

**Blackall-Tambo Regional Council  
Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2026**

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## Part 1 Preliminary

### 1 Short title

This subordinate local law may be cited as *Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2026*.

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

- (1) The purpose of this subordinate local law is to supplement *Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2010*, which provides for regulation of the keeping and control of animals within the local government's area.
- (2) The purpose is to be achieved by providing for—
  - (a) the circumstances in which the keeping of animals is prohibited or requires approval; and
  - (b) requirements for keeping animals, including minimum standards, mandatory desexing, proper enclosures, koala conservation and identification; and
  - (c) the control of animals in public places; and
  - (d) matters regarding the impounding of animals and the sale or disposal of impounded animals; and
  - (e) the conditions to be complied with by people who offer animals, or a particular species of animals, for sale; and
  - (f) the declaration of a species of animal as a declared dangerous animal and the criteria for declaration of a specific animal as a declared dangerous animal.

### 3 Authorising local law

The making of the provisions in this subordinate local law is authorised by *Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2010* (the **authorising local law**).

### 4 Definitions

- (1) Words used in this subordinate local law have the same meaning as provided for in the authorising local law.
- (2) The dictionary in schedule 11 defines particular words used in this subordinate local law.

### 4A Repeal of subordinate local law

This subordinate local law repeals *Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2010*.

## Part 2 Keeping of animals

### 5 Circumstances in which keeping animals prohibited—Authorising local law, s 5(1)

For section 5(1) of the authorising local law, keeping an animal or animals mentioned in column 1 of schedule 1 is prohibited in the circumstances described in column 2 of schedule 1.

### 6 Circumstances in which keeping animals requires approval—Authorising local law, s 6(1)

For section 6(1) of the authorising local law, keeping an animal or animals of the species or breed mentioned in column 1 of schedule 2 requires approval in the circumstances described in column 2 of schedule 2.

### 7 Animals that must be desexed—Authorising local law, s 7

For section 7 of the authorising local law, an animal of the species or breed mentioned in column 1 of schedule 3 must be desexed once it reaches the age specified in column 2 of schedule 3 except in the circumstances described in column 3 of schedule 3.

### 8 Minimum standards for keeping animals—Authorising local law, s 8(1)

- (1) For section 8(1) of the authorising local law, the minimum standards for the keeping of animals in a designated town area are set out in schedule 4.
- (2) For section 8(1) of the authorising local law, column 2 of schedule 5 sets out the minimum standards for keeping an animal of the species or breed mentioned in column 1 of schedule 5 in a designated town area.

### 9 Identification for cats and dogs in certain circumstances—Authorising local law, s 9

For section 9 of the authorising local law, the identification required for a cat or dog that is at a place other than the address stated in the registration notice for the cat or dog is the registration device mentioned in section 12(2) of the *Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008*.

## Part 3 Control of animals

### 10 Public places where animals are prohibited—Authorising local law, s 10(1)

For section 10(1) of the authorising local law, the species or breeds of animals mentioned in column 2 of schedule 6 are prohibited in the public places described in column 1 of schedule 6.

### 11 Dog off-leash areas—Authorising local law, s 11(1)

For section 11(1) of the authorising local law, the areas described in schedule 7 are designated as dog off-leash areas.

**12 Animal faeces in public places—Authorising local law, s 13**

For section 13 of the authorising local law, no other animals are prescribed as animals whose faeces must be removed from a public place and disposed of in a sanitary way.

**13 Requirements for proper enclosures for keeping animals—Authorising local law, s 14(2)**

For section 14(2) of the authorising local law, column 2 of schedule 8 sets out the requirements for proper enclosures for an animal of the species or breed mentioned in column 1 of schedule 8.

**14 Koala conservation—Authorising local law, s 15**

- (1) For section 15(1) of the authorising local law, no requirements are prescribed for the keeping of a dog on land that is within a koala area.
- (2) For section 15(4) of the authorising local law, no area is designated as a koala area.

**15 Criteria for declared dangerous animals—Authorising local law, s 19(1)**

For section 19(1) of the authorising local law, the criteria for declaring an animal as a declared dangerous animal are set out in schedule 9.

