

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.

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.

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.

On our roads and bridges

Keep an eye out for our maintenance and construction crews in these areas:

- **Bulahdelah - Lee Street** - Reconstruction from Crawford to Stroud Street and 175m of Stroud Street / Markwell Road. Works are currently scheduled to finish in early September.
- **Esplanade, North Arm Cove** - Scope of works include upgrading of stormwater drainage - new stormwater culvert and upgrades to pipes under driveways, reconstruction of 350m of gravel road from the eastern end of The Esplanade to create a new bitumen sealed road. Recent rain has delayed completion of the drainage system.
- **Booral Road, Crawford River** - Majority of works complete. Some reworks required to first 100m of roadway to correct minor issues.

For full details and updates on maintenance and construction works on our roads and bridges, visit MyRoadInfo.com.au, or search works near you at www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/roads.

Explore the shore - 21-22 July

Here's your chance to make the most of our coast!

Join our free wild whales talks, Saturday 21 July at Bennetts Head Lookout, and learn about the 35,000 humpback whales that will pass by our shores on their annual migration. Hosted by marine naturalist Jeannie Lawson, choose a session starting at 10.30am, 11.30am, 12.30pm or 1.30pm. Bookings aren't needed – just come along and join in.

And for even more adventure, Jeannie will also be leading a free Rock Pool Ramble – Sunday 22 July at 8.30am – meet at Cape Hawke Surf Club. Here you'll find out who and what lives on our unique rocky shores. Places are limited and bookings are required – visit www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/marinediscovery to reserve your place.

Both exciting activities are part of our Marine Discovery Series, delivered in conjunction with Hunter Local Land Services.

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.

Development consents

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

DA-73/2018	Lot 7099 Little Street, Forster (decommission fuel tanks)
DA-346/2018	8 Ibis Avenue, Hawks Nest (garage & workshop)
DA-365/2018	127-135 The Lakes Way, Forster (subdivision)
DA-396/2018	520 Pindimar Rd, Pindimar (staged development - 1. road & clearing, 2. dual occupancy)
DA-442/2018	Lot 22 Chapmans Road, Tuncurry (garage)
DA-449/2018	21 Isabella Parade, Forster (dual occupancy with strata subdivision)
DA-484/2018	Lot 204 Angus Drive, Failford (shed)
DA-492/2018	283 Warri Street, Pindimar (dwelling)
DA-493/2018	29 Moorooaba Road, Coomba Park (dwelling)
DA-512/2018	9 Elouera Crescent, Forster (repair revetment wall and rebuild/enlarge existing wharf)
DA-525/2018	Lot 204 Angus Drive, Failford (dwelling)
DA-526/2018	39 Panorama Crescent, Forster (awning)
DA-536/2018	1 Hume Street, Forster (alterations and additions)
DA-537/2018	2 Peperico Place, Boomerang Beach (garage)
DA-541/2018	5 Elouera Crescent, Forster (repair/replace revetment wall, associated pathways and replace jetty)
DA-542/2018	2 Farnell Street, Nabitac (dwelling and shed)
DA-544/2018	54 The Anchorage, Hawks Nest (alterations and additions)
DA-554/2018	13 Coolangatta Street, Coomba Park (dwelling)
DA-557/2018	116 Patsys Flat Road, Smiths Lake (swimming pool)
DA-563/2018	5 Roseville Close, Forster (use of existing swimming pool)
DA-570/2018	20 King George Parade, Forster (wood heater)
DA-575/2018	32 Isabella Parade, Forster (awning)
DA-578/2018	255 Woodlands Road, Nabitac (patio cover)
DA-586/2018	161 Wattley Hill Road, Wootton (swimming pool)
DA-590/2018	138 The Lakes Way, Forster (demolish dwelling and shed)

The above consents are available for inspection free of charge at our Customer Service Centre during ordinary office hours.