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Direct Debit Request (DDR)

Request and Authority to debit the account named below to pay
Central Goldfields Shire Council (APCA ID 489478)
PO Box 194, Maryborough 3465

Request and Authority to debit

Your Surname or company name

Your Given names or ABN/ARBN "you"

request and authorise **Central Goldfields Shire Council** to arrange, through its own financial institution, a debit to your nominated account any amount **Central Goldfields Shire Council** has deemed payable by *you*. Please indicate frequency by circling below.

Fortnightly

If *fortnightly*, amount \$ _____

If *fortnightly*, commencing from ____/____/____

Monthly

If **monthly**, amount \$ _____

If **monthly**, commencing from ____/____/____

Instalment

If instalment, commencing from ____/____/____

In Full

This debit or charge will be made though the Bulk Electronic Clearing System (BECS) from your account held at the financial institution you have nominated below and will be subject to the terms and conditions of the Direct Debit Request Service Agreement.

For Assessment Number

For Property Address

Phone Number

Email Address

Office Use Only

Entered

Letter Sent

Arrangement Created

<p>Insert the name and address of financial institution at which your account is held</p>	<p>Financial institution name <input type="text"/></p> <p>Address <input type="text"/></p>
<p>Insert details of account to be debited</p> <p>Note: Direct Debit is only available from Savings or Cheque Accounts, <u>NOT</u> by Credit Card.</p>	<p>Name/s on account <input type="text"/></p> <p>BSB number (Must be 6 digits) <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/></p> <p>Account number <input type="text"/></p>
<p>Acknowledgement</p>	<p>By signing and/or providing us with a valid instruction in respect to your Direct Debit Request, you have understood and agreed to the terms and conditions governing debit arrangements between you and Central Goldfields Shire Council as set out in this Request and in your Direct Debit Request Service Agreement.</p>
<p>Insert your signature and address</p>	<p>Signature <input type="text"/> Date <input type="text"/></p> <p>Name <input type="text"/> Position <input type="text"/></p> <p><i>(if signing for a company, sign and print full name and capacity for signing eg. Director)</i></p> <p>Address <input type="text"/></p>
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Direct Debit Request Service Agreement

This is your Direct Debit Service Agreement with **Central Goldfields Shire Council APCA ID 489478**. It explains what your obligations are when undertaking a Direct Debit arrangement with us. It also details what our obligations are to you as your Direct Debit provider.

Please keep this agreement for future reference. It forms part of the terms and conditions of your Direct Debit Request (DDR) and should be read in conjunction with your DDR authorisation.

<p>Definitions</p>	<p>account means the account held at <i>your financial institution</i> from which we are authorised to arrange for funds to be debited.</p> <p>agreement means this Direct Debit Request Service Agreement between <i>you</i> and <i>us</i>.</p> <p>banking day means a day other than a Saturday or a Sunday or a public holiday listed throughout Australia.</p> <p>debit day means the day that payment by <i>you</i> to <i>us</i> is due.</p> <p>debit payment means a particular transaction where a debit is made.</p> <p>direct debit request means the Direct Debit Request between <i>us</i> and <i>you</i>.</p> <p>us or we means Central Goldfields Shire Council, (the Debit User) <i>you</i> have authorised by requesting a <i>Direct Debit Request</i>.</p> <p>you means the customer who has signed or authorised by other means the <i>Direct Debit Request</i>.</p> <p>your financial institution means the financial institution nominated by <i>you</i> on the DDR at which the <i>account</i> is maintained.</p>
<p>1. Debiting your account</p>	<p>1.1 By signing a <i>Direct Debit Request</i> or by providing <i>us</i> with a valid instruction, <i>you</i> have authorised <i>us</i> to arrange for funds to be debited from <i>your account</i>. <i>You</i> should refer to the <i>Direct Debit Request</i> and this <i>agreement</i> for the terms of the arrangement between <i>us</i> and <i>you</i>.</p> <p>1.2 <i>We</i> will only arrange for funds to be debited from <i>your account</i> as authorised in the <i>Direct Debit Request</i>.</p> <p>or</p> <p><i>We</i> will only arrange for funds to be debited from <i>your account</i> if <i>we</i> have sent to the address nominated by <i>you</i> in the <i>Direct Debit Request</i>, a billing advice which specifies the amount payable by <i>you</i> to <i>us</i> and when it is due.</p> <p>1.3 If the <i>debit day</i> falls on a day that is not a <i>banking day</i>, we may direct <i>your financial institution</i> to debit <i>your account</i> on the following <i>banking day</i>. If <i>you</i> are unsure about which day <i>your account</i> has or will be debited you should ask <i>your financial institution</i>.</p>
<p>2. Amendments by <i>us</i></p>	<p>2.1 <i>We</i> may vary any details of this <i>agreement</i> or a <i>Direct Debit Request</i> at any time by giving <i>you</i> at least fourteen (14) days written notice.</p>
<p>3. Amendments by <i>you</i></p>	<p>3.1 You may change, stop or defer a debit payment, or terminate (cancel) this agreement at any time by providing <i>us</i> with at least 7 days notification by writing to : Central Goldfields Shire Council – PO Box 194, Maryborough 3465 or Telephoning <i>us</i> on (03) 5461 0610 during business hours or arranging it through your own financial institution, which is required to act promptly on your instructions.</p> <p>*Note: in relation to the above reference to 'change', your financial institution may change your debit payment only to the extent of advising <i>us</i> Central Goldfields Shire Council of your new account details.</p>

