

Leichhardt Council

TREE REMOVAL REGULATIONS

SUMMARY

TREE REMOVAL LEICHHARDT COUNCIL REGULATIONS



Can I remove a tree in Leichhardt Council without a council permit?

Yes, but under certain conditions

Under what conditions?

Tree can be removed without council approval if;

Trees that are less than 4 metres in height and have a trunk diameter of less than 200 millimetres, when measured at height of 1 metre from the ground.

The removal of torn limbs or dead wood, such as individual branches, but does not include whole trees.

Exempt trees

There are trees that can be removed no matter what their size or condition as they are considered a pest by your local council. The above listed conditions do not apply.

See table below

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Does my council have an exempt tree list?

Yes, see table below

Common Name	Botanical name	Identify reference
Bamboo	Bambusoideae	https://tinyurl.com/zxp9ara
Privet	Ligustrum	https://tinyurl.com/z9eeosq
Rubber	Hevea brasiliensis	https://tinyurl.com/o54zolh
Loquat	Eriobotrya japonica	https://tinyurl.com/je89x5x
Banana	Musa	https://tinyurl.com/cwt8y2b
Umbrella	Schefflera actinophylla	https://tinyurl.com/hg2dzan
Sumac	Rhus	https://tinyurl.com/l3xrus2
Mulberry	Morus	https://tinyurl.com/ktmh7na
Tree of Heaven	Ailanthus altissima	https://tinyurl.com/hdheb6v
Cocos Palm	Syagrus romanzoffiana	https://tinyurl.com/yaz5z2mo
Oleander	Nerium oleander	https://tinyurl.com/zmqwhfh
Avocado	Persea Americana	https://tinyurl.com/nhm6c33
Norfolk Island Hibiscus	Lagunaria	https://tinyurl.com/y925lg86
Mango	Mangifera indica	https://tinyurl.com/y9rjr2rk

How to apply for a tree removal permit

<https://tinyurl.com/ycfsozmz>

Go to the above online form and fill it out to make a formal request for tree removal approval.

Leichhardt Council contact details

Phone: 0293925000

Mailing Address: PO Box 45 Leichhardt NSW 2040

Website: <http://www.leichhardt.nsw.gov.au>

Leichhardt Tree Preservation order - TPO

The above is a summary for your local Councils tree preservation order. Please follow the link for the full document.

<http://www.leichhardt.nsw.gov.au/search.aspx?ModuleID=13&keywords=tree%20preservation%20order&multiSite=False>

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This is a summary of the stated councils Tree Preservation Orders. The above information was accurate at the time of posting, but you should always check with council before removing trees if you are unsure. The above information deals with trees on private property.