

24 May 2021

# Notice of Motion No.117

## Dogs off lead

I hereby give notice that it is my intention to move at the Ordinary Meeting of Council on 24 May 2021 the following motion.

**That Council, as part of the forthcoming review of its Domestic Animal Management Plan 2017-2021 and the preparation of the new plan, include within the scope of this work to review its approach to managing dogs being off leash across the municipality. The scope should reflect on the history of Knox Council being quite different to other municipalities, and provide any available background information on this approach, as Knox allows dogs to be off leash throughout the municipality unless otherwise signed or controlled; whereas it is common in other councils for dogs to be required to be contained on leash unless otherwise permitted to be off leash in areas such as designated dog parks. Further, the scope should include an understanding of the relevant considerations that need to be addressed before Council made such a change and any implementation considerations.**

Cr Lisa Cooper  
Scott Ward

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