

“Get Your Rates Paid for a Year” promotion

Terms and Conditions

By entering the “**Get Your Rates Paid for a Year**” promotion (“the Competition”), you are agreeing to the following terms and conditions:

1. STANDARD TERMS

- 1.1 Information on how to enter forms part of the terms of entry.
- 1.2 To the extent of any inconsistency between these Terms and Conditions and any other reference to this competition, these Terms and Conditions prevail.

2. WHO CAN ENTER?

- 2.1 Subject to clause 2.2, entry is open to all residents of **Western Australia aged 18 years of age or older who have ownership of a residential property in Western Australia that incurs council rates (and must be able to produce proof of ownership of the property).**
- 2.2 Employees (and their immediate families) of Seven Network (Operations) Limited, West Australian Newspapers, prize suppliers, Elected Members, Local Government, WALGA and their respective associated agencies and companies are not eligible to enter. Immediate family includes spouse, de facto spouse, parent, natural or adopted child or sibling living under the same roof.

3. HOW TO ENTER

- 3.1 The Competition commences on **Monday, 20 June 2022, 00:00 AWST** and concludes on **Sunday, 3 July 2022, 23:59 AWST** (“Competition Period”).
- 3.2 In order to enter the draw, readers must:
 - I. Purchase *The West Australian*, and/or *The Sunday Times* during the Competition Period to a get a unique code(s) printed daily within each edition
AND
 - II. Register code(s) and submit personal details online at thewest.com.au/rates with the residential address that you own and want the council rates paid for if deemed a winner PLUS answer the question on the entry form correctly.
- 3.3 Unique codes are only valid for one user; that is with one email address.
- 3.4 Multi codes are valid for more than one user; however each entrant may only use the multi code once.
- 3.5 All entrants in the Competition may only enter once per code. All entrants found to have entered more than once per code, will have their subsequent entries disqualified at the Promoter’s sole discretion.
- 3.6 Entrants with more than 65 entries will have their entries disqualified at the Promoter’s sole discretion.
- 3.7 Entries will only be accepted during the Competition Period. Any entries received outside the Competition Period for whatever reason including but not limited to server or technical issues on the part of the Promoter will not be accepted.
- 3.8 Neither the Promoters nor any prize suppliers are responsible for any data or other information related to this competition that may be lost, damaged as a result of any computer software or hardware malfunction. Any issues occurring as a result of computer / server/ software problems will be rectified as quickly as possible.
- 3.9 If any entries are deemed at the Promoter’s final discretion to be made via “scripting”, those entries will be deemed invalid and will not be accepted.
- 3.10 Entries must include all requested contact details to be eligible to win. Entrants may only enter in their own name. Inaudible, incomprehensible, illegible, and incomplete entries will be deemed invalid. All entries become the property of the Promoter and cannot be returned.

4. PRIZES

- 4.1 There will be **ten (10)** prize winners who will be drawn from all eligible entrance who will each have their 2022 Western Australian residential council rates paid by [Western Australian Local Government \(WALGA\)](#) up to the value of A\$3,500. Business council rates are not eligible for payment.
- 4.2 Winners must provide the Promoter their 2021 residential council rates statement as proof of ownership, plus photographic identification (a current driver's license or passport) with. The address must be the same as the address on the entry form to be valid for payment. On receiving their 2022 council rate statement, the winners will provide this to WALGA for payment up to the value of \$3,500. Winners must provide any documentation required by WALGA to process payment. The payment will be made by WALGA direct to the relevant council. Prize winners' details will be provided to WALGA for prize verification and redemption.
- 4.3 The prize is non-transferable and not exchangeable.
- 4.4 The winners have until 31 October 2022 to provide 2022 council rate invoice and all required documentation to WALGA otherwise the prize will be forfeited.
- 4.5 The Prize winners must participate in and co-operate with all reasonable media editorial requests, including but not limited to, being interviewed and photographed, and the Winners grant the Promoters and prize suppliers a perpetual and non-exclusive licence to use such footage and photographs in all media worldwide and the Winners will not be entitled to any fee for such use.
- 4.6 The prize winners agree they will not sell or otherwise provide their story and/or photographs to any media or other organisation.
- 4.7 It is a condition of accepting the Prize that the prize winner and their nominated companions must comply with all the conditions of use of the Prize and the Promoter's requirements.
- 4.8 The prize winners must provide valid identification to the Promoter upon the Promoters request. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of the prize at the Promoter's sole discretion.
- 4.9 Additional terms and conditions may apply, subject to the carrier provider.
- 4.10 Independent financial advice should be sought as tax implications may arise as a result of accepting the Prize.
- 4.11 Subject to state permit authority restrictions, the Promoter may reasonably amend these terms and conditions, orally or in writing, in its absolute discretion.

