

	<p><b>POPULATION GROWTH MONITORING POLICY</b></p>	<p><b>DOCUMENT NO: A4228388</b></p>
<p><b>1. Objective:</b> The purpose of the Policy is to provide a consistent corporate approach to the monitoring and reporting of changes in the Local Government Area's population.</p>		
<p><b>2. Regulatory Authority:</b> Authority for Council to perform this function is Chapter 2, Part 1, Division 9 of the <i>Local Government Act</i> (2009) giving <i>power to do anything that is necessary or convenient for the good rule and local government of its local government area.</i></p>		
<p><b>3. Policy:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Population growth is to be monitored using the Ipswich Population Modeller administered by the Strategic Planning Branch of the Planning and Development Department.</li> <li>2. When the population of the Ipswich Local Government Area, as calculated by the above Modeller reaches a 10,000 increment, the Strategic Planning Manager (or nominee) shall notify all Councillors, Department Heads and Business Managers within Council.</li> <li>3. Upon notification, population figures used on public signage and in media releases and new documentation shall be updated accordingly.</li> <li>4. Population figures used in existing publications and documents shall be updated when those publications / documents are re-printed.</li> </ol>		
<p><b>4. Definitions:</b> <i>Ipswich Population Modeller:</i> The Ipswich Population Modeller is software used to monitor and create projections for residential population, housing and non-residential population (employment, and Gross Floor Area) within the Ipswich Local Government Area.</p>		
<p><b>5. Policy Review and Revision:</b> The Strategic Planning Manager is responsible for the review and revision of this policy.</p>		
<p><b>Date of Review:</b> 22 June 2017  <b>Date of Council Resolution:</b> 4 September 2012  <b>Committee Reference and Date:</b> Policy and Administration Board No. 2012(06) of 21 August 2012 - City Management and Finance Committee No. 2012(05) of 28 August 2012  <b>No. of Resolution:</b> 1  <b>Date to be Reviewed:</b> 22 June 2019</p>		