

Policy A2 – Review of Policy Manual

Policy Intention

To ensure that the Shire of Murray Policy Manual is maintained having regard to changes in legislation, community need and organisational requirements.

Policy

A review of each policy in the Shire of Murray Policy Manual is to be conducted at least once every three years, unless otherwise provided by a written law. Each Policy will have a Policy Detail table that will show the next policy review year and the frequency of each review.

Reviews of Council policies are to be conducted to ensure:

- The content of a policy and the policy itself is still relevant or required;
- The implementation of a policy was successful and that there are no barriers to its ongoing operation;
- The policy remains efficient and does not contribute to excessive red tape and is continuing to serve its stated Policy Intention; and
- The policy aligns with the Shire of Murray's strategic direction through its Council Plan or other supporting strategies and plans.

Nothing in this Policy prevents a review being done at any other time.

Policy Detail		
Responsible Directorate	Corporate Services	
Responsible Department	Governance and Strategy	
Responsible Officer	Manager Governance and Strategy	
Next Policy Review / Schedule	2026 (3-yearly)	
Council Adoption	Date / Resolution	1 December 1998 (SCM98/0343)
Amendment Record	Date / Resolution	30 April 2009 (OCM09/066)
		30 June 2011 (OCM11/099)
		26 July 2012 (OCM12/149)
		22 February 2018 (OCM18/008)
		23 June 2022 (OCM22/070)
		21 December 2023 (OCM23/193)