



Guide to Services 2017-2018



Rates Payment

Council offers a 5% discount to those who choose to pay their rates by 31 August 2017. Alternatively payments can be made in two instalments on 22 September 2017 and 19 January 2018. Full rates are due on 6 October 2017 if not paying by instalment or in the discount period.

Rates payments can be made online via Council's website, by mail, in person, by phone, BPAY or BPAY View.

Rates Remission

From 1 July 2010 the maximum pensioner rate remission varies depending on whether or not an eligible pensioner is also a customer of the water and sewerage corporation. For the 2017/2018 financial year, in cases where an eligible pensioner is able to receive both a rate remission and a concession for a water and/or sewerage service, they will receive a rate remission of 30% of rates levied capped at a maximum of \$299. In those cases where an eligible pensioner is not a customer of the water and sewerage corporation, they will receive a remission of 30% of rates levied capped at a maximum of \$440.

Eligible card holders include: Pension Concession Card issued by Centrelink, Pension Concession Card issued by the Department of Veterans Affairs and Health Care Card issued by Centrelink (excluding Seniors Health Card).

Building and Development

If you would like to build, renovate or develop property in the Waratah-Wynyard area please contact Council prior to undertaking any changes to land use or commencing any building work to obtain any necessary permits. Fees and charges will apply depending on the property development. For further information please phone 6443 8333 or see our website.

Hiring Council Facilities

Council has a number of facilities across the Municipal Area that are available for hire. An application form to use the facilities needs to be completed to use the facilities. More information is available at Council or by phoning 6443 8333.

Waratah-Wynyard Statistics

Geographic area	3532 sq kms
Roads - Sealed	283kms
Unsealed	242kms
Population	14,000 approx
Property Assessments	7660
Rates Income	\$10,906,091
Operational Expenditure 2017-2018	\$17,704,504
Capital Works Expenditure 2017-2018	\$6,820,096

Council Services

- Animal control
- Asset planning and management
- Cemetery management
- Childrens services
- Community development
- Economic development
- Engineering projects
- Emergency management and community recovery
- Environmental and public health
- Natural resource management
- Maintenance and upgrade of transport infrastructure
- Management of parks, reserves and recreation facilities
- Operation of waste management facilities
- Parks and public reserves
- Recreational services and activities
- Youth and community services
- School immunisations
- Wonders of Wynyard visitor information centre

Contacting Council

General enquiries phone: (03) 6443 8333

Wynyard Waste Transfer Station phone: (03) 6443 8393

Email: council@warwyn.tas.gov.au

Web: www.warwyn.tas.gov.au

Facebook: www.facebook.com/waratahwynyard

Mail: PO Box 168, Wynyard, Tasmania 7325

In person: 21 Saunders Street, Wynyard
or Smith Street, Waratah

Council Offices

21 Saunders Street, PO Box 168

Wynyard, Tasmania 7325

Phone: (03) 6443 8333 Fax: (03) 6443 8383

Smith Street, Waratah, Tasmania 7321

Phone: (03) 6439 7100 Fax: (03) 6439 7101

Email: council@warwyn.tas.gov.au

Web: www.warwyn.tas.gov.au

General Information

Councillors

Name	Contact
Mayor Robby Walsh	0429 422 857
Deputy Mayor Mary Duniam	0408 126 066
Cr Maureen Bradley	0487 196 700
Cr Gary Bramich	0439 611 898
Cr Darren Fairbrother	0417 448 323
Cr Alwyn J Friedersdorff	0408 421 166
Cr Kevin Hyland	0458 420 066
Cr Stephen Wright	6431 7311

Council Meetings

Council Meetings are normally conducted on the third Monday of every month commencing at 6pm. Members of the public are welcome to attend and public question and statements time is held during the meeting. Meeting Agendas are available for inspection at the Council Offices 21 Saunders Street, Wynyard and Smith Street, Waratah on the Thursday prior to the meeting or alternatively can be viewed or downloaded from Council's website.

Major Projects 2017-2018

The 2017 / 2018 Annual Plan and Budget delivers another large investment in infrastructure through Capital works of \$6.9M, which includes \$4.5M in new assets and \$2.4M for the reconstruction, renewal and rehabilitation of our existing assets. Some of the major budget allocations for projects include:

- 897,000 for the Wynyard Goldie Street North Carpark;
- \$450,000 for improvements of the Wynyard Wharf Carpark;
- \$825,000 for a new boardwalk between the Wynyard Wharf and Wynyard;
- \$615,000 for the remediation of Camp Creek;
- \$690,000 for the completion of the Somerset Village Development Plan;
- \$180,000 for the renewal and/or upgrade of the Inglis River Trail;
- \$183,000 for the completion of the Council administration building upgrade.

Waste Management and Disposal Fees

Cars/Station Wagons	\$6
Utilities/Vans/Trailers (less than 2.4m x 1.5m and max of 3.6m ³ in volume)	\$12
Utilities/Vans/Trailers (greater than 2.4m x 1.5m and max of 3.6m ³ in volume)	\$24
Wheelie Bin	\$6
Trucks <5t GVM	\$192
Trucks 6-12t GVM	\$765
Trucks 13-16t GVM	\$1147
Trucks 17-23t GVM	\$1528
Car Tyres (per tyre)	\$9
Truck and Larger Tyres (per tyre)	\$27
Tractor Tyres	\$44
Fridge/Freezers—certified gas free	Free
Fridge/Freezers—uncertified	\$36
Sorted Recyclables	Free
Clean green waste and timber 50% of normal fee	

Waste Transfer Station Locations and Opening Hours

Goldie Street, Wynyard Tasmania 7325

Phone: (03) 6443 8393 Hours: 10am to 4pm (Mon-Sun)

Closed: New Years Day, Good Friday, Anzac Day, Christmas Day and Boxing Day

Waratah Road, Waratah Tasmania 7321

Phone: (03) 6439 7100

Coupons

Each rateable property is issued with 10 coupons to be used for disposal of rubbish or green waste at the Wynyard Transfer Station. Only coupons issued by the Waratah-Wynyard Council will be accepted. Coupons have an expiry date of 31 July each year and are only valid for the period stated on the coupon.

Urban and Rural Waste Collection Services

Waratah-Wynyard waste collection occurs on a weekly basis in the same areas as the fortnightly kerbside recycling service. Waratah waste collection is collected on a fortnightly basis.

Recycling Collection and Disposal

Waratah-Wynyard Council offers a fortnightly kerbside recycling service in Boat Harbour, Sisters Beach, Somerset and Wynyard. Please see Council's website for information on recycling collection dates and maps. The Wynyard Waste Transfer Station also receives recyclables (free of waste and separated into cardboard, glass, aluminium etc.) at no charge.

Water and Sewerage

Urban reticulated water and sewerage services are maintained and administered by TasWater. For enquiries please contact 13 6992 (13 MY WATER).

Street lighting

Street lights are maintained by TasNetworks. To report a faulty street light please contact TasNetworks on 13 2004. You will need to provide the address and if possible the six digit pole ID number.

Animal Control and Management

All dogs over the age of six months must be registered and microchipped.

Dog Registration Fees

	Before 31 July 2017	After 1 August 2017
Domestic dog unsterilised	\$46 per dog	\$92 per dog
Domestic dog sterilised, working dogs, registered breeder and registered greyhounds	\$23 per dog	\$46 per dog
Pensioner	\$12 per dog	\$24 per dog

Pensioner discount applies to the first dog only, additional dogs are charged at the standard rate.

Council has a number of designated off lead dog exercise areas. Please contact Council or visit the website for more information.