



2020/2021 OPERATIONAL PLAN (INCLUDING THE BUDGET (LTFP), REVENUE POLICY AND 20/21 FEES AND CHARGES) - The Operational Plan details the actions to be undertaken during the next financial year and includes the annual budget, revenue policy and fees and charges for the year ahead. The draft 2020/21 Operational Plan will be on public exhibition from 2 June to 5pm 30 June 2020 at the following locations/platforms: Online: www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au; Council’s administration buildings; Council’s libraries; Council welcomes feedback during the public exhibition period, submissions are invited and may be made: By mail; By email: mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au; By fax: 02 6940 2127. Submissions received will be considered by Council before the documents are adopted at the next Meeting of Council on 30 June 2020.

DRAFT LOCAL STRATEGIC PLANNING STATEMENT - Amendments were made to the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979 in March 2018 to create a requirement that NSW councils be required to prepare a Local Strategic Planning Statement (LSPS) by July, 2020. Council is required to place the Local Strategic Planning Statement on exhibition, seek agency and community feedback into the statements, outcomes, timelines and aspirations of the document. To make your submission to Council, please to do so in writing to Council by 5pm Thursday 25 June 2020. Submissions may be: Delivered to Council’s Offices in Cootamundra or Gundagai. Posted to: The General Manager, Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council, PO Box 420, Cootamundra NSW 2590. Emailed to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au.

PUBLIC NOTICE - for residents in Brungle Road area Gundagai - Brungle Road will be closed from 8.45am on Tuesday 16 June, for a minimum of 4 hours to allow for essential electricity pole replacement at the Gundagai Water Treatment Plant. CGRC apologises for any inconvenience caused during this time.

PUBLIC WORKS - Works are continuing on the Old Gundagai Road reconstruction project. Current works have seen the existing pavement reshaped and levelled in readiness for stabilisation, which is expected to commence the week of the 15 June. This project is being funded from the Roads To Recovery Program. Council’s kerb contractor has commenced work on the replacement of kerb and gutter in Hay Street between O’Donnell and Adams Streets, Cootamundra. The existing kerb in this area was prioritised due to its deteriorated condition. Once this section has been completed, the section along Adams Street from Hay Street to Merle Avenue, Cootamundra will be replaced. Council’s works crews are continuing with the private development work on the Cootamundra’s Boundary Road Sub-division. Current works involve the laying of underground sewer and stormwater drainage.

COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS) - DROP IN TESTING CLINICS - will be in Gundagai on Thursday 11 June 2020, from 10am to 3pm at the Gundagai Visitor Information Centre. Cootamundra on Saturday 13 June 2020, from 1.30pm to 3.15pm at Fisher Park. If you symptoms which include sore throat, shortness of breath, runny or stuffy nose, fever and dry cough. Please get tested. DROP IN ON THE DAY OR CALL: An appointment for the mobile testing clinic can be made by calling the Murrumbidgee COVID-19 Hotline on 1800 831 099.

BACKYARD BURNING & FIRE PITS - Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council (CGRC) is advising residents that although there is no need for an approval at this time of year to burn off. Prohibited items, such as tyres, plastic, treated timber, paint and solvents are not to be burnt. Residents are asked to take into consideration alternative ways to dispose of vegetation, and the impact smoke may have on neighbours and traffic. This includes considering the wind, weather, length of burn and material. Only dead and dry vegetation can be burnt as other items particularly treated pine can be hazardous to health. Residents are urged to stay with the fire while it is lit and have resources on hand to put it out and not light a fire in gutters or on road surfaces. Council does have the ability to regulate fires under the provisions of the Clean Air Regulations (under the Protection of the Environment Operations Act, 1997), should a fire cause air pollution or contain prohibited items. Burning is prohibited during Total Fire Bans or on No Burn Days.

REACHING OUT TO YOU - CGRC is calling for residents to assist with the best way Council can reach the community. This short survey will help Council to understand and direct information to residents in a cost effective, collaborative and sustainable approach.

How do you find information on what is happening in your local community?

- The newsletter that is mailed to every household
- Facebook
- The Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council website
- Other (please advise) _____

Demographic (age) Do you have access to computer/tablet/phone with internet?

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| <input type="radio"/> 18-25 | <input type="radio"/> Yes |
| <input type="radio"/> 26-35 | <input type="radio"/> No |
| <input type="radio"/> 36-40 | |
| <input type="radio"/> 40-50 | |
| <input type="radio"/> 50+ | |

How else could we get the newsletter to you?

- Free subscription
- Continue to mail newsletters out
- Pick up from a store (post office, Newsagency)
- Do you have any suggestions? _____

This survey can be accessed online at www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/communication_survey or completed surveys can be submitted to CGRC Administration offices in person or by post to Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council, PO Box 420, Cootamundra NSW 2590, or via email to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au. Please mark Communication Survey in subject line.