## **Part 4                      Seizure, impounding or destruction of animals**

**16 Place of care for impounded animals—Authorising local law, s 24**

For section 24 of the authorising local law, the place of care for animals impounded by the local government will be operated by the local government.

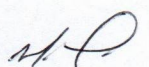
**17 Animals that may be disposed of without auction or tender—Authorising local law, s 32(1)(b)**

For section 32(1) (b) of the authorising local law, the species, breeds or classes of animal that may be sold by private agreement, destroyed or disposed of in some other way are the following—

- (a) dogs;
- (b) cats;
- (c) birds;
- (d) emus;
- (e) ostriches;
- (f) small domestic animals.

**18 Register of impounded animals—Authorising local law, s 33(3)**

For section 33(3) of the authorising local law, the register of impounded animals will be kept at the local government's public office.



## Part 5 Appeals against destruction orders

*This part in the authorising local law does not contain any matters to be provided for by subordinate local law.*

## Part 6 Miscellaneous

### 19 Conditions regarding sale of animals—Authorising local law, s 42(1)

For the purposes of section 42(1) of the authorising local law, no condition is specified for a person who offers for sale an animal.

## Part 7 Dictionary

### 20 Animals excluded from application of the local law—Authorising local law, schedule

For the purposes of the definition of — “*animal*” in the schedule to the authorising local law, the following species of animal are excluded from the application of the authorising local law—

- (a) fish;
- (b) insects;
- (c) amphibians;
- (d) reptiles.

### 21 Species other than dogs that are declared dangerous animals—Authorising local law, schedule

For the purposes of the definition of — “*declared dangerous animal*” in the schedule to the authorising local law, no species is declared as a declared dangerous animal.

### 22 Prescribed period for reclaiming animals—Authorising local law, schedule

For the purposes of the definition of — “*prescribed period*” in the schedule to the authorising local law, the period within which an animal may be reclaimed is—

- (a) if the animal is registered with the local government—5 days; or
- (b) if the animal is not registered with the local government—3 days.

## Schedule 1 Prohibition on keeping animals

### Section 5

	<b>Column 1 Animal</b>	<b>Column 2 Circumstances in which keeping of animal or animals is prohibited</b>
1	Dog	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 2 dogs over the age of 12 weeks on —               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2	Intentionally blank	Intentionally blank
3	Cat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 2 cats over the age of 12 weeks on —               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
4	Livestock including, horse, cattle, llama, and alpaca, but excluding stallions and bulls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any animal to which this item 4 applies on an allotment with an area less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
5	Sheep and goat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A sheep or goat on an allotment with an area less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
6	Pig	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A pig on an allotment with an area less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
7	Bees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A hive on an allotment with an area less than 400 m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area (see Code of Practice for Urban Bee Keeping in Queensland 1998).</li> </ul>
8	Cockatoo, galah, corella, cockatiel and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 2 birds to which this item 8 applies on—               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an allotment with an area less than 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
9	Caged birds including budgerigar, canary, finch, lovebird, parrot and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 10 birds to which this item 9 applies on an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
10	Emu, ostrich and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An emu or an ostrich in a designated town area</li> </ul>

11	Pigeons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pigeons on — <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
13	Peacock, pea hen, guinea fowl and pheasant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any bird to which this item 13 applies in a designated town area</li> </ul>
14	Domestic hen and rooster	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A hen or rooster — <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) on an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> <li>• More than 5 hens on an allotment with an area greater than 350m<sup>2</sup> but less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
15	Geese, turkey, duck and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A bird to which this item 15 applies on— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area; or</li> <li>(b) multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> </ul> </li> <li>• More than 2 birds to which this item 15 applies on an allotment with an area greater than 350m<sup>2</sup> but less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>

A prohibition prescribed in this schedule does not apply to the keeping of an animal or animals on premises if—

- (a) the animal or animals were kept on the premises before the commencement of this subordinate local law; and
- (b) the keeping of the animal or animals on the premises immediately before the commencement of this subordinate local law did not contravene any provision of a local law of the local government that was repealed contemporaneously with the making of this subordinate local law.

