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July/August 24

Date & Time	What	Where	Who
Thursday	Council Meeting	Chambers	Councillors, Senior
18 July			Staff
Wednesday	WEROC Board	Yilgarn Chambers	President & CEO
31 July			
Tuesday	WEROC ERP (Computer	Kellerberrin	CEO & DCEO
6 August	Program) Demonstrations		
Thursday	Council Meeting	Westonia	Councillors, Senior
15 August			Staff

CEO'S REPORT

GENERAL MATTERS

- On Monday 24th July Crs Crees, Simmonds, Faithfull, Huxtable, DCEO and I attended Meeting Procedure Training held in Southern Cross by WALGA.
- I attended the funeral services of Kevin Lindley, Joy Ogden and Moe Hodge during the month.
- The majority of the month was spent on preparation of the 2024/25 Draft Budget. A draft budget meeting attended by Crs Crees, DellaBosca and Geier was held on Tuesday 9 July.
- Conducted final inspection of residence located at 55 Wolfram Street which has been tenanted by staff of Ramelius.
- Staff send-off was conducted for Kerry Hermon who has officially retired and Emilie Corsini who is on maternity leave.
- The Pool Kiosk project is progressing well with all pre-lay services installed, cement slab poured, and tilt panel walls installed. Next week the steel wall frames will be installed.

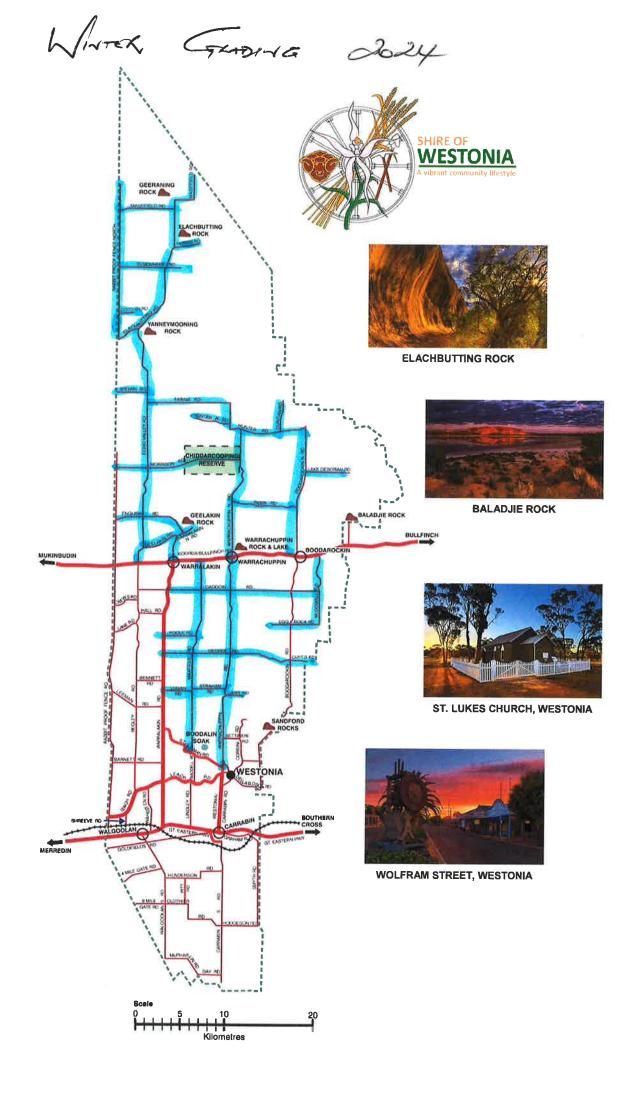


- Ben Jardine has poured the concrete slab for the shed being built at 4 Quartz Street.
- Mark Robertson & Ben Redman representatives from Inpex attended a meeting on Tuesday 9 July
 with several Councillors and CEO on a proposed Tree Farm project proposed for a property within
 the Shire Boundary.
- A Jensen and I participated in a zoom conference with representatives from Lotterywest on Wednesday 10 July to discuss the grant application being submitted for the Museum Upgrade and Leisure Centre projects.
- Mort Wignall the new EHO will be making his first visit to Westonia on Monday 15 July whereby he will be introduced to all of the food outlets.

• <u>DELEGATED AUTHORITY ACTIONS</u>

ROADCREW

- The 2 x graders and rollers are using excellent conditions to undertake the winter grading program. Completed roads are illustrated on the attached map. (refer Attached Map).
- As we are not carting gravel at the moment the truck drivers have been busy around the town and at the Cemetery.
- Both the old Freightliner and the Stone Star Water Tanker have been disposed of during the month.



TOWN

- Continuation of HCS to various clients throughout the townsite.
- Relocate furniture from the Health Clinic to the Leisure Centre space at the old school which has
 now been activated. A purpose cleaners room including a washing machine has been arranged at
 the school site.
- Coordinate the mowing of the Golf Course for the DellaBosca Open Day.
- Slashing of vacant blocks has been carried out.
- The new sea storage container has been installed at the Depot which will mainly store items such as hire table and chairs, marquees, gophers etc.



 Jeff Familonga (Kiosk Builder) obliged Council by cutting down the large Gimlet Tree overhanging the Old Anglican St Lukes Church.





• PLANT HOURS

The following is a list of plant and vehicle kilometre and hour readings for the period ending 1.7.24.

Item		1.6.24	1.7.24
P1	CAT 140 GRADER	2,594hrs	2,701hrs
P2	CAT 12M GRADER	8,996hrs	9,136hrs
Р3	PRIME MOVER (KENWORTH)	18,362kms	21,467kms
P4	ROAD TRAIN (NEW FREIGHTLINER)	116,509kms	118,540kms
P5	JOHN DEERE LOADER	5,130hrs	5,153hrs
P6	CAT ROLLER (SKIP)	1,731hrs	1,837hrs
P7	MINI-EXCAVATOR	1,231hrs	1,248hrs
P8	TELEHANDLER JCB	2,927hrs	2,941hrs
P9	TOYOTA (GRADER UTE)	45,588kms	48,435kms
P10	MITSUBISHI CANTER	18,527kms	18,689kms
P11	TOYOTA HILUX (GARDENER) WT 35	109,696kms	110,638kms
P12	JOHN DEERE (5100)	2,595hrs	2,598hrs
P14	TOYOTA LANDCRUISER GXL (CEO)	10,444kms	12,799kms
P15	TOYOTA HILUX D/CAB (W/SUPER)	2,101kms	6,510kms
P16	TOYOTA RAV4 (ADMIN)	103,767kms	105,101kms
P17	TOYOTA HILUX DUAL CAB	41,750kms	43,189kms
P19	FAST ATTACK	17,790kms	17,867kms
P20	FIRE TRUCK	7,049kms	7,049kms
P18	WESSY BUS	147,162kms	149,112kms
P22	KUBOTA RIDE ON MOWER (OVAL)	2,085hrs	2,089hrs
P23	TOYOTA MINI-BUS (WT COM V)	43,112kms	43,762kms
P24	CAT ROLLER (LOLA)	2,161hrs	2,250hrs
P25	MICK's BEAUT UTE	171,906kms	172,622kms
P27	TOYOTA PRADO GXL (DCEO)	50,112kms	53,692kms

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND WELLBEING REPORT

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REPORT

Grant applications & award nominations submitted:

FRRR - Future Drought Fund's Helping Regional Communities Prepare for Drought - Small Network Grants

Westonia CRC's "Westonian's Working Together Towards Community Resilience" \$20,000.00 project application was successful. We wanted to create two inclusive community events with a focus on fostering active citizenship and volunteering. Events that would help to build community harmony and combat mental health issues in times of crisis. Through these events we aim to create community engagement and fundraising opportunities, build and support our community volunteer base, promote personal and leadership development opportunities. Starting with a Masquerade ball on the 5th of October 2024 a portion of funding will be spent on Advertising, Decorations and part of musician costs for the Ball, We will be purchasing 6x commercial grade 3x3 Gazebo's with accessories to be used by community groups as pop up information hubs at events and the remainder be put towards Advertising, Art project and Musician cost's for "Wessy on the Green" community Music Festival to be held on the 5th of April 2025.

A huge thank you goes out to the Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal for this opportunity to create vibrant, sustainable events and empowering our community to be drought prepared and resilient.

eID Infrastructure Grants Program

The WA Government has announced a \$3.52M grants package to help the sheep and goat industry prepare for a smooth transition to the new national eID system.

A first round of closed grants has been offered directly to saleyards, abattoirs, export depots, registered feedlots and livestock agents to integrate eID technology and equipment into their business. Grants will be used to purchase eID scanners, readers, wands and essential eID tools and materials, as well as undertake limited works to accommodate eID technologies.

A second round of competitive grants valued at \$10,000 each, opened on 1 March and closed on 17 May 2024. The infrastructure grants were available to smaller, seasonal downstream market operators as well as community and grower groups. For further information click this link <u>Electronic identification for sheep and goats | Agriculture and Food</u> or go to www.agric.wa.gov.au

Westonia Community Resource Centre were successful in their application to purchase an eID reader that can be hired by local farm businesses to use while handling livestock.

Once the Wand has been received, we will advertise it's availability for hire in the Westonian.

Future grant opportunities & award nominations:

- Department of LG, Sport & Cultural Industries Active Regional Communities Grants (up to \$5000) categories; Capacity building, Event hosting and Participation. Applications open all year.
- Healthways and Lottery West

WELLBEING REPORT

Age Care

Westonia Home Care Services

We are continuing to provide community Wellbeing activities

We continue to provide Meals on wheels, Lite N Easy Equipment and Aids for our clients

Westonia Home Care Services Clients: 17

Staff delivering services: 7

Services: Administration and Package management, Cleaning and Household tasks, Medical,

Personal Care, Social Support, Support work, Gardening & Maintenance

Community activities and resources

We have started planning in preparation of coming events

5/10/24 Mascarade Ball (Community Event Fundraiser) Get ready to frock up and dust off your suit and tie's. It's official we are full steam ahead organizing this event. Tickets have gone on sale and at this stage only have online ticketing option available. The local newsletters will be advertising in the coming days.

26/10/24 Wessy Christmas Markets, Stall holders have received their Confirmation forms and are beginning to return them and lock in a place.

5/4/25 WOTG – Our Sound Tech is back on board and many of the bands have been locked in we have a few new Bands on offer this year.

2024 Activities/ Events:

4/6/24 Scrabble 4pax

5/6/24 Use it or Loose it Cancelled

6/6/24 Bingo 7pax

7/6/24 Morning Melodies 6pax

10/6/24 Sewing with Kay & Nukarni CWA 5pax

11/6/24 Health Directive with Laura Black 9pax Scrabble 4pax

12/6/24 Use it or Loose it 4pax

13/6/24 Bingo 8pax

14/6/24 Hydro Pool 4pax

16/6/24 Winter Warmers comedies Merredin cancelled

17/6/24 Sewing With Kay

18/6/2024 Scrabble 4px

19/6/2024 Use it or Lose it 5pax Plonk and Donk Crochet 6pax

20/6/2024 Bingo 8pax

21/6/2024 Hydro Pool 4px

22/6/24 Quiz Night 45pax

24/6/24 Sewing with Kay 3pax

25/6/24 Scrabble 5pax

26/6/24 Use it or Lose it Cancelled

27/6/24 Bingo 9pax

28/6/24 Hydro Pool 3pax

WESTONIA TOURIST PARK

The park has been extremely busy with most visitors extending their stay where they can, this may have something to do with the new caravan park caretaker "Rocky" and his humans. There are rave reviews flowing in on wiki camps about our park, attractions and the friendly welcoming community of Westonia. Our towns attractions are still producing 4 to 5 star

reviews and shows there are a lot of visitors returning to spend more time in Westonia, which is great for the future of tourism in Westonia.

Rocky the Caretaker







REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE

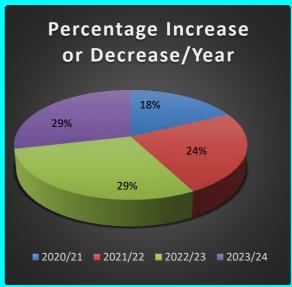
- Various minor repairs and maintenance ongoing. Focal area being bathroom maintenance (fixtures and disabled bathroom upgrade)
- Disabled toilet drainage will need some major work as tree roots have made their way into the pipes.

