# Advertising Vehicles for Sale on Public Land

Council does not permit For Sale signs to be placed on vehicles of any kind parked or left on roads under its control. This includes all Council controlled footpaths, parklands and road reserves.

### Why can't I advertise my vehicle for sale when it's parked on the road? Council considers that vehicles offered for sale on public land:

- Present a distraction for drivers
- Pose a potential safety risk to motorists, cyclists and pedestrians, and
- Create an unsightly environment.

It is also an inappropriate use of public land to allow a commercial activity whereby the owner of the vehicle may achieve financial gain.

## What happens to vehicles advertised for sale?

Vehicles for sale are regulated by the Council's Local Law Officers. The vehicle's condition, location and registration status will be checked. Where contact details are provided on the advertisement, Council Officers will attempt to contact the owner direct. In the first instance an on-the-spot fine may be issued to the vehicle. The owner of the vehicle will be required to remove it from Council land. If the owner cannot be contacted, Council may involve the police to ascertain the owner's details. If Council considers that the vehicle is located where it is a public safety risk, the vehicle will be towed at the owner's cost.

### Where can I advertise my vehicle?

If you are selling your vehicle, you can place a For Sale sign on it when it's parked on your own property. Further information on selling vehicles in Queensland is available from the Department of Transport and Main Roads: https://www.tmr.qld.gov.au.



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