Fraser Coast Regional Council Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads (Amendment) Subordinate Local Law (No. 1) 2023

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Part 1 Preliminary

1 Short title

This subordinate local law may be cited as Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads (Amendment) Subordinate Local Law (No. 1) 2023.

2 Subordinate local law amended

This subordinate local law amends Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads) 2011.

Part 2 Amendment of subordinate local law

3 Amendment of s4 (Definitions)

(1) Section 4—

insert-

'animal has the meaning given in Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2011.

authorised person has the meaning given in Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011.

bathing reserve has the meaning given in Local Law No. 6 (Bathing Reserves) 2011.

boat ramp—

- (a) means a ramp or other device or structure used or capable of use or designed or intended for use for the purpose of launching and retrieving a trailable vessel and which is the property of, or under the control of, the local government; and
- (b) includes any area of foreshore used or capable of use, for the purpose of launching and retrieving a trailable vessel and which is the property of, or under the control of, the local government.

building has the meaning given in the Building Act 1975.

camp, at a place, includes sleeping, occupying, or remaining overnight at the place.

caravan has the meaning given in Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011.

culvert means a drain, tunnel or channel crossing under a road or railway.

driver has the meaning given in the *Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995.*

landing includes jetty, pontoon and wharf.

local government cemetery has the meaning given in *Local Law No. 1* (Administration) 2011.

park means a public place which the local government has, by resolution, set apart for park, recreational or environmental purposes, and includes land designated as a park in the planning scheme of the local government.

reserve means land dedicated as a reserve, or granted in trust, under the *Land Act* 1994 and for which the local government is a trustee under that Act and other land held in trust by the local government which the local government has, by resolution, set apart for recreational or environmental purposes, and includes land designated as a reserve in the planning scheme of the local government.

road has the meaning given in Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011.

ship has the meaning given in the Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Act 1994.

structure has the meaning given in the Local Government Act 2009.

water storage area means any land which is dedicated as a reserve under the Land Act 1994 for drainage, the conveyance of storm water, flood prevention, flood mitigation or other similar purposes relating to water.'.

(2) Section 4, definition *aquatic equipment*—

omit, insert—

'aquatic equipment means—

- (a) an inflatable device or rubber or foam float or board that is not bathing equipment; or
- (b) a boogie board; or
- (c) a surfboard; or
- (d) a surf ski; or
- (e) a kayak; or
- (f) a canoe; or
- (g) another device for use on or in water to carry a person or thing across or through water or for recreational use in water and designed to be—
 - (i) paddled by a person; or
 - (ii) ridden by a person on a wave or in a white water area; or
- (h) a vessel; or
- (i) a wind powered craft; or
- (j) another device specified by subordinate local law.'.

(3) Section 4, definition authorised by an authorised person—

omit, insert—

'authorised in writing by an authorised person—

- (a) means that the action is authorised by a written authorisation signed by an authorised person; and
- (b) does not mean an approval mentioned in section 5(b) of Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011.'.
- (4) Section 4, definition *boat landing area*—

omit, insert—

'boat landing area includes a boat ramp, landing, jetty, pontoon, pylon, pier, queuing beach and set down area which is the property of, or under the control of, the local government.'.

(5) Section 4, definition *emergency vehicle*—

omit, insert—

'emergency vehicle has the meaning given in the authorising local law, section 6(7).'.

4 Amendment of sch1 (Prohibited activities for local government controlled areas or roads)

Schedule 1, items 1 to 15 inclusive—
omit, insert—

	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
	Local government controlled area, facility or road	Prohibited activity	Penalty category
1	All local government controlled areas,	(a) Remove any turf, sand, clay, soil or other material	category 2
	facilities and roads, including all parks, reserves, Tourist Parks, foreshores and water storage areas	(b) Break, destroy, damage, deface or misuse any structure, asset or item of the local government, whether intentionally or unintentionally	category 2
	storage areas	 (c) Contravene a written notice which— (i) is installed by the local government; and (ii) prohibits fishing, swimming, diving or jumping from, or on, a bridge, structure or building 	category 1
		(d) Positioning, or advertising, for sale, a vehicle or vessel, including a trailer, caravan, RV, boat, jetski or motorbike	category 1
		(e) Failing to comply with an authorised person's direction to remove an object, or cease an activity, that, in the opinion of the authorised person, may endanger public health, safety or amenity or cause environmental harm	category 1
		(f) Tout for business	category 1
		(g) Repair a vehicle or vessel, except if the vehicle or vessel is temporarily disabled with a minor fault and the driver of the vehicle or vessel stops for no longer than is necessary for the performance of repair work limited to the minimum necessary to allow the vehicle or vessel to be moved from the local government controlled area	category 2
		(h) If the conditions of entry for a local government controlled area are prescribed by a written notice which is displayed to the public—contravene 1 or more of the conditions of entry	category 1

