ADMINISTRATION POLICIES

LEGAL ACTION



OBJECTIVE:

To provide a framework for the efficient and effective administration of Council and ensure that the community is well informed of Council decisions.

POLICY

That all legal advice obtained by Council is to be obtained through the General Manager and before initiating any legal action to prosecute, Council seek legal opinion as to its likely chances of success or the likely outcome of the action.

REASON

To ensure Council is fully aware of its position prior to deciding whether or not to enter into legal action.



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