

<b>POL</b>	<b>COCKBURN SOUND CATCHMENT</b>	<b>SPD8</b>
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#### **BACKGROUND:**

- Three local governments fall within the Cockburn Sound Catchment; the City of Cockburn, the Town of Kwinana and the City of Rockingham.
- A working group was initiated by the Cockburn Sound Management Council (“CSMC”) in early 2002, to determine the most appropriate mechanisms to effectively manage proposed land uses within the catchment that may have the potential to add to or exacerbate nutrient loading and other contamination issues.
- In keeping with this the City of Cockburn with the Town of Kwinana and the City of Rockingham and CSMC signed a Memorandum of Understanding on 28 August 2003 to ensure the mutual and coordinated effort in the management and protection of the Cockburn Sound Catchment area.
- This process resulted in the preparation of this Local Planning Policy.

#### **PURPOSE:**

The purpose of this policy is to ensure the protection of the marine waters of Cockburn Sound from nutrient contamination (particularly nitrogen) from diffuse land sources.

#### **POLICY:**

The policy measures identified in the attached document titled “*Local Planning Policy for the Cockburn Sound Catchment – A Cooperative Response for the*”

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*Protection of Cockburn Sound Catchment*" shall apply to that portion of the district that occurs within the Cockburn Sound Catchment.