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## CHANGE OF NAME FOR GUNDAGAI COUNCIL

The communities of Cootamundra and Gundagai have voted to change the name of the newly formed Gundagai Council to Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council.

Council issued 6,800 voting slips and 3,211 were returned, with the results for the four available options split being:

Gundagai-Cootamundra Council	903
Cootamundra-Gundagai Council	603
Gundagai-Cootamundra Regional Council	389
Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council	1139
Informal	177

Administrator Christine Ferguson said “it was important that the name of the new Council be inclusive of the communities of both the former Council areas and I am very pleased to see such a high rate of participation in this decision.”

The formal process of changing the name by Proclamation will now commence.

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