

SCHEDULE TO THE RURAL ACTIVITY ZONE

Shown on the planning scheme map as **RAZ**.

Purpose

- To provide for a range of land use and development that does not adversely affect surrounding uses.
- To recognise the need to strengthen and diversify the economic base of the Shire.
- To provide a flexible approach to the consideration of land use and development proposals to off-set the adverse effects of economic restructuring and climate change on the agricultural sector.
- To encourage opportunities that contribute to population stability and growth in the Shire.
- To recognise the natural beauty and "pure" image of the Shire.

	Land	Area/Dimensions/Distance
Minimum subdivision area (hectares).	All Land	80 hectares
Minimum area for which no permit is required to use land for timber production (hectares).	Land within the Significant Landscape overlay	40 hectares
	All Other Land	None Specified
Maximum floor area for which no permit is required to alter or extend an existing dwelling (square metres).	None specified	None specified
Maximum floor area for which no permit is required to construct an out-building associated with an existing dwelling (square metres)	None specified	None specified
Maximum floor area for which no permit is required to alter or extend an existing building used for agriculture (square metres).	None specified	None specified
Minimum setback from a road (metres).	A Road Zone Category 1 or land in a Public Acquisition Overlay to be acquired for a road, Category 1	100 metres
	A Road Zone Category 2 or land in a Public Acquisition Overlay to be acquired for a road, Category 2	40 metres
Minimum setback from a boundary (metres).	Any other boundary	5 metres
Minimum setback from a dwelling not in the same ownership (metres).	All Land	100 metres

Permit requirement for earthworks	Land
Earthworks which change the rate of flow or the discharge point of water across a property boundary.	None specified
Earthworks which increase the discharge of saline groundwater.	None specified