

COUNCIL NEWS

Temporary Road Closure Vehicle Certification Testing

Council advises that a section of **Lloyds Road between Vale Road and Gormans Hill Road** will be temporarily closed on **Wednesday 8 May 2024 9:30am - 2:30pm**. The temporary closure is for vehicle certification testing.

Village Meetings 2024

Council will be holding its next round of meetings with residents in rural areas during April, May and June 2024. You are invited to attend and meet with Councillors and Council's Senior Staff to discuss projects Council is currently undertaking and any other matters of interest to you.

Each meeting will be held at the following locations:

- Rockley, School of Arts Building - 30 April 2024 at 6pm
- Perthville, Community Hall - 7 May 2024 at 6pm
- Trunkey Creek, Community Hall - 13 May 2024 at 6pm
- Sunny Corner, Community Hall - 21 May 2024 at 6pm
- Wattle Flat, Recreation Hall - 28 May 2024 at 6pm
- Hill End, "Hosie's" 23 Clarke Street, 6 June 2024 at 5pm

Proclamation Day

Bathurst Regional Council invites the community to acknowledge the anniversary of its first Proclamation by Governor Lachlan Macquarie in 1815, on **Sunday 5 May 2024**.

Join us at **10am at the Flag Staff (Bicentennial Park)** for the Official Proclamation Ceremony and morning tea.

For more information visit Council's website or call Council on 6333 6111.

Tree Protection Policy

Council wants to hear from the community about your views on the protection of trees. Information can be found at:

<https://yoursay.bathurst.nsw.gov.au/tree-protection-policy>

Feedback is sought up until **15 May 2024**. Enquiries can be made to Council's Environmental Planning and Building Services Dept on 63336211 or council@bathurst.nsw.gov.au

2024 CLUBGRANTS SCHEME (CATEGORY I)

Bathurst Regional Council invites community organisations to apply for funding from the 2024 ClubGRANTS Scheme, under CATEGORY I criteria.

Applications close on **Friday 31 May 2024**.

All applications are required to be completed by ClubGRANTS Online. No manual applications can be received.

Further information and a link to ClubGRANTS online can be accessed from Council's website: www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au or the ClubsNSW website www.clubsnsw.com.au, or contact Cultural & Community Services on 02 6333 6523.

Notice of Meeting

A Policy Committee Meeting of Bathurst Regional Council will be held in the Council Chambers, Civic Centre, Bathurst on **Wednesday 1 May 2024 at 6pm**.

Public Forum will be held from 6pm to allow members of the public to raise matters with Council.

An Extra-Ordinary Council Meeting is to be held following the Policy Committee Meeting on Wednesday 1 May 2024.

Careers @ Council

Working for Council is a stimulating and rewarding career option, providing the opportunity to be part of a team contributing to shaping the success and future of our Region. Please visit <https://www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au/Council/Careers-at-Council> for a full list of current vacancies.

Amendment to Bathurst Regional Community Participation Plan 2019

Notice is given that at its Meeting held on 17 April 2024, Council resolved to adopt an amendment to Bathurst Regional Community Participation Plan 2019 (CPP).

The CPP is a document that identifies how and when Council will engage with the Bathurst Community whilst undertaking its relevant planning functions under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

The purpose of the amendment is to remove the requirements to advertise planning matters in a newspaper (noting that public notice in the future will be via Council's website) and to ensure the document remains consistent with the Act.

If you have any queries please contact Council's Environmental, Planning and Building Services Department on 6333 6211.

Draft Policy - Planning Instrument Amendments and Refund of Fees

Council has reviewed its Policy "Planning Instrument Amendments and Refund of Fees". The policy establishes the criteria upon which planning instrument amendments will be classified in regard to the application fees payable and a method of calculation for fee refunds where amendments do not proceed.

The draft Policy is on **public exhibition 22 April 2024 to 20 May 2024**. Information in relation to the policy is available at: <https://yoursay.bathurst.nsw.gov.au/draftpolicies>

Enquiries should be directed to Council's Environmental Planning and Building Services Department.

Tenders

36.00831- Grounds Maintenance of Bulk Water Supply and Wastewater Sites 2024-2027

Council is seeking tenders from suitable companies for the Grounds Maintenance for Bulk Water Supply and Wastewater Sites located in Bathurst, Raglan, Lagoon, and Perthville.

Interested parties are required to register via the E-tendering Portal www.tenderlink.com/bathurst to download the tender document at no charge.

Submissions close 10am on 14 May 2024.

If you experience difficulties accessing the above website, please call the Tenderlink Helpdesk on 1800 233 533.

All electronic tenders shall be submitted in the format specified in the tender document. Failure to do so will result in the tender not being considered by Council.

Council Policy is that the lobbying or liaison with Councillors prior to the consideration of a Tender by Council will lead to the rejection of the Tender.

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