

PENSIONER AGREEMENT TO DEFER RATES, CHARGES AND INTEREST



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Property Assessment No:
 (Please refer to the Council Rates and Charges Notice)

I,
 (Full name in block letters)

of
 (Address)

Telephone number I request that Wollongong City Council give consideration to allowing the deferment of rates, charges and interest on the above property.

(All boxes must be ticked to accept the terms of the agreement)

1 I understand that the outstanding rates and annual charges are subject to interest in accordance with the Local Government Act, 1993. I understand that the option to defer payment of my rates, charges and interest exists only whilst I am an eligible pensioner. Should my eligibility status change, rates, charges and interest will become due and payable. Debts will continue to accrue until:

- a There is a change in ownership of the property through sale, transfer or Estate; or
- b I should leave the property but retain ownership (eg move to a hostel, nursing home or other accommodation); or
- c I become ineligible for a pension concession on our rates.

2 I understand that if the rates, annual charges and interest remain unpaid for a maximum period of **twenty (20)** years then Council may be required to formally secure the debt in accordance with the Local Government Act, 1993.

3 I understand that a legal process to secure the debt via a statement of claim and judgement will be carried out by Council and the legal costs associated with this action will be charged to the property.

RATEPAYER NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

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