

# Authorised Persons (including Local Government Workers)

*Become a Queensland Local Government Authorised Person*

## Synopsis

An Authorised Person is appointed by a council CEO under each state's Local Government Act to ensure members of the public comply with their responsibilities under various Acts.

Our course is suited to local laws officers, animal management officers and environmental health officers, senior staff, and environmental health officers. This course introduces the role of the Government Authorised Person, focusing on legislation. Participants will gain an improved understanding of the legal processes within their role, and how better to interpret the Acts they administer.

## Course Topics

- Authorised Persons/Local Government Worker
- Professionalism
- Document all steps
- Powers of entry
- Common law
- Trespass
- Seeking assistance from police
- Safety
- Situational awareness
- Using audio/and or video recording equipment
- QLD Local Government Act (areas pertaining to the role of the Authorised Person)
- Local Government Workers – Powers of Entry
- QLD Local Government Act (areas pertaining to the role of the Local Government Worker)
- Other legislation or regulations pertaining to the Authorised Persons role
- Copies of warrants; court orders and applications.

## Course Details

Delivery: Inhouse or Virtual delivery

Structure: Interactive Workshop

Time: 4-5 hours

Class Size: Max 15

Cost: On request

## About the Trainer



With a total of 30 years' experience within the animal industry, including 10 years in Animal Management with local government, Louise Hainey brings an understanding of animal related issues in local government to her role as a trainer within the Peak Services team. She successfully delivers many programs including Authorised Persons, Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008, Breed Identification and many others.