



PERMIT TO COLLECT FALLEN TIMBER FROM COUNCIL ROAD RESERVES

Pursuant To Section 221 Of The Local Government Act 1999

Name of Applicant: _____

Postal Address: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Pursuant to Section 221 of the *Local Government Act 1999*, approval is granted to take dead fallen timber ('firewood') from roadsides within the Kingston District Council.

The issuing of this permit is subject to the following conditions:

1. This permit is valid for three (3) months from the date of issue (expiring on ____ / ____ / ____).
2. No hollow logs are permitted to be cut, removed, disturbed, damaged or tampered with in any way.
3. This permit does not, under any circumstances, allow for the cutting down or removal of any standing tree or limb, irrespective of whether it is living or dead.
4. Permit holders are not permitted to enter any fenced area or private property to collect fallen timber.
5. Collection or cutting of fallen timber will not be permitted during fire danger season or during any period which has been declared a Total Fire Ban.
6. Firewood collection is for personal use only and is not to be sold or given to any other persons.
7. No native vegetation is to be removed or effected.
8. Permit will only be issued to residents and ratepayers of the Kingston District Council.
9. Permit holders agree to indemnify the Kingston District Council, its servants and agents from and against all actions, costs, claims, damages, charges and expenses which may be brought or claimed against them arising out of, or in relation to, the issuing of this permit.
10. Permit holders must keep a copy of this permit in their possession at all times whilst they are in the process of collecting and/or removing any fallen timber from the roadside, and must produce it when/if requested.
11. This permit does not allow for the collection from Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure (DPTI) Roads.
12. When parked on a roadside for the purpose of collecting and/or removing any fallen timber from the roadside, permit holders will comply at all times with the *Road Traffic Act 1961*.

Authorisation of Council Representative/Delegate:

Signature: _____

Position: _____

Date of Issue: _____