

# GOSFORD CITY NUCLEAR FREE ZONE (Amendment 1)



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GOVERNANCE AND PLANNING - DEVELOPMENT & COMPLIANCE

## **POLICY OBJECTIVES**

To establish Gosford City as a nuclear free zone.

## POLICY STATEMENT

The City of Gosford is a nuclear free zone.

#### REGULATIONS

Gosford City Council declares the Gosford Local Government area a Nuclear Free Zone. As a Nuclear Free Zone area, Gosford City Council ensure that the Gosford Local Government area:

- a prohibits production, storage or disposal of nuclear waste or by product; or
- b prohibits extraction of uranium, radium or thorium as a primary mineral; or
- c prohibits extraction of these minerals from any other mining activity to be used commercially; or
- d prohibits establishment of any industry or activity involving the treatment or processing of any such mineral or nuclear (e.g. spent fuel reprocessing or conditioning); or
- e prohibits transportation of any nuclear materials through the council boundaries; or
- f prohibits docking of any vessel within the council boundaries that has failed to verify that no radioactive material is on board; or
- g prohibits military training bases that utilise, store or transport depleted uranium stocks; or
- h except in direct and exclusive association with a hospital, medical facility and in any measuring device.
- i erect "Nuclear Free Zone" signs at suitable entry points to the LGA as soon as possible.

#### PROCEDURE

This procedure being an administrative process may be altered as necessary by the General Manager.

Signs will be erected at the City boundaries stating:

"This is a Nuclear Free Zone"

(Minute No 156/1984 - 13 March 1984)
(Minute No 547/1994 - 14 June 1994)
(Minute No 322/1996 - 23 April 1996 - Review of Policies)
(Minute No 239/2000 - 24 October 2000 – Review of Policies – no changes)
(Minute No 214/2005 - 8 March 2005 - Review of Policies)
(Minute No 2007/783 - 4 December 2007)
(Minute No 311/2009 - 5 May 2009 - Review of Policies)
(Min No 2013/388 - 16 July 2013 - Review of Policies)