**Schedule 2 Requirement for approval to keep animals**

## Section 6

	<b>Column 1 Species or breed of animal</b>	<b>Column 2 Circumstances in which keeping of animals or animals requires approval<sup>1</sup></b>
1	Dog	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 dogs on a multi-residential premises in a designated town area</li> <li>• 2 dogs on an allotment with an area less than or equal to 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> <li>• 3 or more dogs over the age of 12 weeks on an allotment with an area greater than 350m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
2	Intentionally blank	Intentionally blank
3	Cat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 cats over the age of 12 weeks on an allotment in a designated town area</li> </ul>
4	Bees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 2 hives on an allotment with an area greater than 400m<sup>2</sup> but less than 1000m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> <li>• More than 5 hives on an allotment with an area greater than 1000m<sup>2</sup> but less than 2000m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> <li>• More than 10 hives on an allotment with an area greater than 2000m<sup>2</sup> but less than 4000m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul> <p>(Complies with Code of Practice for Urban Bee Keeping in Queensland 1998)</p>
5	Cockatoo, galah, corella, cockatiel and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 2 birds to which this item 5 applies on an allotment with an area greater than 2500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>
6	Caged birds including budgerigar, canary, finch, lovebird, parrot and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 10 birds to which this item 6 applies on an allotment with an area greater than 350m<sup>2</sup> but less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> <li>• More than 20 birds to which this item 6 applies on an allotment with an area greater than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li> </ul>

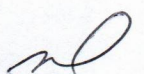
<sup>1</sup> See *Local Law No.1 (Administration) 2010* and *Subordinate Local Law No.1 (Administration) 2026* in relation to the requirements and processes for approvals (e.g. form of application for approval, documents and materials that must accompany applications, criteria for granting approval, conditions that must be imposed on approvals, conditions that will ordinarily be imposed on approvals, term of approval, third party certification of applications).

7	Pigeons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• More than 10 pigeons on an allotment with an area greater than 350m<sup>2</sup> but less than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li><li>• More than 20 pigeons on an allotment with an area greater than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area.</li></ul>
8	Domestic hen and rooster	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• More than 10 birds to which this item 8 applies on an allotment area greater than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li></ul>
9	Geese, turkey, duck and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• More than 2 birds to which this item 9 applies on an allotment with an area greater than 500m<sup>2</sup> in a designated town area</li></ul>

### Schedule 3 Requirement to desex animal

Section 7

	<b>Column 1 Species or breed of animal</b>	<b>Column 2 Age at which animal must be desexed</b>	<b>Column 3 Exemptions to the requirement for desexing</b>
1	Dog	6 months	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A dog owned by a member of a recognised breeders association which is kept, primarily, for breeding or showing purposes.</li> <li>2. A dog in the care of a recognised dog carer.</li> </ol>
2	Cat	6 months	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A cat owned by a member of a recognised breeders association which is kept, primarily, for breeding or showing purposes.</li> <li>2. A cat in the care of a recognised cat carer.</li> </ol>



## Schedule 4      **Minimum standards for keeping animals generally**

### Section 8(1)

A person who keeps an animal on premises must comply with the following minimum standards—

- (a) ensure that wastewater from enclosures is drained in a nuisance free manner and that run-off is kept off adjoining land or as otherwise directed by an authorised person; and
- (b) ensure that excreta, food scraps, and other material that is, or is likely to become offensive is collected at least once in each day and, if not immediately disposed of, is kept in a fly proof container of a kind approved by an authorised person; and
- (c) ensure that any enclosure in which the animal is kept is kept in a clean and sanitary condition and free from dust and odour; and
- (d) ensure that any enclosure in which the animal is kept is properly maintained in an aesthetically acceptable condition; and
- (e) take all reasonable steps to prevent the animal from making a noise or disturbance that causes a nuisance or disturbance to the occupiers of other land or premises; and
- (f) ensure that the area available to the animal kept on the premises is appropriately sized so that the animal can be effectively and comfortably kept; and
- (g) ensure that all animal food is stored in an impervious fly proof and vermin proof receptacle or in an impervious fly proof and vermin proof storeroom facility and that the receptacle or storeroom facility is maintained to the satisfaction of an authorised person; and
- (h) ensure that all animals kept on the premises are provided with, and have access to, adequate shelter, drinking water and appropriate food; and
- (i) ensure that any enclosure used for the purpose of keeping the animal is thoroughly cleaned each week and effectively treated with insecticide at least twice a year; and
- (j) comply with reasonable directions given by an authorised person to ensure that the keeping of the animal does not result in nuisance to occupiers of other land or premises; and
- (k) upon discovering the existence of a dead animal —
  - (i) immediately dispose of the remains of the dead animal so as not to cause a nuisance; and
  - (ii) ensure that the remains are not disposed of on or in a public place.

