

How can I pay my rates?

For your convenience, there are three options to choose from when it comes to paying your rates:



Option 1

Payment **in full** by
22 September 2026



Option 2

Payment via four equal
instalments

To pay by instalments, the full option 2 amount must be paid in one payment by 22 September 2026



Option 3

Set up **flexible payments** with Payble, check balances, receive reminders and adjust as needed



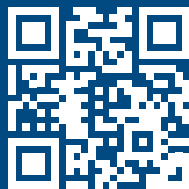
Difficulty paying rates?

If you are experiencing difficulty paying your rates by the specified due date, please contact the Shire Rates Team

Visit website rates page for full payment details

Firebreak and Fuel Load Notice coming soon

Please keep an eye out for your annual Firebreak Notice in the coming weeks. It will be published in the Echo News and available on the Shire website, social media channels and other Shire communications.



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Growing with you

Our plan for the year ahead 2026/27



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President's message



Council is proud to present Shire of Mundaring's 2026/27 Budget, a financially responsible and transparent plan that delivers on our community's priorities while investing in the future of the Shire.

This budget delivers important improvements across the Shire, including modern, accessible changerooms at Boya, Glen Forrest and the Mundaring Sporting Club, ensuring our sporting facilities continue to meet the needs of a growing and active community. In partnership with the Australian Government, we are also upgrading Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade stations, supporting the dedication of our volunteers and strengthening community safety and emergency preparedness.

Our commitment to local infrastructure remains strong, with funding to maintain more than 681 kilometres of local roads, 4,000 hectares of environmental reserve and public open space and 70 kilometres of trails, while continuing to improve footpaths and enhance playgrounds through the installation of additional shade sails for families to enjoy.

Protecting our unique environment also remains a priority. This year's budget expands our successful Seedlings for Landcare program, providing Firewise plants for urban areas and supporting residents to create safer, more resilient and sustainable

landscapes. We will also continue initiatives that enhance environmental stewardship and protect the natural assets that make the Perth Hills such a special place to live.

We are equally committed to supporting the people who make our community thrive through expanded youth services, community events and programs that foster connection, wellbeing and belonging. These initiatives help build a stronger, more inclusive and connected community for all ages.

Looking ahead, we will undertake extensive community consultation to develop Place Plans for our Foothills, Hills and Rural regions. These plans will help guide future growth, shape local priorities and ensure our communities continue to meet the needs and aspirations of current and future generations.

These investments are supported by a modest 3.9% rates increase, broadly in line with CPI and wage growth. Council has worked hard to balance responsible financial management with ongoing improvements to the services, facilities and infrastructure our community expects and deserves.

I encourage you to explore our Plan for the Future – Council Plan, which outlines the full range of projects, programs and priorities that will support our community in the years ahead.

Thank you for your continued contribution to making the Shire of Mundaring a wonderful place to live, work and belong.

Paige McNeil
Shire President

Council members

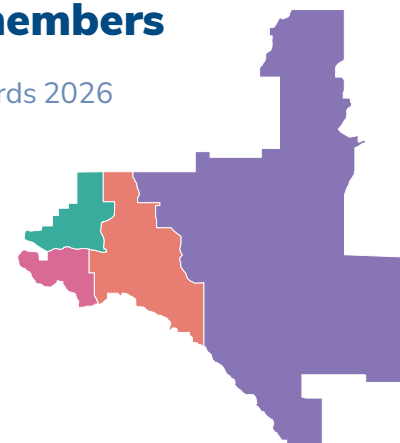
Details and Wards 2026

West Ward

South Ward

Central Ward

East Ward



Council members (Councillors) provide an important channel for community input on decisions that shape how you live. You can contact them directly using their individual email addresses listed on our website, please note that emails sent to the Shire's general inbox may be handled by staff and not forwarded, and all correspondence is recorded in the Shire's records system.



Scan to view Councillors' contact details and connect directly with your local representatives



Left-Right: Paige McNeil (President), Cr Luke Ellery, Cr Ben Heptinstall, Cr Jo Cicchini, Cr Matt Woods, Cr Prapti Mehta, Cr Toni Strutt, Cr John Daw, Cr Dave Grills

How your rates are spent



Projects 2026 - 2027

Foothills Community	
Fraser Park Playground Upgrade	\$120,000
Boya Oval Changerooms Upgrade	\$2,100,000
Brown Park Oval Dog Park	\$430,000
Brown Park Toilet Block	\$155,000
Sunset Hill Road Footpath	\$97,000
Grundy Park Playground Shade Sails	\$30,000

Hills Community	
Mundaring Cultural Hub Construction (Stage Build)	\$9,000,000
Mundaring Sculpture Park Upgrades (Amphitheatre Area)	\$1,820,000
Glen Forrest Changeroom Upgrade	\$2,100,000
Brooking Road Extension	\$2,300,000
Bilgoman Pool Solar and Heat	\$480,000
Richardson Road Footpath	\$171,000

Rural Community	
Chidlow Pavilion Incident Control Centre Upgrades	\$775,000
Bailup Road, Wooroloo Bridge Renewal	\$526,000
Chidlow RV Park	\$100,000
Douglas Road Gravel Road Seal	\$240,000
Lake Leschenaultia New Pontoon	\$35,000
Lake Leschenaultia Camp Kitchen Upgrade	\$34,000