

Bush Fire Advisory Committee

Terms of Reference

The Shire of Dowerin Bush Fire Advisory Committee (the Committee) is established under the *Bush Fires Act 1954*.

OBJECTIVES:

The primary purpose of the Committee is to provide guidance and advice on all matters relating to preventing, controlling and extinguishing of bush fires.

The Committee will also advise on the layout of fire breaks in the district, formations of bush fire brigade.

The Committee will assist in ensuring the cooperation and coordination of bush fire brigades.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE

The Committee will consist of the following:

- At least one Elected Member of Council;
- The Chief Bush Fire Control Officer; and
- Other interested members of the Brigades and the community.

MEETINGS

The Committee will meet at least once per annum and more frequently if required.

MINUTES

The minutes of meetings will be presented at the next possible Ordinary Meeting of Council.