

Hills Local Laws

Help us to finalise our By-laws for Roads and Township Bird Management



Following community engagement feedback, we have made amendments to our proposed By-laws for Roads and Township Bird Management.

We are seeking feedback on these proposed amendments prior to finalising our local laws.

During July 2025, we asked for your feedback on proposed changes / revisions to our existing six By-laws as well as a proposed additional By-law for livestock and bee management.

At the Council Meeting held on 12 August 2025, Council endorsed the revisions / changes to existing By-laws:

- No. 1 Permits and Penalties
- No. 2 Moveable Signs
- No. 3 Local Government Land
- No. 5 Dogs
- No. 6 Cats

Proposed amendments to By-law No. 4 Roads

In July 2025, we proposed a key change to the existing By-law to include a new section covering residential waste bin management. This section included a timeframe for placing domestic waste, recyclables and green organics container on the kerbside for collection.



Following community feedback:

- We have increased this timeframe by 10 hours, to allow bins to be placed on the kerbside from 6.00am the day prior to collection.
- The timeframe for waste bins to be returned to properties remains at up to 24 hours after waste collection.

The draft By-law continues to include the following changes that were engaged on in July 2025. We are not seeking further feedback on the below changes:

- Detail around the positioning of domestic waste containers on the roadside.
- A new section covering residents altering the vegetation within council verges.



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Proposed amendments to new By-law No. 7 Township Bird Management

In July 2025, we proposed a new By-law covering the ownership of livestock, roosters and bee management within designated townships.

Following community feedback:

- Bee management and hooved livestock ownership have been removed from this By-law.
- The newly named By-law No. 7 Township Bird Management will now focus on roosters and pigeons within designated townships. Residents wishing to have rooster or pigeons within townships will require permission from council. This approval process will not incur a fee to residents.



Share your feedback in one of the following ways:

- Complete the online feedback form at engage.ahc.sa.gov.au or via the QR code below
- Email engage@ahc.sa.gov.au
- Mail a letter to Community Engagement, 63 Mount Barker Road, Stirling SA 5152
- Phone 8408 0400
- Collect a hardcopy feedback form from any AHC Library or Customer Service Centre and submit via any of the ways listed above or by handing into our Council Service Centres or Libraries at:
 - Coventry Library, 63 Mt Barker Rd, Stirling
 - Woodside Service Centre, 26 Onkaparinga Valley Road, Woodside
 - Gumeracha Civic Centre, 45 Albert Street, Gumeracha
 - The Summit Community Centre, 4 Crescent Dr, Norton Summit

This engagement closes at 5pm on Tuesday 23 September 2025.