FUTURE PROJECTS

- Permanent signage required to say "If office is unattended, please ring the caretakers phone or Shire office alternatively you can visit the Shire office during business hours Monday to Friday to complete your booking".
- Overflow new signs needed for sites and information sign needed to describe
 who to ring or see to book in and outline that you must un-hook. Defined bays
 might be a good idea for this area.

STATISTICS







HOOD-PENN MUSEUM

The museum has had a lot of visitors going through the doors recently, feedback from visitors are that it is one of the best museums in Australia which is a pretty great compliment, the mannequins are always a show stopper and really take everyone by surprise, the shearer in particular amazes everyone.

REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE

Various minor repairs and maintenance ongoing

RECENT PROJECTS

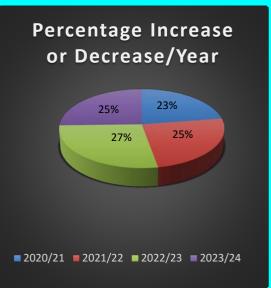
• Old Truck modification for farming scene and Back drop in-place.

FUTURE PROJECTS

 New scenes to be created in the existing space of the old storage room to tell the stories of our primary industries of which Westonia was founded on.

STATISTICS







From: <u>Bill Price</u>
To: <u>Chantelle Pedrotti</u>

Subject: FW: Containers for Change Kerbside Collection Data - June 11 2024

Date: Friday, 12 July 2024 8:39:22 AM

Attachments: image001.png image003.png Collection Data 2024.xlsx,

From: Pauline Guest <cashforcontainers@outlook.com>

Sent: Thursday, June 20, 2024 3:00 PM **To:** Bill Price <ceo@westonia.wa.gov.au>

Subject: Containers for Change Kerbside Collection Data - June 11 2024

Hi Bill,

Firstly, my apologies for not sending through statistics for May. Time got away from me!

Please see below summary and attached data for the June 11 collection.

A good collection this month with a couple more first time participants, which was great to see.

Summary for June 11 2024 Collection		
Total Containers Collected:	4,121	
Total Value of Refunds:	\$412.10	
Total Value of Personal Refunds:	\$285.00	
Number of Personal Refunds:	19	
Total Value of Donations:	\$127.10	
Total Number of Donations:	15	
Donated to WPA:	\$100.70	
Number of Donations:	11	
Donated to Hydrotherapy Pool Fund:	\$26.40	
Number of Donations:	4	
Number or Residences Collected From:	34	
Number of Residences Issued Bins:	69	
% of Residences Participated this month:	400/	
(No allowances made for properties currently unoccupied)	49%	
Year to Date % of Residences Participated:	74%	

Material Type Summary				
Glass	1,183			
Aluminium	2,199			
PET - Clear	484			
PET - Colour	74			
HDPE	121			
LPB	57			
Steel	3			
Other	0			
Total	4,121			
Ineligible Containers	8			

I did a bit of working out (see 'Participation Rates' tab) of who is lagging behind in terms of participation and which houses are actually unoccupied so will not be participating.

There are a few houses which I wasn't sure who lived there or if they were vacant or not. I did work out that if you take out the houses which I could identify as definitely vacant, participation is at 82%!

I am really impressed at how many households are on board so far. Just a few stragglers left.
I submitted an application to the annual Containers for Change awards for the 'Outstanding Partnership' category so hopefully we get a look in for that.

Cheers, Pauline

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Dear Mr Price

AUDIT FEE 2024

Our indicative fee for the audit of your 2023-24 financial report is \$30,200 (excl. GST). The indicative fee represents an increase compared to the prior year invoiced audit fee (2022-23: \$26,090).

This fee has been calculated to cost-recover the OAG's expenses to deliver the audit work program, plus any directly related costs such as contract fees and travel expenses, as applicable.

In addition to giving assurance on your entity's annual financial report, the audit will also provide transparency surrounding relevant legislative compliance, financial controls, probity, and governance matters, and enables our whole-of-sector parliamentary reporting and stakeholder liaison across the sector.

To uphold our auditor obligations, we are aiming to issue all financial audit opinions for the 2024 reporting period by no later than 6 December 2024. This will enable you to discharge your statutory financial reporting responsibility to ratepayers in a timely manner (i.e. by no later than 31 December 2024).

Increase in audit effort

In recent years there has been an increase in audit effort due to:

- changing systems or processes at entities
- staff shortages at entities resulting in poorer financial management, reporting and audit preparedness
- complexities and prior year issues which have resulted in an increase in management letter findings (financial audit and information systems audit), with some entities receiving modified opinions (qualifications and disclaimers)
- implementation of revised or new auditing/accounting standards.

As a result, our audit teams and senior staff are required to apply additional scrutiny to maintain audit quality and consistently report issues across the sector.

Increase in professional salaries and contract audit firm fees

Public sector salary adjustments are one factor affecting fee increases, but salaries paid by our approved contract audit firms to retain professional staff also play a significant role in increasing costs. Our approved contract audit firms have significantly increased their audit fees (average of 38% for local government entities). This is consistent with the prior year and reflective of the market, specifically for the auditing profession who, as with the OAG, are experiencing significant labour constraints and wage inflation. It also reflects the firms allowing enough hours to properly address the issues being encountered in many public sector finance functions.

The average fee increase across our audit portfolio of local government sector is 21%.

The specific reasons for the fee increase for your entity are:

- a number of issues (i.e. management letter findings or technical issues) have previously been identified which requires additional audit effort this year to assess the impact on the current year's audit opinion
- we have not been fully recovering our contract audit firm fee in recent years in such instances we have adjusted to fully recover such and a reasonable proportion of our own time and costs.

How we can work together to minimise audit fees

We request that you submit certified financial report to our audit team at the commencement of the final visit. You will also need to provide key information and have staff available during the audit process. Being better prepared and audit ready should mean fewer queries from the audit team, which contributes to timely completion of the audit and potentially reduced costs.

We encourage your finance team to use the <u>Audit Readiness - Better Practice Guide</u>. This will help you maintain a sound control environment and provide timely and well-prepared financial report, working papers etc to our audit team. By being better prepared and audit-ready, our audit team is likely to have fewer queries, which contributes to timely completion and potentially reduced costs.

We will re-assess the costs for your audit closer to audit completion and inform you if a fee revision is necessary. A fee revision will only occur after we consult with you.

We look forward to working with you to promote accountability and transparency in the local government sector for the benefit of the community we jointly serve.

Please contact your Engagement Leader Mikey Fiorucci on 6557 7534 if you require further information.

Yours sincerely

Mikey Fiorucci Director Financial Audit 24 June 2024







2024 - 25

STATE ROAD FUNDS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT

ROADS PROGRAM

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Regional Road Group Support

State Road Funds to Local Government Agreement

2024 - 25 Indicative Program Summary

			Category 1				Category	2		
	Strategic	Direct	Road	State	Remote	Traffic Management,	Bridge	State	Regional	
	& Technical	Grants	Project	Black Spot	Aboriginal	Signs and Pavement	Works	Initiatives on	Road	
	Support		Grants		Access	Markings	&	Local Roads	Group	
Regional Road Group / Other					Roads		Inspections		Support	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Great Southern		3,294,708	8,054,685			559,389	507,000	3,800,000	240,000	16,455,783
South West		4,786,681	17,800,105	1,786,133		2,922,682	2,312,000		510,000	30,117,601
Gascoyne		1,201,461	2,539,870	328,000	66,667		200,000	5,255,132	*	9,591,130
Mid West		4,178,139	9,447,335	1,070,316		823,256		4,988,641	200,000	20,707,687
Goldfields-Esperance		3,719,810	8,536,370	1,212,267	703,333	392,498		5,545,509	110,000	20,219,787
Kimberley		1,288,608	3,510,964	80,000	553,333	315,769	343,000	7,500,007	90,000	13,681,682
Wheatbelt South		4,052,761	8,229,970			1,877,901	6,078,008		360,000	20,598,640
Wheatbelt North		6,039,693	12,852,340	1,452,509					**	20,344,542
Pilbara		1,738,218	4,914,895	268,334	526,667	586,986	25,000		80,000	8,140,100
Metropolitan		10,903,278	42,686,180	5,786,605		29,091,545	640,000	153,000	600,000	89,860,607
Local Government Support	1,846,103								165,000	2,011,103
Commodity Routes Fund			3,600,000							3,600,000
Nudge Foundation			225,000							225,000
Road and Bridge Condition Data			500,000							500,000
Regions (various)						862,612	3,167,699	9,105,588		13,135,899
2024-25 Mass Action Treatment Program				2,520,931	-					2,520,931
(Over)Under programming					787,290		(86,257)	574,185	282,290	1,557,508
Total	1,846,103	41,203,358	122,897,714	14,505,095	2,637,290	37,432,639	13,186,450	36,922,062	2,637,290	273,268,000

^{*} Included in Mid West

^{**} Included in Wheatbelt South

2024-25 - Strategic and Technical Support

	Strategic and Technical Support to Regional Road Groups
Details	\$
MINDER	1,033,011
RoadWise	428,072
LG TRIPP	385,020
Sub Total	1,846,103

2024 - 2025 - Direct Grants

Region	Allocation			
Local Government	\$			
Great Southern				
Albany	689,713			
Broomehill-Tambellup	242,419			
Cranbrook	240,091			
Denmark	180,701			
Gnowangerup	243,910			
Katanning	190,438			
Kent	281,401			
Kojonup	253,357			
Plantagenet	332,760			
Woodanilling	118,302			
Jerramungup	242.298			
Ravensthorpe	279,319			
Sub-total	3,294,708			
South West	5,254,100			
Augusta-Margaret River	379,866			
Bridgetown-Greenbushes	249,005			
Bunbury	342,406			
Busselton	587,950			
Capel	234,952			
Collie	180,568			
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Dardanup	194,505			
Waroona	146,756			
Harvey	377,197			
Mandurah	491,995			
Manjimup	514,521			
Boddington	86,903			
Murray	323,494			
Nannup	179,411			
Donnybrook-Balingup	246,102			
Boyup Brook	251,051			
Sub-total	4,786,681			
Goldfields-Esperance	100 550			
Coolgardie	192,560			
Dundas	144,152			
Esperance	1,146,112			
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	663,823			
Laverton	380,099			
Leonora	257,750			
Menzies	278,245			
Ngaanyatjarraku	318,614			
Wiluna	338,455			
Sub-total	3,719,810			
Kimberley				
Halls Creek	319,119			
Derby-West Kimberley	407,758			
Wyndham-East Kimberley	359,622			
Broome	202,110			
Total Kimberley	1,288,608			

Region	Allocation		
Local Government	\$		
Wheatbelt			
Chittering	173,841		
Cunderdin	195,647		
Dalwallinu	429,914		
Dandaragan	375,849		
Dowerin	207,253		
Gingin	323,869		
Goomalling	141,358		
Kellerberrin	216,829		
Koorda	233,768		
Merredin	315,210		
Moora	289,589		
Mount Marshall	325,464		
Mukinbudin			
Northam	199,334 306,475		
	116,265		
Nungarin Tammin			
	109,939		
Toodyay	212,206		
Trayning	172,583		
Victoria Plains	216,307		
Westonia	193,449		
Wongan-Ballidu	320,697		
Wyalkatchem	165,244		
Yilgarn	561,067		
York	237,537		
WBN	6,039,693		
Beverley	194,026		
Brookton	132,988		
Bruce Rock	301,176		
Corrigin	254,622		
Cuballing	126,580		
Dumbleyung	237,652		
Kondinin	298,653		
Kulin	327,614		
Lake Grace	487,005		
Narembeen	305,245		
Narrogin	229,752		
Pingelly	136,849		
Quairading	213,884		
Wagin	190,170		
Wandering	87,122		
West Arthur	204,270		
Wickepin	196,786		
Williams	128,370		
WBS	4,052,761		
Sub-total	10,092,455		
Pilbara			
Ashburton	316,392		
East Pilbara	725,360		
Port Hedland	303,259		
Karratha	393,207		
Sub-total	1,738,218		

Summary of Allocations		%
Rural Region	30,300,080	74%
Metropolitan Region	10,903,278	26%
Total	41,203,358	100%

