

# ROADSIDE MEMORIALS

## POLICY

POL-RDS 04

### Objective:

To determine how the City of Mandurah (the 'City') will deal with requests for roadside memorials and manage existing or recently installed roadside memorials.

### Statement:

A roadside memorial can be described as an object or image constructed, erected, planted, painted or placed on the road or within the road reserve in honour of family or friends whose lives have been lost on the road.

The City recognises and respects people's grief and their choice to honour the memories of their loved one/s by erecting some type of roadside memorial, however it also acknowledges the need to provide a safe and efficient road network for all road users.

In considering requests for a roadside memorial, the City will:

- 1) refer to Main Roads Western Australia (MRWA) all requests that relate to the National Route 1 sections of Fremantle Road, Mandurah Road, Old Coast Road and Dawesville Bypass as well as Pinjarra Road east of the National Route, to be dealt with in accordance with their "Roadside Memorials Policy and Guidelines" documentation
- 2) deal with all other requests, as well as the management of existing roadside memorials on all other roads within the City in accordance with City guidelines.

**Responsible Directorate:** Works and Services

**Reviewer:** Manager Technical Services

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**Related Documentation:** Policy POL-RDS 06 Urban Tree Management  
Main Roads Australia Roadside Memorial Policy & Guidelines  
City of Mandurah Roadside Memorials Management Guideline