

# **Banana Shire Council**

ABN 85 946 116 646

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# RATE NOTICE

For the Period

01-07-2022 to 31-12-2022

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JANINE M WILLIAMS & OTHERS PO BOX 125 BLI BLI QLD 4560

Banana Shire Council Customer Service:

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Phone: (07) 4992 9500 Fax: (07) 4992 3493 Email: enquiries@banana.qld.gov.au

**AREA:** 1918.00m<sup>2</sup> **ASSESSMENT NO:** 10679-00000-000

**DATE OF ISSUE:** 08-08-2022 **PAYMENT DUE DATE:** 12-09-2022

**FIRE CATEGORY:** 5

PAYMENT REFERENCE: 13064613
RATE GROUP: 3-BILOELA
VALUATION: \$255000
VALUATION DATE: 30-06-2021



For emailed notices: banana.enotices.com.au Reference No: 709BEC255P

Property Location and Description 22-24 GLADSTONE ROAD,BILOELA QLD L77/SP125766:PAR PRAIRIE Light Industry

# Rates and Charges for Half Year Ending 31-12-2022

General Rates Differential Rate Category - 2 - Biloela Town - Other	255000	UCV	@1.205925c in \$	\$2787.29
(Increase capped @ 10% on \$2533.90)		CHGE		
Water Access Charge	1.5	CHGE	@\$406.85	\$610.28
Sewer	1	CHGE	@\$366.52	\$366.52
Environmental Levy	1	CHGE	@\$60.50	\$60.50
Extra Pedestal	3	CHGE	@\$274.89	\$824.67
Water Consumption			•	\$391.00
Garbage-Non Res-Rateable	5	CHGE	@\$307.43	\$1537.15
State Emergency Mgmt Levy 5 D	1	CHGE	@\$470.30	\$470.30
DISCOUNT from this notice if paid by 12-09-2022			Gross Total	\$7,047.71 \$618.65-
	NET Payable if paid by 12-09-2022			\$6,429.06

Council has received an annual payment of \$451,639 from the State Government to mitigate any direct impacts of the State Waste Levy on households.

For further information about the Levy and impacts on non-household waste disposal in the Banana Shire, please refer to Council's website www.banana.qld.gov.au/waste

\*\*\*Any payments made within 14 days of the issue date may not appear on this notice\*\*\*

GROSS

DISCOUNT

**NET PAYABLE** 

DUE DATE FOR PAYMENT 12-09-2022

\$7,047.71

\$618.65

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# PLEASE REFER TO BACK OF NOTICE FOR PAYMENT DETAILS

#### RETURN THIS PORTON IF PAYING BY MAIL AND/OR CHANGING ADDRESS

☐ Please tick if receipt required

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Billpay Code: \*4056 Ref: 13064613 • **POST bilipay**\*4056 13064613

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Pay by Phone Call 1300 276 468 any time to pay with MasterCard or Visa



Pay Online Visit www.banana.qld.gov.au any time to pay with MasterCard or Visa

# PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY

Notice is hereby given that the aforementioned rates and charges are levied by the Banana Shire Council by virtue of the Local Government Act 2009 on the land described herein for the period as described. Current rates and charges are due and payable within 30 days from the issue date hereof. These rates and charges plus any overdue rates and charges plus interest may be recovered by the Council if unpaid after the expiration of the 30 days.

Discount of 10% will be allowed on all rates and charges (excluding water consumption charges, raw water consumption charges, Rural Fire Levies, State Emergency Management Levies and the Taroom Rural Water Connection Special Charge). To take advantage of the discount you must pay all rates and charges, including arrears and interest accrued daily (if any) on or before the due date shown on the rate notice.

Compound interest will be charged on all overdue rates and charges from the first day following the due date shown on this notice. Any existing arrears will accrue interest daily until all rates and charges are paid in full.

#### **RATES PAYMENT COMMITMENT**

If you are experiencing difficulty paying your rates in full on or before due date, a Rates Payment Commitment Application MUST be submitted to Council before the due date shown on this notice to ensure debt recovery action does not commence. This application form is available from Council Offices or online at www.banana.qld.gov.au

#### STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT LEVY

Council is required to collect this charge on behalf of the State Government and any queries in regard to this levy should be directed to The Commissioner. Queensland Fire and Emergency Services, GPO Box 1425, Brisbane QLD 4001. Discount is not allowed on this levy.