Posion	Allocation
Region Local Government	Allocation \$
Mid West-Gascoyne	
Carnamah	178,505
Chapman Valley	176,503
Coorow	205,143
Cue	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	184,036
Greater Geraldton	757,430
Irwin	124,501
Meekatharra	534,279
Mingenew	120,572
Morawa	217,932
Mount Magnet	153,740
Murchison	323,506
Northampton	269,339
Perenjori	333,103
Sandstone	177,728
Three Springs	176,323
Yalgoo	224,255
MWR	4,178,139
Carnarvon	507,452
Exmouth	153,393
Shark Bay	171,928
Upper Gascoyne	368,688
GAS	1,201,461
Sub-total	5,379,600
Metropolitan	
Armadale	589,471
Kalamunda	433,622
Cockburn	795,199
Gosnells	631,692
Kwinana	303,033
Mundaring	387,804
Rockingham	794,183
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	397,692
Swan	1,019,147
Wanneroo	1,181,128
Bassendean	81,469
Bayswater	305,020
Belmont	206,691
Canning	508,199
Claremont	38,854
Cottesloe	33,822
East Fremantle	27,470
Fremantle	139,012
Melville	405,332
Mosman Park	31,133
Nedlands	108,388
Peppermint Grove	7,387
Perth	128,064
Stirling	871,086
South Perth	148,662
Subiaco	72,450
Cambridge	162,640
Victoria Park	145,109
Vincent	134,140
Joondalup	815,379
Sub-total	10,903,278
	.0,303,210

2024 - 25 - Road Project Grants

Region	Allocation
Local Government	\$
Great Southern	
Albany	1,675,336
Broomehill-Tambellup	472,000
Cranbrook	980,667
Denmark	557,333
Gnowangerup	140,444
Jerramungup	820,000
Katanning	206,000
Kent	455,648
Kojonup	1,070,000
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Plantagenet	470,080
Ravensthorpe	363,000
Woodanilling	201,285
To be allocated	642,892
Sub-total	8,054,685
South West	
Augusta-Margaret River	1,800,000
Boddington	703,334
Boyup Brook	850,000
Bridgetown-Greenbushes	262,500
Bunbury	835,001
Busselton	2,330,000
Capel	1,030,000
Collie	500,000
Dardanup	2,074,000
Donnybrook-Balingup	840,000
Harvey	946,000
Mandurah	2,000,000
Manjimup	1,500,000
Murray	1,140,000
Nannup	290,000
Waroona	699,270
To be allocated	(
Sub-total	17,800,105
Goldfields-Esperance	
Coolgardie	823,361
Dundas	418,102
Esperance	2,193,544
Kalgoorlie-Boulder City	1,637,689
Laverton	895,932
Leonora	806,340
Menzies	372,708
Ngaanyatjarraku	403,169
Wiluna	985,525
To be allocated	303,323
Sub-total	8,536,370
Kimberley	7,220,510
Broome	877,741
Derby-West Kimberley	877,741
Halls Creek	877,741
Wyndham-East Kimberley	877,741
To be allocated	6/7,741
Sub-total	3,510,964

Region	Allocation	
Local Government	\$	
Wheatbelt		
Chittering	439,016	
Cunderdin	422,734	
Dalwallinu	552,616	
Dandaragan	912,021	
Dowerin	386,261	
Gingin	766,898	
Goomalling	437,313	
Kellerberrin	444,334	
Koorda	432,368	
Merredin	482,454	
Moora	245,356	
Mount Marshall	681,318	
Mukinbudin	436,539	
Northam	376,114	
Nungarin	246,000	
Tammin	369,667	
Toodyay	448,022	
Trayning	329,933	
Victoria Plains	721,440	
Westonia	396,420	
Wongan-Ballidu	906,741	
Wyalkatchem	407,247	
Yilgarn	1,116,534	
York	322,587	
To be allocated	572,407	
WBN	12,852,340	
Beverley	378,332	
Brookton	395,108	
Bruce Rock	554,634	
Corrigin	506,934	
Cuballing	396,663	
Dumbleyung	493,516	
Kondinin	401,600	
Kulin	484,747	
Lake Grace	389,504	
Narembeen	480,000	
Narrogin	675,000	
Pingelly	344,332	
Quairading	532,951	
Wagin	372,268	
Wandering	478,307	
West Arthur	485,400	
Wickepin	479,897	
Williams	377,518	
To be allocated	3,259	
WBS	8,229,970	
Sub-total	21,082,310	
Pilbara	4.500.000	
Ashburton	1,500,000	
East Pilbara 2,152		
Port Hedland 534,		
Karratha	727,700	
To be allocated	С	
Sub-total	4,914,895	

Region	Allocation			
Local Government	\$			
Mid West-Gascoyne				
Carnamah	464,667			
Chapman Valley	900,000			
Coorow	526,667			
Cue	300,000			
Greater Geraldton	1,200,000			
Irwin	1,006,667			
Meekatharra	750,000			
Mingenew	403,333			
Morawa Maunt Magnet	600,000 300,000			
Mount Magnet Murchison	1,200,000			
Northampton	243,001			
Perenjori	548,000			
Sandstone	300,000			
Three Springs	405,000			
Yalgoo	300,000			
To be allocated	0			
MWR	9,447,335			
Carnarvon	1,075,345			
Exmouth	325,069			
Shark Bay	365,669			
Upper Gascoyne	773,787			
To be allocated	0			
GAS	2,539,870			
Sub-total	11,987,205			
Metropolitan				
Armadale	578,710			
Bassendean	882,999			
Bayswater	856,158			
Belmont	769,858			
Cambridge	882,755			
Clarate	3,867,668			
Claremont Cockburn	2 120 552			
Cottesloe	3,139,552			
East Fremantle	53,433 320,393			
Fremantle	873,642			
Gosnells	4,858,265			
Joondalup	3,626,650			
Kalamunda	791,124			
Kwinana	811,680			
Melville	881,752			
Mosman Park	363,581			
Mundaring	1,228,440			
Nedlands	875,215			
Peppermint	-			
Perth	861,325			
Rockingham	2,206,147			
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	1,039,619			
South Perth	411,607			
Stirling	820,097			
Subiaco	849,078			
Swan	4,889,010			
Victoria Park Vincent	422,900 701,492			
Wanneroo	2,840,382			
Line-marking	476,413			
To be allocated	1,506,235			

Summary of Allocations	
Metropolitan Region	42,686,180
Great Southern	8,054,685
South West	17,800,105
Goldfields-Esperance	8,536,370
Kimberley	3,510,964
Wheatbelt	21,082,310
Pilbara	4,914,895
Mid West-Gascoyne	11,987,205
Commodity Routes	3,600,000
Nudge	225,000
Road and Bridge Condition	500,000
Total	122 897 714

Commodity Routes Supplementary Fund						
GER	1,046,625					
GS	1,077,372					
SWR	275,000					
WBN	858,258					
METR	471,417					
(Over)/Under Programming	(128,672)					
	3 600 000					

2024 - 25 - State Black Spot

Region	State Black Spot \$
Great Southern *	
South West	1,786,133
Gascoyne	328,000
Mid West	1,070,316
Goldfields-Esperance	1,212,267
Kimberley	80,000
Wheatbelt South *	
Wheatbelt North	1,452,509
Pilbara	268,334
Metropolitan	5,786,605
2024-25 Mass Action Treatment: Seal shoulders and install audio tactile edge lines	2,520,931
Total	14,505,095

^{*} No applications submitted

Summary of Allocations		
Rural Regions	6,197,559	43%
Metropolitan	5,786,605	40%
2024-25 Mass Action Treatment:Seal Shoulders and instaff Audio tectile edge lines	2,520,931	17%
Total	14,505,095	100%

2024 - 25 - Access Roads to Remote Communities

				7% Federal	State	Total
				Contribution	Contribution	Project Cost
Region				_		_
Local Government	LGA No	Road	Description	\$	\$	<u> </u>
Gascoyne						
Upper Gascoyne	805	Landor Mt Augustus	River Crossings	133,333	66,667	200,000
			Sub-total	133,333	66,667	200,000
Goldfields / Esperance						
Kalgoorlie - Boulder (C)	605	Cutline Road	Upgrade	333,333	166,667	500,000
Laverton	607	Old Laverton [Mt Margaret]	Formation Improvements and gravel sheeting	166,667	83,333	250,000
Menzies	609	Tjuntjuntjarra	Formation Improvements	200,000	100,000	300,000
Wiluna	706	Wiluna North	Floodway to culvert and cement stabilisation, resheeting	66,667	33,333	100,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Great Central	Formation Improvements	120,000	60,000	180,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Irrunytju (Giles Mulga Park)	Formation Improvements	120,000	60,000	180,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Mantamaru (Jameson Wanarn)	Formation Improvements	26,667	13,333	40,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Papulankutja (Warburton Blackstone)	Formation Improvements	213,333	106,667	320,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Patjarr	Formation Improvements	40,000	20,000	60,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Tjirrkarli	Formation Improvements	53,333	26,667	80,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Tjukurla	Formation Improvements	53,333	26,667	80,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	612	Warakurna	Formation Improvements	13,333	6,667	20,000
			Sub-total	1,406,667	703,333	2,110,000
Kimberley						
Halls Creek	002	Balgo Mission	Formation Improvements	100,000	50,000	150,000
Halls Creek	002	Lake Gregory	Formation Improvements	80,000	40,000	120,000
Halls Creek	002	Tanami	Formation Improvements	166,667	83,333	250,000
Derby - West Kimberley	003	Calwynyardah Noonkanbah	Gravel sheeting, improve formation and off road drainage	166,667	83,333	250,000
Derby - West Kimberley	003	Camballin	Gravel sheeting, improve formation and off road drainage	100,000	50,000	150,000
Derby - West Kimberley	003	Cherrabun	Gravel sheeting, improve formation and off road drainage	66,667	33,333	100,000
Derby - West Kimberley	003	Christmas Creek	Gravel sheeting, improve formation and off road drainage	66,667	33,333	100,000
Wyndham - East Kimberley	004	Gibb River Kalumburu	Formation Improvements, reconstruction and floodway	360,000	180,000	540,000
			Sub-total	1,106,667	553,333	1,660,000
Pilbara						
East Pilbara	812	Desert Road	Formation Improvements	213,333	106.667	320,000
East Pilbara	812	Jigalong	Formation Improvements	120,000	60,000	180,000
East Pilbara	812	Jupiter Well	Formation Improvements	56,667	28,333	85,000
East Pilbara	812	Kiwirrkurra	Formation Improvements	116.667	58.333	175,000
East Pilbara	812	Kunawarritji	Formation Improvements	213,333	106,667	320,000
East Pilbara	812	Punmu	'	120,000	60,000	180,000
			Formation Improvements	,	,	
East Pilbara	812	Talawana Track	Formation Improvements	133,333	66,667	200,000
Port Hedland	813	Yandeyarra	Formation Improvements, including floodway	80,000	40,000	120,000
			Sub-total Sub-total	1,053,333	526,667	1,580,000
To be confirmed (Awaiting Fedral Budget Outcome)			To be confirmed		620,623	620,623
Menzies-Goldfields / Esperance		Tjuntjuntjarra	To be confirmed	333,333	166,667	500,000
			Sub-total	333,333	787,290	1,120,623
			Total	4.033.333	2,637,290	6,670,623

2024 - 25 - Traffic Management, Signs and Pavement Markings

Region	Maintenance (electrical, general, line marking)	Electrical Services	Maintenance (General)	Longitudal Line Marking	Traffic Control Lighting \$	Railway Crossings \$	Indicative Network Improvements/Modifi cations	Total \$
Great Southern	559,389	-	154,234	291,654	1	-	113,502	559,389
South West	2,820,531	-	1,007,723	1,339,319	102,151	-	473,488	2,922,682
Mid West-Gascoyne	823,256	-	426,000	340,505	-	-	56,751	823,256
Goldfields-Esperance	361,852	-	150,966	193,861	30,645	-	17,025	392,498
Kimberley	315,769	-	194,811	109,609	-	-	11,350	315,769
Wheatbelt	1,877,901	-	905,005	646,959	-	-	325,936	1,877,901
Pilbara	586,986	-	450,311	125,325	-	-	11,350	586,986
Metropolitan	18,561,191	6,478,847	6,576,824	3,783,513	2,661,200	7,869,154	1,722,006	29,091,545
Various	862,612	-	-	-	-	-	862,612	862,612
(Over)Under programming	-	-	-	-	-	-		-
Total	26,769,488	6,478,847	9,865,874	6,830,745	2,793,997	7,869,154	3,594,021	37,432,639

