

# Public Notice

## LOCAL PLANNING POLICY AMENDMENT – TREE RETENTION POLICY

The City of Bayswater hereby gives notice that Council at its Ordinary meeting held 27 May 2025 resolved to adopt for public advertising the modifications to the City's Trees on Private Land and Street Verges Policy.

The City's existing Trees on Private Land and Street Verges Policy outlines the requirements for providing, maintaining, protecting and removing trees on private land and within the street verge.

Key modifications to the policy include:

- ☐ Renaming to the Tree Retention Policy.
- ☐ Introduction of a new terms 'tree damaging activity' and 'regulated tree' (trees 8 metres or higher and meet the specified criteria).
- ☐ Provisions that discourage the removal of a 'regulated tree'.
- ☐ Provisions that outline when development approval is required for the tree damaging activity.
- ☐ Provisions that outline the policy does not apply to single houses and existing developments.
- ☐ Updates to the format and layout.

Documents setting out and explaining the policy are available between 8:30am and 4:30pm, Monday to Friday up to and including 10 July 2025 at City of Bayswater Civic Centre and libraries and on the City's engagement website: [engage.bayswater.wa.gov.au](https://engage.bayswater.wa.gov.au).

Submissions can be made on or before 4:30pm, **Thursday 10 July 2025** by:

- ☐ Electronically by filling out the feedback form on the City's engagement website.
- ☐ Emailing [mail@bayswater.wa.gov.au](mailto:mail@bayswater.wa.gov.au).
- ☐ In writing to the Chief Executive Officer, City of Bayswater, PO Box 467, Morley, WA 6943.
- ☐ Lodging it at the City's Civic Centre or libraries



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