

# Blackall-Tambo Regional Council Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2026

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## **Part 1 Preliminary**

### **1 Short title**

This subordinate local law may be cited as *Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2026*.

### **2 Purpose and how it is to be achieved**

- (1) The purpose of this subordinate local law is to supplement *Local Law No.4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2010* in order to protect the health and safety of persons using local government controlled land, facilities, infrastructure and roads and preserve features of the natural and built environment and other aspects of the amenity of local government controlled land, facilities, infrastructure and roads.
- (2) The purpose is to be achieved by providing for—
  - (a) the regulation of access to local government controlled areas; and
  - (b) the prohibition or restriction of particular activities in local government controlled areas or roads.

### **3 Authorising local law**

The making of the provisions in this subordinate local law is authorised by *Local Law No.4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2010* (the *authorising local law*).

### **4 Definitions**

Words used in this subordinate local law have the same meaning as provided for in the authorising local law.

### **4A Repeal of subordinate local law**

This subordinate local law repeals *Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2010*.

## **Part 2 Use of local government controlled areas, facilities and roads**

### **5 Prohibited and restricted activities—Authorising local law, s 5(1)**

- (1) For section 5(1)(a) of the authorising local law, the activities prescribed in column 2 of schedule 1 are declared to be prohibited in the corresponding local government controlled area or road (or part thereof) mentioned in column 1 of schedule 1.

- (2) For section 5(1)(b) of the authorising local law, the activities prescribed in column 2 of schedule 2 are declared to be restricted in the corresponding local government controlled area or road (or part thereof) mentioned in column 1 of schedule 2, to the extent described in column 3 of schedule 2.

**6 Motor vehicle access in local government controlled areas—Authorising local law, s 6(1)(b)**

For section 6(1)(b) of the authorising local law, the areas prescribed in column 1 of schedule 3 are declared to be motor vehicle access areas.

**7 Prohibited vehicles—Authorising local law, s 6(3)**

For section 6(3) of the authorising local law, the specific types of motor vehicle prescribed in column 2 of schedule 3 are declared to be prohibited vehicles in the corresponding specified motor vehicle access area in column 1 of schedule 3.

**8 Opening hours for local government controlled areas—Authorising local law, s 7(1)**

For section 7(1) of the authorising local law, the times prescribed in column 2 of schedule 4 are declared to be the opening hours for the local government controlled areas mentioned in column 1 of schedule 4.

**9 Permanent closure of local government controlled area—Authorising local law, s 8(3)**

For section 8(3) of the authorising local law, the local government controlled areas described in schedule 5 are permanently closed to public access.

**Part 3 Matters affecting roads**

**10 Notice requiring owner of land adjoining road to fence land—Authorising local law, s 9(3)**

For section 9(3) of the authorising local law, the minimum standards for a fence that is the subject of a compliance notice under section 9(2) of the authorising local law are as follows—

- (a) the fence must be constructed of materials which are of sufficient strength to—
  - (i) restrain the types of animals to be contained in the area adjacent to the fence; and
  - (ii) stop the animals from escaping over, under or through the fence; and
- (b) the height of the fence must be sufficient to restrain the types of animals to be contained in the area adjacent to the fence from jumping or climbing over the fence; and

- (c) if an animal to be contained in the area adjacent to the fence has the ability to dig — the fence must include a barrier installed directly below the fence to prevent the animal digging its way underneath the fence; and
- (d) if the fence includes a gate — the gate must be kept closed and latched except when in immediate use by a person entering or leaving the area adjacent to the fence.

## Schedule 1 Prohibited activities for local government controlled areas or roads

Section 5(1)

Column 1 Local government controlled area or road	Column 2 Prohibited activity
1 All local government controlled areas within the local government area	<p>(a) If the local government controlled area is a park or reserve — any activity not in accordance with the purpose or object for which the park or reserve is held by the local government.</p> <p>(b) Any act which is likely to injure, endanger, obstruct, inconvenience or annoy any other person.</p> <p>(c) Organise or play a game which is likely to —</p> <p>(i) interfere with the safety or comfort of the public; or</p> <p>(ii) if the local government controlled area is a park or reserve — damage the park or reserve or anything appertaining thereto.</p> <p>(d) Discharge a firearm or other weapon in, over or across a park or reserve provided that this prohibition does not apply to archery, pistol, gun or rifle shooting conducted in a park or reserve pursuant to an approval granted by the local government under <i>Local Law No.1 (Administration) 2010</i>.</p> <p>(e) Throw or discharge a stone or other projectile in, over or across a park or reserve.</p> <p>(f) Damage or interfere with vegetation.</p>