Council administers the State Government Subsidy Scheme in accordance with the guidelines determined by the Queensland Government Department of Communities. If you consider you may be eligible contact Council for further details.

#### WATER METERS

To avoid the possibility of high water usage (and resulting charges), householders should monitor their water meter readings. Please contact Council's Water and Sewerage Section for further information.

#### WATER SUPPLY & SEWERAGE CUSTOMER SERVICE STANDARD

To view a copy of Council's Water Supply and Sewerage Customer Services Standard visit www.banana.qld.gov.au or please contact Councils Water and Sewerage section for further information.

#### **GOODS AND SERVICES TAX**

All rates and charges shown on this notice are "GST Exempt", however to avoid confusion ratepayers are advised that Council's ABN is 85 946 116 646.

# METHOD OF PAYMENT



Mail: Detach the bottom portion of the notice, make cheque/ Money order payable to : Banana Shire Council marked "NOT NEGOTIABLE" and mail to The Chief Executive Officer, Banana Shire Council, PO Box 412, Biloela Qld 4715. If mailing your remittance please allow sufficient time for your Payment to reach the Council Office before the discount date. It is strongly suggested that payment is not left until the last few days, as Council does not accept responsibility for postal or unforseen delays.



In Person: Present this notice intact with cash or cheque at: a) Biloela Office,

62 Valentine Plains Road, Valentine Plains, Biloela between the hours of 8.00am to 5.00pm, Monday to Friday.

b) Moura Office

Moura Community Youth Centre, 43-47 Gillespie Street, Moura between the hours of 8.30am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday. (Cash payments not accepted)

c) Taroom Office, 18 Yaldwyn Street, Taroom between the hours of 8.00am to 5.00pm, Monday to Friday. Council will accept payment in person by Cash (excluding Moura Office), Cheque, Money Order, Visa Card, Master Card, Bank Card and EFTPOS (no cash out).



Post Australia Post: Pay in person at any post office, phone 13 18 16 or go to postbillpay.com.au. Payment in person can be made with cash, cheque, debit or credit card (Visa or MasterCard) only.



Payment via Centrepay: Use Centrepay to arrange regular deductions from your Centrelink payment. Simply call Centrelink. The Centrepay Reference Number for Banana Shire Council is 555054023A. Please use the Reference Number as shown on front of this notice.



BPAY: Contact your participating financial institution to make this payment from your cheque, savings or credit card account. Please quote Biller Code 7278 and the reference number shown on the front of this notice.

BPAY VIEW: Register with your internet banker if you wish to use this option & receive your notices electronically. You will no longer receive paper copies of your rate notice if you register with this service.



## Pay by Phone

Call 1300 276 468 any time to pay with MasterCard or Visa. Please quote the Biller Code 7278 and the reference number shown on the front of this notice.



## Pay Online:

Visit www.banana.qld.gov.au and follow the links to pay with MasterCard or Visa. Please quote Biller code 7278 and the reference number shown on the front of the notice.

Acceptance of a cheque and the issue of a receipt therefore is conditional on collection of the proceeds and until collection, no credit is to be given or implied. Ratepayers will be liable for any dishonour fees and discount will be lost where cheques are dishonoured and not rectified prior to the end of the discount period.

It is strongly suggested that BPAY and BPoint payments not be left until the last few days. Electronic payments processed by your financial institution or bill payment service after the nominated payment cut-off time on the due date will not be eligible to receive discount.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Your change of address should be forwarded to this office immediately.							
It is the owner's responsibility to notify Council of all changes of ownership or address. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in rate notices being posted to an old address and the subsequent loss of discount. All changes must be received in writing. Address changes cannot be accepted over the telephone.							
Name: (Print)	Assessment No:						
Address:	Telephone: ( )						
	Dated:						
Post Code:	Signature:						
Email Address:							

Privacy Notice: Banana Shire Council is collecting your personal information in accordance with the Local Government Act 2009 in order to process your application. The information will be only accessed by authorised Council employees. Your information will not be given to any other person or agency unless you have given us permission or we are required by law.



