

Application for Grazing Livestock in Drought Conditions

Livestock Local Law No. 1 - Part 11 - Section 11.9

What you need to do for your application



Checklist

Complete the checklist before submitting this application.



Submit application

This form and supporting documents must be submitted via email, by mail or in person.

Office Use Only

Site has been inspected by an Authorised Officer ☐ YES ☐ NO

Authorised Officer's name:

Environment Inspection Completed ☐ YES ☐ NO

Collection of Information

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Your Details

First name

Last name

Residential or postal address

Email

Best phone number to contact you on

Gazing Details

Please attach a site plan.

Start Date

End Date

Type of Livestock

Number of Livestock

Please advise of road name, or describe exact location of grazing.

Are the livestock in a fit and healthy condition? ☐ YES ☐ NO

Do the livestock comply with the Livestock Disease Control Act 1994? ☐ YES ☐ NO

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- ☐ Applicant's Public Liability Insurance Policy 'Certificate of Currency' noting Colac Otway Shire as an interested party (with proof of at least \$20 million Public Liability Insurance coverage required) attached. Please be advised that it is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that your insurance policy covers that activity or event relevant to the application.
- ☐ Site plan included.

Signature

Signature

Date

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Drought Grazing Permit Conditions

1. The permit will only be issued under drought conditions in the Colac Otway Shire. Each application will be considered on its merits. Length of permit will be determined after assessment of area to be grazed.
2. The person in charge of the stock must protect areas of remnant native vegetation and environmental sites, from any damage from stock. No grazing of stock is permitted on areas of native grasses.
3. The permit holder must provide Colac Otway Shire with a Certificate of Currency for at least \$20 million Public Liability Insurance noting Colac Otway Shire as an interested party and site plan of the activity area in advance of commencing any roadside grazing activity.
4. Grazing on road reserve is only permitted between 10am and 3pm on each day.
5. Stock is to be supervised by at least two adults, one at either end of the mob or herd.
6. Give Way to Stock signs are to be displayed at either end of the area being grazed to warn other road users of the presence of the stock. The signage must comply with *Section 502 or the Road Safety (Road Rules) Regulations 1999*.
7. Give Way to Stock signs are to be placed on the road shoulder each day prior to grazing and removed at the end of each day.
8. Grazing is restricted to that position of the road reserve which is within the limit of the owners boundary frontage, unless endorsed on the Grazing Permit after receipt of consent in writing from the owner of other land adjacent to the area to be grazed.
9. The number of livestock permitted to graze will be dependent on the area of grazing frontage (subject to approval).
10. Livestock must comply with the *Livestock Disease Control Act 1994*.
11. This permit relates to the grazing of cattle and sheep only - **NO bulls or rams** are to be grazed under the conditions of this type of permit.
12. Failure to comply with any of the above conditions will result in the permit being canceled.
13. This permit becomes invalid should the applicant's Public Liability Insurance lapse prior to the permit expiry date. Proof of renewal (Certificate of Currency) must be provided to Council in order for grazing to continue until permit expiry date.