

## Council meeting



The next Ordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Gloucester Administration Centre, today, 27 June 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.

## Careers at Council

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

- Coordinator Ageing Services
- Design Draftsperson
- Development Planners

Visit our website for further information and to apply.

## Have your say

We are seeking community feedback on:

- Development Proposal 514/2018/DA - 83 Albert Street Taree
- Development Proposal 529/2018/DA - 46 Waterman Street Old Bar
- Forster Main Beach Masterplan

Visit our website for further information.

## Seniors units available to rent - Gloucester

We currently have units in King Street Gloucester available for rent for single persons aged 60 years and over.

For details of the entry criteria, please contact Melissa Scott-Young at our Forster office.

## Streamlining DA enquiries

From next Monday, 2 July, we're streamlining our DA process to provide you with a better service.

For general advice or questions about your DA, our customer service team will be on hand to assist. For more complex enquiries, specialist planning and building staff will be available between 8.30am - 10.30am daily, either over the counter or by phone at our Taree and Forster offices. Enquiries made outside these hours will be attended to by phone, usually within one working day.

At the Stroud, Gloucester and Tea Gardens offices - call to make an appointment, or call between 8.30am - 10.30am to be transferred by phone to speak with a planner or building inspector.

Our new process is another way we're helping you connect with us more efficiently.

## On our roads and bridges

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

- **Bulahdelah - Lee Street** - reconstruction from Crawford Street to Stroud Street and 175m of Stroud Street/Markwell Road. Works have resumed in a positive manner with a strong commitment from contractors to complete the works, currently programmed to finish early September.
- **Esplanade, North Arm Cove** - Reconstruction of 350m of gravel road from eastern end of The Esplanade to create a new bitumen sealed road. Recent rain has delayed completion of the drainage system. Works on reconstruction will follow.
- **The Lakes Way, Pacific Palms** - rehabilitation at the intersection of Boomerang Drive. Works have commenced and will involve reconstructing a 300m section of road pavement.
- **Booral Road, Crawford River** - Reconstruction of 900m of Booral Road. Preparation for works on road pavement are largely complete. Recent wet weather has delayed commencement of the next phase. Current completion is programmed for mid July.

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

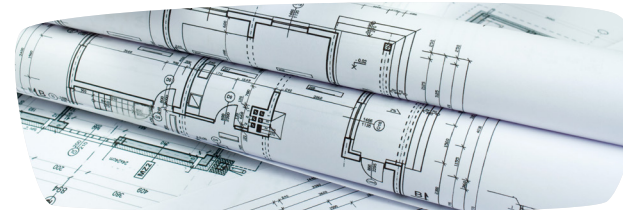
## 2018/19 beach vehicle permits



If you're a keen 4WD'er, now's the time to renew your beach vehicle access permit. With kilometres of golden beaches on our doorstep, your permit gives you the freedom to explore the coastline from a different perspective.

Annual permits are valid 1 July 2018 - 30 June 2019. A 30 day permit is also available for less frequent users. For full details, where to buy a permit, and to download our current beach driving guidelines visit [www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/beachpermit](http://www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/beachpermit).

## Development consents



Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

- DA-486/2018 31-35 Lake Street, Forster (renovation of church, hall and presbytery)
- DA-489/2018 6 Worimi Place, Boomerang Beach (dwelling)
- DA-499/2018 Lot 472 Little Street, Forster (extension to existing wharf)
- DA-511/2018 19 Coast Avenue, Boomerang Beach (dwelling)
- DA-531/2018 1776 Coomba Road, Coomba Bay (shed)
- DA-550/2018 14 The Bucketts Way, Stroud Road (garage)

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