5. HOW TO WIN

- 5.1 There will be **ten (10) Prize Winners** randomly drawn from all valid entries. A prize winner can only win one prize. The draw will be held at Newspaper House, 50 Hasler Rd, Osborne Park 6017 WA on **Monday 4 July 15:00 AWST**.
- 5.2 A member of the Seven West Media (WA) Marketing department will contact the prize winners by a phone call within two business days of the draw and an email advising the prize winner of their prize will also be emailed to the email address on the entry. Winners details will be announced on [thewest.com.au/rates](#) by **Friday 8 July 2022 17:00 AWST**.
- 5.3 The Promoter's decision is final and the Promoter will not enter into correspondence regarding the result.
- 5.4 The Promoter may in its absolute discretion deem entries invalid subsequently to a prize winner being notified or a prize winner's name being announced if it is discovered that the prize winner did not enter the Competition in accordance with these terms and conditions. In these circumstances, an additional draw will be conducted.
- 5.5 It is a condition of accepting the prize that the prize winner (and any companions) may be required to sign a legal release in a form determined by the Promoter in its absolute discretion.
- 5.6 In the event the winner/s cannot be contacted or do not accept the prize via the phone and email details provided on the entry by **Thursday 28 July 2022**, an unclaimed prize draw will take place at Seven West Media (WA) on **Friday 29 July 2022 at 15:00 AWST** and the unclaimed prize draw winner will be notified by a phone call within two days of the draw. All prize winners' name will be announced on [thewest.com.au/rates](#) website from **Wednesday 3 August 2022**.

6. NO LIABILITY

- 6.1 In the case of the intervention of any outside act, agent or event which prevents or significantly hinders the Promoter's ability to proceed with the Competition on the dates and in the manner described in

these terms and conditions, including but not limited to vandalism, power failures, tempests, natural disasters, acts of God, civil unrest, strike, war, act of terrorism or pandemic, the Promoter may in its absolute discretion cancel the Competition and recommence it from the start on the same conditions (subject to any changes reasonably required to accommodate for the change of commencement date), subject to state government legislation.

- 6.2 West Australian Newspapers Ltd., Prize suppliers and their associated agencies and companies will take no responsibility for prizes damaged or lost in transit, or late, lost or misdirected mail.
- 6.3 West Australian Newspapers Ltd, Prize suppliers and their associated agencies and companies will not be liable for any misadventure, accident, injury, loss (including but not limited to consequential loss) or claim that may occur:
- a) During the entry process or the draw;
 - b) In the participation, acceptance or use of any element(s) of the prize;
 - c) As a consequence of late, lost or misdirected mail;
 - d) Due to the broadcast of any program relating to the Competition or the publication of any material, including any statements made by any compere, staff member, journalist, other entrants or any other person;
 - e) In relation to failure of an SMS entry message to be received by the Promoter on account of technical problems or traffic congestion; or
 - f) Arising from or related to any problem or technical malfunction of any telephone network, internet connection, perthnow.com.au website outage or lines or mobile communications network related to or resulting from participation in this promotion.
- 6.4 West Australian Newspapers Ltd, Prize suppliers, associated agencies and companies assumes no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction or unauthorized access to, or alteration of entries, and reserves the right to take any action that may be available, subject to state government legislation.
- 6.5 If for any reason the Competition is not capable of running as planned, due to causes including but not limited to tampering, unauthorized intervention, fraud, technical failures or any other causes beyond the control of the Promoter and/ or Prize provider which corrupt or affect the administration security, fairness, integrity or proper conduct of the Competition, the Promoter reserves the right in its sole discretion to disqualify any individual who tampers with the entry process, take any action that may be available, and to cancel, terminate, modify or suspend the Competition, subject to state government legislation.
- 6.6 Regardless of anything else in these conditions, nothing in these conditions excludes, restricts or modifies the application of Consumer Laws or the exercise of any rights or remedies you may have under Consumer Laws where any such exclusion, restriction or modification would contravene Consumer Laws. "Consumer Laws" refers to the Australian Consumer Law under Schedule 2 of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth), and any applicable similar consumer protection laws in the states and territories of Australia that mirror the provisions of the Australian Consumer Law.

7. PROMOTER'S DETAILS

- 7.1 The Promoter is West Australian Newspapers Ltd (ABN 98 008 667 632) of 50 Hasler Road, Osborne Park WA 6017.
- 7.2 All entries and any copyright subsisting in the entries become and remain the property of the Promoter who may publish or cause to be published any of the entries received. Entry details remain the property of the Promoter. Western Australian Newspapers Limited and its related entities ("WAN") is collecting your personal information for the purpose of conducting and promoting this Competition, including for the purpose of identifying and notifying winners and understanding our audiences. WAN will otherwise handle your personal information in accordance with WAN's Privacy Policy which is available on our website at <http://www.sevenwestmedia.com.au/privacy-policies> (and which contains information regarding how you can access your personal information, correct it and/ or make a complaint about our handling of your personal information). By providing your personal information below, you agree to the terms of the Privacy Policy. Without limiting the foregoing, WAN may disclose the entrant's personal

information to its related entities, business partners and external service providers for research and profiling purposes as well as other purposes reasonably related to the entrant's relationship with WAN. In addition, by entering this competition, you consent to WAN using your personal information for the purpose of WAN and its related entities sending you information regarding programs, products and services available through them and/ or through their business partners, and to WAN from time to time sharing your personal information with carefully selected business partners for the purpose of them sending you such information directly. We will always provide you with the ability to opt out of those communications. www.sevenwestmedia.com.au.

- 7.3 If an Entrant does not want their details to be used for the purposes stated in clause 7.2. they must write to West Australian Newspapers Ltd by email to privacy@wanews.com.au or post to Privacy Officer, GPO Box D162, Perth WA 6840 and West Australian Newspapers Limited will ensure that the details are not used for that purpose.
- 7.4 It is a condition of entry that all prize winners agree to have their name, photo, video and suburb published for publicity purposes if required. By participating in this competition, participants signify their acceptance of all conditions and the requirement to participate in promotional activity if required.