

Council Policy Work Health and Safety

Purpose

The purpose of this Policy is to demonstrate the commitment of the Shire of Boddington (Shire) to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy environment at all Shire.

Scope

This Policy applies to all Shire employees at all Shire workplaces.

Definitions

| Term | Meaning |
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| Policy | This Shire of Boddington policy titled "Work Health and Safety". |
| Workplace | A workplace as defined within the 'Work Health & Safety Act 2020'. |

Policy Statement

The Shire of Boddington regards the provision of a safe and healthy work environment as fundamental to all organisational activities, and essential to maintaining high standards of organisation stability, performance, and governance.

Council allocates resources to achieve the health and safety objectives of the Shire.

The Chief Executive Officer is responsible for:

- Developing and maintaining an organisational culture with a high level of safety and health awareness through a continuous improvement process of consultation, communication, information provision, training, and accountability; and
- Ensuring the development, implementation, and maintenance of a Work Health and Safety Management System.

| Responsible Officer | Chief Executive Officer |
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| History | Adopted 29 April 2015 (Resolution 59/15) |
| | Amended 21 April 2022 (Resolution 35/22) |
| | Amended 23 March 2023 (Resolution 25/23) |
| Delegation | |
| Relevant Legislation | Work Health and Safety Act 2020 |
| _ | Work Health & Safety Regulations (General) 2022 |
| Related Documentation | |