2024 - 25 - Bridge Works

						2 third	1 third	
						Federal	State	Total
Region	LGA		Bridge			Contribution	Contribution	Project Cost
Local Government	No	Road	No	Description		\$	\$	\$
Great Southern								
Albany (C)	302	Nanarup	4332	Design - Preliminary			90,000	90,000
Albany (C)	302	Lower King	4630	Design - Final			90,000	90,000
Albany (C)	302	Redmond - Hay River	5247	Superstructure Repairs		54,000	27,000	81,000
·		·		Design			300,000	300,000
					Sub-total	54,000	507,000	561,000
South-West								
Busselton (C)	205	Quindalup South	3428A	Replace With Culvert			260,000	260,000
Manjimup	213	Franco	5216	Design - Preliminary			246,000	246,000
				Design - Final				
				Pre-Construction Activities				
Nannup	216	Cundinup West	3950	Design - Waterways			168,000	168,000
		·		Design - Preliminary				
				Design - Final				
Busselton (C)	205	Adams	3404A	Design - Preliminary			240,000	240,000
				Design - Final				
				Pre-Construction Activities				
Boyup Brook	218	Jackson St	3314A	Superstructure Repairs		82,000	41,000	123,000
				Preventative Maintenance			•	
Boyup Brook	218	Jayes	3306	Substructure Repairs		1,340,000	670,000	2,010,000
		,		Superstructure Repairs		, ,	•	
Nannup	216	East Nannup	3958A	Substructure Repairs		172,000	86,000	258,000
Bunbury (C)	204	Koombana Dr	1319	L3 Inspection		202,000	101,000	303,000
				Substructure Repairs		•	•	
				Superstructure Repairs				
				Design			500,000	500,000
					Sub-total	1,796,000	2,312,000	4,108,000
Mid West - Gascoyne								
_				Design			200,000	200,000
					Sub-total		200,000	200,000
Kimberley								
Wyndham - East Kimberley	004	Ivanhoe	4894	Substructure Repairs Guardrail Upgrade			318,000	318,000
,				Design			25,000	25,000
					Sub-total		343,000	343,000
Wheatbelt								
Gingin	507	Cockram	0836	Design - Final			90,000	90,000
Toodyay	426	Dumbarton	4084	Design			150,000	150,000
West Arthur	316	Glenorchy South	4020	Design			150,000	150,000
Brookton	402	Yeo	31473	Substructure Repairs		374,000	187,000	561,000
Beverley	401	York - Williams	3197	Bridge Replacement		- 7,555	2,930,673	2,930,673

2024 - 25 - Bridge Works

						2 third	1 third	
						Federal	State	Total
Region	LGA		Bridge			Contribution	Contribution	Project Cost
Narrogin	418	Tarwonga	4551	Substructure Repairs		458,000	229,000	687,000
Beverley	401	Waterhatch	3195A	Substructure Repairs		1,486,000	743,000	2,229,000
Goomalling	408	Bolgart East	4202	Substructure Repairs		121,333	60,667	182,000
Goomalling	408	Tyndall	4196	Substructure Repairs		214,000	107,000	321,000
Gingin	507	Weld St	661	Bridge Replacement		1,961,337	980,668	2,942,005
Toodyay	426	Toodyay West	4085	Design - Final			150,000	150,000
				Design			300,000	300,000
					Sub-total	4,614,670	6,078,008	10,692,678
Pilbara								
				Design			25,000	25,000
					Sub-total		25,000	25,000
Metropolitan								
Gosnells (C)	104	Burslem Dr	4884	Substructure Repairs		280,000	140,000	420,000
				Superstructure Repairs				
Armadale (C)	101	Forrest	0371	Substructure Repairs		200,000	100,000	300,000
				Superstructure Repairs				
Gosnells (C)	104	Station St	0928	Substructure Repairs		200,000	100,000	300,000
				Superstructure Repairs				
				Design			300,000	300,000
					Sub-total	680,000	640,000	1,320,000
					Total	7,144,670	10,105,008	17,249,678
Statewide	-	Various /Southwest	-	Emergency Repairs			304,662	304,662
Statewide	-	Various	-	Bridge Inspections*			2,863,037	2,863,037
					Sub-total		3,167,699	3,167,699
				(Over)Under programming			(86,257)	(86,257)
					Total	7,144,670	13,186,450	20,331,120

^{*}Level 2 Inspection - Detailed visual inspection including under bridge

2024 - 25 - State Initiatives on Local Roads

Region	LGA			
Local Government	No	Road	Work Description	Amount (\$)
Great Southen				
Kent		Nyabing RB-Bin Rd	Intersection improvement works	600,000
Great Southern	001	Great Southern secondary Freight	Ne Great Southern secondary Freight Network	3,200,000
			Sub-total	3,800,000
Goldfields/ Esperance				
Kalgoorlie-Boulder City		Kitchener Cut Line Road	Upgrade	1,300,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	_	Various	Improve Formation & Gravel	1,500,000
Ngaanyatjarraku	-	Various	Improve Formation & Gravel(Outback Way)	1,595,509
Various	612	Outback Way	Additional contribution	1,150,000
			Sub-total	5,545,509
Kimberley				
Halls Creek	002	Tanami	Upgrade construct and seal	3,800,007
Wyndham-East Kimberley	004	Wyndham Port/ Barytes Road	Road Realignment	3,700,000
			Sub-total	7,500,007
Metropolitan				
Rottnest Isalnd		Rottnest Island Rds	Improvements to Rottnest Island Roads	100,000
Perth City	124	Kings Park Rds	Improvements to Kings Park Roads	53,000
			Sub-total	153,000
Mid West - Gascoyne	505	N 5		405.400
Greater Geraldton		Nangetty Road	Bridge Replacement	425,132
Shark Bay		Useless Loop Road	Maintenance	330,000
Upper Gascoyne	805	Carnarvon-Mullewa	Sealing of the Carvarnon-Mullewa Rd (Unsealed standard to a sealed standard)	4,500,000
Wheatbelt			Sub-total	5,255,132
Various		Various	Wheathalt Casandany Fraight Doute	4,988,641
various	-	various	Wheatbelt Secondary Freight Route Sub-total	4,988,641
Statewide			Sub total	٦,٥٥٥,٠
Various	-	N/A	WA Bike Network Grants Program (PBN & RBN)	5,340,000
Various		N/A	WestCycle - Active Transport - Grant to Department of Transport	500,000
Various		N/A	DBCA Parks and Wildlife Service-Maintance	2,255,588
Various		N/A	Town Teams Movement-Road Safety Program	1,010,000
			Sub-total	9,105,588
-	-	-	(Over)Under programming	574,183
			Total	36,922,060

2024 - 25 - Regional Road Group Support

Details	Administrative and Technical Support to Regional Road Groups \$
Regions	
Great Southern	240,000
South West	510,000
Mid West-Gascoyne	200,000
Goldfields-Esperance	110,000
Kimberley	90,000
Wheatbelt	360,000
Pilbara	80,000
Metropolitan	600,000
Support to WALGAGC (IRIS Data)	165,000
To be allocated	282,290
Total	2,637,290

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Subject: 2024/2025 Direct Grants

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Good afternoon,

In preparation for the new financial year, please see a list of the Direct Grants below. The invoices and certificates are to be submitted between 01 July 2024 and 31 August 2024. Please email these to wheatbelt@mainroads.wa.gov.au

All invoices are to be accompanied by a Certificate of Completion for the 2023/2024 Direct Grant.

Please do not submit a CoC for the 2024/2025 grant. An example on how to complete the CoC is attached.

Project Number and Shire Name	2024/25 Direct Grant
21102136 Shire of Chittering - Direct Grant	\$ 146,876.00
21102137 Shire of Cunderdin - Direct Grant	\$ 165,300.00
21102138 Shire of Dalwallinu - Direct Grant	\$ 363,229.00
21102139 Shire of Dandaragan - Direct Grant	\$ 317,550.00
21102140 Shire of Dowerin - Direct Grant	\$ 175,106.00
21102141 Shire of Gingin - Direct Grant	\$ 273,633.00
21102142 Shire of Goomalling - Direct Grant	\$ 119,432.00
21102143 Shire of Kellerberrin - Direct Grant	\$ 183,196.00
21102144 Shire of Koorda - Direct Grant	\$ 197,508.00
21102145 Shire of Merredin - Direct Grant	\$ 266,317.00
21102146 Shire of Moora - Direct Grant	\$ 244,670.00
21102147 Shire of Mt Marshall - Direct Grant	\$ 274,981.00
21102148 Shire of Mukinbudin - Direct Grant	\$ 168,415.00
21102149 Shire of Northam - Direct Grant	\$ 258,937.00
21102150 Shire of Nungarin - Direct Grant	\$ 98,231.00
21102151 Shire of Tammin - Direct Grant	\$ 92,886.00
21102152 Shire of Toodyay - Direct Grant	\$ 179,290.00
21102153 Shire of Trayning - Direct Grant	\$ 145,813.00
21102154 Shire of Victoria Plains - Direct Grant	\$ 182,755.00
21102155 Shire of Westonia - Direct Grant	\$ 163,443.00
21102156 Shire of Wongan Ballidu - Direct Grant	\$ 270,953.00
21102157 Shire of Wyalkatchem - Direct Grant	\$ 139,613.00
21102158 Shire of Yilgarn - Direct Grant	\$ 474,039.00
21102159 Shire of York - Direct Grant	\$ 200,692.00

Regards,

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Local Government Interface Manager

	GENERAL PURPOSE	LOCAL ROADS	TOTAL	
Local Government	Advance Payment based on	Advance Payment based on		
	Notional Figures	Notional Figures	Advance 28/06/2024	
Albany	3,015,304	2,150,814	5,166,118	
Armadale	2,892,690	1,879,473	4,772,163	
Ashburton	1,682,278	995,056	2,677,334	
Augusta-Margaret River	471,069	1,190,644	1,661,713	
Bassendean	367,648	256,545	624,193	
Bayswater Belmont	1,614,640 999,349	958,642 654,457	2,573,282 1,653,806	
Beverley	646,193	609,896	1,256,089	
Boddington	38,821	271,663	310,484	
Boyup Brook	822,654	792,921	1,615,575	
Bridgetown-Greenbushes	866,884	780,683	1,647,567	
Brookton	835,163	419,754	1,254,917	
Broome	1,289,584	643,520	1,933,104	
Broomehill-Tambellup	1,004,376	765,248	1,769,624	
Bruce Rock	1,731,269	946,781	2,678,050	
Bunbury	755,729	1,080,638	1,836,367	
Busselton Cambridge	955,725 676,717	1,861,709 510,448	2,817,434 1,187,165	
Canning	2,253,862	1,592,306	3,846,168	
Capel	1,808,672	747,821	2,556,493	
Carnamah	1,088,223	563,123	1,651,346	
Carnarvon	3,966,904	1,633,406	5,600,310	
Chapman Valley	361,104	624,351	985,455	
Chittering	1,230,049	545,347	1,775,396	
Claremont	264,705	121,961	386,666	
Cockburn	2,831,852	2,275,123	5,106,975	
Collie	1,585,172	566,122	2,151,294	
Coolgardie	510,005	626,076	1,136,081	
Corrigin	1,549,964 1,293,057	646,987 805,474	2,196,951 2,098,531	
Corrigin Cottesloe	1,293,057	106,152	2,098,531	
Cranbrook	944,783	756,086	1,700,869	
Cuballing	558,651	418,228	976,879	
Cue	1,764,939	576,562	2,341,501	
Cunderdin	1,027,207	616,913	1,644,120	
Dalwallinu	2,107,095	1,407,055	3,514,150	
Dandaragan	896,831	1,188,734	2,085,565	
Dardanup	753,257	618,356	1,371,613	
Denmark	143,851	565,218	709,069	
Derby-West Kimberley Donnybrook-Balingup	5,415,767 1,253,295	1,301,114 771,223	6,716,881 2,024,518	
Dowerin Down	895,338	654,330	1,549,668	
Dumbleyung	1,193,771	785,632	1,979,403	
Dundas	1,232,211	452,807	1,685,018	
East Fremantle	178,716	86,219	264,935	
East Pilbara	3,240,426	2,466,372	5,706,798	
Esperance	3,219,344	3,639,555	6,858,899	
Exmouth	1,436,693	481,230	1,917,923	
Fremantle	764,184	435,599	1,199,783	
Gingin	1,149,075	1,016,862	2,165,937	
Gnowangerup Goomalling	950,992 398,949	771,306 447,992	1,722,298 846,941	
Gosnells	2,985,594	2,006,491	4,992,085	
Greater Geraldton	5,176,434	2,374,985	7,551,419	
Halls Creek	3,721,210	1,070,594	4,791,804	
Harvey	2,650,678	1,191,176	3,841,854	
Irwin	305,482	389,633	695,115	
Jerramungup	863,274	742,414	1,605,688	
Joondalup	3,687,720	2,630,105	6,317,825	
Kalamunda	1,362,216	1,362,396	2,724,612	
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	1,598,557	1,853,797	3,452,354	
Karratha	1,974,235	1,267,497	3,241,732	
Katanning	1,916,051	601,284	2,517,335	
Kellerberrin	1,645,983	688,798	2,334,781	