<p>4. Your obligations</p>	<p>4.1 It is <i>your</i> responsibility to ensure that there are sufficient clear funds available in <i>your</i> account to allow a <i>debit payment</i> to be made in accordance with the <i>Direct Debit Request</i>.</p> <p>4.2 If there are insufficient clear funds in <i>your account</i> to meet a <i>debit payment</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) <i>you</i> may be charged a fee and/or interest by <i>your financial institution</i>; b) <i>you</i> may also incur fees or charges imposed or incurred by <i>us</i>; and c) <i>you</i> must arrange for the <i>debit payment</i> to be made by another method or arrange for sufficient clear funds to be in <i>your account</i> by an agreed time so that <i>we</i> can process the <i>debit payment</i>. <p>4.3 <i>You</i> should check <i>your account</i> statement to verify that the amounts debited from <i>your account</i> are correct.</p>
<p>5.</p>	<p>5.1 If you believe there has been an error in debiting <i>your account</i>, <i>you</i> should notify us directly on Central Goldfields Shire Council on (03) 5461 0610 and confirm that notice in writing with us as soon as possible so that we can resolve your query more quickly. Alternatively you can take it up directly with your financial institution.</p> <p>5.2 If <i>we</i> conclude as a result of our investigations that <i>your account</i> has been incorrectly debited <i>we</i> will respond to <i>your</i> query by arranging for <i>your financial institution</i> to adjust <i>your</i> account (including interest and charges) accordingly. <i>We</i> will also notify you in writing of the amount by which <i>your account</i> has been adjusted.</p> <p>5.3 If <i>we</i> conclude as a result of our investigations that <i>your account</i> has not been incorrectly debited <i>we</i> will respond to <i>your</i> query by providing <i>you</i> with reasons and any evidence for this finding in writing.</p>
<p>6. Accounts</p>	<p><i>You</i> should check:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) with <i>your financial institution</i> whether direct debiting is available from <i>your account</i> as direct debiting is not available through BECS on all accounts offered by financial institutions. b) <i>your</i> account details which <i>you</i> have provided to <i>us</i> are correct by checking them against a recent <i>account</i> statement; and c) with <i>your financial institution</i> before completing the <i>Direct Debit Request</i> if <i>you</i> have any queries about how to complete the <i>Direct Debit Request</i>.
<p>7. Confidentiality</p>	<p>7.1 <i>We</i> will keep any information (including <i>your account</i> details) in <i>your Direct Debit Request</i> confidential. <i>We</i> will make reasonable efforts to keep any such information that <i>we</i> have about <i>you</i> secure and to ensure that any of <i>our</i> employees or agents who have access to information about <i>you</i> do not make any unauthorised use, modification, reproduction or disclosure of that information.</p> <p>7.2 <i>We</i> will only disclose information that <i>we</i> have about <i>you</i>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) to the extent specifically required by law; or b) for the purposes of this <i>agreement</i> (including disclosing information in connection with any query or claim).
<p>8. Notice</p>	<p>8.1 If <i>you</i> wish to notify <i>us</i> in writing about anything relating to this <i>agreement</i>, <i>you</i> should write to: Central Goldfields Shire Council – PO Box 194, Maryborough 3465</p> <p>8.2 <i>We</i> may send notices either electronically to your email address or by ordinary post to the address <i>you</i> have given us.</p> <p>8.3 Any notice will be deemed to have been received on the third <i>banking day</i> after emailing or posting.</p>
<p>9. Interest</p>	<p>9.1 Interest Charges – Please note that any unpaid rates and charges as at 15th February each year will incur penalty interest at the rates set under Section 2 of the Penalty Interest Rate Act 1983.</p>