**Schedule 5 Minimum standards for keeping animals**

Section 8(2)

	<b>Column 1</b>	<b>Column 2</b>
	<b>Species or breed of animal</b>	<b>Minimum standards for keeping animals</b>
1	Livestock including horse, cattle, llama and alpaca, but excluding stallions and bulls	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where the grazing behaviour of an animal to which this item 1 applies which is kept on premises is causing, or is likely to cause, damage to neighbouring premises, the occupier of the premises where the animal is kept must take all reasonable measures to effectively isolate the animal from the premises at risk of damage, to the satisfaction of an authorised person.</li> <li>• Reasonable measures may include the construction of a fence to achieve a 3 m set-back from any affected boundary of the premises at risk. The fence is to be constructed to the satisfaction of an authorised person.</li> <li>• The density of animals to which this item 1 applies kept on an allotment is to be limited to 1 animal per 5000 m<sup>2</sup>.</li> </ul>
2	Sheep and goat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The density of animals to which this item 2 applies kept on an allotment must be limited to 1 animal per 2500 m<sup>2</sup>.</li> </ul>
3	Bees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The keeping of bees on an allotment must be conducted in accordance with the Australian Honey Bee Industry Biosecurity Code of Practice.</li> </ul>
4	Pigeons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Where pigeons are kept on premises, the pigeons must be kept in accordance with any code of practice for the keeping of pigeons endorsed by a recognised pigeon racing or fancier association.</li> </ul>

**Schedule 6 Prohibition of animals in public places**

Section 10

	<b>Column 1 Public place</b>	<b>Column 2 Species or breed of animals prohibited</b>
1	All land which — (a) is a local government controlled area; and (b) is used for the playing of sport.	All animals except in circumstances where — (a) the animal is training for, or participating in, an organised event; and (b) an approval has been granted by the local government or an authorised person in respect of the use of the land.
2	Rifle Range Nature Reserve	All animals
3	All parks	All animals except in circumstances where— (a) the animal is a dog which is under effective control of a person of sufficient strength and maturity to be able to maintain control of the dog; or (b) the animal is training for, or participating in, an organised event and an approval has been granted by the local government or an authorised person in respect of the use of the park.
4	In or within 15 m of any of the following — (a) a designated children's playground; (b) any playground equipment, barbecue, shelter or picnic table in a park or reserve where animals are permitted whether or not the facility is being used at the time.	All dogs except assistance dogs.
5	All other land which is a local government controlled area.	All animals except in circumstances where — (a) the animal is training for, or participating in, an organised event, for example, an organized event at a showground or racecourse; or (b) an approval has been granted by the local government or an authorised person in respect of the use of the land.

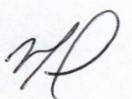
6.	Subject to items 1 to 5 inclusive, in the following parks and reserves—  (a) Ram Park, Blackall; (b) Banks Park, Blackall; (c) Anzac Park, Blackall; (d) EE Parr Park, Tambo; (e) Dam Park, Tambo; (f) Blackall Showgrounds, Blackall; (g) Blackall Riverside Camping Reserve (with the exception of designated bar-b-que areas).	All dogs except assistance dogs.
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**Schedule 7 Dog off-leash areas**

Section 11

There are no dog off-leash areas.