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# WATER CONSUMPTION ADVICE

FOR THE PERIOD

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METER NO R14006825	<u>Previous Date /</u> 30-06-2021	Reading 1581	<u>Current Date / R</u> 30-06-2022	<b>eading</b> 2471	Consumption 890
Total Water Consumption					890
600 WATER UNITS CONSUMEI 290 WATER UNITS CONSUMEI LESS Year To Date Water Invoice	D @ \$2.3/KL				\$1140.00 \$667.00 \$1416.00
Net Amount Due and Payable					\$391.00

### **AVERAGE DAILY CONSUMPTION COMPARISON**

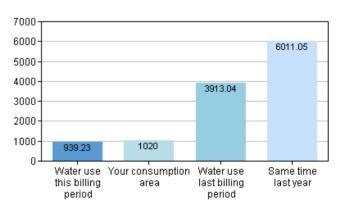
# YOUR WATER CONSUMPTION THIS PERIOD

Water Consumption 170KL Days Charged 181

# **DAILY AVERAGE CONSUMPTION COMPARISON**

Current period939.23LPrevious period3913.04LSame period last year6011.05LConsumption Area1020L

(1 kilolitre = 1,000 litres)



# DO NOT PAY ON THIS NOTICE - COSTS INCLUDED ON RATE NOTICE

### Detecting leaks and reading your water meter

Know how to check for leaks and understand how to read your water meter to help you reduce water consumption and save money.

#### Did you know?

- A slow dripping tap can waste more than 9000 litres of water per year. Make sure you turn all your taps off properly and check washers for wear.
- A continuously running toilet can waste more than 60 000 litres of water per year. Check for leaks regularly and fix them as soon as possible.
- A tiny leak in your pool or spa can lose a large amount of water and cost you money.
- Many household leaks are not easily detected. It's important to find out how much water you use and investigate any unexplained increases in use.

## Measuring your household water consumption

- Check your water meter monthly or quarterly to monitor and understand how much water you use. This will also help locate leaks early, saving you both water and money.
- Check your rates notice for water usage information. The notice may include your household's daily water consumption figure as well as an average figure for all households in your area.

## Locating your water meter

A water meter measures the amount of water that each property uses. It will generally be located outside in the ground towards the front of a property. Most are at or below ground level, and have a metal or plastic lid. If you live in a unit or apartment block, there may not be an individual water meter for each residence. You may want to investigate the feasibility of installing individual meters.

# Using your water meter to detect leaks

- 1. Find your water meter and write down the numbers shown.
- Turn off all taps tightly and make sure that no-one will be using any water on the premises for the next hour.
- 3. After one hour, check the water meter reading. If the numbers have changed, there may be a leak.
- 4. If it appears there is a leak, the first item to check is the toilets. Turn off the water valves located under each toilet and then redo steps 1 to 3.
- If the numbers haven't changed during this time, you may have a leaking toilet. To check this, put a little food colouring in the toilet cistern. If, without flushing, the colouring begins to appear in the bowl, the cistern rubbers need to be repaired.

NOTE: After the test, flush your toilet twice to prevent the food colouring from staining the toilet bowl.

 Alternatively, if the numbers have increased, there is a leak somewhere else on your property. For further investigation, contact a licenced plumber.

# How to read your water meter

There is a range of different water meters in use across the state. All have a combination of black numbers and red numbers and/or dials. Five examples are shown in the diagram below.

The black numbers register kilolitres (kL = a thousand litres).

There are three red numbers or dials registering litres. (If there is a fourth red number or dial, this indicates tenths of a litre.)

Read only the first three red numbers or dials. Numbers are read from left to right, while dials are read in a clockwise direction. If you have trouble reading your water meter, contact your local council.

# Contact, enquires, complaints and compliments regarding water services

Forms, Policies and fees and charges may be viewed/downloaded from Council's website at www.banana.qld.gov.au.

Enquires, complaints and compliments may be made by any of the following means:-

In person at a Council Customer Service Centre (Biloela, Moura, Taroom)

- By telephone (07) 4992 9500 during business hours
- By facsimilie on (07) 4992 3493
- By email at enquiries@banana.gld.gov.au
- By sending a letter addressed to:

The Chief Executive Officer Banana Shire Council PO Box 412 BILOELA QLD 4715

## **Emergency/After Hours Contacts**

Bioela/Callide Dam/Goovigen/Thangool/Wowan

A/Hours phone: 0417 641 994

Banana/Baralaba/Moura

A/Hours phone: 0409 752 329

Taroom

A/Hours phone: 0427 646 584

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A/Hours phone: 0418 986 107

