

Manufactured homes Form 16



Residential Park Comparison Document

Manufactured Homes (Residential Parks) Act 2003

This form is effective from 20 February 2025

Important

About this document

The Residential Park Comparison Document assists prospective manufactured home owners compare residential parks by providing general information about a park and their facilities and services, including the costs of moving into, living in and leaving the residential park. It is not intended to provide information about individual manufactured homes within a park. It doesn't form advice or guidance, and any prospective home owner is encouraged to seek independent financial and legal advice.

Key things to know about residential parks

Manufactured homes in residential parks are a form of housing where manufactured home owners own their dwelling and position them on sites in a residential park owned by a park owner. Home owners enter into a site agreement with the park owner for the use of the land and communal facilities, services and amenities and pay the park owner site rent.

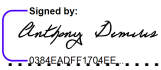
Buying a manufactured home is a significant commitment, and when you enter into a site agreement you are agreeing to continue paying site rent for as long as you own the home, or until you remove the home from the site in the park.

In a residential park, **site rents can increase at regular intervals based on the terms of your site agreement** and subject to legislation on site rent increases in the *Manufactured Homes (Residential Parks) Act 2003*.

You should carefully consider whether you can afford the ongoing expenses of living in the residential park, and how this will increase over time. You are strongly encouraged to seek independent financial and legal advice from an experienced Queensland lawyer about your rights, options and obligations as a manufactured home owner before buying a manufactured home in a residential park and entering into a site agreement.

For more information about residential parks and the *Manufactured Homes (Residential Parks) Act 2003*, please see <https://www.qld.gov.au/housing/buying-owning-home/housing-options-in-retirement/manufactured-homes/about-manufactured-homes>.

The information in this Residential Park Comparison Document is correct as at 10/8/2026 **[insert date]**. Some of the information included may not apply to existing site agreements.

Park owner signature  Date 10/8/2026

Residential park details

Park name Vantage Hervey Bay
 Phone 0476769645
 Park address 1 Vantage Way
 Suburb Kawungan State QLD Postcode 4655
 Website <https://avid.com.au/communities/residential/vantage-herveybay/>
 Number of current manufactured home sites 75
 Park contains: ☒ only manufactured homes ☐ multiple dwelling types (see section 15)
 Total number of sites (including other dwelling types) currently in park 77

Development status: ☐ Completed ☒ Under development (see section 16 for details)

Re-development planned in the next 5 years: ☐ Yes ☒ No (see section 16 for details)

Year Residential Park began operating²⁰²⁵.....

Part 1 – Site rent and other costs

1 Site rent for new site agreements

*(GST exclusive)
Declaration of what site rent will be for new home owners.

Site rent* (or range of site rent) payable by new owners
\$240.33 to \$260.00 per week

This applies to site agreements entered from ^{01-Jul-2026}..... DD/MM/YYYY)

How often is site rent due:
☐ Weekly ☐ Fortnightly ☒ Monthly ☐ Other (specify)

2 Site rent increases

The proposed basis for how site rent can be increased under a site agreement for the site.

How does site rent increase for new home owners in the residential park?

Basis
Sit Rent will increase by the greater of 3.5 % and CPI (Weighted average of Eight Capital Cities) (March quarter) (see Special Term 1.2 (a) of the Site Agreement).
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General increase day ^{01-Jul-2027}..... (DD/MM/YYYY)

A general increase day is the day that site rent increases for all sites using a particular basis. A general site rent increase for a site cannot occur more than once a year.

Frequency
☒ Annual ☐ Other (specify)

Additional information (specify any additional basis, increase day and frequency below)
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Note: general site rent increases are limited to once per year using only a single basis at a time. However, some park owners may have multiple bases which apply in different years.

3 Mandatory costs or fees not included in site rent (GST inclusive)

Note: Does not include sales commissions where the park owner resells homes.

Are home owners in the park required to pay any additional costs or fees which are not included in site rent?

☐ Yes (provide details below) ☒ No

Total costs / fees: \$.....

Details of costs / fees and when payable:
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Part 2 – Utilities and services

4 Electricity

Service Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered)

☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent

☐ Other (specify)

Usage Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered)

☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent

☐ Other (specify)

Does the park contain an embedded network for the supply of any electricity in the residential park?

☒ Yes ☐ No

For more information about embedded networks see:

<https://www.aer.gov.au/consumers/understanding-energy/embedded-networks-customers>

Can solar panels be installed on manufactured homes?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Are there any known conditions/restrictions on the installation or use of solar panels in the residential park?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, specify

Home Owner must seek approval for any works which involve solar units, supply changes, batteries.

