



ORDINARY MEETING APRIL 2024:

Will be held on Tue 28 May 2024 at the Council Chambers, Sheridan St Gundagai. Starting at and live streamed from 6pm. Refer to Council's website for agenda. Members of the public may address Council on matters related to agenda items only, as part of the Public Forum.

GUNDAGAI VILLAGES FLOOD STUDY:

CGRC is seeking input from local residents for the Gundagai Villages Flood Study. Council has recently engaged flooding consultants HydroStorm Consulting to undertake a flood study for the villages Coolac, Nangus, Tumblong, Darbalara and those residing in the Murrumbidgee floodplain outside Gundagai. The flood study aims to explore and assess flooding in these areas and as such local community input is crucial for better understanding and addressing potential flood risks in these communities. Engaging with the community serves the dual purpose of keeping the community informed about the project's progress and provide an avenue for residents to share information about their past experience with flood.

Questionnaire online completion follow this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MMVXHBH>

For more information visit: <https://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/gundagai-villages-flood-study>

TEMPORARY BUS ZONE GUNDAGAI VIC:

The establishment of an additional temporary bus parking zone beside the existing public toilet block has been implemented for the duration of the Gundagai Tourist/ Visitor information centre building works. The building works along with the increase in bus movements in the area has led to congestion, so a temporary bus zone was required to improve safety. The building works are expected to be completed by August and it is expected that the new parking conditions will be in place until the refurbished Visitor Information Centre is opened to the public.

GUNDAGAI LIBRARY:

Storytime starts back at 10am on Thursday 2 May with 'All Things Royal' Lego afternoon's start back on 30 April from 3.00-4.30pm.

COMPANION ANIMAL AUDIT:

CGRC will be undertaking an audit of the NSW Companion Animal Register of cats that are not desexed, not registered and require an annual permit. The NSW Government introduced in July 2020, annual permits for non-desexed cats as part of its commitment to promoting responsible pet ownership and improving animal welfare standards. This requires Owners of non-desexed cats to pay an annual fee in addition to their one-off lifetime pet registration. The annual permit is \$92 plus their registration fee \$65. The registration remains a one of payment however the permit must be paid yearly. In NSW, all cats and dogs, must be registered by 6 months of age, this includes all working dogs.

The registration fee is a one-off payment, paid at Council Offices and covers your pet for its lifetime, regardless of any changes in ownership. Owners are responsible for changing details when pets are sold or given away. If your pet has died, you must also notify the Council within 28 days of its death.

For any enquires regarding the upcoming audit, please CGRC Rangers on 1300 459 689. Information can be found at [KEEPING COMPANION ANIMALS | Cootamundra Gundagai Regional Council \(nsw.gov.au\)](http://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/keeping-companion-animals)

DE-AMALGAMATION NEWS:

In accordance with section 215(1) of the Local Government Act 1993 (the Act), Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council has submitted a proposal to the Minister for Local Government to constitute two new local government areas, under section 204 of the Act, from the splitting of the Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council local government area.

The proposal has now been placed on public exhibition for 28 days and the Minister for Local Government is encouraging feedback from the community.

For more information and instructions on making submissions please visit the following link: [Media-Release-CGRC-de-amalgamation.pdf \(nsw.gov.au\)](http://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/media-release-cgrc-de-amalgamation.pdf)

POSITION VACANT- REGULATORY/COMPLIANCE OFFICER - COOTAMUNDRA

Applications are invited from interested persons for the above permanent full-time position of Regulatory/Compliance Officer to be based at Cootamundra Office. This position administers regulatory and data management requirements for Cemeteries, Priority Weeds, Biosecurity, Saleyards, Companion Animals and other regulatory functions. Please contact our Human Resources Department on 1300 459 689, for further information on our website: [POSITIONS VACANT | Cootamundra Gundagai Regional Council \(nsw.gov.au\)](http://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/positions-vacant-cootamundra-gundagai-regional-council) or alternatively, forward your current resume and an introduction letter to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au.

COOTAMUNDRA & GUNDAGAI YOUTH COUNCILS:

Young people are encouraged to be a part of the 2024 Youth Councils. Check out our website or call the Youth and Inclusion Officer 1300 459 689 or email youth@cgrc.nsw.gov.au

WATER MAIN REHABILITATION:

CGRC wishes to inform all customers in Cootamundra that the water mains rehabilitation project will commence shortly in Ursula Street, Adam Street, Queen Street, and Hay Street. CGRC has engaged a contractor to undertake the project.

ROADWORKS:

Heavy patching roadwork will continue on Old Cootamundra Road. Berthong Road culvert replacement works expect short delay. Please obey traffic signals in place. Road works continue around the LGA, on Council & State Road assets. Council urges motorists to drive to the conditions and slow down at work sites. Expect short delays & plan your trip.

DRAFT 2024/25 OPERATIONAL PLAN ON PUBLIC EXHIBITION:

084/2024 Council resolve that the Draft 2024/25 Operational Plan, inclusive of the Draft Revenue Policy, Draft Fees and Charges, Draft Operating Budget and Draft Capital Works Budget, be placed on public exhibition for a period of 28 days. <https://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/connect-with-us/have-your-say/documents-on-public-exhibition/>