



Pensioner Ratepayers

McKinlay Shire Council invites pensioner ratepayers who are NOT currently receiving a pensioner rate subsidy scheme to lodge an application within McKinlay Shire Council.

To receive the subsidy, you must hold one (1) of the following concession cards:

- **Queensland Pensioner Concession Card** (issued by Centrelink (<http://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/services/centrelink/pensioner-concession-card>) or Department of Veterans' Affairs (<http://www.dva.gov.au/>))
- **Department of Veterans' Affairs Health Card** for all conditions (Gold Card (<http://www.dva.gov.au/providers/dva-health-cards#goldcard>))

You must also be:

- the owner or life tenant* of the property, which is your principal place of residence and located in Queensland.
- legally responsible for the payment of local council rates and charges levied on that property.

**A life tenancy can only be created by a valid will and is effective only after the death of the property owner, or by a Supreme or Family Court order.*

Application forms are available at the Council Administration Office or on www.mckinlay.qld.gov.au

Any questions can be answered by contacting Councils Rates Officer on 4746 7166.

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