

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON DELEGATED LEGISLATION



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Dear Mayor

Town of Cottesloe Local Government (Meetings Procedure) Local Law 2021

Thank you for your letter of 30 June 2021, which the Committee considered at its meeting today. The letter was given a public status, meaning you can share it as you wish.

I advise that the Committee accepted the Council's undertakings with respect to the above local law and resolved to discharge the notice of motion to disallow.

Please ensure that when the amendments are gazetted, the explanatory memorandum provided to the Committee draws attention to the fact that the amendments arise from a request from the Committee and the undertakings accepted by it.

The Town's undertakings will be recorded on the Parliament's website, on a webpage specific to the Committee. This serves two purposes:

- It is a point of reference for other local governments and their advisers to ascertain systemic problems with a particular local law and what amendments the Committee has required a local government to make in order for the local law to be valid.
- It enables the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries to trace local governments' compliance with undertakings and thus enhance good governance.

The undertakings may be viewed at www.parliament.wa.gov.au/del under '*Undertakings list for viewing by Local Governments (Current)*'.

If you have any queries in relation to this matter, please contact one of the Committee's Advisory Officers, Mr Alex Hickman, on 9420 7633 or at delleg@parliament.wa.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Geoff Baker". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mr Geoff Baker MLA

Chair

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Local Government Act 1995

TOWN OF COTTESLOE



Local Government Meeting Procedure Amendment Local Law 2021

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995

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Under the powers conferred by the *Local Government Act 1995* and under all other relevant powers, the Town of Cottesloe resolved on xxx to make the following local law.

Part 1 - Preliminary

1.1 Citation

This local law may be cited as the *Town of Cottesloe Meeting Procedure Amendment Local Law 2021*.

1.2 Commencement

This local law comes into operation 14 days after the date of its publication in the *Government Gazette*.

1.3 Principal Local Law amended

This local law amends the Town of Cottesloe Meeting Procedure Local Law as published in the *Government Gazette* on 9 March 2021.

Part 2 – Principal Local Law Amended

2.1 Clause 5.1(2) deleted

Clause 5.1(2) is deleted.

Clauses 5.1(3), 5.1(4) and 5.1(5) are renumbered as clauses 5.1(2), 5.1(3) and 5.1(4) respectively.

2.2 Clause 5.3(12) amended

Clause 5.3(12) is amended by replacing the number “3” with the word “three”.

2.3 Clause 7.5 deleted

Clause 7.5 is deleted.

Clauses 7.6, 7.7, 7.8, 7.9, 7.10, 7.11, 7.12, 7.13, 7.14, 7.15, 7.16, and 7.17 are renumbered as clauses 7.5, 7.6, 7.7, 7.8, 7.9, 7.10, 7.11, 7.12, 7.13, 7.14, 7.15 and 7.16 respectively.

2.4 Clause 8.2(1)(a) amended

Clause 8.2(1)(a) is amended by deleting the word “to” where it appears for the second time in the clause.

2.5 Clause 9.16(2) deleted

Clause 9.16(2) is deleted.

Clauses 9.16(3), 9.16(4), 9.16(5) and 9.16(6) are renumbered as clauses 9.16(2), 9.16(3), 9.16(4) and 9.16(5) respectively.

2.6 Clause 2.1(3)(b) amended

Clause 2.1(3)(b) is amended by replacing 7.10 with 7.9.

2.7 Clause 7.12(c) amended

Clause 7.12(c) is amended by replacing 7.14 with 7.13.

2.8 Clause 7.16(1) amended

Clause 7.16(1) is amended by replacing 7.16 with 7.15.

2.9 Clause 8.1(3) amended

Clause 8.1(3) is amended by replacing 7.8 with 7.7.

2.10 Clause 10.10(2)(a) amended

Clause 10.10(2)(a) is amended by replacing 7.7 with 7.6.

2.11 Clause 14.2(c) amended

Clause 14.2(c) is amended by replacing 7.10 with 7.9.

2.12 Clause 14.2(c) amended

Clause 14.2(c) is amended by replacing 7.10 with 7.9.

2.13 Clause 16.2.1 amended

Clause 16.2.1 is amended by moving the words “the presiding member is to decide questions relating to the conduct of the meeting.” to the next line.

2.14 Clause 19.1 amended

Clause 19.1 is amended by deleting the word “by” and replacing with the words “with in”.

Dated: **xxx**

The Common Seal of the Town of Cottesloe was affixed by the authority of a resolution of council in the presence of:

Lorraine Young
Acting Mayor

Matthew Scott
Chief Executive Officer