

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

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#### Careers at Council

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

- Administrative Support Officer part time
- Asset Management Systems (AMS) Officer part time
- Data Administration Officer Disability Services
- Drainage Engineer
- **Engagement Officers**
- Financial and Service Intermediary
- Team Leader Coastal, Flooding and Drainage
- Traineeship Environmental Health Officer

Visit our website for further information and to apply.

## Council meeting

The next Ordinary meeting of Council will be held at the Taree Administration Centre, today, 28 November at 2pm.

A public forum may be held from 1.15pm - 1.45pm. (Requests to speak have closed).

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 is happening in the MidCoast Council area.

You can view meeting agendas and minutes on our website visit www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/councilmeetings

## Office centralisation project

The draft financing strategy for centralising our administrative functions at the proposed head office location on Biripi Way remains on exhibition until Friday 14 December.

Community groups can request to host an information session, where we will provide information about the project in a Q&A format at your preferred location. To make a request, complete an expression of interest at www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/headoffice before the EOI closes at 6pm this Friday 30 November.

For more information about the centralisation project and how it will be funded, visit www.headoffice.com.au/headoffice where you can also provide your feedback by taking the survey.

### Draft markets policy

We have developed a draft Markets Policy which relates to all regular markets taking place throughout the MidCoast region on Council owned land or Council controlled public land - including farmers markets.

Festivals and 'one-off' community based events and fundraisers such as annual markets and fetes occurring once a year, and markets taking place on private land will be excluded from this policy. They may however, be subject to a separate approval process such as a Special Event or Development Application.

The draft Policy is now on public exhibition and is open for feedback until 2 January.

Visit 'Have your say' on our website for further information.

### On our roads and bridges

Keep an eve out for our maintenance and construction crews in

- The Lakes Way, Bungwahl Reconstruction of 320m of road pavement south of Bungwahl.
- Water Street, North Arm Cove Stormwater drainage works to rectify nuisance flooding issues, including the construction of a drainage pipeline and removal of the existing open drain.
- Coomba Road, Coomba Minor pavement renewal works and replacement to existing stormwater pipes.
- Crawford Street culvert, Bulahdelah Replacement of an old pipe culvert with a new box culvert.
- Boondelbah Road, Tea Gardens Reconstruction works on 400m between Toonang Drive at both ends.
- Reidsdale Road, Stroud Road Pavement reconstruction of 315m from the intersection with The Bucketts Way.
- Cape Hawk Drive, Forster Replacement of drainage approx 100m to the east of the intersection of Panorama Crescent and Cape Hawk Drive.
- The Lakes Way, Charlotte Bay Pavement reconstruction works at the intersection of Boomerana Drive.

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.

### **Development consents**

Development consent has been granted for the following applications:

DA-423/2018 Lot 7001 Marine Drive, Tea Gardens (use of jetty) DA-513/2018 7 Skyline Place, Elizabeth Beach (dwelling and

DA-529/2018 14 Tropic Gardens Drive, Smiths Lake (dwelling)

DA-576/2018 1618B The Lakes Way, Mayers Flat (dwelling and garage)

DA-93/2019 75 Patsys Flat Road, Smiths Lake (alterations

and additions) DA-111/2019 4 Wangaree Street, Coomba Park (dwelling and

garage) DA-141/2019 63 Kinka Road, Seal Rocks (retaining walls)

DA-147/2019 5 Serene Close, Darawank (shed)

swimming pool)

DA-163/2019 15 Burgess Road, Forster (alterations & additions)

DA-181/2019 14 Mayers Drive Tuncurry (alterations & additions) DA-191/2019 21 Victor Avenue, Forster (alterations & additions)

DA-193/2019 73 Taree Street, Tuncurry (patio cover)

DA-200/2019 31 Leeward Circuit, Tea Gardens (swimming pool)

DA-206/2019 257 Wang Wauk Forest Way, Willina (alterations and additions)

DA-210/2019 53 Breckenridge Street, Forster (demolish existing house and garage/bungalow)

DA-218/2019 11 Carmona Drive, Forster (spa and shower)

DA-231/2019 9 Stroud Street, Allworth (patio cover)

DA-233/2019 6 Reidsdale Road, Stroud Road (garage)

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

## Have your say

We are seeking community feedback on:

- Biripi Way Office Centralisation (draft financing strategy)
- Draft Development Control Plan amendments for Manufactured Home Estates
- 2018-19 Fees and Charges amendment
- Zoning in on our Future

Visit our website for further information.