

Our Values

Respect Integrity Community Excellence

Values only become meaningful when they are translated into behaviours that people engage in and others can observe.

They are the cornerstone of 'walking the talk'.

Position Title:	Customer Service Officer – Holiday Parks
Directorate:	Sustainable Economy & Communities
Reports to:	Manager Holiday Parks
Date effective:	July 2024
Award Level:	EA Level 3
Position no:	CAR03
Version:	Version 1

1. Purpose

1.1 Primary functions

- Work across all holiday park sites on a rotational basis.
- Fulfil the daily operations and functions of a holiday park office in accordance with Council policies and procedures.
- Effectively provide customer service by taking ownership of customer needs and issues to ensure resolutions are consistent and timely.
- Pro-actively identify and support continuous improvement opportunities in systems and processes to increase the responsiveness and quality of customer service.

1.2 Community strategic goals











Goal 1: Valuing the natural environment Goal 2: Welcoming and inclusive communities

Goal 3: Managing growth sustainably Goal 4: Vibrant and diverse economy Goal 5: Effective leadership and governance

1.3 Key functions and duties

Key result area	Specific actions	% Time
Customer service	 Provide a professional reception customer service for counter, telephone and email enquiries and bookings. Operate and monitor the Newbook reservation system, including guest check in / out, site reservations / bookings and deposits for new / existing bookings. Process guest correspondence requests and receipts. Balance Newbook and EFTPOS POS daily and process weekly banking. Resolve conflicts within the parks in an appropriate and timely manner. Provide information, advice and support to internal and external stakeholders with regards to events, activities, and business development opportunities. Liaise with internal stakeholders to problem solve as issues arise regarding caravan park operations. Liaise with long term site holders and annual site licensees. Liaise with dog owners regarding park regulations. Assist in training office staff. 	65
Office administration	 Collect, post and process mail. Undertake data entry for rates and fees in RMS, RMS trouble shooting, IT and finance issues. Process invoices for payment (Synergy). Provide input to the review of promotion, advertising and marketing initiatives. Provide input to the review of relevant manuals and Safe Operating Procedures. Undertake general and financial reporting. Maintain park supplies including researching, ordering, and purchasing. Comply with the Shire's purchasing and tendering procedures. Participate in staff recruitment interviews as required. 	20

Knowledge management	Identify and research customer information needs to improve customer service delivery.	5
	• Ensure opportunities to improve the knowledge management systems are identified and addressed.	
Operational support	Support the team by undertaking other duties as required within the Holiday Parks.	
	 Promote effective team communication and conflict resolution with other team members. 	
	Provide input to the development of the minor capital works Transport and appropriate planning process.	
	program, annual budget and corporate planning process.	
	 Provide direction for project works to be undertaken in a safe manner on time. 	5
	Provide advice and support to internal and external stakeholders with	
	regards to events, activities and business development opportunities	
	 Respond to holiday park emergencies as a first response and operate the DEFIB as required. 	
	To participate in an after-hours on call/call out roster if/when	
	required and to attend to guests needs as they arise.	
Cleaning - Light	Undertake office cleaning as required.	5
	Undertake general cleaning as required.	
	Participate in light cleaning roster of park facilities as required.	
	Use cleaning chemicals in a safe manner.	
General	Contribute positively within a team environment and demonstrate	Ongoing
	behaviour that enables the achievement of team and directorate goals.	
	 Work in accordance with the State Records Act and Shire procedures and principles. 	
	Work in accordance with Equal Opportunity and Anti-Discrimination legislation and Shire procedures and principles.	
	 Work in accordance with Occupations Safety and Health legislation and Shire procedures and principles. 	
	Adhere to Shire policies and management practices as amended from time	
	to time.	
	 to time. Contribute to attainment and development of relevant Corporate Plan goals and objectives. 	

2. Extent of Authority

Under the limited direction of the Chief Executive Officer and as delegated from time-to-time, the incumbent has authority to act within predetermined guidelines, policies, procedures, predetermined budgetary limits and expenditure and in accordance with the statutory provisions of the Local Government Act 1995 and other relevant legislation.

Delegated Authority to: Sign purchase orders or other documents as per the "Authorisation to Sign Documents Register."

3. Relationships

3.1 Responsible to

Manager Holiday Parks

3.2 Responsible for

Nil

3.3 Internal Stakeholders

Councillors CEO Directors Managers Employees

External Stakeholders

Holiday Park guests and visitors

Public utilities and authorities
Consultants and other professionals
Contractors and tradesmen
Other hospitality providers

Tourism organisations

Position Selection Criteria

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4.1 Position essentials

Well-developed oral communication and interpersonal skills including conflict management and resolution using tact and diplomacy.

Demonstrated office skills including data entry and keyboarding, competence in Microsoft Office package and high-level accuracy with numeracy and attention to detail.

Demonstrated experience in operating a reservation booking system

Demonstrated ability in cash handling, EFT processing, daily balancing and banking with attention to detail

Ability to operate as an effective team member

Current WA drivers' licence

4.2 Position Desirables

Working knowledge of local area, community and issues pertaining to the Shire of Augusta Margaret River

Experience in the daily operations of a Holiday Park

Knowledge of Holiday Park industry standards and relevant legislative requirements

Knowledge of Local Government standards and procedures

Current Senior First Aid certificate and ability to operate a DFIB

5. Parties

Present Occupant Name:	Signature:	Date:
Reporting Officer	Signature:	Date: