

Guideline for Use of Recreational Vehicles at Burdekin Coastal Townships

Council is committed to minimising the risks and maximising the safety of all road users on the local road network and recognises that some residents seek to operate recreational vehicles (eligible for conditional registration) on roads within Council's coastal townships.

Council allows eligible recreational vehicles (quad bikes, side by sides etc) to be used on specified routes of Council's roads within the coastal townships of Alva, Wunjunga, and Jerona.

To operate a recreational vehicle on Council's roads within these townships, you will require:

- Conditional Registration (available from Department of Transport)
- Route Specific Permit (available from Burdekin Shire Council)

Conditional registration (Qld Department of Transport)

Conditional registration is registration for non-standard vehicles that do not comply with the standard regulations for registration and have a genuine need for limited access to the road network.

Conditional registration:

- gives you limited access to Queensland roads
- gives you the protection of [compulsory third party \(CTP\) insurance](#) in the event of a crash occurring on a road causing personal injury
- determines the conditions for use to ensure safe operation of the vehicle while on a road

Route Specific Permit (Burdekin Shire Council)

Route Specific Permits grant permission from Council to use a Conditionally Registered recreational vehicle along a specified route of Council's roads.

These routes vary depending on Township

Alva – from the vehicle's garaged location to the nearest beach entry point

Wunjunga – from the vehicle's garaged location to the nearest beach entry point

Jerona – from the vehicle's garaged location to the boat ramp

The Route Specific Permits contain conditions such as:

- Vehicle must be garaged at the residence listed on the route
- Permit shall remain current for the duration of currency of the registration in the Registered Operator's Name
- Vehicle is only permitted to operate on the designated route and times as submitted and approved
- Permit must be carried on the vehicle and produced when required by an authorised officer

For any queries regarding Route Specific Permits, please call Council's Customer Service Centre on (07) 47839800.