

SHIRE OF BUSSELTON

**BYLAWS RELATING TO DEPOSITING AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE,
RUBBISH, LITTER AND DISUSED MATERIALS.**

1. *In these Bylaws -*

"Council" means the Busselton Shire Council;

"District" means the Shire of Busselton Municipal District.

2. *If there is -*

- (a) on any vacant land within the district any trees, scrub undergrowth or rubbish, or*
- (b) on any land within this district any refuse, rubbish or disused material whether of the same kind, or a different kind from that here specified which in the opinion of the Council is likely to effect adversely the value of the adjoining property or the health, comfort or convenience of the inhabitants thereof*

the Council may cause a notice under the hand of the Shire Clerk to be served on the owner or occupier of such land requiring him, within the time specified in such notice to clear the land of such trees, scrub, undergrowth or remove such refuse, rubbish, or disused material from such land.

3. *Every owner or occupier of land on whom a notice is served under Bylaw 2 of these Bylaws, shall comply with such notice within the time therein specified and any owner or occupier of land who fails to comply with the terms of the notice so served shall be guilty of an offence.*

4. *Where the owner or occupier does not clear the land of such trees, scrub, undergrowth or remove such refuse, rubbish or disused material as required by the notice given by the Council, the Council is authorised without payment of any compensation in respect thereof to remove it and dispose of it at the expense of and recover in a Court of competent jurisdiction the amount of expenses from the owner or occupier to whom the notice was given.*

5. *Any person who shall commit a breach of any of these Bylaws shall be liable to -*

- (a) a maximum penalty of five hundred dollars (\$500) and*
- (b) a maximum daily penalty during the breach of twenty dollars (\$20) per day.*

6. *The Bylaw requiring removal of refuse etc, published in the Government Gazette of the 16th March 1961 is hereby repealed.*

*Bylaw published in Government Gazette June 16, 1978
Amendment (Penalty Increase) published in the Government Gazette
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