

# eLearning: Local Government Worker The legislative requirements required to being a Local Government Worker

### Synopsis

The Local Government eLearning course is suited to Local Government council officers or contractors who need to enter private property and understand their legislative responsibilities.

A Queensland Local Government Worker has a range of responsibilities that support the effective functioning of local councils and the delivery of services to the community. These responsibilities are outlined in the Local Government Act 2009 and other relevant legislation.

#### **Course Topics**

- Definition of a Local Government Worker
- Powers held by a Local Government Worker
  - Entry with reasonable notice, under a remedial notice
  - Entry at reasonable times, to repair facilities
  - Entry at any time for urgent action
- Entry and remedial notices
- Legislative requirements (See Local Government Act 2009, Division 2: Powers of other persons, 142-145)

#### Course Details

Delivery: eLearning Program

Duration: 50 minutes

Cost: On request

## What is a Local Government Worker

LG workers are employees or contractors who have the authority to enter property to perform tasks that enable the Council to fulfill its responsibilities.

#### Powers:

They have entry powers for purposes such as:

- Maintaining or repairing Council facilities (e.g., water pipes).
- Ensuring compliance with Local Government Acts

#### Delegation:

LG workers may be delegated powers by the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Council, but these powers are typically limited to specific tasks and responsibilities.

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