



# COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL HOUSING FOR THE ACTIVELY INDEPENDENT

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## APPLICATION FORM

Community and Social Housing Aged Persons Units established by the Latrobe Council are provided to independently active persons that -

1. meet the pensionable age criteria set by the Australian Government Department of Human Services.  
As at 31 October 2019, the pension age has gradually increased from 65 to 67 years as set out in the table below.

| Period within which a person was born | Pension age           | Date pension age changes |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| From 1 July 1952 to 31 December 1953  | 65 years and 6 months | 1 July 2017              |
| From 1 January 1954 to 30 June 1955   | 66 years              | 1 July 2019              |
| From 1 July 1955 to 31 December 1956  | 66 years and 6 months | 1 July 2021              |
| From 1 January onwards                | 67 years              | 1 July 2023              |

2. **And also** holds either an Aged or Service Pension.  
Council is unable to accept applications from persons with any other type of pension.

### APPLICANT 1

Surname .....

First Name .....

Address .....

Phone (landline) ..... Phone (mobile) .....

Email .....

Date of Birth ..... Current Age .....

Type of pension (circle one)                      Age                      Veteran

Pension Number \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ .

### APPLICANT 2 (if applicable)

Surname .....

First Name .....

Address .....

Phone (landline) ..... Phone (mobile) .....

Email .....

Date of Birth ..... Current Age .....

Type of pension (circle one)                      Age                      Veteran

Pension Number \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ .

Please note that while you can request placement on both waiting lists, two-bedroom units are prioritised for couples and one-bedroom units are prioritised for singles.

**UNIT PREFERENCE**       One Bedroom                      and / or                       Two Bedroom

**CURRENT HOUSING SITUATION**

Own Home       Rent       Living with family       Other .....

**DO YOU HAVE A PET?**

*Having a pet does not affect your inclusion on the waiting list however only a small number of units have a capacity for pets so your options may be further limited.*

No       Yes      If yes, what type .....      Year of Birth: .....

**ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR SOCIAL HOUSING?**

*The preceding information applies for inclusion on the community housing waiting list (57 units) however, if you meet the eligibility below, you will also be included on the social housing waiting list (7).*

Please tick all relevant boxes

- A couple applicant
- Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Low-income earner who is eligible for a Commonwealth Health Care Card
- Do not own a home of your own
- Do not have financial assets worth more than \$35,000.  
*Include things like shares, property and money in the bank for all the people who live in your household. Do not include your car or household furnishings.*

**NEXT OF KIN DETAILS**

1. Name: .....
2. Address: .....
3. Relationship .....      Their Phone Number: .....
4. Email: .....

By signing this application, I/we declare that I/we meet the eligibility criteria and the information supplied is true and correct as at the date of signing.

Signature: .....      Date: .....

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Return the completed form to Latrobe Council - Post to P O Box 63, Latrobe, 7307  
- Drop into 170 Gilbert Street, Latrobe or  
- Email to council@latrobe.tas.gov.au