



COUNCIL POLICY

POLICY TITLE:	GRID SUBSIDY REPLACEMENT PROGRAM
POLICY NUMBER:	044
INFOXPRT REF:	48677
DATE OF ADOPTION:	23 June 2011
TIME PERIOD OF REVIEW	3 Year
DATE OF NEXT REVIEW:	March 2024

1. OBJECTIVES:

To encourage the installation of grids on local roads to improve overall safety.

2. RELEVANT LEGISLATION:

Local Law No. 4 (Gates and Grids)
Subordinate Local Law No. 4 (Gates and Grids)

3. PROCEDURE:

Council will receive application forms through the Works Department to fill in and return for discussion at the next Council Meeting. Council will accept up to six (6) grids for a financial year. Issues such as road hierarchy and safety shall be taken into account.

When an application is added to the Agenda, the number of grids approved for that Financial Year must also be submitted so that Council know how many grids have been approved at that time.

Council will consider replacement of gates with grids.

To be eligible for the subsidy, landholders must agree to contribute an amount as set in the adopted fees and charges. This agreement is bound with the signature of the landholder on the application form.

Once installed the grid and signage shall remain the responsibility of the Richmond Shire Council. Council will not be responsible for periodic cleaning of the grid, cleaning out of the grid is the responsibility of the landholder.

The cost of installation of such grids shall be \$5,000.00 plus signage for the landowner.

4. STANDARD

4.0m x 2.4m and 0.5m deep minimum, with the option of open ended on a case by case basis.

An audit of the grids is to be carried out prior to installation of the grid subsidy approved program. The audit is to determine whether the grids can be upgraded with cement ends mounted to the abutments as an alternative.

5. IMPLEMENTATION

This Policy will commence from the Approval Date (see Section 6). This Policy replaces all other Grid Replacement Program Policies of Richmond Shire Council (whether written or not).

This Policy will be made available to all corporate staff on Council's intranet site/network, and to all outdoor staff at the Depot and via their supervisor/coordinator. Council reserves the right to vary, replace or terminate this Policy from time to time. This Policy will typically be reviewed when a review has been deemed appropriate by organisational processes (e.g. audit recommendations), or when legislative requirements change.

6. APPROVAL

Adopted at the Council Meeting held on 11 December 2018.



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APPLICATION TO INSTALL / RENEW A GRID

If you have any specific enquiries regarding how to complete this form, please contact Council. Please complete this application in BLOCK LETTERS using black pen and tick boxes where applicable. If a question does not apply, please indicate by writing "NA".

Applicant Details			
Name:			
Postal Address:			
Residential Address:			
Phone (W):		Phone (H):	
Mobile:		Fax:	
Email:			
Preferred Contact Method:	<input type="checkbox"/> Phone	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail	<input type="checkbox"/> Email
Signature:	Date://		
Privacy Collection Notice:	<p><i>Richmond Shire Council is collecting your name, residential address and telephone number in accordance with the Local Government Act 2009 in order to process your application. The information will only be accessed by employees of Richmond Shire Council for Council business related activities only. Your information will not be given to any other person or agency unless you have given us permission or we are required by law.</i></p>		
Grid Details			
Name of Owner(s):			
Lot on Plan:			
Name of Road Grid to be installed on:			
Adjacent Properties:			
Chainage (Location):			

Signatures

Signature of Applicant:

Date://

Signature of Owner:

Date://

Signature of Owner:

Date://

Attachments

- 1. Richmond Shire Council Policy- Grid Subsidy Replacement Program

Office use only – Recommendation / Approval
