

Conditions of Hire: Animal Trap

The issuing of an animal trap is subject to the following:

- i. The hirer agrees to the Conditions of Hire as contained herein.
- ii. The hirer agrees to all Hire Information which the Council may determine.
- iii. The hirer pays the prescribed fee.
- iv. The hirer provides a copy of all appropriate documents as required by the Conditions of Hire.

General Conditions of Hire

- a. The hirer agrees to indemnify and to keep indemnified the Council, its servants, and agents and each of them from and against all actions, costs, claims, damages, charges and expenses whatsoever which may be brought or made or claimed against them or any of them arising out of or in relation to the issuing of the animal trap.
- b. The hirer shall ensure that it is approved, authorised, licensed, or registered, so far as required at law, to carry out the activity authorised by the issuing of the animal trap.
- c. The hire is not transferable.
- d. The hirer shall comply with and give all notices required by any Act of Parliament, Ordinance, Regulation or By-law relating to the activity.
- e. Council may revoke this animal trap hire if the hirer fails to comply with a condition of the hire or may be revoked in any other reasonable circumstance at Council's sole discretion.
- f. A bond is payable by credit card. Please refer to [Fees and Charges](#) on the City of Burnside website.
- g. Reimbursement of the bond will be processed after the animal trap is returned. Late fees, replacement, repair and cleaning fees may be deducted from the bond if the trap is not returned by the due date and/or not in a clean and/or working condition.
- h. The maximum hire period is 14 days. The City of Burnside retains the right to collect the animal trap if not returned to the office within the hire period.

- i. Extensions to the hire period must be requested before the return due date and are subject to trap availability and wait lists.
- j. The hirer agrees to set the trap, as demonstrated by the City of Burnside at the time of hire.
- k. The hirer agrees not to modify the animal trap in any way. If the animal trap is faulty upon hire, the hirers must notify Council as soon as possible. The animal trap will be replaced subject to availability.

1. Possum Trap Conditions

- 1.1 The hirer must present a current Permit to Trap and Release Fauna before the date of hire. To obtain a permit, please visit the Department for Environment and Water.
- 1.2 A Possum Trap hire fee applies. Please refer to Fees and Charges on the City of Burnside website.
- 1.3 Council accepts no responsibility for removing any animal caught in the cage.
- 1.4 Possums will be trapped and released pursuant to the National Parks and Wildlife Act 1972, the Animal Welfare Act 1985, and any other relevant legislation.

2. Application to Council

- 2.1 The applicant's request for animal trap hire will be reviewed upon submission of a booking using the online booking system.
- 2.2 The submission of a booking does not imply the animal trap hire is confirmed; it is a registration of interest only.
- 2.3 Bookings can only be confirmed with payment of the nominated fee and submission of copies of all requested paperwork. Failure to provide the requested information may result in cancellation.
- 2.4 Providing false information may lead to forfeiture of the bond or deposit and may result in the rejection or cancellation of the booking.

3. Fees and Payment Information

- 3.1 Making a payment for hire implies acknowledgment and acceptance of these conditions.

- 3.2 Payment is by Visa or MasterCard via the online booking system. Acceptance of any other payment method will be entirely at the discretion of the Council, subject to a written agreement and any additional conditions outlined in that agreement.
- 3.3 The applicable fee, including the bond, must be paid in full before the date of hire.
- 3.4 Fees and Charges for animal trap hire are reviewed and published annually and are available on the [City of Burnside website](#).

4. Further Information and Useful Links

City of Burnside: www.burnside.sa.gov.au

Department for Environment and Water: www.environment.sa.gov.au

Eastside Veterinary Clinic: www.eastsidevet.com.au or 8379 0222

Dog and Cat Management Board: www.dogandcatboard.com.au