Kent	1,239,833	886,701	2,126,534
Kojonup	655,453	800,251	1,455,704
Kondinin	1,564,347	937,007	2,501,354
Koorda	1,338,646	738,872	2,077,518
Kulin	1,551,405	1,028,499	2,579,904
Kwinana	1,132,528	945,777	2,078,305
Lake Grace	1,763,225	1,534,658	3,297,883
Laverton	1,831,917	1,141,016	2,972,933
Leonora	184,995	847,918	1,032,913
Mandurah	2,157,809	1,542,331	3,700,140
Manjimup	2,677,111	1,613,938	4,291,049
Meekatharra	2,967,575	1,702,384	4,669,959
Melville			
	2,400,256	1,281,793	3,682,049
Menzies	1,417,579	956,446	2,374,025
Merredin	1,795,792	992,715	2,788,507
Mingenew	361,503	382,282	743,785
Moora	1,029,586	913,745	1,943,331
Morawa	1,292,982	687,997	1,980,979
Mosman Park	218,059	97,855	315,914
Mount Magnet	1,773,608	505,626	2,279,234
Mount Marshall	1,625,339	1,040,153	2,665,492
Mukinbudin	1,112,878	634,977	1,747,855
Mundaring	1,691,645	1,222,147	2,913,792
Murchison	3,298,916	1,033,872	4,332,788
Murray	1,221,563	1,040,708	2,262,271
Nannup	915,284	562,423	1,477,707
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Narembeen		963,831	
Narrogin(S)	1,444,920	772,796	2,217,716
Nedlands	524,432	340,573	865,005
Ngaanyatjarraku	3,859,708	941,280	4,800,988
Northam	2,669,214	961,706	3,630,920
Northampton	1,512,537	850,632	2,363,169
Nungarin	1,040,913	360,926	1,401,839
Peppermint Grove	37,734	23,474	61,208
Perenjori	1,448,139	1,047,485	2,495,624
Perth	714,169	407,792	1,121,961
Pingelly	1,108,083	432,047	1,540,130
Plantagenet	1,327,795	1,044,207	2,372,002
Port Hedland	374,887	951,653	1,326,540
Quairading	1,349,825	677,451	2,027,276
Ravensthorpe	1,206,741	876,365	2,083,106
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Rockingham	3,234,844	2,540,238	5,775,082
Sandstone	1,737,383	587,132	2,324,515
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	1,604,549	1,264,101	2,868,650
Shark Bay	1,529,960	551,945	2,081,905
South Perth	1,015,108	471,143	1,486,251
Stirling	5,300,860	2,747,070	8,047,930
Subiaco	410,164	229,142	639,306
Swan	3,729,693	3,308,535	7,038,228
Tammin	846,764	346,922	1,193,686
Three Springs	824,948	554,055	1,379,003
Toodyay	892,766	665,448	1,558,214
Trayning	1,500,097	553,292	2,053,389
Upper Gascoyne	3,636,415	1,576,825	5,213,240
Victoria Park	886,445	455,939	1,342,384
Victoria Plains	657,783	680,909	1,338,692
Vincent	872,171	422,033	1,294,204
Wagin	1,072,662	600,070	1,672,732
Wandering	280,344	273,510	553,854
Wanneroo	4,987,140	3,692,818	8,679,958
Waroona	953,101	475,289	1,428,390
West Arthur	631,529	641,758	1,273,287
Westonia	1,009,339	610,778	1,620,117
Wickepin	981,223	621,337	1,602,560
Williams	340,060	403,023	743,083
Wiluna	2,001,826	1,118,463	3,120,289
Wongan-Ballidu	1,455,125	1,012,383	2,467,508

Woodanilling	566,785	373,578	940,363
Wyalkatchem	1,444,376	517,066	1,961,442
Wyndham-East Kimberley	3,001,545	1,136,308	4,137,853
Yalgoo	1,875,740	737,974	2,613,714
Yilgarn	2,235,188	1,760,527	3,995,715
York	1,032,521	744,933	1,777,454
Total	208,757,650	130,658,557	339,416,207



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Local Governments in Western Australia have a strong history of working collaboratively to maximise resources to deliver outcomes that would be difficult to achieve alone.

They do this in a number of ways, through formal legislative arrangements for specific services such as Regional Councils, through less formal governance arrangements such as Voluntary Groups of Local Governments (ROCs) for regional planning and projects, and by using a range of other arrangements such as Incorporated Bodies, Memorandums of Understanding and Service Delivery Agreements on a fee for service basis for specific services or functions.

They have access to a range of governance arrangements ranging from formal legislative structures to less formal and ad hoc arrangements which together provide Local Governments with flexibility and scalability relative to risk, scope, capacity and capability and the collaborating Local Governments.

It is important to note that Local Governments also actively seek to work collaboratively with Government agencies, industry, local business, and civil society in delivering community outcomes. Across regional WA, Local Governments work closely with Regional Development Commissions and regional offices of the Commonwealth's Regional Development Australia (RDA) network to undertake regional planning, develop regional projects, and leverage State and Federal funding.

This compilation of Cooperation and Shared Services across Western Australia is a result of information gathering from the sector and may not be exhaustive.

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Regional Councils can be established under section 3.61-3.68 of the *Local Government Act 1995* into formal entities that operate with the same governance requirements as Local Governments. Regional Councils were established primarily to provide regional waste services; however, some have gradually diversified the provision of service delivery to their member Councils.

Regional Local Governments

Eastern Metropolitan Regional Council (EMRC)	Western Metropolitan Regional Council
Bassendean	Claremont
Bayswater	Cottesloe
Mundaring	Mosman Park
Swan	Peppermint Grove
Rivers Regional Council	Subiaco
Armadale	Bunbury Harvey Regional Council
Gosnells	Harvey
Mandurah	Bunbury
Murray	Murchison Regional Vermin Council
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	Cue
South Perth	Meekatharra
Regional Recovery Group	Mt Magnet
East Fremantle	Sandstone
Fremantle	Yalgoo
Melville	Mindarie Regional Council
Catalina Regional Council	Cambridge
Cambridge	Joondalup
Joondalup	Perth
Perth	Stirling
Stirling	Victoria Park
Victoria Park	Vincent
Vincent	Wanneroo
Wanneroo	

A number of voluntary organisations of Councils have been established to work collaboratively for regional planning and shared projects that benefit a region. Governance arrangements can vary, but most operate under a memorandum of understanding with administrative support often provided by the members' Councils.

Voluntary Regional Organisation of Councils

4WDL VROC	WEROC – Wheatbelt East			
Dumbleyung	Bruce Rock			
Lake Grace	Kellerberrin			
Wagin	Merredin			
West Arthur	Tammin			
Williams	Westonia			
Woodanilling	Yilgarn			
AROC (Avon)	MZSG (Murchison Zone Strategy Group) MEG (Murchison Executive Group)			
Goomalling	Cue			
Northam	Meekatharra			
Toodyay	Mt Magnet			
Victoria Plains	Murchison			
York	Sandstone			
GVROC (Goldfields)	Yalgoo			
Coolgardie	Southern Link VROC			
Dundas	Cranbrook			
Esperance	Kojonup			
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	Plantagenet			
Laverton	Broomehill-Tambellup			
Leonora	Gnowangerup			
Menzies				
Ngaanyatjarraku	Katanning			
Wiluna				

Voluntary Regional Organisation of Councils continued

WESROC – Western Suburbs
Claremont
Cambridge
Subiaco
Nedlands
Cottesloe
Mosman Park
Peppermint Grove
NEWROC (North Eastern Wheatbelt Regional Organisation of Councils)
Dowerin
Koorda
Mount Marshall
Mukinbudin
Nungarin
Trayning
Wyalkatchem
ROEROC – Roe District
Corrigin
Kondinin
Kulin
Narembeen
Bunbury Geographe Group of Councils
Bunbury
Capel
Collie
Donnybrook Balingup
Dardanup
Harvey

Perth South West Metropolitan Alliance
Cockburn
East Fremantle
Fremantle
Kwinana
Melville
Rockingham
The Kimberley Regional Group
Broome
Derby/West Kimberley
Halls Creek
Wyndham/East Kimberley

Some Local Governments have established and participate in other forums, most commonly incorporated bodies, and often with an economic development focus. Some forums include other stakeholders apart from Local Governments.

Other Cooperative Bodies & Forums

South Coast Alliance Inc.

Regional collaborative Alliance with a common purpose to deliver regional economic development outcomes

Albany

Denmark

Plantagenet

Jerramungup

Warren Blackwood Alliance of Councils

The WBAC aims to highlight and progress key issues that have a regional impact and to be a voice for the Warren Blackwood area. It also leads the way in partnership development, relationship building and progressing projects by establishing a respected reputation with key stakeholders

Bridgetown-Greenbushes

Manjimup

Nannup

Marradong VROC

The VROC has been established following the winding up of the Hotham Williams Voluntary Regional Organisation, and has been established to progress major initiatives, including those of the previous HWEDA, within the group's boundaries.

Boddington

Wandering

Williams

Cuballing

Growth Alliance Perth and Peel (GAPP)

GAPP Councils are advocates for the development of a special purpose fund that will enable the WA State and Local Governments to collaborate and build major outer metropolitan sporting facilities

Armadale

Cockburn

Gosnells

Kalamunda

Kwinana

Mandurah

Rockingham

Serpentine-Jarrahdale

Swan

Wanneroo

Central East Accommodation and Care Alliance

Collaboration for the provision of independent living units in all shires through an incorporated body

Bruce Rock

Kellerberrin

Merredin

Mt Marshall

Mukinbudin

Westonia

Wyalkatchem

Yilgarn

Cockburn Sound Coastal Alliance

Regional partnership to assist with coastal adaptation by building and sharing knowledge and assisting with the development of strategies

Cockburn

Fremantle

Kwinana

Rockingham

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Other Cooperative Bodies & Forums
WA Regional Capitals Alliance
RCAWA advocates for strategic planning for growth and investment in Western Australia's regional capitals.
Albany
Broome
Bunbury
Busselton
Esperance
Greater-Geraldton
Kalgoorlie-Boulder
Karratha
Port Hedland
Northam
Peron Naturaliste Partnership
Regional partnership to consider the implications of climate change on the coastline and develop flexible adaptation pathways.
Bunbury
Busselton
Capel
Dardanup
Harvey
Mandurah
Murray
Rockingham
Waroona

0	ntinued
	Wheatbelt South Aged Housing Alliance (WSAHA)
	Collaboration for the provision of independent living units in all Shires through an incorporated body
	Wickepin
	Corrigin
	Cuballing
	Kondinin
	Kulin
	Narembeen
	Narrogin
	Wandering
	Perth Hills Tourism Alliance (PHTA)
	The Perth Hills Tourism Alliance (PHTA) is a strategic alliance and demand driver to provide joint tourism marketing spread across the Perth Hills region
	Mundaring
	Kalamunda
	Armadale
	Serpentine-Jarrahdale
	Swan
	Bunbury Geographe Economic Alliance (BGEA)

The BGEA vision is to facilitate the economic development and promote the Bunbury Geographe region through partnership.

