

Infant & Feral Animals at Griffith Pound

POLICY – GC-CP-704



Directorate	Executive Services	
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Policy Objective

To promote efficient and effective operations at the Griffith City Pound.

Policy Statement

In accordance with Section 64(2) of the Companion Animals Act 1998, feral and infant companion animals seized or surrendered to Council's pound may be able to be destroyed prior to the standard holding period as set out in Section 64(1) of the Act.

Such destruction may occur if it is the opinion of Council Rangers that such animals are unsuitable or unlikely to be re-homed.

Definitions

'Feral' is an animal in wild state, especially after having been domesticated (Oxford dictionary).

Exceptions

None

Legislation

Section 64(2) of Companion Animals Act 1998

Related Documents

None

Policy History

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1	11/05/10	0142
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