

POLICY TITLE: ROADSIDE MEMORIALS

Policy No. 417

POLICY PURPOSE

The intent of this policy is to ensure that any Roadside Memorials within the Municipality are managed, and any memorials erected are placed in a safe area on a road verge, so that they do not obstruct the use of the road or road verge by pedestrians, cyclists or road users, whilst acknowledging the views of direct property owners and families and neighbours.

POLICY STATEMENT

For all Council controlled roads, Council will:

1. Be considerate and respectful of the needs of persons wishing to install roadside memorials;
2. Approve the placement of roadside memorials;
3. If necessary carry out public Consultation
4. Install or assist in the installation of roadside memorials at suitable locations as detailed in the PSD attached to this policy;
5. Not accept responsibility for the security or maintenance of roadside memorials;
6. Remove any roadside memorials not conforming to this policy;
7. Not approve or provide roadside memorials for animals;
8. Will only approve or provide roadside memorials for accident sites where fatalities have occurred.