

# Shire of Leonora

## R.V. Site Guidelines

Under Caravan Park and Camping Ground Regulations 1997, Council can provide an unfettered Rest Area for up to 72 hours, on land vested or owned by Council; beyond that period permission is required in writing of the WA Minister for Local Government.

Travellers are permitted to stay in cases of an emergency to driver or passenger, as defined in the Caravan Park and Camping Ground Act 1995, until the emergency is over and the travellers are able to safely resume their journey.

A Rest Area is NOT a licenced camp area as defined by Regulation 49 of the Act.

Specifics:

The Campervan and Motorhome Club of Australia (CMCA) does not promote unrestricted access to a Rest Area that has been set up by Council as part of the RV Friendly Town Scheme.

CMCA requests Council Rest Areas conform to the Leave No Trace Code of Practice.

1. ALL VEHICLES using the Rest Area should be fully self-contained defined either by certification by CMCA, as conforming to the CMCA Leave No Trace (LNT) Scheme, or inspection by a Council Officer. CMCA issues a LNT green and gold certificate to its members for windscreen display. This certification may also be accessed by CONFORMING CARAVANS AND OTHER VEHICLES
2. ALL WASTE MUST BE CONTAINED WITHIN THE VEHICLE AND NOTHING RELEASED TO GROUND.
3. The only EXCEPTION to full self-containment is for grey water waste which MUST BE CONTAINED within a sealed 20L container and disposed of in the town Dump Point.
4. Mobile power generators external to the vehicle should only be used to top-up internal batteries. Suggest 2 hours any time up to 6pm.
5. USE OF THE SHORT TERM REST AREA is restricted to no more than 1, 2 or 3 CONSECUTIVE DAYS.
6. Rest Area fees must be paid at the Office of the Leonora-Gwalia Museum which is located approximately 200 metres east of the RV site. (see attached aerial map)
7. A WINDSCREEN DISPLAYED AUTHORISED RECEIPT indicates authority to park over.
8. VEHICLE CHOCKS impacting in a negative way on the parking surface are not permitted. More noticeable on wet or damp ground.
9. As the DUMP POINT is not within the confines of the Rest Area, Council signage indicates its LOCATION – Leonora Information Bay Tower Street, Leonora.
10. THE REST AREA IS NOT AVAILABLE TO TENTERS or NON-CONFORMING VEHICLES
11. NON SELF-CONTAINED VEHICLES SHOULD USE THE CARAVAN PARK located on Rochester Street, Leonora. Daily Park fees are \$30.00 PER NIGHT POWERED and \$20.00 PER NIGHT UNPOWERED. Shower Facilities available at \$4.00 PER PERSON.
12. Externally strung WASHING LINES breach the LNT scheme and ARE AN OHS HAZARD.
13. Recording constitutes an important part of Risk Management. Name, Vehicle Registration Number, Owners' Name, and LNT Certification Number (Issued to CMCA members May 2013), will be recorded on the Fee Slip.

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