



UNION CONTRIBUTIONS 2026

INCOME THRESHOLDS						
2026 - METROPOLITAN COUNCIL/ AUSGRID/ PRIVATE SECTOR PICNIC TICKET RATES						
		Annual	Quarter	Month	Fortnight	Week
A	Full (earning more than \$806.48pw)	692.12	173.03	57.68	26.62	13.31
B	75% Rate (earning \$806.48pw or less)	527.28	131.82	43.94	20.28	10.14
C	50% Rate (earning \$537.65pw or less)	361.92	90.48	30.16	13.92	6.96
D	25% Rate (earning \$268.83pw or less)	197.60	49.40	16.47	7.60	3.80
2026 - BALLINA COUNCIL PICNIC TICKET RATES \$25 levy applies						
		Annual	Quarter	Month	Fortnight	Week
E	Full (earning more than \$806.48pw)	684.88	171.22	57.07	26.34	13.17
F	75% Rate (earning \$806.48pw or less)	520.04	130.01	43.34	20.00	10.00
G	50% Rate (earning \$537.65pw or less)	355.20	88.80	29.60	13.66	6.83
H	25% Rate (earning \$268.83pw or less)	189.84	47.46	15.82	7.30	3.65
2026 - AIRLINES MEMBERS INC PICNIC TICKET (\$8.80pa levy applies)						
		Annual	Quarter	Month	Fortnight	Week
I	Full (earning more than \$806.48pw)	700.92	175.23	58.41	26.96	13.48
J	75% Rate (earning \$806.48pw or less)	536.08	134.02	44.67	20.62	10.31
K	50% Rate (earning \$537.65pw or less)	370.72	92.68	30.89	14.26	7.13
L	TAB & Agencies - Casuals	Per Hour:	0.41			
M	TAB & Agencies - Junior Casuals	Per Hour:	0.28			

All rates include GST

For more information contact the USU on 1300 136 604

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Direct Debits: Union Contributions are deducted Weekly, Fortnightly, Monthly, Quarterly or Yearly from the member's credit card or bank, building society or credit union account.

Payroll Deductions: Members' contributions are deducted from their pay and forwarded to Union office (where the employer provides this facility)