## Schedule 8 Requirements for proper enclosures for animals

Section 13

	<b>Column 1</b> <b>Species or breed of animal</b>	<b>Column 2</b> <b>Requirements for proper enclosures</b>
1	All Animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The owner of an animal must provide a proper enclosure to contain the animal on the owner's premises.</li> <li>• A proper enclosure is —               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) an area of land on the owner's premises that is suitably fenced and effectively encloses the animal on the land at all times other than when the owner allows the animal to leave the land under effective control; and</li> <li>(b) the enclosure must be of sufficient dimensions having regard to the species, breed and size of the animal; and</li> <li>(c) the enclosure must contain adequate shelter for all animals kept in the enclosure.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• A proper enclosure is suitably fenced if —               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) it is fully surrounded by a fence comprised of strong and firm materials and designed and constructed in such a way as to prevent the enclosed animal escaping from the enclosure over, under or through the fence; and</li> <li>(b) if a building or structure forms a section of the enclosure — the building or structure does not have any openings through which the enclosed animal may escape from the enclosure; and</li> <li>(c) if a gate forms a section of the enclosure —the gate is kept closed and latched at all times other than when a person is effecting immediate entry to, or exit from, the enclosure.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2	Dog	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If the dog is a climber, the fence or enclosure must be constructed in such a way as to prevent the dog from climbing over the fence.</li> <li>• If the dog is a digger, a barrier must be installed directly below the fence or enclosure which is adequate to prevent the dog digging its way out.</li> </ul>

3	Guard/security dog	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A guard/security dog must be kept behind a secure fence or enclosure which is adequate to prevent the dog from escaping and which is constructed to a standard approved by an authorised person.</li> <li>• An approved warning sign must be clearly displayed adjacent to each entrance to any property where a guard/security dog is being kept or used. The sign must prominently and permanently display in lettering not less than 50mm in height on a background so as to be readily legible the following words — “BEWARE –GUARD/SECURITY DOG ON PREMISES”</li> <li>• A guard/security dog must be confined in a secure enclosure at all times when the public has access to the property where the guard dog is being held or used.</li> </ul>
4	Cat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure (including a building or structure) must be such that it humanely prevents the cat from escaping from the premises on which the cat is kept.</li> </ul>
5	Horse, cattle, llama and alpaca but excluding stallions and bulls.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any animal to which this item 5 applies from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the animal is kept).</li> <li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any animal to which this item 5 applies from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the animal) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</li> <li>• The enclosure, which includes an open fenced area, must be sited a minimum distance of 2 m from any boundary of the premises on which the animal is kept (however, an exemption may be granted from compliance with this requirement if the boundary fence is not less than 2 m high and the occupiers of the premises adjoining the boundaries state in writing that they have no objection).</li> </ul>
6	Sheep and goat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any animal to which this item 6 applies from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the animal is kept).</li> <li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any animal to which this item 6 applies from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the animal) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food</li> </ul>

		<p>for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The enclosure, which includes an open fenced area, must be sited a minimum distance of 2 m from any boundary of the premises on which the animal is kept (however, an exemption may be granted from compliance with this requirement if the boundary fence is not less than 2 m high and the occupiers of the premises adjoining the boundaries state in writing that they have no objection).</li> </ul>
7	Pig	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The enclosure must be suitably constructed for the purpose of restricting the movement of pigs.</li> <li>The enclosure must be not less than 60 m from any residence (except a residence on the premises on which the pigs are kept) and not less than 30 m from any boundary of the premises on which the pigs are kept.</li> </ul>
8	Bees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The beehive must not be sited closer than 2 m from any boundary of the premises on which the bees are kept.</li> <li>The beehive must be located at the rear of the premises behind the residence (if any) situated on the premises.</li> </ul>
9	Cockatoo, galah, corella, cockatiel and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The enclosure must not be within 25 m of any residence on any premises adjoining the premises on which the birds to which this item 9 applies are kept and at least 2 m from any boundary of any adjoining premises.</li> </ul>
10	Caged birds including budgerigar, canary, finch, lovebird, parrot, and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The cage or aviary must not be sited closer than 2 m from any boundary of the premises on which the birds to which this item 10 applies are kept.</li> <li>The cage or aviary must be constructed to prevent the birds from escaping and prevent the spread of infectious disease, odour and infestations of vermin.</li> </ul>
11	Emu, ostrich and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 11 applies from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the bird is kept).</li> <li>The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 11 applies from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the bird) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</li> <li>The enclosure, which includes an open fenced area, must</li> </ul>

