PUBLIC NOTICE

Reminder: Keeping of pigs prohibited in town area

Council wish to remind residents that in accordance with Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2014 Part 2 Division 1 Section 5 and Subordinate Local Law No. 2 (Animal Management) 2014 Schedule 1 the keeping of pigs in the designated Cloncurry town area is prohibited.

A person must not keep an animal in contravention of a prohibition under this section. The maximum penalty for a breach of this nature of the Local Law is $5890.00.

If you are in possession of a prohibited pig, you are encouraged to contact Cloncurry Shire Council to arrange its removal.


Council appreciates your cooperation in respect of this matter.

Council also wish to remind residents that swill feeding, being the feeding of foods or food scraps containing animal matter to pigs, poultry or ruminants, is banned. For more information contact Biosecurity Queensland on 13 25 23 or visit www.daf.qld.gov.au/animal-industries/animal-health-and-diseases/protect-your-animals/swill-feeding.

Should you have any queries in respect of this matter, please contact Director Works and Environmental Services Peter Fitchat at the Council Administration Office on 4742 4100.

Yours faithfully,

David Neeves
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Cloncurry Shire Council
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