



## ROADS - POLICY - Street Lighting

### POLICY

Council will provide a consistent approach to the design, application and installation of public lighting throughout the Upper Hunter Shire Council area.

Council will adhere to AS/NZS 1158:2005 where possible with respect to maintaining adequate levels of street lighting on streets and footpaths within urban and village areas.

### Objective

The objectives of the Policy are to:

- Provide direction and consistency in the management of external public lighting across the Upper Hunter Shire.
- Improve equity in the distribution of public lighting across the Upper Hunter Shire Council area.
- Establish an appropriate level of lighting in residential streets and laneways, which adheres to the relevant Australian Standard.
- Improve the environmental performance of public lighting installations, particularly regarding the energy efficiency of the lighting types with respect to reducing greenhouse gas emissions.
- Ensure that all requests for public lighting are dealt with consistently and in a manner which has taken into account factors such as community expectations, relevant standards, costs and environmental, health and safety issues.

### Procedures/Practice

As detailed in the "Guidelines for Street Lighting Policy" adopted by Council in September 2013.

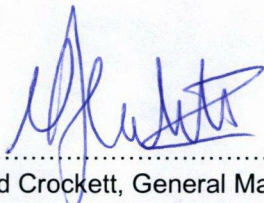
### References

This policy was adopted by Council at its meeting on 25 September 2017 and replaces the policy of the same title dated 22 February 2016.

### Review Date

September 2020 by Manager Works Delivery

Authorised by:

  
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