

## Bass Coast Ratepayers and Residents Association Inc.

## **MEMBERSHIP FORM**

The purposes of Bass Coast Ratepayers and Residents Association are as follows;

- 1. TO seek to ensure that Bass Coast Shire Council constantly improves transparency and consultation with the community,
- 2. TO seek to ensure that Bass Coast Shire Council does not impose annual average rate increases of more than 1.4 times the 'year-ended percentage change "all groups" consumer price index' as published by the reserve bank of Australia for December of the calendar year preceding the budget preparation year,
- 3. TO seek to ensure that Council make all information concerning Councils financial position, including all accounts for all departments, and details of all tenders and contracts awarded by Council, readily and easily accessible to ratepayers upon request,
- 4. TO seek to ensure that Council make all information concerning the total annual remuneration of the CEO and all senior officers readily and easily accessible to ratepayers upon request,
- 5. TO seek to ensure that in the 6 months immediately before the CEO's contract is due to expire that Council invites applications for the position of CEO in a notice in a newspaper circulating generally throughout Victoria, and that Council considers all applications received that comply with the conditions specified in the notice,
- 6. TO seek to ensure that Council undertakes genuine community consultation by holding open public meetings, at times that will reasonably permit widespread community attendance, for all matters that may have an impact on the financial wellbeing of the community or on the amenity of the community.

I acknowledge that I have read and agree with the purposes of Bass Coast Ratepayers and Residents Association Incorporated

SIGNED:		 Date:
Name:		 
Postal address	:	 
Email address		 
Mobile phone:		 
Home phone:		 

The individual membership fee for BCRRA is just \$5. Please post or email this form to the below address, and your individual membership number will be issued to you.