



Council Policy Manual 2017

Division 2 – Works and Plant as at 23 June 2022

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2.1.5 Use of Heavy Vehicle Combinations on Local Roads

The Chief Executive Officer in conjunction with the Works Manager is authorised to give the Shires agreement to applications to operate applicable heavy vehicle combinations on local roads subject to:

The Shire of Victoria Plains approves the use of the following vehicles on listed local roads (see Permitted Road Table) in the Shire of Victoria Plains subject to compliance with Restricted Access Vehicle Permits issued by Main Roads WA and Shire conditions listed in the road table:-

VEHICLES PERMITTED:

Rigid Trucks to 12.5 metres

Rigid Trucks towing Pig Trailers to 20 metres
Prime Mover with Semi Trailer to 19 metres

Prime Mover with Semi Trailer towing Pig Trailer to 20 metres
Rigid Trucks towing Dog Trailers to 25 metres

Prime Mover with Semi Trailer towing Pig Trailer to 27.5 metres
B Doubles to 27.5 metres

Prime Mover towing two Semi Trailers to 27.5 metres

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

It is the responsibility of the permit holder to familiarise themselves with permit conditions as issued by Main Roads WA and the Shire of Victoria Plains.

Permitted Road Table:-

Behanging South Road (max speed 60kph)	Behanging North Road (Between Wongan Hills Calingiri Rd and Carani East Rd only, not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required - max speed 60kph)
Benaring Road (max speed 60kph)	Big Springs Road (max speed 60kph)
Bin Road (max speed 40kph)	Bindoon Moora Road (Between Wannamal West Rd and Padbury St Moora)
Blood Road (max speed 60kph)	Bolgart East Road (no operation during school bus hours)
Bolgart West Road	Bulligan Road (max speed 60kph)
Bull Road (Max speed 60kph) LV A	Calcarra East Road LV B
Calcarra West Road (max speed 60kph)	Calingiri Goomalling Road
Calingiri New Norcia Road	Calingiri West Road (forms part of Wongan Hills-Calingiri Road network)

Campbell Street (max speed 40kph)	Carani East Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required - max speed 60kph)
Carani West Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required - max speed 70kph) LV A	Catabody Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required)
Catabody West Road (Calingiri New Norcia Rd 1.6km to farm only - max speed 60kph)	Clarke Road (max speed 60kph)
Corondine Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required - max speed 60kph)	Duggan Road (max speed 60kph)
Edmonds Road (max speed 60kph)	Emmanuel Street (max speed 60kph)
Erickson Road (max speed 60kph) LV A	
Fordham Road LV B	Gillingarra New Norcia Road (max speed 60kph)
Gillingarra Glentromie Road	Gillingarra Road (max speed 60kph)
Glentromie Yerecoin Road	Golf Course Road (Between Toodyay Bindi Rd & Woods Rd only - max speed 60kph)
Goudge Road (max speed 60kph)	Great Northern Highway
Hawkins Road	Howard Road LV A
Konnongorring West Road	Longman Road (no operation by RAV's when visibly wet)
Martin Road (between Yerecoin South East Rd and	Meston Road

Carani East Rd only, not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required)	
Mogumber West Road	Mogumber Yarrowindah Road
Motoning Road (max speed 60kph) LV A	Newdale Road
Nicholas Street (max speed 60kph)	O'Dea Place (max speed 40kph)
Old Telegraph South Road	Old Plains Road

Poincare Street (max speed 60kph)	Parker Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required, max speed 60kph, between Wongan Hills Calingiri Road and Goudge Road only)
Skilling Road (Between Glentromie-Yerecoin Rd & Salt Rd only, max speed 60kph) LV A	Pither Road
Somers Street (from Toodyay Bindi Rd to Poincare St, max speed 60kph)	Smith Street (max speed 60kph)
Sykes Road (max speed 60kph)	Sudholz Road (max speed 60kph) LV A
Thompson Road	Toodyay Bindi Bindi Road (Toodyay shire boundary to Wongan Hills Calingiri Road/Wongan Hills Calingiri Road to Moora shire boundary)
Waddington Wongan Hills Road (Wongan shire boundary to Toodyay Bindi Bindi Road/Toodyay Bindi Bindi Road to Great Northern Highway)	Wirrilda Road
Wongan Hills Calingiri Road	Woods Road (not to be used as a through route, proof of access is required, between Carani East Rd and Yerecoin South East Rd only)
Wyening East Road (max speed 60kph) LV A	Wyening West Road (max speed 60kph) LV A
Yenart Road	Yerecoin South East Road

Through traffic passing through the Shire of Victoria Plains of the vehicle categories described are only permitted to utilise the following roads:

Main Roads (as per conditions allowed by the Commissioner of Main Roads) being:-

- New Norcia Calingiri Road
- Calingiri Goomalling Road
- Wongan Hills Calingiri Road
- Calingiri West Road
- Bindoon Moora Road
- Great Northern Highway

Local Roads:

- Mogumber West Road
- Mogumber Yarrawindah Road
- Wongan Hills Waddington Road
- Toodyay Bindi Bindi Road



When traffic of the vehicle categories as described above are utilised for the servicing of primary producers or businesses within the Shire of Victoria Plains, approval is granted for the use of listed local roads within the Shire subject to those vehicles involved taking the shortest possible route to and from the properties involved and the operator being able to provide documentation as proof of access if challenged by an authorised person.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Operators wishing to vary the conditions as detailed in this policy must contact MainRoads WA for approval prior to road access.

