



For more information scan the QR code or visit the *Bushfire Risk Reduction Notice* page on the City of Busselton website:

[busselton.wa.gov.au/bushfire-risk-reduction-notice](https://busselton.wa.gov.au/bushfire-risk-reduction-notice)

Should you require assistance or clarification of the requirements of this notice, please contact the City's **Ranger Services** on **9781 0444**.

Guidelines for preparing and maintaining your property to reduce the risk of bushfire.

CATEGORY

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# ***Bushfire Risk Reduction Notice 2025-2026***

Your property falls under:

**Category 1**

All lots 1,100m<sup>2</sup> or less

Alternative formats may be sourced through contacting the City of Busselton as per the contact details below.

If you require an interpreter, contact us via the Translating and Interpreting Services (TIS National) on 13 14 50.

Property Maintenance Period

**15 November 2025 - 30 April 2026**

Most land in the City of Busselton whether in a built up or rural area, is considered Bushfire Prone. There is a legal requirement to comply with the Bushfire Risk Reduction Notice requirements applicable to your property size.



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Use this complimentary **Green Waste Pass** to assist in reducing fire risk on your property.

**Green Waste  
FREE PASS**

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**All Lots 1,100m<sup>2</sup> or less**

**For properties with habitable buildings\***



**Grasses and weeds to be kept under 10cm.**



**House gutters to be kept clear of materials.**



**Flammable material to be managed or moved 5m from buildings.**

**What is flammable material?**

Dead vegetation, piles of firewood that are stored against the buildings and fuels. Living vegetation is excluded from this definition.



\* *Habitable buildings are structures people live or work in.*

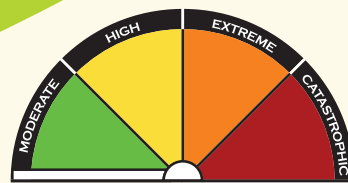
**Vacant Lots**

**Maintain grasses and weeds**

Under 10cm. Material from slashing must be removed from the block.

If there is a Current Bushfire Management Plan that applies to your property you are required to also ensure that the requirements of that plan are implemented in addition to your responsibilities under this notice.

This complimentary Green Waste Pass entitles the ratepayer to disposal of one load (1 cubic metre or standard 6x4 trailer) of Green Waste at either the Busselton or Dunsborough Waste Facility. **Expires 1 April 2026. Copies not accepted.**



**15 October 2025 – 30 November 2025**

**Restricted Burning Period**

A Permit to Burn is required during Restricted Burning Period. Permits obtained via your local Fire Control Officer (details on the City's website).



PERMITTED

\*Pizza ovens, enclosed BBQs (Kettle/Egg style) and smokers when the Fire Danger Rating is High, Moderate or No Rating

Braziers, chimineas, open BBQs, fire pits, camping fires, cooking fires when the Fire Danger Rating is Moderate or No Rating

**1 December 2025 - 28 February 2026**

**Prohibited Burning Period**

**DURING THE PROHIBITED PERIOD, YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BURN.** Certain activities are exempt from permits subject to the conditions below. Any item not listed is prohibited.



PERMITTED

\*Pizza ovens, enclosed BBQs (Kettle/Egg style) and smokers for cooking when the Fire Danger Rating is High, Moderate or No Rating



NOT PERMITTED

**DO NOT USE** Braziers, chimineas, open BBQs, fire pits, camping fires, cooking fires or any other open flame appliance.

**1 March 2026 – 30 April 2026**

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Note: \* BBQs, pizza ovens, and smokers can only be used if all safety requirements are met. For full details on what is required before use, please visit: [www.busselton.wa.gov.au/permits-burning-information](http://www.busselton.wa.gov.au/permits-burning-information)