

1.6 Maintenance of Rights of Way Policy

Objective

To ensure that rights of way in the Town of Bassendean are maintained in an accessible and safe condition.

Policy

The Town of Bassendean recognises the rights of adjoining owners to access rights of way within the Town.

All rights of way under the care and control of the Town of Bassendean will be maintained in a clean and serviceable condition. Council will also maintain all rights of way owned by deceased estates.

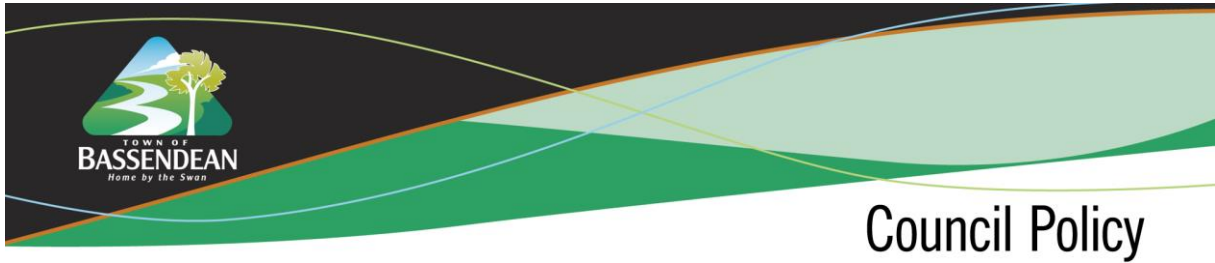
Council will take reasonable steps to ensure that all other rights of way not under the control of the Town of Bassendean will be maintained in a clean and serviceable condition by encouraging the owners to undertake the maintenance and/or to contribute to the cost of maintenance. Council will contact all owners of rights of way totally or partly owned by other parties to ensure that maintenance is undertaken to appropriate standards.

Twice yearly, servicing will occur to rights of way which will include excess rubbish removal, mowing of overgrown weeds and grasses, perimeter weed spraying, and levelling of grossly uneven areas.

An appropriate budget allocation will be made annually to allow this program to proceed.

Application

The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) has the authority to administer the requirements of this policy. The CEO has on-delegated this authority to the Manager Asset Services. The Policy is to be reviewed every three years.



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