2	All roads within the local government area	Causing an offensive liquid, sediment or substance to be discharged onto a road.
3	Footpaths in shopping areas on Shamrock Street, Blackall, from Hawthorne Street to Violet Street	Riding a bicycle or travelling in or on a wheeled recreational device or wheeled toy, as defined in the <i>Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995</i> .
4	The following parks and reserves— (a) Ram Park, Blackall; (b) Banks Park, Blackall; (c) Anzac Park, Blackall; (d) EE Parr Park, Tambo; (e) Dam Park, Tambo; (f) Blackall Showgrounds, Blackall; (g) Blackall Riverside Camping Reserve (with the exception of designated bar-b-que areas).	For each park and reserve identified in column 1 — (a) riding a horse; (b) dogs, whether on a lead or not owing to the incidence of hydatids in the area; (c) lighting of a fire or bar-b-que.
5	The following camping areas— (a) Blackall Showgrounds, Blackall; (b) Tambo Stubby Bend, Tambo; (When each of the camping areas is used as an overflow when existing caravan parks are full and for oversize combinations).	For each camping area identified in column 1— (a) disposing of liquid waste, other than at a drainage point provided, for that purpose; (b) disposing of refuse, other than in a refuse container which is provided for that purpose; (c) using facilities in a way that makes them unclean or unsanitary.
6	Boat ramps and landings	For each boat ramp and landing— (a) a person must not drive or stand a vehicle on a boat ramp other than to launch or retrieve a ship (as defined in the <i>Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Act 1994</i> ); (b) a person must not obstruct another person's use of a boat ramp or landing;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(c) a person must not anchor, moor or place a ship in the water around a boat ramp or landing if it is likely to obstruct another person's use of the boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(d) a person must not carry out maintenance or repairs to a ship on a boat ramp;</li><li>(e) a person must not carry out the rigging of a sailing ship on a boat ramp or landing or in an area which would impede access to the boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(f) a person must not take or drive on to a boat ramp or landing a vehicle, other than a vehicle that moves on wheels fitted with pneumatic or rubber tyres;</li><li>(g) a person must not willfully break, destroy, damage, deface, disfigure or write upon any boat ramp or landing or any notice relating thereto;</li><li>(h) a person must not willfully damage any lighting upon any boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(i) a person must not ride any animal on any boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(j) a person must not fish from any boat ramp or landing in such a manner as to obstruct or impede ships or vehicular or pedestrian traffic on the boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(k) a person must not carry any loaded or cocked spear gun on any boat ramp or landing;</li><li>(l) a person must not light a fire on any boat ramp or landing whether in a container or otherwise;</li><li>(m) a person must not dive off any boat ramp or landing, nor cause themselves or any person or object to fall or be projected into</li></ul>
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	<p>waters surrounding the boat ramp or landing;</p> <p>(n) a person must not upon any boat ramp or landing behave in a riotous, disorderly, indecent, offensive, threatening or insulting manner;</p> <p>(o) a person shall not carry out any gutting, cleaning or washing of fish on any boat ramp or landing.</p>
<p>7 The following swimming pools—</p> <p>(a) Blackall Aquatic Centre, Blackall;</p> <p>(b) Tambo Aquatic Centre, Tambo.</p>	<p>For each swimming pool identified in column 1—</p> <p>(a) taking drinking glasses or glass bottles into the pool area;</p> <p>(b) any act which is likely to injure, endanger, obstruct, inconvenience or annoy any other person;</p> <p>(c) behaving in a riotous, disorderly, indecent, offensive, threatening or insulting manner;</p> <p>(d) smoking.</p>



		<p>(c) Erect a structure, screen, awning or enclosure</p> <p>(d) Distribute a handbill or advertisement</p>	<p>(c) Permitted—</p> <p>(i) if the activity is a prescribed activity — only if authorised under the conditions of an approval for the prescribed activity; or</p> <p>(ii) if the activity is not a prescribed activity — only if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.</p> <p>(d) Permitted—</p> <p>(i) if the activity is a prescribed activity — only if authorised under the conditions of an approval for the prescribed activity; or</p> <p>(ii) if the activity is not a prescribed activity — only if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.</p>
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		<p>(e) Play a musical instrument or sing or direct or procure a musical performance</p> <p>(f) Collect or attempt to collect money</p> <p>(g) Set up or operate or use a loud speaker or sound amplifying device</p> <p>(h) Except in places set apart by the local government, organise or play a game the playing of which requires the exclusion from the playing space of all persons other than those engaged in the game</p>	<p>(e) Permitted—</p> <p>(i) if the activity is a prescribed activity — only if authorised under the conditions of an approval for the prescribed activity; or</p> <p>(ii) if the activity is not a prescribed activity — only if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.</p> <p>(f) Permitted only if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.</p> <p>(g) Permitted only if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.</p> <p>(h) Permitted—</p> <p>(i) if the activity is a prescribed activity — only if authorised under the conditions of an approval for the prescribed activity; or</p> <p>(ii) if the activity is not a prescribed activity — only if authorised in writing by the</p>
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			chief executive officer of the local government.
2	All roads within the local government area	The washing or cleansing, painting, repairing, alteration or maintenance of vehicles on a road (see s.66(3)(b) of the <i>Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995</i> , which permits local laws to regulate these activities on roads)	Permitted only if the vehicle is temporarily disabled with a minor fault and the driver of the vehicle stops for no longer than is necessary for the performance of maintenance work limited to the minimum necessary to allow the vehicle to be moved from the road.

### Schedule 3 Motor vehicle access areas in local government controlled areas

Sections 6 and 7

	<b>Column 1</b> <b>Motor vehicle access areas</b>	<b>Column 2</b> <b>Prohibited vehicles</b>
1	All Parks except the following— (a) Banks Park; Blackall (b) EE Parr Park, Tambo (on community events days)	For each motor vehicle access area identified in column 1, all vehicles except— (a) local government and local government contractor vehicles, in the course of carrying out local government approved improvement or maintenance works; (b) if authorised in writing by the chief executive officer of the local government.
2	All Parks	A truck with a gross vehicle mass of over 2 tons.

**Schedule 4      Opening hours for local government  
controlled areas**

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## **Schedule 5      Permanent closure of local government controlled areas**

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#### **Certificate**

This and the preceding fourteen(14) pages bearing my initials is a certified copy of *Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2026*, made in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 2009*, by Blackall-Tambo Regional Council by resolution dated the      day of      2026.

**Chief Executive Officer**