

Tell Us About You

This page collects some basic information about you to assist with analysis.

1. Have you attended a Special Rate Variation Session run by Council?

☐ Yes

☐ No

2. What is your gender?

☐ Female

☐ Male

3. Which category below includes your age?

☐ 17 or younger

☐ 18-20

☐ 21-29

☐ 30-39

☐ 40-49

☐ 50-59

☐ 60 or older

4. Where do you live?

☐ Cobar Town

☐ Rural Residential

☐ Rural

☐ Mount Hope

☐ Nymagee

☐ Euabalong/Euabalong West

☐ Murrin Bridge

5. How long have you lived in Cobar Shire?

☐ More than 20 years

☐ 11-20 years

☐ 6-9 years

☐ 2-5 years

☐ Less than 2 years

☐ Don't live in the Cobar Shire



6. Are you a residential tenant or a home owner

- ☐ Tenant
- ☐ Home owner
- ☐ Both
- ☐ Investor



7. If you own the home, what is your annual general rate payable?

- ☐ Less than \$200
- ☐ \$201 - \$400
- ☐ \$401 - \$600
- ☐ \$601 - \$1000
- ☐ More than \$1000

8. Are you a business operator or a business tenant?

- ☐ Business Operator
- ☐ Business tenant
- ☐ Both
- ☐ Neither

9. If you pay the business rate, what is your general rate payable?

- ☐ Less than \$300
- ☐ \$301-\$500
- ☐ \$501-\$700
- ☐ \$701-\$1000
- ☐ \$1000 - \$1500
- ☐ \$1500-\$3000
- ☐ More than \$3000



Service Provision - Your Priorities

This page aims to determine how much you value the services Council provides, to assist us in prioritising service provision.

10. How Important do you think these services are to quality of life in Cobar?

	Very unimportant	Unimportant	Neither	Important	Very Important	Don't know
Maintaining the road network	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the swimming pool	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the airport	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the Youth and Fitness Centre	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Providing Library services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the Great Cobar Heritage Centre	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Undertaking tourism generation work	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Running community activities and events	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Maintaining parks and gardens	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Running the Lilliane Brady Village	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

11. Do you believe Council should continue to provide these services?

	Yes at Current levels	Yes at lower levels	Yes at higher levels	No
Maintaining the road network	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the swimming pool	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the airport	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the Youth and Fitness Centre	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Providing Library Services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Operating the Great Cobar Heritage Centre	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Undertaking tourism generation work and projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Running community activities and events	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Maintaining parks and gardens	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Running the Lilliane Brady Village	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



12. Council does NOT receive enough income to maintain current services and Infrastructure into the future.

- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Don't know

13. To pay for services and maintain assets the community wants, Council rates need to be raised above the rate peg (of a 3% annual rate rise in line with Inflation).

- ☐ Agree
- ☐ Disagree
- ☐ Don't Know

**14. Services will fall and assets will decline without a rate rise above the 3% rate peg.
Which option do you prefer?**

- ☐ A one off 25% rate rise, followed by the rate peg - services are maintained, some asset maintenance is funded
- ☐ A 13% annual rate rise each year for 7 years - services and assets are improved
- ☐ No rate rise - there is a significant fall in services provided

