

Careers at Council

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

- Cadetship - Environmental Health
- Manager Legal and Property Services
- Multiple Apprenticeships & Traineeships
- Various Finance Officers

Visit our website for further information and to apply.

Council meeting

The next Ordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Gloucester Admin Centre on Wednesday 23 October, commencing immediately after the Public Forum (or at 2pm if the Public Forum finishes before 2pm).

Visit www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/councilmeetings for more info.

Teach a learner driver workshop

Teaching a young person to drive could be the most important lesson you'll ever give! Make sure you're well equipped to help your learner driver become a safer driver by attending a FREE 2-hour workshop aimed at parents and supervising drivers.

The workshop will be held at the Gloucester SES HQ on Thursday 24 October at 6pm. Light refreshments will be available.

Bookings are essential, please phone 7955 7372 or visit www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/roadsafety

Development consents

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

DA 2019/2685/02	438 Curricabark Road, Coneac (Modification to Site Plan)
DA 2019/2704	Lot 43 Dangar Road, Gloucester (Staged Rural Residential Subdivision)
DA 2019/2712	124 Jacks Road, Gloucester (Use of Shed)
DA 2019/2714	222-224 Church Street, Gloucester (Dual Occupancies)
DA 2019/2718	139 Thunderbolts Way, Gloucester (New Dwelling, Shed & Pool)

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

Water restrictions are in force

Moderate Level 1 Water Restrictions are in force for all areas of the MidCoast Council region.

All outdoor water use is restricted to hand held hoses for one hour every second day, between 4pm - 9am. For even numbered houses, water on even days of the month; odd numbered houses, on the odd days of the month; no watering on 31st of each month. For more information on water restrictions visit: www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/waterrestrictions

Water Week events

Visit our website for details of our free Whizzy the Waterdrop library visits and Bootawa dam tours - all part of Water Week on the MidCoast - www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/waterweek

Draft Community Participation Plan



A draft plan that sets out how you can provide feedback on the planning functions we perform (under the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979) is currently on exhibition.

Planning matters may be as small as an upgrade to your neighbour's house, or as complex as a new suburb being planned.

The draft plan sets out timeframes for public exhibition, and aims to enhance opportunities for everyone to be informed about planning matters and development proposals that affect them, and to participate in planning decisions.

View the draft Community Participation Plan and provide your feedback before Friday 8 November, at www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/HYS

Closure - 18 October 2019

All MidCoast Council customer service centres, offices, libraries, depots, Visitor Information Centres and facilities, including the Manning Regional Art Gallery and Manning Entertainment Centre will be closed Friday, 18 October for the annual Union Picnic Day.

To contact us in the event of an emergency, view the after-hours contact numbers on our website. For a water or sewer emergency please contact our water customer service line on 1300 133 455.

Please note essential services will still be provided by our Ageing and Disability Services team.

The following services will remain open for business as usual:

- all landfills and waste facilities, and kerbside waste collections
- Taree Regional Airport

Have your say

We are seeking community feedback on:

- Development proposal (107/2020/DA) - Extractive Industry - 14025 Pacific Highway, Nabic
- Development proposal (283/2019/DA) - Corner of Yamba & Booner Street, Hawks Nest
- Draft Community Participation Plan

Visit the Have Your Say page on our website for further info.

Local community CONVERSATIONS

We'll soon be heading back out to chat with local communities, as a follow-up to our conversations earlier this year.

This is a great chance to hear how we're delivering on what you told us in April, to ask our leadership team about what's happening in your area, and to help us understand your priorities for the coming year.

Conversations kick off in Pacific Palms tomorrow, 17 October and continue over 6 weeks.

Find the full schedule of locations at www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/conversations where you can also post a question or topic which we'll address on the day, and include in the FAQs collated for each location afterwards.