





Landholder Invasive Animal Control Subsidy Program

Council can assist Landholders in the control of invasive feral animals on their property and to meet their General Biosecurity
Obligation under the *Queensland Biosecurity*Act 2014, through the Landholder Invasive
Animal Control Subsidy Program.

Landholders must provide a current Queensland Health General Approval confirming they will comply with the *Departmental Standard – Dealing with Restricted S7 Poisons for Invasive Animal Control* to be eligible for the subsidy program.

The subsidy offers a **50 per cent rebate** on the GST exclusive price of the restricted *S7 Low Risk Fluroacetic Acid Baits* (1080 LRFAB), **up to \$150**.

This subsidy is applied as a credit against the baited property's B/F balance on their rates notice.

Landholders who wish to engage a licensed **Commercial Baiting Operator** may also be eligible for this subsidy.

Contact a Pest Management Officer on 1300 005 872 to discuss.





PEST MANAGEMENT

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LOCKYER VALLEY REGIONAL COUNCIL

Biosecurity Act 2014
Medicines and Poisons
Act 2019



Departmental Standard - Dealing with Restricted 37 Poisons for Invasive Animal Control.



Click here to access the Departmental Standard









☐ STEP 1 – PEST ANIMAL OBSERVATION

Pest animal activity can occur all year round, however significant impacts such as stock loss are often experienced in autumn and spring.

Signs you may have a pest animal on your property include: faeces, greener patches of grass (that may indicate urination), pig diggings, wallowing or prints around dams or on soft ground.

The use of trail cameras will confirm the regularity of activity, pest type and population. If targeting wild pigs, consider pre-feeding leading up to baiting.

☐ STEP 2 – OBTAIN GENERAL APPROVAL

Prior to purchasing restricted S7 Low Risk Fluroacetic Acid Baits (1080 LRFAB) from a licensed retailer, a landholder must apply for a General Approval from **Qld Health** to ensure they understand their obligations outlined in the Departmental Standard – Dealing with Restricted S7 poisons for invasive animal control.



General Approval from Qld Health Click here

STEP 3 - CONTACT COUNCIL

Prior to purchasing the 1080 LRFA bait, contact Council to complete an **application** to confirm your eligibility to receive the subsidy and receive the Bait Record Sheet that must be completed.

☐ STEP 4 – COMPLY WITH THE STANDARD

Refer to the Qld Health - Departmental Standard -Dealing with Restricted S7 poisons for invasive animal control for the rules that must be complied with in relation to:

- Transport and storage of RS7 poisons
- Notification of laying poison baits, including warning signs
- Preparation and laying of poison baits
- Placement of poison baits

The use of blood or pan fat on and near poison baits may act to lure the pest animal to the bait.

All baits should be tied and buried slightly to discourage birds and other non-target animals taking the poison bait. Pest animals will smell and dig up the buried bait.

Also, baits should be placed at least 200m apart along identified trails, to prevent a single animal consuming multiple bait.

One poisoned bait is of sufficient 1080 concentration to kill at least one pest animal.

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- Record keeping
- Waste management
- Incident reporting

☐ STEP 5 – COMPLETE BAIT RECORD SHEET

This sheet may assist you in the compliance of record keeping. Completion of this form assists the Pest Management team to understand the population and movement of pest animals, therefore, completion and return of this form to Council is mandatory. Failure to comply may affect future eligibility for the subsidy program.

☐ STEP 6 – REMOVE PROPERTY SIGNAGE

Signage must remain up for at least four (4) weeks after the end date for the authorised bait lay or after all untaken baits have been collected.

STEP 7 – SUBMIT FOR PROCESS OF SUBSIDY

Submit copies of the completed **Bait Record Sheet**, **General Approval** and the **retailer tax invoice** for the purchase of the 1080 LRFA baits. Retain the originals for your own records.

Your application for the Landholder Invasive Animal Control Subsidy will be assessed and processed in accordance with the program requirements.

Thank you for your efforts to control invasive animals in the Lockyer Valley region.



