

## Floodplain Management Advisory Committee

We are forming a Floodplain Management Advisory Committee to advise Council on the development and implementation of Floodplain Risk Management Plans for the Mid Coast Council local government area. This Committee oversees the direction of the studies and provides an opportunity for the representative to ensure community concerns are reflected in the study outcomes. The Terms of Reference for the Floodplain Management Advisory Committee is currently on exhibition and you can have your say until 7 February. See our website for further details.

We are also seeking expressions of interest for community representatives from each of the following areas to join the Committee for the remainder of the Council term.

- Wingham / Taree • Harrington / Manning Point • Lansdowne/Coopernook • Forster / Tuncurry • Bulahdelah • Stroud / Karuah • Tea Gardens / Hawks Nest • Gloucester.

Nominations close on Wednesday 7 February 2018.

Return your application, together with a cover letter, via our website, by email to Mr Roshan Khadka, Coastal & Flooding Engineer at [tareecouncil@midcoast.nsw.gov.au](mailto:tareecouncil@midcoast.nsw.gov.au) or post to The General Manager, PO Box 482, Taree 2430.

## Two extraordinary council meetings

An Extraordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Forster Administration Centre on Tuesday 16 January at 2pm for the purpose of determining the process to recruit a new General Manager (including the appointment of an acting General Manager).

An Extraordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Forster Administration Centre on Wednesday 24 January at 10am for the purpose of:

- Presentation of the audited Financial Statements and Auditors Reports for the financial period ending 30 June 2017. To view the summary of the financial reports, see the Public Notices section of this paper.
- Office relocation - project management arrangements.

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

## Australia Day celebrations in the Manning



Celebrations in Taree will kick off with a free breakfast and live entertainment at Manning Entertainment Centre from 7.30am. There will be flags and tattoos for the children.

The formal ceremony will begin at 9am with flag placement, Ambassador's Address, Young Speaker's Address by St Clare's High School leaders, Citizenship Ceremony and presentation of Australia Day Awards.

A morning tea will be served in the foyer after the ceremony. Come along and celebrate our National Day!

Celebrations will also be held at Wingham, Old Bar, Harrington and Hallidays Point.

Further information on Australia Day will be updated on our website as details become available.

## Share your vision - Community Strategic Plan

Your input is important when it comes to planning for the future of our region, so now's the time to have your say.

Taking into account what you've told us so far, we've drafted a plan, MidCoast 2030: Shared vision, shared responsibility, and now we want your feedback to make sure we've included everything and captured it correctly.

Review the plan, and find out how you can provide input by visiting [www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/csp](http://www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/csp). Hurry, as the feedback phase closes 23 February.

## On our roads and bridges

For full details and updates of recent works on our roads and bridges visit our website or [MyRoadInfo.com.au](http://MyRoadInfo.com.au).

## Have your say

We are seeking community feedback on the following:

- Nominated integrated development proposal 471/2017/DA - 73 lot subdivision - 269 Oakvale Road, Cundletown
- Development proposal DA258/2018 - Additions to Sawmill - 2456 The Bucketts Way, Booral
- Development proposal DA229/2018 - demolition and development of 52 residential units across 12 storeys - 5-9 Reserve Road, Forster
- Planning proposal - amendment to the Great Lakes Local Environmental Plan 2014 - Livable Housing
- Presentation of Financial Statements
- Floodplain Management Advisory Committtee - terms of reference
- Integrated development proposal DA 228/2018 - Machinery shed and dam removal - 33 Thompsons Lane, Stroud

Visit our website for further information.

## Development consents

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

127/2018/DA	7 Lake View Way, Tallwoods Village (dwelling and retaining wall)
146/2018/DA	17 West Street, Coopernook (detached garage)
182/2018/DA	12 Treetops Parade, Wingham (dwelling)
189/2018/DA	22 Noosa Crescent, Red Head (dwelling and attached garage)
196/2018/DA	12 Pretoria Parade, Harrington (dwelling)
200/2018/DA	3 Lobban Road, Wingham (use of existing kitchen)
205/2018/DA	47 Cottesloe Circuit, Red Head (dwelling & pool)
207/2018/DA	16 Adelaide Close, Wingham (dwelling)
211/2018/DA	3 Rob Roy Place, Harrington (detached carport)
248/2018/DA	2 Hughes Street, Taree (garage)
269/2018/DA	11 Queen Street, Cundletown (shed)

The above consents are available to inspect via Online Services on our website (select Application Tracking) or come in to our Taree office during office hours.