		<p>be sited a minimum distance of 2 m from any boundary of the premises on which the bird is kept (however, an exemption may be granted from compliance with this requirement if the boundary fence is not less than 2 m high and the occupiers of the premises adjoining the boundaries state in writing that they have no objection).</p>
12	Pigeons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure must not be sited closer than 2 m from the property boundaries.</li> <li>• The enclosure must be located at the rear of the premises behind the residence (if any) situated on the premises.</li> <li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any pigeon from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the pigeon is kept).</li> <li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any pigeon from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the birds) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</li> </ul>
13	Rooster, peacock, pea hen, guinea fowl and pheasant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure must not be sited closer than 2 m from the property boundaries.</li> <li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 13 applies from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the bird is kept).</li> <li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 13 applies from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the bird) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</li> </ul>
14	Domestic hen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The enclosure must not be sited closer than 2 m from the property boundaries.</li> <li>• The enclosure must be located at the rear of the premises behind the residence (if any) situated on the premises.</li> <li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any domestic hen from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the domestic hen is kept).</li> <li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any domestic hen from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the domestic hen) used for the</li> </ul>

		manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.
15	Geese, turkey, duck and the like	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The enclosure must not be sited closer than 2 m from the property boundaries.</li><li>• The enclosure must be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 15 applies from going within 10 m of any residence (except any residence on the premises on which the bird is kept).</li><li>• The enclosure must also be constructed to prevent any bird to which this item 15 applies from going within 10 m of any premises (other than a domestic kitchen used solely for domestic purposes by the owner of the bird) used for the manufacture, preparation or storage of food for human consumption, other than food contained in hermetically sealed packages.</li></ul>



## Schedule 9      **Criteria for declared dangerous animals other than a dog**

### Section 15

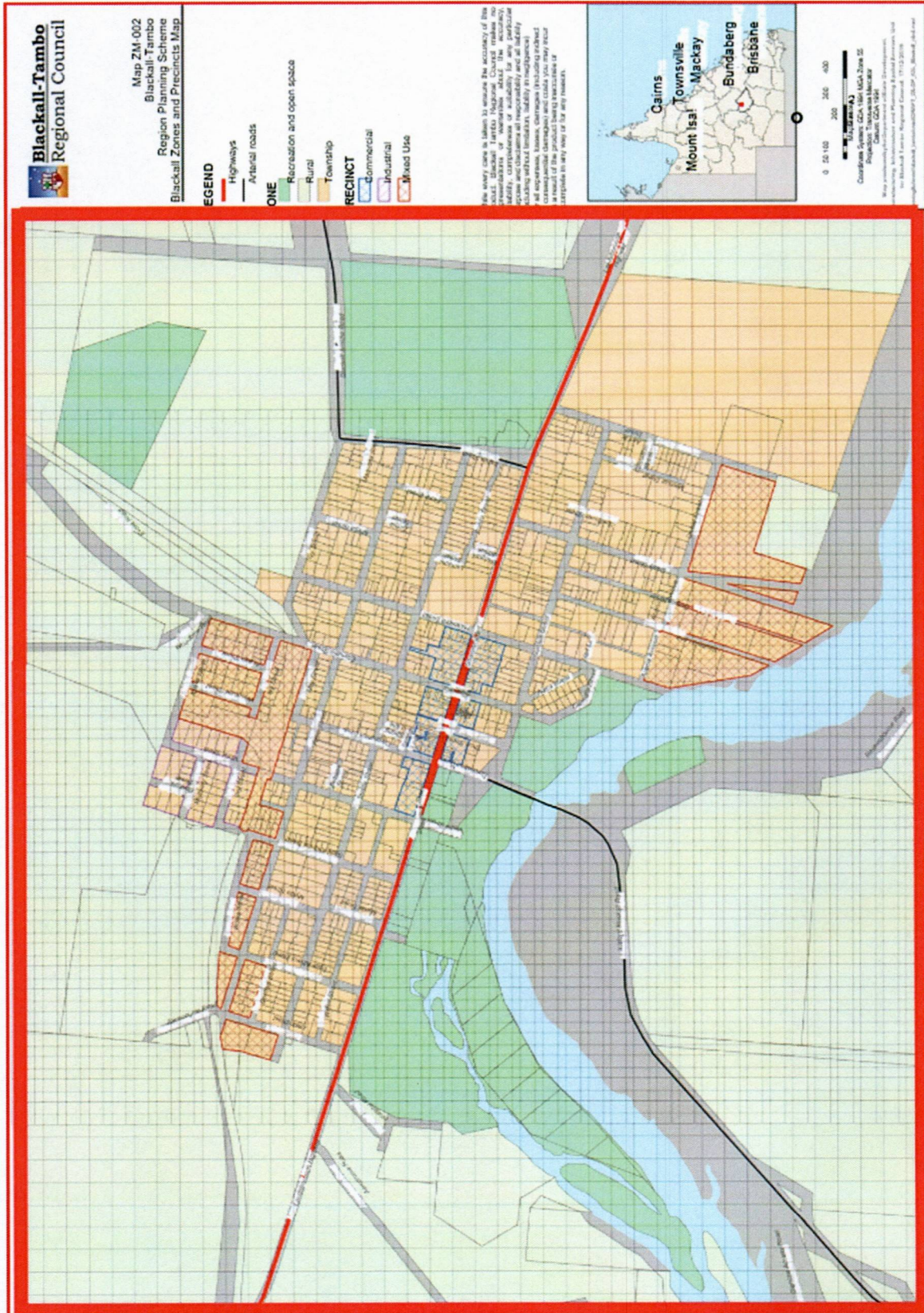
- 1      A dangerous animal declaration may be made for an animal other than a dog if the animal—
- (a)      has seriously attacked, or acted in a way that caused fear to, a person or another animal; or
  - (b)      there is a high likelihood of the animal causing injury to a person or animal or damage to property, taking into account —
    - (i)      its prior history of attacking or causing fear to persons or animals or damaging property; or
    - (ii)      the extent of injury or damage that could potentially be inflicted by an animal of its size and species or breed; or
    - (iii)      the authorised person's first-hand assessment of the animal has indicated that the animal has demonstrated aggressive tendencies; or
    - (iv)      a high level of concern about the danger posed by the animal has been expressed by neighbours or other people who have come into contact with the animal.



