

BUSH FIRE BRIGADES – AMALGAMATION POLICY

STRATEGIC POLICY

Responsible Department: Cabonne Infrastructure

Responsible Section: Cabonne Infrastructure

Responsible Officer: Deputy General Manager – Cabonne Infrastructure

Objective

To oppose the recommendation of the Standards of Fire cover proposed for Cabonne by the NSW Rural Fire Service.

Introduction

This policy stipulates Cabonne Council's position in relation to potential amalgamation of bush fire brigades across the Cabonne Local Government Area.

Policy

That there be no forced amalgamations of volunteer bush fire brigades within the Cabonne Local Government Area.

Responsibilities

General Manager: responsible for the overall control and implementation of the policy.

Deputy General Managers & Leaders: responsible for the control of the policy and procedures within their area of responsibility.

References

Rural Fires Act 1997

History

Minute No.	Summary of Changes	New Version Date
99/1/16		28/01/99
10/02/17	Readopted by Council	15 February 2010
	Tidied up	August 2012
13/09/30	Readopted as per s165(4)	17 September 2013
18/07/14	Readopted as per s165(4)	24 July 2018
22/11/15	Transferred onto new strategic policy template and position title changes to reflect organizational restructure. Readopted as per s165(4)	22 November 2022