



INCREASED SURVEILLANCE



ILLEGAL DUMPING - FINES APPLY



SHIRE of
WYNDHAM
EAST KIMBERLEY



How You Can Help & Report Issues

How to Report Litter, Illegal Dumping,
or Abandoned Vehicles:

If it's on Shire Land:

- Snap Send Solve app – quickly report issues with photos.
- In person at the Shire Administration office.
- Call the Shire office.
- Email Ranger Services via the Shire email.

If it's on State Land:

- Contact Department of Lands, Planning and Heritage.
- Contact Department of Environment.

Need More Information?



Contact Ranger Services

- ☎ 9168 4100
- ✉ mail@swek.wa.gov.au
- 🌐 www.swek.wa.gov.au

Littering, Verge Dumping & Abandoned Vehicles

Working together for a safer community





Littering & Illegal Dumping

Small Actions, Big Impact!

Even small litter, like cigarette butts, snack wrappers, or bottles, can harm wildlife, pollute soil and waterways, and create fire hazards.

Illegal dumping of household rubbish, green waste, or unwanted items in bushland, parks, or public spaces spoils natural beauty and threatens the environment.

Why It Matters:

Wildlife: Animals can eat or get tangled in litter.

Environment: Chemicals from dumped items can seep into soil and waterways.

Safety: Broken glass, metal, and other hazards can injure community members.

Fire Risk: Carelessly discarded items can start bushfires.

Community: Littered streets and bushland reduce the enjoyment of our surroundings.

Be a Community Hero:

Always use bins or take waste to Kununurra or Wyndham landfill sites.

Report littering or illegal dumping to Ranger Services.

Abandoned Vehicles

What Happens to Abandoned Vehicles?

- Ranger Services help locate vehicles that are left on roads, verges, or in bushland.
- Notices are placed to give owners a chance to move them.
- If a vehicle is not claimed, it's taken to the tip or impound yard.

Want Your Vehicle Back?

- Visit the Shire Administration (Kununurra or Wyndham) during opening hours.
- Bring: proof of ownership, ID, and current address.
- Pay any applicable fees.
- Note: Vehicles that aren't roadworthy or registered will need to be towed.

Remember: Abandoned vehicles in bushland spoil its beauty and can pollute the soil with chemicals.

See a Vehicle That Looks Abandoned?

- Let Ranger Services know so they can take care of it safely.



Verge Dumping

What is a Verge?

A Shire verge is the strip of land between your property and the road.

What You Can't Do:

Under the Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law 2005, it is illegal to put:

- Green waste
- Household rubbish
- Vehicles or other items on a Shire verge

Why Keeping Verges Clear Matters:

Prevents injuries to the public: You can be held liable if someone is hurt by items you leave on the verge.

Keeps our streets safe and accessible for pedestrians, cyclists, and vehicles.

Helps the Shire maintain roads, footpaths, and landscaping.

Protects the beauty of our community.

Easy Ways to Comply:

Keep all items inside your property boundary.

Dispose of green waste and household waste for free at landfill sites.