

Module	NSW Local Government Waste, Water and Environment
Jurisdictions	New South Wales
Legal Expert	

Module Scope

Does the council operate waste services and manage water utilities in accordance with Environment Protection Authority licences and guidelines?

Does the council prevent pollution, protect biodiversity, and manage coastal and environmental hazards?

Does the council comply with contaminated land, pollution control, and environmental protection requirements?

Module Application

The Waste, Water and Environment module assists councils to:

- Comply with protection of the environment operations licences for waste activities and water discharge.
- Implement waste, water and pollution-control policies, and coastal and marine management programs.
- Enforce biodiversity, heritage and cultural conservation provisions.

This module is intended for environmental services, engineering, and sustainability teams managing local environmental assets and operations.

Violations may result in environmental harm, fines, litigation, stop work orders, or loss of community confidence.

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