1. Local Government conditions will vary according to the road network, topography and traffic.
2. Other:
 - a. Gravel roads affected by rain may be closed forthwith. **It is the responsibility of the operator to contact the Local Authority for advice if heavy rains have fallen in the area.**
 - b. School buses operate on most local authority roads. Operators are required to avoid gravel roads in the Shire of Victoria Plains between the hours of 7am – 9am and 3pm – 5pm pm on school days.
 - c. Operators must at all times show all courtesy to school buses and local traffic.
 - d. Speed limits for permit vehicles are:
 - i. Unsealed open road 60 km / hour;
 - ii. Built up areas 50 km / hour or 10 km below the designated speed limit whichever is the lesser; or
 - iii. As outlined by Main Roads WA.
 - e. Council may review its policy and add or remove roads from the permitted roads table as they see fit subject to endorsement by the Commissioner of Main Roads.
 - f. Local Road Permits will be issued on a twelve month approval basis and approval and conditions may be reviewed annually.
 - g. It is the responsibility of the permit holder to renew their permit/s with the Local Authority prior to their expiry.
 - h. All heavy vehicle operators using Shire roads should ensure that they have a CB Radio to make contact with school bus operators at all times.



2.1.6 Boundary Road Maintenance

The Shire of Victoria Plains accepts the full responsibility for the maintenance and construction on the 10.3km of the Gabalong West Road which is a boundary road and the Shire of Moora accept full responsibility for maintenance and construction on the 5km of Gabalong East Road which is a boundary road.

The Shire of Victoria Plains agrees to maintain the following roads or portion of roads (as shown in Councils Road Inventory), which have a common boundary with the Shire of Wongan Ballidu.

- ▶ Sudholz Road
- ▶ Sandplain Road
- ▶ Duggan road
- ▶ Martin Road

2.3.1 Restrictions on use of plant for private works

The Shire will refrain from hiring out small equipment such as welders, jackhammers, concrete mixer, kango rotary hammer, plate compactor, vibrating roller and chainsaws.

The Shires grader shall not be used for ripping out stumps.

Shire plant shall be available for private works hire subject to the operation of the machine being by Shire operators, prior inspection and approval of the job by the Shires Works Manager and if the cost of the works exceeds \$5,000 prepayment of at least 50% of the account by the user.

All fees for private works are charged as per the Shire's Fees and Charges Schedule.

2.3.4 Private Works for Non Profit Community and Sporting Groups

Shire plant will be made available for non profit community and sporting groups when such a usage does not interfere with Shire programs and subject to approval by the Works Manager under the following conditions:-

- a) The organisation is to make satisfactory payment arrangements for Shire operators on all plant.
- b) Costs of fuel only will be charged to the organisation.
- c) The organisation is a local group to the Shire of Victoria Plains.
- d) Satisfactory arrangements are made with the Shires Works Manager.



2.4.7 Landfill Site Hours and Access Outside of Hours Policy

STATEMENT OF INTENT

A policy to outline the hours of operation for Shire landfill sites and arrangements for access outside of those operating hours.

OBJECTIVE

To provide reasonable access for Shire of Victoria Plains ratepayers and residents, whilst allowing for improved management of the landfill sites (as per statutory and operational requirements) and maximising the operational life of the landfill sites.

POLICY

1. Hours of operation (site is manned and open for public access).

Calingiri Landfill

Wednesday: 9:00am to 11:30am Saturday:
12:30pm to 4:00pm Sunday: 9:00am to
3:00pm

Bolgart Landfill

Wednesday: 12:30pm to 4:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am to 11:30am

Mogumber Landfill

All residents wishing to dump waste at the Mogumber Landfill Site must request a key to access the site. A refundable deposit as per current Fees & Charges must be paid before the restricted key will be issued.

2. Access to landfill sites during hours of operation.

Shire ratepayers and residents with current tip passes can access the Calingiri and Bolgart landfill sites at any time during the hours of operation.

The Mogumber landfill site is closed at all times for public access.

3. Access to landfill sites outside of opening hours.

Shire ratepayers and residents with current tip passes can access the Calingiri and Bolgart landfill sites (during office hours only Monday-Friday) by arrangement with the Shire Works and Services Manager (or Chief Executive Officer or Corporate Services Manager in his/her absence). A key is to be obtained from the Shire administration office (bond payable), returned on the day and a Shire employee will supervise the depositing of waste materials at the landfill site.

No landfill site keys will be issued to residents or ratepayers on a permanent basis.

4. Fees and bonds payable.

Fees and bonds payable will be as per the current Shire of Victoria Plains Schedule of Fees and Charges