various matters regarding the granting of approvals for prescribed activities, with changes including:
- a. exemption of certain works on roads from the requirement for written approval;
 - b. change to some of the penalties for not having an approval for a prescribed activity;
 - c. amended requirements for approvals for temporary homes and burials outside cemeteries;
 - d. inclusion of new approval regimes for camping grounds, caravan parks, shared facility accommodation, short stay accommodation, public swimming pools and temporary placement of shipping containers.

Anti-competitive provisions

- 16.** The following of the local laws and subordinate local laws contain anti-competitive provisions:
- a. *Amendment Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026*;
 - b. *Amendment Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Miscellaneous) 2026*;
 - c. *Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2026*;
 - d. *Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026*;
 - e. *Subordinate Local Law No. 7 (Aerodromes) 2026*.

Inspection

- 17.** A copy of the local laws and subordinate local laws may be inspected and purchased at the Council's public office and may be viewed on the department's website at <https://www.localgovernment.qld.gov.au/for-councils/laws/local-laws-database> .