		(i)	Planting, cultivating or introducing any aquatic plant species	category 2
		(j)	Swimming or fishing at any of the following local government controlled areas (unless the person undertaking the prohibited activity is participating in an event which is authorised by the local government) — Arkarra Lagoons, Botanic Gardens, Anzac Park, Cheelii Lagoon, Maryborough Showgrounds and Equestrian Park	category 1
		(k)	Anchoring or tying up a vessel or aquatic equipment so as to obstruct or interfere with, or be likely to obstruct or interfere with, public access or cause, or be likely to cause, a public safety issue	category 1
2	Each local government controlled area which is a boat landing area	(a)	Stopping a vehicle at the shore end of the boat landing area so as to obstruct or interfere with, or be likely to obstruct or interfere with, access to the boat landing area	category 2
		(b)	Obstructing or impeding the use of the boat landing area by others	category 2
		(c)	Fishing or netting, if the activity is undertaken in a manner which obstructs or impedes, or is likely to obstruct or impede, the use of the boat landing area by a ship, vessel, vehicle or aquatic equipment	category 1
3	Each local government	(a)	Entering a culvert for any purpose	category 1
	controlled area which is a culvert or bridge	(b)	Diving, jumping or causing any person or object to fall or be projected into the waters surrounding the culvert or bridge	category 1
4	Each local government controlled area which is an aerodrome, including	(a)	Entering any part of the aerodrome that has been closed to access by an authorised person	category 2
	Hervey Bay Airport, Maryborough Airport and Orchid Beach Airstrip	(b)	Failing to obey a lawful direction of an authorised person about a matter to which the authorising local law or this subordinate local law applies	category 1
		(c)	Engaging in conduct that— (i) could cause annoyance, disturbance or offence to others; or	category 1

			 (ii) could obstruct or unreasonably interfere with the rights of use of another person; or (iii) creates a risk to the safety of others 	
		(d)	Using any of the facilities of the aerodrome other than for the purpose, and in the manner, for which they were constructed or provided	category 1
		(e)	Entering or remaining on the aerodrome when under, or in the reasonable opinion of an authorised person apparently under, the influence of alcohol or an illegal drug	category 1
		(f)	Depositing any rubbish other than in a receptacle provided for depositing rubbish	category 1
5	Each local government controlled area which is a bathing reserve	(a)	Mooring a vessel if the vessel is not seaworthy, in the opinion of an authorised officer.	category 1

5 Amendment of sch2 (Restricted activities for local government controlled areas or roads)

> Schedule 2, items 1 to 12 inclusive omit, insert—

Column 3 Column 1 Column 2 Column 4 **Extent of restriction** Local **Restricted activity Penalty** government category controlled area, facility or road All local (a) Plant, cut, trim, (a) Permitted only where category 1 government prune or remove (i) authorised under an controlled areas, any vegetation approval granted under facilities and Local Law No. 1 roads, including (Administration) 2011; all parks, reserves, Tourist (ii) carried out in accordance Parks, with a local government foreshores and policy; or

water storage areas		(iii) authorised in writing by an authorised person; or	
		(iv) carried out by a person who is an employee of the local government undertaking the activity in the course of the duties of the person as an employee of the local government	
	(b) Distribute, place	(a) Permitted only where—	category 1
	or attach to a fixture any pamphlet, leaflet, handbill, circular or similar	(i) the fixture is a notice board or other place which is set aside for the purpose; or	
	advertisement (other than a temporary advertising device, the installation of	(ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person	
	which is authorised under Subordinate Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2019) (c) Lighting or maintaining a fire		
		(a) Permitted only where—	category 1
	maintaining a fire	(i) authorised under an approval granted under Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011; or	
		(ii) the fire is lit or maintained in a designated fire place which is provided by the local government; or	
		(iii) authorised in writing by an authorised person	
	(d) Stay, camp, sleep or otherwise	(a) Permitted only where— (i) authorised in writing by	category 1
	occupy overnight a vehicle or other	an authorised person; or	
	mobile accommodation,	(ii) in a Tourist Park, camping ground or nature based tourism	

including a tent or sleeping bag	facility which has all requisite development approvals	
(e) Participate in any sport or activity that is likely to cause damage or a risk to the health or safety of any person, including, for example, golf, javelin throwing, archery and paintball	(a)Permitted only where authorised in writing by an authorised person	category 1
(f) Bringing or driving a motor vehicle onto an area other than a carpark, road or formed crossing	(a) Permitted only where authorised in writing by an authorised person	category 1
(g) Driving, riding or wheeling any goods, vehicle, vessel or other thing in, on or across a water channel, gutter or kerb	 (a) Permitted only— (i) where authorised in writing by an authorised person; or (ii) at a formed crossing constructed for the purpose of obtaining access to any land abutting the road 	category 1
 (h) Washing, cleansing, painting, repairing, altering or maintaining— (i) a motor vehicle of any type, including a caravan, trailer or similar; (ii) a vessel, aquatic equipment or similar vessel 	(a) Permitted only where the vehicle or vessel is temporarily disabled with a minor fault and the driver of the vehicle or vessel stops for no longer than is necessary for the performance of repair work limited to the minimum necessary to allow the vehicle or vessel to be moved from the local government controlled area	category 2

