

Careers at Council

We are seeking suitably qualified people to fill the roles of:

- Compliance Officers
 - Team Leader Coastal, Flooding and Drainage - Forster
- Visit our website for further information and to apply.

Council meeting

The next Ordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Taree Administration Centre, Wednesday 25 July at 2pm.

We encourage members of the public to sit in on our meetings, as a way of finding out more about how council works and to stay updated on what's happening in the MidCoast Council area.

With prior notice, you may address the meeting on any item of business.

Bindii and broadleaf weeds spraying

We will undertake herbicide spraying on sporting fields, parks, pools surrounds, cemeteries, reserves and Council building surrounds throughout the MidCoast region, during July, August, September and October 2018. Only registered herbicides will be used as per label requirements.

This program is subject to weather conditions.

Scheduled areas will be assessed individually and treated as required. Individual areas will be sign-posted at the times of treatment in commonly accessed areas. A list of areas to be treated is available from your local MidCoast Council office.

Receive your rates notices via email

Registering to have your rates notices delivered directly to your inbox is not only convenient for you, but it's good for the environment too.

You'll have access to all your rates notices in one place, and best of all you'll help us save on printing and postage costs, freeing up rate-payer dollars that can be used to improve our community.

Search "Electronic Rates" on our website for more information, or visit midcoast.enotices.com.au to register today.

Gloucester Library

Children's storytime will not be held during the July school holidays and the resume date is Monday 3 September at 10am.

The Library will be closed from Monday 30 July until Saturday 11 August to allow works on the next stage of the redesign project.

Works include re-carpeting, re-painting, installation of new shelves, furniture and new circulation desk.

The new design will not only update the look and feel of the library, but will enable the community to make greater use of the space.

A major launch and community celebration is being planned for 27 August with the State Librarian of NSW attending.

Have your say

We are seeking community feedback on:

- Development Proposal DA2018/2630 - Clement Street, Gloucester - Aged Care Facility

Visit our website for further information.

Development consents

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

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| 2009/1824/03 | Lot 104 Thunderbolts Way, Gloucester (modification to consent) |
| 2017/2563 | 20 Titaatee Creek Road, Titaatee Creek (new dwelling) |
| 2017/2567/02 | 22 Mahogany Drive, Gloucester (modification to site plan) |
| 2018/2603 | 1 Wright Close, Gloucester (new dwelling, garage and pool) |
| 2018/2611 | 287 Mereweather Lane, Tugrahakh (rural shed) |
| 2018/2613 | 11 Craven Close, Gloucester (additions to dwelling) |
| 2018/2622 | 3 Dilgry Close, Gloucester (detached gazebo) |

The above consents are available to inspect at our Gloucester office during office hours.

Bulky waste collection

The scrap metal and bulky waste clean-up will take place in the Gloucester area on 6 - 17 August.

This is a great opportunity to dispose of those larger, unwanted items around the house or in the shed, and have them conveniently picked up from the kerbside where your regular bins are usually placed for collection.

Items must be sorted into two separate piles – one for scrap metal, and the other for general bulky waste. Visit our website for guidelines including what items will be accepted, and how your waste must be presented – non-compliant waste will not be collected and anything rejected and left outside your property is your responsibility to remove. You should place your waste out on 4 August – no earlier, as this will be considered illegal dumping and you could be fined.

Note: electronic waste (eg, TVs, computers) is not accepted.

Tip: If your unwanted items are in reasonable condition / working order, help us reduce the amount of waste going to landfill by trying to re-home them instead.

More info at www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/bulkywaste

On our roads and bridges

Keep an eye out for maintenance/construction crews working on:

- **Callaghans Creek Bridge** - Construction of the replacement bridge is programmed for August for a December completion. Access is via a side track around work site.
- **Thunderbolts Way - the slips, Barrington** - The project will be completed when weather conditions allow.
- **Shared Pedestrian/Cycle Path** (from Showground Road to Dangar Road) - All preparation works have been done with sealing to be completed shortly.
- **Footpaths** - Maintenance is currently being undertaken to address various trip hazards. Other footpath and road signage maintenance is also being undertaken
- **Potholing and patching** - Crews are continuing to carry out potholing works on all sealed roads.

For full details on all maintenance and construction works on our roads and bridges, visit www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/roads

Please observe roadworks signs and speed restrictions, changed traffic conditions, and proceed with caution.