# Schedule 10 Designated town areas

## Section 4

### Town of Blackall



# Town of Tambo



## Schedule 11 Dictionary

### Section 4

**allotment** means a single parcel of land, or several contiguous parcels of land where all of the contiguous parcels of land are in —

- (a) the same ownership; or
- (b) the same occupation.

**assistance dog** means has the meaning given in the *Guide, Hearing and Assistance Dogs Act 2009*.

**designated town area** means —

- (a) for the town of Blackall—the area shaded in brown and identified as “Township” zone on the map in schedule 10 titled “Map ZM–002 Blackall-Tambo Regional Planning Scheme Blackall Zones and Precincts Map”; and
- (b) for the town of Tambo—the area shaded in brown and identified as “Township” zone on the map in schedule 10 titled “Map ZM–003 Blackall-Tambo Regional Planning Scheme Tambo Zones and Precincts Map”.

**guard/security dog** means a dog which is released on commercial premises without a handler for the purpose or apparent purpose of acting as a deterrent to intruders.

**multi-residential premises** means —

- (a) a residence which forms part of a group of 2 or more residences in circumstances where 2 or more of the residences of the group are directly adjacent to each other and share —
  - (i) a common wall; or
  - (ii) a ceiling in circumstances where 1 residence is directly under the floor of another residence; and
- (b) a residence situated on a lot which forms part of a community titles scheme as defined in the *Body Corporate and Community Management Act 1997*.

*Examples of multi-residential premises —*

*Flats, boarding houses, tenement buildings, home units, town houses and duplexes.*

**premises** means any land, building or structure and includes any part thereof.

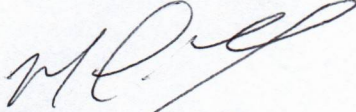
**residence** means a building, or part of a building, that is —

- (a) fixed to land; and
- (b) a self-contained unit used by, or intended for the exclusive residential use of, one household.

**residential premises** means premises used, or intended to be used, predominantly as a place of residence.

Certificate

This and the preceding twenty-five (25) pages bearing my initials is a certified copy of *Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2026*, made in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 2009*, by Blackall-Tambo Regional Council by resolution dated the 18 day of March 2026.



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