(i) Using a cast net, gill net, trap or similar type of apparatus for the purpose of catching aquatic life	(a) Permitted only where— (i) the local government has, by public notice installed at a place, specifically set aside the place for the undertaking of the activity; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person	category 1
(j) Installing, constructing, moving, damaging, planting, digging, disturbing or interfering with— (i) a grave, memorial, monument, plaque, epitaph or inscription; or (ii) any vase, shrub, flower or token placed on or adjacent to a grave or niche	 (a) Permitted only where the activity— (i) is undertaken within a local government cemetery; and (ii) is carried out by a person who has a proper interest in the undertaking of the activity, for example, a proper interest in the maintenance of the memorial to a deceased person; and (iii) if the activity is undertaken at a local government cemetery—the activity is carried out in accordance with the conditions of entry which apply at the local government cemetery 	category 3
(k) The placing of any fencing, or a nameplate, token, toy, tribute, statue, figurine, temporary cross or other memorial (other than on a grave stone in a beam or lawn section of a local government cemetery)	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) authorised in writing by an authorised person; or (ii) if the activity is undertaken in a local government cemetery— the activity is authorised in writing by the cemetery coordinator for the local government cemetery 	category 3

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		(l) Bringing an animal into a local government cemetery	(a) Permitted only if the animal is on a lead at all times	category 1
		(m) Fishing in the Maryborough Showgrounds and Equestrian Park	(a) Permitted only where the person undertaking the activity is participating in an event which is authorised by the local government	category 1
2	Each local government controlled area which is an aerodrome, including Hervey Bay	(a) Bringing an animal onto the aerodrome	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) the animal is being transported on a flight; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person 	category 3
	Airport, Maryborough Airport and Orchid Beach Airstrip	(b) Bringing an object onto the aerodrome if the object is dangerous or may be used in a dangerous way	(a) Permitted only where authorised in writing by an authorised person	category 1
3	Each local government controlled area which is a boat landing area	(a) Driving, parking or stopping a vehicle or vessel on any part of a boat landing area comprising a boat ramp	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) the activity is undertaken for the purpose of launching or retrieving a trailable vessel; and (ii) if a weight restriction is prescribed by a written notice which is displayed to the public at the boat ramp — the undertaking of the activity does not contravene the weight restriction; and (iii) the vehicle is fitting with rubber or pneumatic tyres; and (iv) the vehicle is on the boat ramp only for the time necessary to launch or retrieve the vessel; or (b) the boat landing area is a 	category 1
			barge landing area and the vehicle is under the direction and control of a barge	

			operator who is the holder of an approval under <i>Local Law No. 1 (Administration) 2011</i> which authorises the use of the barge landing area; or (c) the vehicle is in a set down area	
		(b) Berthing or mooring any vessel, aquatic equipment or similar vessel, including washing, cleansing, painting, repairing, altering or maintaining the vessel, aquatic equipment or similar vessel	(a) Permitted only where— (i) the vessel or aquatic equipment is berthed or moored only for the time necessary to retrieve the vessel or aquatic equipment or to remove the vessel or aquatic equipment from the boat landing area; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person	category 2
		(c) Using aquatic equipment in a boat landing area	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) the use of the aquatic equipment is permitted by a written notice which is displayed to the public at the boat landing area; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person 	category 2
4	Each local government controlled area which is a bathing reserve or a boat landing area	(a) Gutting, cleaning or washing fish at a place	 (a) Permitted only— (i) at a fish cleaning table at the place which has been installed by the local government and is specifically set aside by the local government for the undertaking of the activity; or (ii) where the local government has, by public notice, specifically set aside the place for the undertaking of the activity 	category 2

5	Each local government controlled area which is a water body, lake, waterway or reserve used for the conveyance or storage of water	(a) Using aquatic equipment	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) the local government has, by public notice installed at a place, specifically set aside the place for the undertaking of the activity; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person 	category 2
		(b) Placing an object that obstructs, or is likely to obstruct, the natural flow of water	 (a) Permitted only where— (i) the local government has, by public notice installed at a place, specifically set aside the place for the undertaking of the activity; or (ii) authorised in writing by an authorised person 	category 2

6 Amendment of sch3 (Motor vehicle access areas in local government controlled areas)

Schedule 3, item 1, column 1, 'Fraser Island'—

omit, insert—

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This and the preceding 10 pages bearing my initials is a certified copy of *Local Government Controlled Areas, Facilities and Roads (Amendment) Subordinate Local Law (No. 1) 2023* made in accordance with the provisions of the *Local Government Act 2009* by Fraser Coast Regional Council by resolution dated the day of 2023.

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