Albemarle Lithium

City of Bunbury

Edith Cowan University

Harvey Water

Shire of Dandaragan

Shire of Donnybrook Balingup

Shire of Harvey

WA Plantation Resources

logistics hub for local, regional, national, and international freight movements.

LinkWA – Freight and Logistics Alliance

Belmont

Canning

Kalamunda

Swan

Other Cooperative Bodies & Forums Continued

Bunbury Geographe Tourism Partnership
We exist to grow the visitor economy through leadership, promotion, and development.
Bunbury
Capel
Collie
Donnybrook-Balingup
Dardanup
Harvey
Australia's South West Development Commission
Perth Inner City Group
Perth Inner City Group Collaboration to enhance the strategic outcomes of each organisation as innovators in local government, create appealing destinations for local community, industry, and investors.
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Murchison GeoRegion	
A cooperative body to promote Geo Tourism in the region	
Mt Magnet	
Cue	
Sandstone	
Yalgoo	
Meekatharra	
Wiluna	
Murchison	
Global Advanced Industry Hub (Planning Framework)	
MoU between the LGAs and the WAPC to establish a pathway to standardise planning controls over the Global Advanced Industry Hub (Western Trade Coast).	
Rockingham	
Kwinana	
Cockburn	

Shared Services

Many Local Governments across Western Australia work collaboratively with other Local Governments to maximise their resources for the delivery of specific services.

Arrangements may be ad hoc or more formalised through contracts and shared service arrangements, often on a fee for service basis.

In 2018 WALGA undertook a project to identify where Local Governments across the State are working collaboratively with each other to maximise their resources. Forty-nine valid responses were received across a wide range of areas including:



Building Services



Community Services



Economic Development



Emergency Management



Environmental Health



Financial Services



Health and Aged Care Services



ICT & Communications



Landcare and Environmental Management



Library Services



Planning Services



Plant & Equipment



Ranger Services



Records Management



Tourism



Waste Management

Shared Services

Although not exhaustive, the following summary provides a snapshot of the range and longevity of many collaborative arrangements in operation that often respond to capacity challenges. This demonstrates how Local Government as a sector has been consistently looking for innovative ways to create efficiencies, improve productivity, and deliver important services to their communities.





Shared Services



Building Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Albany	Cranbrook Jerramungup Ravensthorpe	Provision of Building Services and Mentoring Service by City of Albany	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Chittering	Gingin Koorda	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Chittering	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	Less than 2 years
Claremont	Claremont Peppermint Grove	Provision of Building Maintenance Services by Town of Claremont	Memorandum of Understanding	1year
Dandaragan	Cocos-Keeling Coorow	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Dandaragan	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	Cocos - 1 year Coorow - 2 years
Derby/West Kimberley	Derby/West Kimberley/Kwinana	Process Mapping and development of Systems and Procedures	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	<1year
Nedlands	Claremont Nedlands Peppermint Grove Waroona	Provision of Building Services and pool inspections programs by City of Nedlands	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Greater Geraldton	Carnamah Carnarvon Irwin Mingenew Morawa Northampton Perenjori Three Springs Shark Bay	Provision of Building Services by City of Greater Geraldton	Memorandum of Understanding	Less than 2 years
Kalamunda	Bruce Rock Corrigin Narembeen Wandering West Arthur	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Kalamunda	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Karratha	Ashburton	Provision of Building Services by City of Karratha	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Kojonup	Cranbrook	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Kojonup	Shared Service with Fee for Service	Less than 3 years

Building Services Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Leonora	Laverton Menzies Mt Magnet Sandstone Yalgoo	Provision of Building and Environmental Health Services by Shire of Leonora	Shared Service with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Narrogin	Dumbleyung Kent Kojonup Lake Grace Wickepin Woodanilling	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Narrogin	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-10 years
Northampton	Shark Bay	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Northampton	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	5-10 years
Wagin	Williams	Provision of Building Services by Shire of Wagin	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	
Victoria Park	Derby/West Kimberley	Provision of Building Query Services	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years

Community Services & Community Development

Lead Local	Participating Local	Description	Governance	Years
Government	Governments		Mechanism	Operating
Joondalup & Stirling	Joondalup Stirling	Annual Skate & BMX Event	Memorandum of Understanding	-

Economic Development

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Lead Local Government Rotates	Cue Meekatharra Mount Magnet Murchison Sandstone Yalgoo	Regional cooperation on projects that contribute to regional economic development outcomes. Development of the Murchison sub-Regional Economic Development Plan aligned with Midwest Development Commission Regional Blueprint	Murchison Executive Group (MEG) Voluntary Regional Group Murchison Economic Development Strategy	Less than 2 years
Joondalup & Wanneroo	Joondalup Wanneroo	Cooperation and liaison between respective Economic Development Units for information sharing, advocacy, and cooperation for the region	Ad Hoc	5-10
Toodyay	Goomalling Northam Toodyay York	Regional cooperation on projects that contribute to regional economic development outcomes including regional aged care needs, recreation facilities audit, freight network funding, events, and distribution of the regional component of the Country Local Government Fund.	Voluntary Regional Group - Avon Regional Organisation of Councils (AROC)	10+
Williams	Dumbleyung Lake Grace Kent Wagin West Arthur Williams Woodanilling	Regional cooperation on projects that contribute to regional economic development outcomes including the construction of well-aged housing across all Shires	Voluntary Regional Group – 4WDL ROC	5-10
Augusta-Margaret River (rotates)	Augusta-Margaret River Busselton	Regional cooperation on projects that contribute to regional economic outcomes	Voluntary Regional Group - Cape ROC	

Economic Development Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Lead Local Government Rotates	Bridgetown- Greenbushes Boyup Brook Donnybrook-Balingup Manjimup Nannup	Development of Residential Prospectus resulting from Talison Lithium Expansion in Greenbushes	Collaboration with South West Development Commission and Talison Lithium	Less than 2 years
Lead Local Government Rotates	Bunbury Capel Dardanup Harvey	Bunbury Geographe Reconciliation Action Plan 'Reflect'	Plan	1 year
Managed by Regional Development Australia	Augusta-Margaret River Boyup Brook Bridgetown- Greenbushes Bunbury Busselton Capel Collie Dardanup Donnybrook-Balingup Harvey Manjimup Nannup	South West Councils and Regional Development Australia – South West. To buy and have access to Economic and Community Data to inform community and Council in decisions	Memorandum of Understanding	
Dardanup	Augusta-Margaret River Boyup Brook Bunbury Busselton Collie Dardanup Donnybrook-Balingup Harvey Manjimup Nannup	Designated Area Migration Agreement	Memorandum of Understanding	MoU effective until the Feasibility Study and Implementation Plan to establish a Designated Area Migration Agreement has been completed
Kwinana	Cockburn East Fremantle Fremantle Kwinana Melville Rockingham	Perth South West Metropolitan Alliance	The Board is supported by a committee structure that provides input into business activities and technical advice in specialist areas where specific expertise is required	United Regional Vision 2036

All Local Governments across Western Australia participate in Local Emergency Management Committees and share Local Emergency Management Arrangements in accordance with the *Emergency Management Act 2005* in partnership with Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES). In addition to their obligations under the Act, many Local Governments work collaboratively to ensure they can meet these obligations and add value to the important task of keeping their communities safe, which often includes the sharing of a Community Emergency Services Manager (CESM) under a Memorandum of Understanding with DFES.

Emergency Management

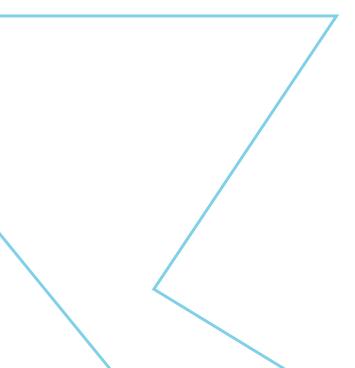
Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Brookton	Brookton Corrigin Pingelly	Shared Community Emergency Services Manager		
Bunbury	Augusta-Margaret River Boyup Brook Bridgetown- Greenbushes Bunbury Busselton Capel Collie Dardanup Donnybrook-Balingup Harvey Manjimup Nannup	Shared emergency response and recovery activities in case of a regional emergency event	Memorandum of Understanding	Ongoing
Bunbury	Bunbury Dardanup Donnybrook-Balingup Manjimup	Bushfire Risk Management Planning Coordinator	Memorandum of Understanding	2 years
Collie	Collie West Arthur	Shared Community Emergency Services Manager	Memorandum of Understanding	1 year
Corrigin	Beverley Brookton Corrigin Cuballing Dumbleyung Kulin Lake Grace Narrogin Pingelly Quairading Wagin Wandering West Arthur Wickepin Williams	Provision of Mutual Aid during Emergencies and Post Incident Recovery	Memorandum of Understanding	Currently under review

Emergency Management Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Cuballing	Cuballing Narrogin	Combined Local Emergency Management Committee	Memorandum of Understanding	
Dandaragan	Coorow Dandaragan Irwin	Bushfire Risk Management Planning Officer		
Dandaragan	Dandaragan Murray Mandurah Rockingham Waroona	Shared emergency recovery activities in case of a regional emergency recovery event	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Dandaragan	Ashburton Dandaragan East Pilbara Karratha Port Hedland South West Zone of WALGA (12 Local Governments)	Shared emergency recovery activities in case of a regional emergency recovery event	Memorandum of Understanding	5-10 years
Jerramungup	Jerramungup Ravensthorpe	Sharing of a Bushfire Risk Management Planning Officer (BRMPO)	Memorandum of Understanding	1 year
Mandurah	Rockingham Mandurah Murray Serpentine Jarrahdale Waroona	Provision of mutual aid during emergencies and recovery efforts	Memorandum of Understanding	8 years
Murray	Murray Waroona	Combined Local Emergency Management Committee	Council Resolution and endorsed Terms of Reference	Contract to 2024
Nungarin	Nungarin Trayning	Joint Local Emergency Management Committee	Partnering Agreement	Ongoing – established 2023
Quairading	Cunderdin Tammin Quairading	Provision of a Shared Community Emergency Services Manager	Memorandum of Understanding	Less than 2 years
Quairading	DFES Kellerberrin Northam Quairading	The establishment and sharing of a Bushfire Risk Mitigation Coordinator	Partnering Agreement	

Emergency Management Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Ravensthorpe	Jerramungup Ravensthorpe	Sharing of a Community Emergency Services Manager (CESM) under a Memorandum of Understanding with DFES.	Memorandum of Understanding	4 years
Wanneroo	Bassendean Joondalup Kalamunda Mundaring Stirling Swan Wanneroo	Metro North & East Recovery Group for the provision of mutual aid for recovery during emergencies	Partnering Agreement	10+
Western Central Local Emergency Management Group	Cambridge Claremont Cottesloe Mosman Park Nedlands Peppermint Grove Subiaco Vincent	Combined Local Emergency Management Committee	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Western Central Local Emergency Management Group	Broome Derby/West Kimberley Halls Creek Wyndham/East Kimberley	Agreement between DFES and participating Local Governments to manage Bush Fires Act responsibilities	Memorandum of Understanding	5+ years



Environmental Health

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Albany	Jerramungup Ravensthorpe	Provision of Environmental Health Services by City of Albany	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2 years
Bassendean	Bassendean Bayswater Belmont Swan Victoria Park	East Swan River Contiguous Local Authority Group (ESR CLAG) The ESR CLAG meets bi-monthly during the mosquito season, sharing information regarding complaints and trapping data, to measure the effectiveness of mosquito control measures. A representative from DoH WA also attends the meetings to provide technical assistance and updates on state-wide issues, as well as the latest Ross River Virus and Barmah Forest Virus figures for cases identified within each member Council.	Memorandum of Understanding	10+ years
Bunbury	Bunbury Dardanup Harvey	Health (Mosquito Management – Leschenault CLAG)	Memorandum of Understanding	15+ years
Bunbury	Bunbury Busselton Capel Dardanup Harvey	Health (Joint Public Awareness Mosquito Management – Leschenault & Geographe CLAGs)	Memorandum of Understanding	5 years
Corrigin	Corrigin Kondinin Kulin Lake Grace Narembeen	Provision of Environmental Health Services to members of RoeROC plus Lake Grace	Agreement under Voluntary Regional Group (RoeROC)	5-10 years
Cottesloe	Peppermint Grove	Provision of Environmental Health Services by Town of Cottesloe	Service Agreement with fee for service	2-5 years
Dandaragan	Cocos-Keeling Coorow Gingin Moora	Provision of Environmental Health Services by Shire of Dandaragan	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	Cocos – 1 Coorow – 2 Gingin – as needs Moora – 2

