

Local Law

Pest Plants



LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995 AGRICULTURE AND RELATED RESOURCES PROTECTION ACT 1976

Town of Kwinana Pest Plants Local Law

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon it by the above-mentioned Act and all other powers enabling it, the Council of the Town of Kwinana hereby records having resolved on 8 October 2003 to make the following local law.

Citation

1. This local law may be cited as the Town of Kwinana Pest Plants Local Law.

Interpretation

- 2. In these local laws, unless the context otherwise requires -
 - "district" means the district of the Town of Kwinana
 - "local government" means the Town of Kwinana
 - "pest plant" means a plant described as a pest plant by clause 4 of these local laws.
- 3. These local laws apply in respect of the district.
- 4. Every plant described in the First Schedule of these local laws is a pest plant.
- 5. The local government may serve on the owner or occupier of private land within the district, notice requiring him/her to destroy, eradicate or otherwise control any pest plant on that land and any person so served shall comply with that notice within the time and in the manner specified therein.
- 6. Where a person fails to comply with a notice under clause 5 of these local laws served upon him/her, the local government may -
 - (a) without payment of any compensation in respect thereof, destroy, eradicate or control, as the case may be, any pest plant the destruction, eradication or control of which was required by the notice: and
 - (b) recover in a court of competent jurisdiction from the person to whom the notice is directed, the amount of the expense of such destruction, eradication or control.

First Schedule Pest Plants

Common Name Scientific Name

Arum Lily Zantedeshia aethiopica
Bridal Creeper Asparagus asparagoides
Blowngrass Lachnagrostis filiformis

Bulrush Typha orientalis
Caltrop Tribulus terrestris
Cape Tulip Homeria species
Caster Oil Bush Ricinus communis
Carnation Weed Euphorbia terracina
Cottonbush Gomphocarpus fruiticosus

Dock Rumex species
Doublegee Emex australis
Evening Primrose Oenothera species

Gladiolus Gladiolus caryolphyllaceus

Lovegrass Eragrostis curvula
Pampus Grass Cortaderia selloana
Patterson's Curse Echium plantagineum
Pigface Carpobrotus edulis

Thistle Carduus or Cirsium species

Veldt Grass Ehrharta calycina

J H D SLINGER, JP MAYOR	C OUGHTON ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
Town of Kwinana was } hereunto affixed } in the presence of : }	
The Common Seal of the }	
Dated this eighth day of October 2003.	