

PRE-SCHOOLS

1. STATEMENT OF POLICY INTENT

The intent of this policy is identify council's position on pre-schools.

2. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Act	Local Government Act 1993 (NSW)
GM	General Manager
Regulations	Local Government (General) Regulations 2005 (NSW)

3. POLICY

Council agrees to meet the cost of insurance of buildings for pre-schools and, on application, refund 25% of garbage, water and sewerage charges and 25% of Public Liability Insurance and that the policy be reviewed annually. (Note: Pre-Schools are not charged property rates).

Council views Pre-Schools as a State Government responsibility.

4. RESPONSIBILITY/ACCOUNTABILITY

The Director of Corporate Services is responsible for ensuring payment of insurance on pre-school buildings and ensuring refund of appropriate charges and reimbursement of appropriate amount of Public Liability Insurance.

The Mayor, Councillors and the General Manager are responsible for raising this policy as part of Council's advocacy program at appropriate forums.

5. RELATED DOCUMENTS

5.1. ASSOCIATED LEGISLATION

Not applicable

5.2. ASSOCIATED GOVERNMENT POLICY PROVISIONS

Not applicable

5.3. ASSOCIATED COUNCIL DOCUMENTS

Not applicable

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Other Reference:	Nil		
Application:	All pre-schools		
Attachments:	Nil		

6. POLICY STATUS

This policy was formally adopted by Council on 15 December 2010 and commenced operation on 15 December 2010. This policy replaces the previous version adopted on 15 July 2009 with no significant changes being made to the policy.

7. POLICY REVIEW

This policy may be amended at any time and must be reviewed at least twelve months since its adoption (or latest amendment).

8. AUTHORISATION

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 Position: General Manager
 Date: /...../.....

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