Environmental Health Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Greater Geraldton	Mid West Local Governments	Provision of Environmental Health Services (ad hoc on request) by the Shire of Greater Geraldton	Fee for Service upon request	As required
Irwin	Carnamah Mingenew Three Springs	Provision of Environmental Health Services – shared environmental health officer – by Shire of Irwin	Memorandum of Agreement	>2 years
Joondalup & Wanneroo Shared	Joondalup Wanneroo	Midge Management Strategy Partnership for the management of nuisance midges within the wetland system of Yellagonga Regional Park	Midge Partnership Agreement	10+ years
Merredin	Kellerberrin	Provision of Environmental Health Services by Shire of Merredin	Contracted Shared Service with fee for service	>2 years
Mount Magnet	Cranbrook Cue Menzies Sandstone Yalgoo	Provision of Environmental Health Services – shared environmental health officer – by Shire of Mount Magnet	Contracted Shared Service with fee for service	2-5 years
Murray	Waroona	Provision of Environmental health Services by Shire of Murray	Service Agreement with fee for service	5-10 years
Narrogin	Wandering West Arthur Wickepin	Provision of Environmental Health Services by the Shire of Narrogin (ad hoc on request)	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Narrogin	Wickepin Wagin Williams Wandering	Provision of Environmental Health Services by Shire of Narrogin	Service Agreement with fee for service	>2 years
Northampton	Chapman Valley Shark Bay	Provision of Environmental Health Services by Shire of Northampton	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	5-10 years
Victoria Park	Morawa	Provision of Environmental Health Services by the Town of Victoria Park	Memorandum of Understanding	5+ years

Financial Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Mount Magnet	Cranbrook Cue Menzies Sandstone Wiluna Yalgoo	Offering of Finance Manager/Rates services by the Shire of Mount Magnet	Memorandum of Understanding	
Williams	Wandering Williams	Provision of Financial Management Service	Memorandum of Understanding	< 2 years

Health & Aged Care Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Shared	Claremont Cottesloe Mosman Park Peppermint Grove	Provision of Home and Community Care Services by Shine Community Services and Curtin Care	Legal Contract	5-10 years
Narrogin	Boddington Cuballing Narrogin Pingelly Wagin Wickepin Williams	Homecare (HACC) and Community Health Care Support Packages with clients through these local governments	With individual clients through Care Packages	< 2 years
Pingelly	Brookton Beverley Pingelly	Provision of Aged Support and Care Services	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Trayning	Mt Marshall Mukinbudin Nungarin Trayning	Provision of support to the Kununoppin Practice	Memorandum of Understanding	
Wagin	Wagin West Arthur	Provision of homecare services	Memorandum of Understanding	1-2 years
Shared	Bunbury Dardanup Harvey	Greater Bunbury Age-Friendly Communities Strategy	Strategy	2 years

Health & Aged Care Services Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Wyalkatchem	Koorda Wyalkatchem	Jointly contribute to a GP service	Partnership	
Shared	Joondalup Stirling Wanneroo	Tri-Cities Agreement to align the development of Age-Friendly Strategies, coordinate priorities and collaborate on shared projects.	Ad hoc	< 2 years
Shared	Bruce Rock Kellerberrin Merredin Mt Marshall Mukinbudin Nungarin Westonia Wyalkatchem Yilgarn	Research in conjunction with the Wheatbelt Development Commission and Regional Development Australia Wheatbelt in regard to housing, health care beds and other age-appropriate related resources across the region	Central East Accommodation and Care Alliance	

ICT/Communications

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Bunbury	Bunbury WA Police – Bunbury	Monitoring of CCTV	Memorandum of Understanding	4 years
Greater Geraldton	Chapman Valley	Synergy Software patch updates	Upon request for fee for service	Ad hoc
Greater Geraldton	Chapman Valley Perenjori	Hosting of services and storage for both Production and Disaster Recovery by the Shire of Greater Geraldton	Contracted Service via Geraldton data centre – Shared Services Agreement	1+ years
Manjimup	Manjimup Nannup	Provision of ICT Services	Service Agreement with fee for service	10+ years
Murray	Murray Waroona	Provision of Information Technology Services and GIS services	Memorandum of Understanding	1 year
Stirling	Catalina Regional Council	Provision of IT and Governance support by the City of Stirling	Memorandum of Understanding	2+ years

Landcare & Environmental Management

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Melville	Cockburn East Fremantle Fremantle Kwinana Melville	Regional Management of Environmental Assets in the South West Metropolitan Region	Consultant Contract Reference Group chaired by Elected Member	Reference Group since 2013 Consultant Contract 2016/17 – 2019/20
Mount Magnet	Cue Meekatharra Mount Magnet Sandstone Yalgoo	Murchison Regional Vermin Council – construction and maintenance of vermin fences	Memorandum of Understanding	10+ years
Shared	Joondalup Wanneroo	Yellagonga Integrated Catchment Management Plan in partnership with Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions (DCA)	Memorandum of Understanding	5-10 years
Shared	Boddington Cuballing Wandering Williams	Funding of a Natural Resource Management (NRM) Coordinator who is managed by the Peel Harvey Catchment Council and supports the Local Governments	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Shared	Armadale Gosnells Serpentine-Jarrahdale	Collaboration in the work of a Landcare Group to deliver the environmental education program 'Switch Your Thinking'	Alliance	10+ years
Wagin	Wagin Woodanilling	Provision of a Natural Resource Management Officer	Memorandum of Understanding	10+ years

Many Local Governments across regional Western Australia participate in a Regional Library Scheme under an Agreement with the State Library of WA. Under this arrangement, a regional public library provides support services to small public libraries in accordance with an agreed Annual Activity Plan. Regional Libraries receive funding from the State Government via the State Library for the provision of this service. These arrangements have not been included in the list of examples of cooperation and shared services between public libraries below.

However, in additional to these regional services, the City of Albany, the City of Port Hedland, the City of Karratha, the City of Greater Geraldton, and the Shire of Merredin seek additional funds from Local Governments within their region for a range of services such as coordinating author visits, providing training and workshops, providing bulk loans and supporting a regional library computer management system (LMS). Some also host an annual professional development forum with contributing funding from libraries in the region and the State Library.

Library Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Albany	Albany Broomehill-Tambellup Cranbrook Denmark Gnowangerup Jerramungup Katanning Kojonup Murray Plantagenet	Southern WA Library Consortium - shared cost of Library Management System to share Library resources. System administration services delivered by City of Albany.	Participation Agreement	5 years
Dardanup	Boddington Boyup Brook Bridgetown- Greenbushes Bunbury Busselton Capel Dardanup Donnybrook-Balingup Harvey Manjimup Nannup	South West Libraries Consortia – shared cost of a Library Management System to connect and combine the shared resources of libraries across the South West	Legal Contract	< 2 years
Greater Geraldton	Carnarvon Chapman Valley Coorow Dandaragan Greater Geraldton Mingenew Northampton	Coordination of the Mid-West Sirsi Dynix Consortium for Library Management System (LMS)		

Library Services Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Shared	Claremont Cottesloe Mosman Park Nedlands Peppermint Grove Subiaco	Western Suburbs Regional Library Services Group (WSLG) – includes a shared Library Management IT System.	Joint Tender process for procurement of LMS. Shared Strategic Plan	10+ years
Peppermint Grove	Cottesloe Mosman Park Peppermint Grove	Joint library	Legal Agreement	10+ years
Melville	Canning Mandurah Melville Victoria Park	Consortia arrangement for purchase of e-books	Consortia Agreement	<1year
Wanneroo Swan Joondalup (shared)	Joondalup Swan Wanneroo	Reciprocal agreement to lend locally owned library materials via inter library loan between the Local Governments.	Memorandum of Understanding	5-10 years
Shared	Bunbury Capel Dardanup	Greater Bunbury Early Years Strategy	Strategy	2018-2023

Ranger Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Broomehill-Tambellup	Broomehill-Tambellup Kojanup	Provision of Ranger Services	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	
Bunbury	Bunbury Capel Dardanup	Animal Re Homing Service (B.A.R.R.C. and S.A.F.E.)	Memorandum of Understanding	< 2 years
Collie	West Arthur	Provision of Ranger Services	Memorandum of Understanding	10+ years
Cottesloe	Peppermint Grove	Provision of Ranger Services	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2-5 years
Merredin	Nungarin Westonia	Provision of Ranger Services	Memorandum of Understanding	5-10 years
Murray	Waroona	Provision of Contract Ranger and Administration Services	Legal Contract	3 years

Ranger Services Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Narrogin	Cuballing Wickepin	Provision of Ranger Services	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	< 2 years
Shared	Goomalling Northam Toodyay Victoria Plains	Ad hoc Ranger Relief Services	Ad hoc	< 2 years
Shared	Cue Laverton Leonora Meekatharra Menzies Mt Magnet Yalgoo	Animal Control	Contracted Shared Service with Fee for Service	2-5 years

Records Management

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Broomehill-Tambellup	Broomehill-Tambellup Cranbrook Kojonup Plantagenet	Shared Resource for the Shared Archive Repository	Administered through the Southern Link Voluntary Regional Group	5-10 years
Broomehill-Tambellup	Broomehill-Tambellup Cranbrook Kojonup Plantagenet	Archive Storage Facility	Memorandum of Understanding	2-5 years
Coolgardie	Coolgardie Dundas Esperance Kalgoorlie-Boulder Laverton Leonora	Storage and Disposal of Records	Administered through the Goldfields Voluntary Regional Group (GVROC)	2-5 years
Greater Geraldton	Greater Geraldton Perenjori	Review of Record Keeping Plan and preparation for Submission to State Records Officer (SRO)	Fee for Service upon request	Ad hoc
Greater Geraldton	Greater Geraldton Mingenew	Application of General Disposal Authority (GDA) and End Of year Disposal Preparation	Fee for Service upon request	Ad hoc

Waste Management

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Corrigin	Corrigin Kondinin Kulin Narembeen	Shared Waste Contract for collection services and ownership of a shared landfill facility	Roe Voluntary Group of Councils (RoeROC)	5-10 years
Greater Geraldton	Chapman Valley Greater Geraldton Irwin Northampton	Refuse Removal and Disposal for the Region	Legal Contract	2-5 years
Narrogin	Cuballing	Shared regional waste site	Legal Contract	5+ years
Ravensthorpe	Jerramungup Ravensthorpe	Regional Waste Site with shared approach to waste management	Memorandum of Understanding	4 years
Toodyay	Goomalling Northam Toodyay Victoria Plains York	Waste Minimisation Plan	Ad hoc	2-5 years

Planning Services

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Bayswater	Bassendean	Provision of Design Review Panel Services by the City of Bayswater	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2 – 5 years
Chapman Valley	Coorow Menzies Mingenew Perenjori Three Springs	Provision of Planning Services on a needs basis by the Shire of Chapman Valley	Ad hoc	5-10 years
Dandaragan	Coorow Cocos-Keeling	Provision of Planning Services by the Shire of Dandaragan	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	Coorow – 2 Cocos – 1
Esperance	Ravensthorpe	Provision of Planning Services by the Shire of Esperance	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	2 – 5 years
Narrogin	Kent Wagin Wandering Wickepin	Provision of Planning Services by the Shire of Narrogin	Legal Contract	< 2 years
Toodyay	Dowerin Goomalling	Provision of Planning Services by the Shire of Toodyay	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	< 2 years

Across the State, particularly in regional Western Australia, Local Governments support tourism in a number of ways. This ranges from the provision of infrastructure and services to support visitors; regional promotion; development of trails, museums and visitors' centres; to supporting local and regional tourism associations and destination marketing organisations. The following represents a range of approaches adopted by Local Governments.

