

By-law made under the Local Government Act 1999

WATER CONSERVATION BY-LAW 2021 By-law No. 8 of 2021

To assist in the conservation of water and protect the integrity of Council's water supply network.

Part 1 - Preliminary

1. Short Title

This by-law may be cited as the Water Conservation By-law 2021.

2. Commencement

This by-law will come into operation four months after the day on which it is published in the *Gazette* in accordance with Section 249(5) of the *Local Government Act* 1999.

3. Definitions

In this by-law:

- 3.1 **new swimming pool** means a swimming pool in respect of which construction is completed after the commencement of this by-law;
- 3.2 **swimming pool** includes any public or private swimming pool, spa pool, waterslide pool, wave pool, hydrotherapy pool or other similar structure;
- 3.3 water means water supplied by the Council by way of a water supply network.

Part 2 - Water Conservation Measures

4. Swimming Pools

- 4.1 A person must not use water to fill for the first time a new swimming pool except under the authority of a permit.
- 4.2 A person must not use water to refill a swimming pool except under the authority of a permit if the volume of water to be used exceed or be likely to exceed 30 kilolitres.

5. Other Significant uses of Water

- 5.1 A person must not use more than 5 kilolitres of water per hour for any purpose without providing the Council with at least 48 hours written notice prior to commencing the use.
- 5.2 Paragraph 5.1 does not apply to a use of water authorised by a permit granted for the purposes of paragraph 4 of this by-law.

Note: Without limiting its operation, the provisions of this paragraph may apply to:

- the operation of a large-scale sprinkler system;
- a private contractor utilising Council's standpipe;
- water-carting operations.

The foregoing by-law was duly made and passed at a meeting of the District Council of Coober Pedy held on the 2 TL day of 1 Cooper 2021.

Mr Dean Miller

Chief Executive Officer