

Policy Number: 52

Banana Shire Council Adopted: 14 December 2021

RECYCLED WATER MANAGEMENT POLICY

SCOPE

All Council recycled water schemes and services in the Banana Shire.

LEGISLATION

Water Act 2000 Public Health Act 2005 Water Supply (Safety and Reliability) Act 2008

OBJECTIVE

To provide safe, sustainable recycled water supplies through a risk management and multiple barrier approach that protects public and environmental health; and to promote the responsible use of recycled water as an alternate water source in the community.

DEFINITIONS

Council

Banana Shire Council

Recycled Water

Waste water that is treated to a specified standard for an appropriate end use

POLICY

Banana Shire Council recognises the value of having a safe and sustainable alternate water source within the community.

Council will: -

- Ensure that recycled water schemes meet the legislative requirements of providing this service to protect public and environmental health.
- Make recycled water available to the public as a substitute for uses other than for drinking water itself.
- Manage recycled water quality at all points along the delivery chain from source to the recycled water user.

PROCEDURE

Procedures as approved and issued by the Chief Executive Officer, and subject to further revision, amendment and issue under the authority of the Chief Executive Officer.

CERTIFICATION

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
BANANA SHIRE COUNCIL

22/12/21 DATE

Next Review Date: December 2025