

Murray River Council

Events Policy



The Murray River Council Events Policy allows Council to assess what permits are required for proposed events and helps streamline approval processes to benefit both Council staff and the community.

Council formally adopted the Murray River Council Events Policy on Tuesday 27 June 2017 at its Ordinary Council Meeting held in Moulamein.

The Policy provides an exemption from requiring a Development Application under the Murray Local Environmental Plan 2011 or Wakool Local Environmental Plan 2013, to hold certain events, providing the proposed event is able to comply with all relevant conditions. Please see below for more details.

Temporary community or retail events or private functions **Conditions to allow the event to proceed without a Development Application**

- 1) Must be for non-for-profit purposes.
- 2) Must be located on Council-owned land or land for which the Council has care, control or management.
- 3) Must have obtained the written consent of Council.
- 4) Must have obtained all required approvals (i.e. Section 68 Local Activity Approval under the *Local Government Act 1993*).
- 5) Must not involve the closure of any public roads.
- 6) Must not have a duration of more than 1 day in any 12-month period.
- 7) Total number of people attending the event must not exceed 1,000 at any time.
- 8) Must not involve the selling of liquor.
- 9) Must not involve any permanent or physical change to any land.

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- 10) Lighting must be provided to facilitate the safe movement of patrons, must not cause glare to adjoining properties and must comply with AS 4282 – 1997, Control of the Obtrusive Effects of Outdoor Lighting.
- 11) Event (including set up and pack down) must take place only during the following periods:
 - a) 7.00am to 10.00pm on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday Friday or Saturday,
 - b) 8.00am to 10.00pm on Sunday.
- 12) Toilet facilities must be available as follows:
 - a) Female facilities – at least three (3) toilets and one (1) hand basin,
 - b) Male facilities – at least one (1) toilet, 1m length of urinal troughs and one (1) hand basin.

Any event which does not meet the above requirements will continue to require a Development Application.