LOCAL GOVERNMENT INSTRUMENTS

CITY OF MOUNT GAMBIER

Review of Representation

Notice is hereby given that the City of Mount Gambier has reviewed its composition and elector representation arrangements in accordance with the requirements of Section 12 of the *Local Government Act 1999* (the Act).

Pursuant to Section 12(13)(a) of the Act, the Electoral Commissioner has issued a certificate that the review undertaken by Council satisfies the requirements of Section 12 of the Act.

The following arrangements will therefore take effect from polling day of the next periodic Local Government election:

- The principal member of the Council will be a Mayor elected by the electors for the area,
- The Council area will not be divided into wards,
- The future elected body of Council will comprise the Mayor and eight (8) area councillors, all of whom will represent the whole of the Council area and shall be elected by the community at a council-wide election.

Dated: 17 April 2025

SARAH PHILPOTT
Chief Executive Officer

CITY OF TEA TREE GULLY

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1999
DOG AND CAT MANAGEMENT ACT 1995

By-law No. 7 of 2024—Cats By-law 2024

For the management and control of cats within the Council's area.

PART 1—PRELIMINARY

1. Short Title

This by-law may be cited as the *Cats By-law 2024*.

2. Commencement

This by-law will come into operation on 31 July 2025, but not earlier than four months after the day on which it is published in the Gazette in accordance with Section 249(5) of the *Local Government Act 1999*.

3. Definitions

3.1 In this by-law:

3.1.1 **authorised person** has the same meaning as in the *Dog and Cat Management Act 1995*;

3.1.2 **cattery** means a building, structure, premises or area approved by the relevant authority pursuant to the *Planning, Development and Infrastructure Act 2016* for the keeping of cats on a temporary or permanent basis;

3.1.3 **cat** means an animal of the species *Felis catus* over three months of age;

3.1.4 **effective control by means of physical restraint**, with respect to a cat, means:

3.1.4.1 the person is exercising effective control of the cat by means of a chain, cord or leash that does not exceed two metres in length restraining the cat;

3.1.4.2 the person has effectively secured the cat by placing it in a cage, vehicle or other object or structure;

3.1.5 **keep** includes the provision of food or shelter;

3.1.6 **premises** includes:

3.1.6.1 land;

3.1.6.2 a part of any premises or land;

3.1.7 **prescribed premises** means:

3.1.7.1 a cattery;

3.1.7.2 a veterinary practice;

3.1.7.3 a pet shop; or

3.1.7.4 any premises for which the Council has granted an exemption;

3.1.8 **public notice** has the same meaning as in Section 4(1aa) of the *Local Government Act 1999*;

3.1.9 **responsible for the control** means a person who has possession or control of the cat;

3.1.10 **wander at large** means, with respect to a cat, the cat is in a public place or a private place without the consent of the occupier, and no person is exercising effective control by means of physical restraint.

3.2 For the purposes of this by-law:

3.2.1 the **prescribed limit**, in respect of the number of cats to be kept on premises, is two cats;

3.2.2 the **prescribed manner** in which a cat is to be identified at all times while the cat is not effectively confined to premises of which the owner of the cat is the occupier is by means of a collar around its neck to which a tag is attached legibly setting out:

3.2.2.1 the name of the owner of the cat, or of a person entitled to possession of the cat; and

3.2.2.2 either:

(a) the address of the owner or other person; or

(b) the telephone number of the owner or other person.