











**Shire of Waroona and Shire of Murray  
Types of Recreational Vehicles**

The following information is to be used as a guide to determine the type of Recreational Vehicles that are permitted in designated RV areas within the Shire of Waroona and the Shire of Murray.


Type	Description	Permitted in RV Areas	Comments
Tents		<b>No</b>	Tents of any type or configuration are not permitted
Tent & Camper Trailers	 <p>Tent trailers typically comprise a box trailer, used to store cooking and camping equipment, plus a lift-out tent for sleeping and living space. Often light and small enough to be towed by small vehicles, there are also off-road versions for rugged terrain.</p>	<b>No</b>	<p><b>May be permitted if can provide proof of being fully self – sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>

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<p><b>Pop-top Caravans</b></p>	 <p>Pop-tops are similar to fully equipped caravans, sometimes even with ensuite, but with a pop-up roof providing up to half a metre of the headroom. Their low profile reduces wind resistance when towing and facilitates storage in a garage or carport.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>
<p><b>Caravans</b></p>	 <p>Caravans vary greatly in size and format, anything up to 10 metres long with up to three axles. They are often equipped with two comfortable berths, but can have up to six or more berths. Fit-out can be basic or luxurious, and some have slide-outs for extra space.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>

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<p><b>Slide-on Campers</b></p>	 <p>Slide-on campers are designed to sit on the back of a ute, pick-up or light truck and can have features similar to a caravan or camper trailer. They allow for towing a separate trailer and can be parked on built-in jacks to enable separate use of the ute.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>
<p><b>Fifth-wheelers</b></p>	 <p>Fifth-wheelers are towed by a truck or pick-up via a hitch similar to that in a semi-trailer – the “fifth wheel” – fitted to the bed of the tow vehicle. Usually large and luxurious, they normally feature a raised master suite above the hitch.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>
<p><b>Campervans / Class B Motorhomes</b></p>	 <p>Typically have a compact fit-out in a high roof or pop-top van. They can be driven on a car licence and used as a passenger vehicle. Equipment usually includes kitchen, eating and sleeping, with ensuites in larger models.</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>

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<p><b>Class A Motorhomes</b></p>	 <p>Class A motorhomes are typically top-end RVs, 7-12 metres long and 7-14 tonnes, with custom bodywork on a specialised RV chassis or adapted truck chassis. Usually fitted with all luxury amenities, they can cost up to half a million dollars, even more.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>
<p><b>Class C Motorhomes</b></p>	 <p>Class C Motorhomes range from economy to luxury models built on a cab-chassis with a caravan-style body. Weighing 4.5-7 tonnes, and measuring 6-13 metres, they retain the donor vehicle's cabin, often with an overhead bunk. Slide-outs are increasingly common.</p>	<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p><b>Are required to be fully self - sufficient</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Must be able to provide own water</li> <li>• Must have own toilet facilities</li> <li>• Must be able to capture grey water</li> </ul>
<p><b>Vans</b></p>	 <p>Typically this type can be a DIY, homemade fitout of a van with really no amenities except perhaps with a bed and a few storage cupboards. Normally without any showering, toilet facilities or any captur of grey water.</p>	<p><b>No</b></p>	<p><b>Not guaranteed that this type can be fully self-sufficient. Therefore, not permitted.</b></p>



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<p>Rooftop Tents</p>	 <p>Can be professional construction or DIY i.e. rooftop tent on a steel rack or canopy. Normally without any showering, toilet facilities or any capture of grey water.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>There is no guarantee that this type can be fully self-sufficient. Therefore, not permitted.</p>