

P 9 – Release of Staff to Assist Emergency Services

1 Policy

Council supports and recognises the need of volunteers as members of the emergency services within the Shire and adopts as policy the following:

The CEO or his nominated officer may authorise release of staff, who are trained and registered volunteers to assist the emergency services of which they are a current member, in an emergency situation.

The emergency services are those defined under LEMC (Local Emergency Management Committee) and are:

- Bridgetown VFRS
- St John Ambulance
- Bush Fire Brigades
- State Emergency Services
- Australian Red Cross

2 Applicable Legislation and Documents

Statutory Power <i>(Acts, Regulations, Local Laws, TPS)</i>	<i>Local Government Act 1995</i> s.2.7(2)(b) – The council is to determine the local government’s policies
Shire Policies	N/A
Related Documents	Strategic Community Plan 2021 - 2031
Related Procedure	N/A

3 Administration

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