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5 Water

Service Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered)

☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent

☐ Other (specify)

Usage Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered)

☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent

☐ Other (specify)

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6 Sewage	Service Charge/s ☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent ☐ Other (specify) Usage Charge/s ☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent ☐ Other (specify)
7 Gas	Service Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered) ☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent ☐ Other (specify) Usage Charge/s (individually measured and/or metered) ☐ Included in site rent ☒ Not included in Site Rent ☐ Other (specify)
8 Telephone	☐ Included in site rent ☒ Available but not included in site rent ☐ Not available ☐ Other (specify)
9 Internet	☐ Included in site rent ☒ Available but not included in site rent ☐ Not available ☐ Other (specify)
10 Other utilities and services	Details of other services or utilities (for example, food services, gardening services, personal care services, transportation services) including whether provision of these services by the Park Owner is included in site rent Vantage Hervey Bay is a community that is currently under development and will offer the following facilities at a future date: 1) Community Bus - estimated delivery September 2026. 2) Caravan Storage - estimated completion October 2026. 3) Community Workshop - estimated completion March 2027. Please note, the above dates are indicative only and subject to change.

11 Park Manager and staff Please provide details about the availability of park management.	Is an on-site manager (or representative) available to home owners? ☒ Yes ☐ No Details of on-site availability: Community Manager Office is open from 10am to 12pm Does the on-site manager live on-site or work on-site? ☐ Lives on-site ☒ Works on-site ☐ Not applicable Does the park have an after-hours emergency contact? ☒ Yes ☐ No After-hours emergency contact details Community Manager 0476769643 Do any other staff work in the residential park? ☒ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide details (e.g. First Aid Officer, Security, Grounds person etc). Community Caretaker
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Part 3 – Facilities and amenities

12 Communal/shared facilities Please provide details about the facilities currently available in the park, including any additional costs for the use of these facilities.

(NOTE: Under section 14 (a) (iii) of the Act, a home-owner has non-exclusive use of the park’s common areas and communal facilities).

☒ Activities, workshops or games room/s

Details..... Games Room, Cinema, Home Owner Workshop, Golf Simulator, Art Room and Sauna.
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)

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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ BBQ area outdoors

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)

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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Bowling green

☐ Indoor ☒ Outdoor

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)

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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Club House

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)

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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Communal open space

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Gym

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Library

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☐ Restaurant / Cafe

Details.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☐ Shops

Details.....
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Cost: ☐ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
N/A.....

Available to: ☐ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Park bus or other park-supplied transport options

Details (conditions for use)

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Subject to Arrival
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Frequency: Subject Booking availability.....

Available to: ☒ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Swimming pool

☐ Indoor ☒ Outdoor ☐ Heated ☐ Not heated

Size: 25 metres.....

Details: Magnesium.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Tennis court / Pickleball

Details: 1 Tennis Court & 2 Pickleball Courts.....

Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☒ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Changing rooms and showers at sports facilities

Details: Male & Female Saunas & Male, Female and disabled Changerooms.....
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☒ Kitchens in communal facilities

Details: Commercial Kitchen.....
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Cost: ☒ Included in site rent ☐ Additional fee (specify)
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Available to: ☒ Home owners ☐ Guests / Visitors ☐ Public

☒ Other facilities and amenities (specify below, including availability and cost)

Library, Bar, Dining Rooms and Private Dining rooms , Putting Green, Spa, Community Garden, Yoga Area all

usage is covered by site rent.

13 Parking

Please provide details of parking available to home owners and their guests.

Do home owners have personal parking space/s on their site?

☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Varies by site

Are there any restrictions on home owners parking on or adjacent to their site (e.g. on their driveway)? If so, please provide details:

Driveway parking permitted through the day, 24 hr parking at Villa frontage for Caravan/RV cleaning and packing.

Is there additional parking available for home owner use in the park?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, specify number of spaces and any conditions

Is there additional parking available for visitor use?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, specify number of spaces ⁹³

Is there parking available for large vehicles such as trailers, motorhomes, caravans, boats or other recreational vehicles?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, specify number of spaces and any conditions

40 Spaces & Secure Parking for RV/ Boat/Caravan/Trailer storage

Are there any fees in addition to site rent applicable to the use of parking spaces for large vehicles such as trailers, motorhomes, caravans, boats or other recreational vehicles?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, provide details

