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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT REMUNERATION AND DISCIPLINE TRIBUNAL
LOCAL GOVERNMENT REMUNERATION SCHEDULE 2016**

As required by section 246(3)(b) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* the Local Government Remuneration and Discipline Tribunal determined, on 24 November 2016, the following maximum remuneration to apply from 1 July 2017 for mayors, deputy mayors and councillors of Local Governments (excluding Brisbane City Council).

Category	Local Governments assigned to categories	Remuneration determined (from 1 July 2017)	
		(see Note 1)	(\$ pa)
Category 1 (see Note 2)	Aurukun Shire Council	Mayor	\$101,631
	Balonne Shire Council	Deputy Mayor	\$58,633
	Banana Shire Council	Councillor	\$50,815
	Barcaldine Regional Council		
	Barcoo Shire Council		
	Blackall-Tambo Regional Council		
	Boulia Shire Council		
	Bulloo Shire Council		
	Burdekin Shire Council		
	Burke Shire Council		
	Carpentaria Shire Council		
	Charters Towers Regional Council		
	Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Cloncurry Shire Council		
	Cook Shire Council		
	Croydon Shire Council		
	Diamantina Shire Council		
	Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Douglas Shire Council		
	Etheridge Shire Council		
	Flinders Shire Council		
	Goondiwindi Regional Council		
	Hinchinbrook Shire Council		
	Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Kowanyama Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Lockhart River Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Longreach Regional Council		
	Mapoon Aboriginal Shire Council		
	McKinlay Shire Council		
	Mornington Shire Council		
Murweh Shire Council			
Napranum Aboriginal Shire Council			

	North Burnett Regional Council		
	Northern Peninsula Area Regional Council		
	Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Paroo Shire Council		
	Pormpuraaw Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Quilpie Shire Council		
	Richmond Shire Council		
	Torres Shire Council		
	Torres Strait Island Regional Council		
	Winton Shire Council		
	Woorabinda Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council		
	Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council		
Category 2	Mareeba Shire Council	Mayor	\$117,265
	Mount Isa City Council	Deputy Mayor	\$70,360
	Somerset Regional Council	Councillor	\$58,633
Category 3	Cassowary Coast Regional Council	Mayor	\$125,084
	Central Highlands Regional Council	Deputy Mayor	\$78,177
	Gympie Regional Council	Councillor	\$66,450
	Isaac Regional Council		
	Livingstone Shire Council		
	Lockyer Valley Regional Council		
	Maranoa Regional Council		
	Noosa Shire Council		
	Scenic Rim Regional Council		
	South Burnett Regional Council		
	Southern Downs Regional Council		
	Tablelands Regional Council		
	Western Downs Regional Council		
	Whitsunday Regional Council		
Category 4	Bundaberg Regional Council	Mayor	\$148,536
	Fraser Coast Regional Council	Deputy Mayor	\$97,722
	Gladstone Regional Council	Councillor	\$85,994
	Rockhampton Regional Council		
Category 5	Cairns Regional Council	Mayor	\$171,989
	Mackay Regional Council	Deputy Mayor	\$117,265
	Redland City Council	Councillor	\$101,631
	Toowoomba Regional Council		
Category 6	Ipswich City Council	Mayor	\$195,442
	Townsville City Council	Deputy Mayor	\$132,901
		Councillor	\$117,265
Category 7	Logan City Council	Mayor	\$218,896
	Moreton Bay Regional Council	Deputy Mayor	\$151,663
	Sunshine Coast Regional Council	Councillor	\$132,901
Category 8	Gold Coast City Council	Mayor	\$242,349
		Deputy Mayor	\$168,081
		Councillor	\$144,627

Notes to the remuneration schedule

- Note 1 The monetary amounts shown are the per annum figures to apply from 1 July 2017. If an elected representative only serves for part of a full year (that is, 1 July to 30 June) they are only entitled to a pro rata payment to reflect the portion of the year served.
- Note 2 For councillors in Category 1 Councils, a base payment of \$33,877 is payable for the 12 months commencing on 1 July 2017. A meeting fee of \$1,411.50 per calendar month (or \$651.46 per fortnight) is payable for attendance at, and participation in, scheduled meetings of Council subject to certification by the mayor and/or chief executive officer of the Council. Mayors and deputy mayors in Category 1 Councils are to receive the full annual remuneration level shown.