

## Careers with Council

We are seeking dynamic and suitably skilled new team members to make a difference to our organisation and our community in the following roles:

- Safety Officer (Taree)
- Development Engineering Surveillance Officer (Forster)
- Works Supervisor - Construction (Taree)

For more information and to apply visit our website - [www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/Careers](http://www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/Careers)

Applications for the above positions close on Monday 2 October at 4.30pm.

## Green bikes fix it workshop



School holidays are looming so MIDWASTE and MidCoast Council are introducing a brand new workshop for kids to keep your bike in tip-top shape. Learn from the experts how to maintain and repair your bike! The "Green Bikes Fix It" workshop includes bike safety checks, fault finding, basic bike maintenance on tyres, drive train, brakes, wheels, brackets, pedals and frames - while you work alongside experienced cyclists and repairers. You will gain an understanding of safety and legal requirements and learn about our local cycling paths.

Just \$10 to attend, kids 11 years plus and adults are welcome.

**Where:** Green Bikes Workshop, Tip Road Tuncurry

**When:** 1pm - 3pm Saturday 7 October

**Bookings:** Register now to secure your place at: [www.midwaste.org.au/upcycling/](http://www.midwaste.org.au/upcycling/)

This project is a NSW EPA Waste Less, Recycle More initiative funded from the waste levy.

## Apply for online property certificates



Real estate agents, conveyancers, solicitors and ratepayers - you can now apply and pay online for Section 149, 603 and 735A property certificates when purchasing and selling property in the Great Lakes. Moving to an online system saves time and money - with a 3-5 day turnaround for issue of certificates.

To register for online issue of property certificates in the Manning and Great Lakes, visit [www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/propertycertificate](http://www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/propertycertificate)

## Intended pesticide application

We have instructed Local Pest Experts to carry out pesticide applications in the Great Lakes Region, which are scheduled to be carried out during October and November 2017.

Pesticides are being used for ants, spiders and cockroaches. Pesticide products will be applied to Council structures including public buildings.

Pesticides used will be selected from the following products: Biflex Aquamax insecticide, Amdro ant bait, Starrdust Pro, Contrax Blox, Maxforce Gold Gel, Deltamethrin, Temprid 75.

Residents (including pets) are advised not to enter the premises through any treated areas until the pesticides used have dried, or any special instructions advised on the notice erected on the day(s) of treatment. For any further information please contact Council's Team Leader Property & Contract Management (Taree office) Michael Cross on 6591 7222.

## Do you need to sleep better?

MidCoast Libraries will be hosting author Dr Shane Pascoe to talk about his new book "Sleep Better - the science and the myths". Come along at 6pm to Forster Library on Wednesday 20 September to hear more from Shane on the book he has co-authored with Professor Graham Law. Copies of the book will be for sale. This event is free to attend, but bookings are required - visit [www.midcoastlibraries.com.au](http://www.midcoastlibraries.com.au) for tickets.

## Council meeting



The next Ordinary meeting of council will be held at the Taree administration centre on Wednesday 27 September at 2pm.

This will be the first meeting as a merged Council to include our newly elected Councillors, who will vote to elect the Mayor.

We encourage you to attend 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.

## Have your say

We are seeking community feedback and would love to hear from you on the following:

- Rezoning proposal - Blackhead Road, Hallidays Point
- 2017-18 Fees and charges amendments
- Proposed permanent road closure - Robinson Street Bundook

Visit our website for further information.

## Development consents

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

DA-555/2017	77 Macrae Place, Failford (garage)
DA-12/2018	47 Cambage Street, Pindimar (shed)
DA-32/2018	54 Kularoo Drive, Forster (martial arts school)
DA-62/2018	322 Limeburners Creek Road, Limeburners Creek (dwelling)
DA-68/2018	309 Elliots Road, Nabic (patio)
DA-70/2018	100 Koree Street, Pindimar (alterations and additions)
DA106/2018	15 Goldens Road, Forster (swimming pool)
CDCSW116/2018	20 Squires Hill Road, Boolambayte (swimming pool)

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