



Policy 5.1.6 – Sealed Roads – Contribution by Adjoining Landowners

1. Policy Purpose

To provide an opportunity to improve an unsealed rural road surface to an adjacent property owner who are inundated with wind borne dust from the road surface and based on a 50% cost share arrangement. This will be subject to funding availability each year within the Shire's budget and on a "first in, first served" basis.

2. Policy Scope

On agreement with the property owner and subsequent 50% contribution from them, the Shire of Harvey (the Shire) will arrange to construct, waterbind, primerseal and subsequent sealing of previously unsealed road adjacent to a residence.

3. Policy

3.1. Dust Control on Rural Roads

Depending on the availability of funding in any particular year, the Shire may contribute 50% of the cost of constructing, waterbinding, priming and subsequent sealing of appropriate lengths of previously unsealed road adjacent to a residence or other buildings for the purpose of dust control, if the owner/s of the property concerned agree to contribute 50% of the cost.

Council shall include an annual allocation within its budget of no greater than \$35,000.

Any application received shall be considered on its merit and the Director Infrastructure Services will use the "first come - first served" system up to the maximum annual allocation.

Any one project cannot receive an allocation of more than \$15,000 from this annual allocation, without Council approval.

Any unspent funds shall be carried forward to the next financial year and topped up to the value of \$35,000

4. Strategic Objective

The policy aligns with the following strategic objective:



Effective civic leadership

Effective civic leadership is visionary and influential. It means listening to the community, balancing competing demands, making fair decisions and acting with integrity.

5. Definitions

- Nil.

6. Legislation

- Nil.

7. Related Documents

- Nil.

Responsible officer	Director Infrastructure		
Responsible team	Engineering		
Responsible area	Engineering Services		
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