

POLICY NO: 4.1.28

**RECOGNITION OF RATEPAYERS/RESIDENTS –
CENTENARY BIRTHDAY/GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

OBJECTIVES

To provide a guideline for acknowledging ratepayers/residents who attain the age of 100 years or celebrate a 50 year or subsequent milestone wedding anniversary.

POLICY STATEMENT

1. The Council recognises its Senior Citizens of the City and is proud to acknowledge persons who attain the age of 100 years or who celebrate their 50 year (or subsequent milestone) wedding anniversary.
2. Upon attaining the age of 100 years, the City will recognise this milestone event by:
 - (i) sending a congratulatory card and flowers. (These may be personally presented by the Mayor, if appropriate); and
 - (ii) a congratulatory notice in a local paper.
3. (i) The City recognises the following wedding anniversaries:
 - 50 years – Golden Wedding
 - 60 years – Diamond Wedding
 - 70 years – Platinum Wedding(ii) Upon celebrating their 50, 60 or 70 year wedding celebration, the City will recognise the milestone occasions by sending a congratulatory card and flowers. (These may be personally presented by the Mayor, if appropriate.)
4. The arrangements for card/letter/flowers are to be made through the Chief Executive Officer's Office.

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