

SPORTS TRUST POLICY

STRATEGIC POLICY

Responsible Department: Cabonne Infrastructure

Responsible Section: Urban Infrastructure

Responsible Officer: Department Leader - Urban Infrastructure

Objective

To ensure effective and efficient management of Council's sporting facilities.

Introduction

This policy defines the responsibility or role of recognised Sports Councils from a Cabonne Council perspective.

Policy

The responsibility or role of Sports Trusts are defined as one in which they participate in:

- Planning of the development of the complex they are associated with.
- Fund Raising.
- Organising and co-ordinating the various sporting bodies involved.
- Being a spokesperson for local public needs i.e. this is especially advantageous where the headquarters are remote from the facility.
- Providing Voluntary labour associated with development.
- Taking bookings and receiving charges made for the fixtures arranged.
- Incurring expenditure where the funds have been raised wholly by the clubs or Sports Trust. In these cases, expenses can be incurred by the Sports Trust or Club with the approval of Council.
- It is maintained that Council should be responsible for incurring all other expenditure and where necessary have control over receipts of income where applicable.

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.

Definitions

LGA: Local Government Area

References

Community Strategic Plan – Located on Council’s website

History

Minute No.	Summary of Changes	New Version Date
1839/38	Policy originally adopted	15 October 1979
10/02/17	Readopted by Council	15 February 2010
	Tidied up by Director of Engineering & Technical Services	June 2013
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22/11/15	Transferred to new policy template and position title changes to reflect organisational restructure.	22 November 2022