

# JUNIOR SPORTING POLICY

**POLICY NUMBER: CS-EL-007** 

# **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this policy is to support and encourage community junior sporting groups in Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

# **SCOPE**

This policy applies to all users of City facilities and all City employees with responsibility for managing facilities, managing bookings of City facilities and financial management.

# **DEFINITIONS**

**City** means the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

**Junior Sporting Group** means a sporting group with participants aged 17 years or younger who are competing in official fixtures sanctioned and/or governed by an incorporated sporting association.

# **POLICY STATEMENT**

The City is committed to accountability and transparency, and strong financial management, in relation to booking its facilities, and encourages junior members of its community to engage in physical activity.

# **POLICY DETAILS**

# 1. Oval Bookings

All user groups whether they are occasional or seasonal users, must apply for usage of required reserves in the manner required by the City pursuant to the City's policy relating to the hire of reserves and guidelines for the condition of such hire.

#### 2. Oval Lighting

a. The Junior Sport User Group must apply for oval lighting in the manner required by the City.



b. The City will apply zero costs of oval lighting, which is being used by a Junior Sporting Group for the purpose of an official competition fixture or structured training which has been approved by the City.

# 3. Waiving of Booking Fee

- a. The City will not impose any fee for use of the ovals, parks and outdoor sporting reserves managed by the City upon Junior Sporting Groups who are participating in an official sporting competition and structured training that has been approved by the City provided that:
  - i. the condition of the relevant facilities including toilets and change rooms will be maintained by the Junior Sporting Group at its sole cost; and
  - ii. fees will not be waived for events such as end of season activities or casual booking enquiries.
- b. Should such facilities not be clean, or damage occurs to part of the facility during use it will be the responsibility of the hirer to meet any costs incurred.
- c. A key deposit bond of \$100.00 may be required in order to access certain change room or toilet facilities.

# 4. Sport at Oasis Recreation Centre

The City will not impose any booking fees for the use of outdoor courts for official junior sporting fixtures and structured training that has been approved by the City being held at the Goldfields Oasis Recreation Centre.

# COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

# RELEVANT DOCUMENTS

| DOCUMENT CONTROL        |               |                                 |  |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Responsible department  | Engineering   |                                 |  |
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