Tourism

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Australia's Coral Coast	Coorow Greater Geraldton Irwin Northampton	Development of a Collaborative model for visitor Information Services	Collaborative Project across the Coral Coast Region	
Bridgetown- Greenbushes	Boyup Brook Bridgetown- Greenbushes Donnybrook-Balingup Manjimup Nannup	The WBAC acts as an advocacy group by supporting or undertaking significant projects relating to promoting economic development and diversity and encouraging regional population growth.	Memorandum of Agreement	Since 2001
Central Wheatbelt Visitors Centre	Bruce Rock Corrigin Cunderdin Dowerin Kellerberrin Kondinin Koorda Kulin Lake Grace Merredin Mt Marshall Mukinbudin Narembeen Nungarin Quairading Tammin Trayning Westonia Wyalkatchem Yilgarn	Coordination of Visitor Services	Memorandum of Understanding	5-10 years
Great Geraldton	Carnamah Coorow Greater Geraldton Irwin Morawa	Regional Events Calendar		< 2

Tourism Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Hidden Treasures	Broomehill-Tambellup Cranbrook Gnowangerup Katanning Kent Kojonup Plantagenet Woodanilling	Hidden Treasures: Regional Tourism Organisation	Incorporated Association	
Joondalup	Joondalup Stirling Wanneroo	Production of the Sunset Coast Holiday Planner	Service Agreement with Fee for Service	5-10 years
Marradong Country	Boddington Wandering Williams	Sub Regional Economic Development and Tourism including Marradong Self Drive Tourist Trail	Incorporated Body	
Narrogin	Cuballing Narrogin	Narrogin & Dryandra Visitor Centre		10+ years
Outback Pathways	Cue Meekatharra Mt Magnet Murchison Sandstone Upper Gascoyne Wiluna Yalgoo	Collaboration on promotion of Regional Tourism including funding to Australian's Golden Outback for 'Outback Pathways', working with Mid West Development Commission on Geo Tourism Strategy and Regional Visitors' Planner	Murchison Executive Group	
Pioneers Pathway	Dowerin Goomalling Merredin Nungarin Toodyay Wyalkatchem	Tourism trail	MoU for Advisory Committee	
ROE Tourism	Bruce Rock Corrigin Kondinin Kulin Lake Grace Narembeen Quairading	Pathways to Wave Rock	Incorporated Body	

Tourism Continued

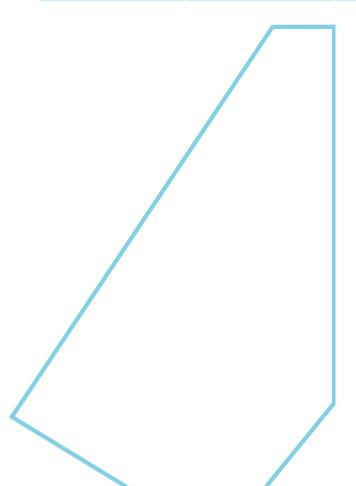
Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Southern Forests and Blackwood Valleys Tourism Association	Warren Blackwood Alliance of Councils	Regional Tourism Organisation	Incorporated Body with funding from Alliance and representation on the Board	Less than 1 year
Western Australia's Wildflower Country Inc.	Carnamah Coorow Dalwallinu Greater Geraldton Irwin Mingenew Moora Morawa Perenjori Three Springs	Joint planning and investigating tourism infrastructure needs in the region	Incorporated Association	Under Review
Wheatbelt Way	Dowerin Koorda Mount Marshall Mukinbudin Nungarin Trayning Westonia Wyalkatchem	NEWTravel Tourism organisation initiated by the North Eastern Wheatbelt Regional Organisation of Councils (NEWROC)	Incorporated Body	More than 5 years
Shared	Ashburton East Pilbara Karratha Port Hedland	Joint planning, investing and advocacy for the development of key tourist infrastructure including increased accommodation options, tourism attractions and signage		Less than 2 years
Shared	Greater Geraldton Northampton	Joint Planning and Investigating Tourism Infrastructure Update to the Pink Lake	Collaboration with Mid West Development Commission	

Other

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Bayswater	Bassendean	Provision of plant workshop to service equipment	Memorandum of Understanding	1+ years
Dandaragan	Coorow	Provision of Support for Sporting Club Development by the Shire of Dandaragan	Service Agreement between Shire of Dandaragan and DLGSC and support provided to Shire of Coorow	2 – 5 years
Inner City Collaboration	Perth South Perth Subiaco Victoria Park Vincent	Collaboration on Common Strategic Issues	Memorandum of Understanding	<1year
Laverton	Laverton Leonora Menzies Wiluna	Statutory Compliance Services provided by Third Party	Tender Process for Provider of Services for a 4 Year Contract. Annual fee averaged for participating Local Governments and charged to each Local Government by Provider	< 1 year
Morawa	Victoria Park	Strategic alliance to share information, services, resources, initiatives and partner on issues	Memorandum of Understanding	5+ years
Mosman Park	Cottesloe Peppermint Grove	Development of Public Health Plans		2 years
Mundaring Swan	Mundaring Swan	Midvale Hub Parenting Service	Memorandum of Understanding	30 years
Narrogin	Cuballing Narrogin Wagin Wickepin	Street Sweeping Services	Fee for Service	< 2 years

Other Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Northern Growth Alliance	Chittering Dandaragan Gingin	Collaboration on Common Strategic Issues	Memorandum of Understanding	<1year
South East Corridor Councils Alliance (SECCA)	Armadale Canning Gosnells Victoria Park	Collaboration on Common Strategic Issues	Memorandum of Understanding	4 years
South Perth	Victoria Park	Provision of animal pound facilities and vegetation propagation services	Memorandum of Understanding	
Stirling	Stirling Swan	Settlement Engagement and Transition Support Program (Perth North East)	Service Level Agreement	1 year
Victoria Park	South Perth	Ad hoc/sweeping services provided by the Town of Victoria Park	Memorandum of Understanding	
Shared	Joondalup Stirling South Perth Swan	Shared Strategic Safety Resource	Memorandum of Understanding with Local Government Insurance Services	



Local Governments often initiate or participate in inter agency forums to focus on critical community issues. Other agencies come from State Government and the not for profit sector and may involve community groups and representatives.

Inter Agency Collaboration

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Currently Anglicare WA lead	Kwinana Mandurah Murray Rockingham Waroona	Peel Rockingham and Kwinana Suicide Community Response Group	Currently developing Terms of Reference to be in place by EOFY	7 years
Headspace Rockingham	Rockingham	Headspace Rockingham Consortium	Terms of Reference	8 years
Joondalup & Wanneroo	Joondalup Wanneroo	Establishment of the Joondalup Wanneroo Interagency Homelessness Action Group (JWIHAG) which includes 15 local agencies and community groups to develop a Regional Homelessness Strategy	Ad hoc	5-10 years
Office of Homelessness WA Alliance to End Homelessness	Kwinana Mandurah Rockingham	Project Zero – Rough Sleeper Coordination Group (formerly Grassroots Working Group)	Terms of Reference & MoU	3 years
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Homelessness Interagency Network	Terms of Reference	10 years
Rockingham	Rockingham	Emergency Relief Providers Network	Alliance	2022 onwards
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Safe Family Alliance	Memorandum of Understanding/ Alliance	6 years
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham Action for Tomorrow's Youth	Alliance	18 years
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Local Drug Action Group	Alliance	10 years
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Rockingham Liquor Accord - Licence premise and alcohol management	Terms of Reference	2022 onwards

Inter Agency Collaboration Continued

Lead Local Government	Participating Local Governments	Description	Governance Mechanism	Years Operating
Rockingham	Cockburn Kwinana Mandurah Rockingham	Mandurah Kwinana and Rockingham Access and Inclusion Network	Terms of Reference	6 + Years
Rockingham	Kwinana Rockingham	Customised Employment network	Terms of Reference (in development)	New this F/Y
Rockingham	Rockingham	Age Friendly Rockingham Network (previously Active Aging Network)	Terms of Reference	15 years
Rockingham	Rockingham	Rockingham Early Years Network	Alliance	10 years
WA Alliance to End Homelessness	Kwinana Mandurah Rockingham	Project Zero – Improvement Team	Terms of Reference & MoU	3 years
	Mandurah Murray Rockingham Waroona	Peel Mosquito Management Group works to control mosquitoes in the Peel Region working with the Department of Health	Memorandum of Understanding	MoU to 2025
	Mandurah Kwinana Rockingham	Local Government Community Safety Network	Alliance	2 years
	Department of Health Kwinana Rockingham	Mental Health Subnetwork	Terms of Reference under the Mental Health Commission	5 years

Mechanisms for Cooperation and the Provision of Shared Services

Mechanism	Structure	Purpose
Regional Council	The Local Government Act 1995 refers to Regional Local Governments in Part 3 (Division 4) as 'two or more Local Governments; who may (subject to Minister's approval) establish a regional Local Government to do things, for the participants, for any purpose for which a Local Government can do things under this Act or any other Act.	Regional Local Governments or Regional Councils (as they are often known) may exist in specialist areas and are formed to oversee management of a particular function, traditionally waste management services. A landfill site, for example, may serve six Local Governments, rather than each of them having individual facilities. A Regional Council may then be established, consisting of members of each Council, to manage this facility. Some Regional Councils have extended the scope of services provided to their member Local Governments beyond the management of waste and waste facilities. There are currently eight Regional Councils in Western Australia in both metropolitan and regional areas.
Voluntary Regional Organisations of Councils (VROCs)	Governance arrangements can vary, but most operate under a Memorandum of Understanding generally with administrative support provided by the members Councils on a rotational basis. Memorandums of Understanding commonly outline the scope of activities, membership arrangements, funding arrangements and administrative support.	VROCs are established to work collaboratively for regional planning and shared projects that benefit a region. Projects are often related to regional service delivery, environmental issues, regional facility planning, tourism projects, waste management and strategic issues in common. There are currently sixteen VROCs operating in Western Australia in both metropolitan, and more commonly, regional areas.
Incorporated Bodies	Some Local Governments participate in associations or alliances formed for a specific purpose under the WA Incorporated Associations Act.	Some Local Governments collaborate to form incorporated associations in order to provide a formal governance arrangement for the conduct of a particular activity most often outside the normal functions of a local government. These associations often include members that are not a Local Government. They may be formed to undertake tourism/economic development activities or to deliver a specific regional project or service, such as aged housing.

Mechanisms for Cooperation and the Provision of Shared Services continued

Mechanism	Structure	Purpose
Regional Subsidiaries	A Regional Subsidiary is a semi-independent collaborative organisation established by two or more local governments to provide new or existing services that can be more effectively delivered together than by one local government alone. It is established under the Local Government Act 1995 with the agreement of two or more local governments. Local Governments wishing to establish a Regional Subsidiary must develop a Charter and Business Plan and seek feedback from their respective communities. Each Local Government must approve the Charter and Business Plan before seeking the approval of the Minister for Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries.	A Regional Subsidiary can deliver one or more services currently delivered or functions performed by a local government. These could include rating services, records management, environmental health services, finance functions, procurement to name a few. It can also initiate new opportunities such as tourism, aged care, procurement, etc. The purposes of a Regional Subsidiary are captured in its Charter and Business Plan.
Beneficial Enterprises	Beneficial Enterprises (or Council Controlled Organisations) are arms-length entities that can deliver projects and services required by the community. They provide a vehicle for greater efficiency and improved partnering practices for Local Government and can provide services & facilities that are not attractive to private investors or where market failure occurs. Beneficial Enterprises cannot carry out any regulatory function of a Local Government and have a Skills Based Board. They are not intended for outsourcing essential services. Example activities could be: Affordable housing projects Urban regeneration Measures to address economic decline in Regional WA Arts Facilities - Activity requiring flexibility	WALGA is continuing to advocate for Local Governments to be able to establish Beneficial Enterprises.





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Good morning,

The Shire of Merredin is delighted to invite your CEO, Executive Managers and Councillors to the Grand Opening of the redeveloped Apex Park at 10:00 AM AWST on Wednesday, 7 August 2024.

The event will be held in Merredin at the redeveloped park, located along Barrack Street, opposite the Shire of Merredin Administration Building.

This celebration marks an important milestone for the Merredin community, and we would be thrilled to have you join us.

Please RSVP at your earliest convenience by emailing ea@merredin.wa.gov.au.

We look forward to welcoming you to this exciting new space.

Best regards,

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