Dear Resident/Ratepayer,

Re: Emergency Communications with you in the Shire

The Wagait Shire Council currently uses several methods to contact and notify residents about local events and share other important Council information including a monthly e-newsletter (email subscription), community updates and notices by email, local notice boards, Council website and Council Facebook page.

This wet season, Council is implementing an Emergency Messaging service which will provide an alternative broadcast platform for us to contact residents in the event of an emergency. The service will deliver a 'SMS' message directly to your mobile phone.

Emergency events might include:
- advice about emergency response such as opening the cyclone shelter;
- advice about response and recovery activity during a flooding or fire event; and
- other important Council matters effecting our community.

To keep yourself and other residents safe, please consider providing Council with your email and mobile phone number for this purpose.

Council respects that your contact details are private and confidential and ensures you that this information, if provided, will be used solely for the purpose described above and your details will not be supplied to any third party.

For further information please see Council Communications Privacy Policy on our website.

You can opt-in to the Emergency Messaging service, or other Council communications platforms by completing the checklist and giving your authorisation for the service(s) by signing below.

Please return the form to the Council office, giving it to Council staff or emailing to council@wagait.gov.au
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YES! Please sign me up to:
- ☐ E-newsletter (email)
- ☐ Emergency Messaging service (SMS to mobile)

Full Name	
Mobile Phone number	
Email Address	
Residential address	
Signature	