

# Firebreaks Collection Notice

*A Breath of Fresh Air*

## Who we are and how to contact us

The Shire of Harvey collects, holds and manages personal information to deliver Ranger Services relating to firebreaks and fire hazards.

If you have questions about how your personal information is handled, or wish to request access to your information, please contact:

### Privacy Officer

Shire of Harvey  
102 Uduc Road, Harvey WA 6220  
Phone: (08) 9729 0300  
Email: [privacy@harvey.wa.gov.au](mailto:privacy@harvey.wa.gov.au)

## Why we are collecting your information

Your personal information is collected for the purpose of:

- managing firebreak requirements and variations
- conducting firebreak inspections
- investigating fire hazards and fire-related complaints
- investigating offences such as lighting fires without a permit

## How your information may be disclosed

Your personal information may be used and disclosed for the purposes outlined above.

The Shire may disclose personal information to:

- State Government agencies (e.g. Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES), WA Police)
- State Government statutory authorities (e.g. Water Corporation)
- Local Government authorities
- volunteer fire brigades
- contractors engaged by the Shire

Information may also be disclosed where authorised or required by law.

## How we're authorised to collect your information

We collect, use and disclose your personal information in accordance with applicable laws, including:

- Bush Fires Act 1954 and associated Regulations

## Consequences of not providing information

If you choose not to provide certain information, the Shire may be unable to:

- assess or approve firebreak variations
- carry out inspections or compliance activities
- investigate fire hazards or offences
- proceed with ranger investigations