\$175.00 per month

14 Security and safety Note: Park Owners are required to maintain and implement an emergency plan for the residential park. Additional features listed at park owners discretion. This list may not be exhaustive. Please enquire with park owner for more details.	Does the residential park have any of the following security and safety features? ☒ Security cameras ☒ Key fob/pin code operated Security gates ☐ Emergency phones ☒ Defibrillator(s) Provide details of any other notable security or safety features of the park? Number Plate Recognition to main entry and to Caravan/Boat Storage Compound.....
15 Accessibility features Please provide details of features in the park to assist home owners with mobility or other issues. Details are provided for comparative information only. Home owners with specific accessibility requirements should contact the park owner to ensure the park can meet their needs.	Does the residential park have any of the following accessibility features in the common areas of the residential park? ☐ Ramps ☐ Lifts ☒ Wheelchair-accessible toilets ☒ Extra-wide doors ☒ Wheelchair-accessibility to Letterboxes ☒ Wheelchair-accessibility to Residential Park Office What parts of the park have these features? Clubhouse & Sports Facilities.....

Part 4 – Miscellaneous	
16 Other dwellings	Does the park contain dwellings other than manufactured homes (i.e., is a mixed-use park)? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, provide details, for example caravans, holiday rental cabins, residential premises (including manufactured homes) under residential tenancy agreements)
17 Development Indications of future plans may be subject to change. For more information contact the park owner.	Has development of the park been completed? ☐ Yes ☒ No If no, provide details of how many sites, including manufactured home sites and other dwellings will be available when planned development is completed and the anticipated date for completion? 300 Sites If no, provide details of any services, amenities or facilities that will become available when development is complete, including when these will be available Caravan Compound, Wash Bay and Dump Point expected completion (October 2026)...
18 Home owners committee	Does the park have a home owners' committee? ☐ Yes ☒ No
19 Letting the home	Do site agreements in the residential park permit home owners to let their home to another person? ☐ Yes ☒ No If yes, detail any restriction on letting:

[illegible]

Part 5 – Park Rules

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Part 6 – Park details and operations

24 Park owner details

☐ Individual owner/s

Title.....Full name

Title.....Full name

Title.....Full name

☒ Corporate owner

Full company / corporation name

AVID Vantage B Pty Ltd ATF Hervey Bay Unit Trust

Australian Company Number (ACN)

Australian Business Number (ABN) 98381503909

Business address

Level 5, 7 Macquarie Place

Suburb Sydney State NSW Post code 2000

Phone number 1300057087

Email address hello@vantage.com.au

25 Park contact

Please provide contact details for the residential park for information and enquiries if different from above.

Contact name Community Manager

Park phone 0476769643

Park email herveybay@vantage.com.au

Further Information

If you would like more information, contact the Department of Housing and Public Works on 13 QGOV (13 74 68) or visit our website at www.hpw.qld.gov.au

Regulatory Services (Department of Housing and Public Works)

Regulatory Services administers *the Manufactured Homes (Residential Parks) Act 2003*. This includes investigating breaches of the Act.

Department of Housing and Public Works
GPO Box 690, Brisbane, QLD 4001
Phone: 07 3013 2666
Email: regulatoryservices@housing.qld.gov.au
Website: www.housing.qld.gov.au/housing

Queensland Retirement Village and Park Advice Service (QRVPAS)

Specialist service providing free information and legal assistance to home owners and prospective home owners in residential parks in Queensland.

Caxton Legal Centre Inc
Level 23, 179 Turbot Street
Brisbane Qld 4000
Phone: 07 3214 6333
Email: qrvpas@caxton.org.au
Website: www.caxton.org.au

The Queensland Manufactured Home Owners Association Inc (QMHOA)

Is a peak body representing owners of manufactured homes in Queensland. They provide information and assistance to home owners and prospective home owners in relation to their rights and responsibilities under the *Manufactured Homes (Residential Parks) Act 2003*.

Phone: 07 3040 2344
Website: www.qmhoa.org.au

Seniors Legal and Support Service

Provides free legal and support services for seniors concerned about elder abuse, mistreatment or financial exploitation.

Caxton Legal Centre Inc
Level 23, 179 Turbot Street
Brisbane Qld 4000
Phone: 07 3214 6333
Email: slas@cxton.org.au
Website: www.caxton.org.au/sails_slas

Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT)

This independent decision-making body helps resolve disputes and reviews administrative decisions by government.

GPO Box 1639, Brisbane, QLD 4001
Phone: 1300 753 228
Email: enquiries@qcat.qld.gov.au
Website: www.qcat.qld.gov.au

Queensland Law Society

Find a solicitor
Law Society House
179 Ann Street, Brisbane, QLD 4000
Phone: 1300 367 757
Email: info@qls.com.au
Website: www.qls.com.au

Department of Justice and Attorney-General

Dispute Resolution Centres provide a free, confidential and impartial mediation service to the community.

Phone: 07 3006 2518
Toll free: 1800 017 288
Website: www.justice.qld.gov.au