

FEDERATION COUNCIL SNIPPETS

CREATING OPPORTUNITY
CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS

Now is the time to celebrate the achievement and contribution of individuals and community organisations, with nominations for the 2018 Federation Council Australia Day Awards opening on Monday 6 November.

Federation Council is encouraging residents to nominate those who have made a difference in the community for one of the six award categories available, including Citizen of the Year and Young Citizen of the Year.

The Citizen of the Year Award will recognise one outstanding person that has contributed significantly to the wellbeing of the Federation Council. The Young Citizen of the Year category is an opportunity to celebrate the contribution that young people make to the community.

Local Achiever Awards will enable each town and village to recognise their local heroes, by nominating individuals or groups who have volunteered their time at a local community level.

Other categories open as part of the Australia Day award program include Community Project of the Year and Community Event of the Year.

Schools within the Federation Council area will also be invited to nominate two students who have been outstanding achievers in 2017 in either their academic or sporting fields.

Federation Mayor Pat Bourke said the awards provide an opportunity to celebrate those residents who dedicate their time to making the region a great place to live.

"We have some fantastic people in the community who contribute so much and we expect to receive some really strong nominations," he said.

Award winners will be presented at the Australia Day Ceremony in Corowa on Friday 26 January 2018.

Nomination forms are available from Council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or from any Federation Council Office.

Nominations close at 5pm on Monday 4 December 2017.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST – AUSTRALIA DAY EVENT PARTNERSHIP

Australia Day is a special time of the year for local residents to celebrate what makes the region a great place to live and visit.

Federation Council is interested in working with a community group or organisation that is passionate and already doing wonderful things to enrich the community, to help coordinate the official Australia Day Ceremony and Community Event.

The event will be held in Corowa on Friday 26 January 2018.

Council will coordinate the formalities of the event, including the welcome address, welcome to the country, citizenship ceremonies, award presentations, ambassador guest speaker, flag raising ceremony and the singing of the National Anthem.

The successful community group or organisation will work with Council to organise the community event that will commence following the formalities of the day.

The organisers will have the support of Council staff to deliver an event that is family friendly, inclusive and provides an opportunity for the community to come together and celebrate the occasion. A dedicated budget of \$7000 has been allocated to cover the cost of the Australia Day Ceremony and Community Event.

Any group interested in the opportunity to partner with Council to run the event is being encouraged to submit an expression of interest outlining what they propose by 5pm, Friday 17 November.

Submissions are to be made in writing to:

Expressions of Interest - Australia Day Event
Federation Council
Attn: Events and Community Project Officer
PO Box 77
COROWA NSW 2646

For further information, please contact Federation Council's Community Development Team on (02) 6033 8974.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS

In accordance with Council's Public Notification Policy regarding Development Applications, the following are hereby listed for public comment. Plans relating to these proposals may be inspected in Council's Planning Department during normal working hours.

DA NO.	ADDRESS	ZONING	PROPOSED WORK
2017/215	80-82 Princess Street Urana	RU5 Village	Shed
2017/216	96-98 Inglis Street Mulwala	Residential R1	Swimming Pool
2017/217	6 Rose Drive Mulwala	Residential R2	Swimming Pool
2017/218	95 Corowa Road Mulwala	Residential R2	Dwelling
2017/219	105 Guy Street Corowa	Residential R2	Patio
2017/220	127 Hoddle Street Howlong	Residential R1	Alterations & Additions
2017/221	5 Albert Street Corowa	Residential R1	Carport
2017/222	68 Romney Street Mulwala	Residential R1	Shed
2017/223	20 Wanani Road Mulwala	Low Density Residential R2	Shed and Carport

Any persons may make a submission on the proposal within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of this notification. Persons making a submission are required to comply with Section 147(5) of the Environmental Planning Assessment Act (Political Donations & Gifts Disclosure Statement). Forms are available from Council's administrative offices.

DEVELOPMENT CONSENTS

Public notice is given pursuant to Section 101 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, that the Council has granted development consent in respect of the following developments. The consents are available for public inspection, without charge, at the Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Corowa between the hours of 9.00 am and 5.00 pm Monday to Friday:

DA NO.	ADDRESS	APPROVED WORK
2017/93	37-45 Hammersley Road Corowa	Food and Drink Production
2017/195	14 Hawkins Street Howlong	Shed
2017/183	Lot 131 Cullivel Road Urana	Radio Mast

POSITIONS VACANT

Federation Council is committed to being a quality council with a strong focus on the delivery of services that continually meet community expectations.

If you are committed to excellent customer service, being a competent team player and have a focus on results orientation that drives strategic thinking and fosters a culture of innovation, learning and continuous improvement, then these opportunities are for you.

ASSET MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST (TEAM LEADER ASSETS)
Full Time – 70hrs/fortnight

TEAM LEADER PROJECT MANAGEMENT
Full Time – 70hrs/fortnight

PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICER
Full Time – 70hrs/fortnight

GRADUATE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OFFICER
Full Time – 70hrs/fortnight

SEWER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR
Full Time – 76hrs/fortnight

A more detailed advertisement and a position description can be obtained from Council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au, emailing hr@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or by phone on (02) 6033 8903.

KEEP IT LOCAL COUPON BOOKLET

This week's \$100 grocery voucher winner is - Marian Munro.

WATER MAIN CLEANING

Federation Council commenced water main cleaning in the township of Corowa on Wednesday October 18.

The air scouring process will take approximately 10 to 14 days to complete and customers will receive a letter informing them of dates and times that their water supply will be affected.

During the cleaning process customers may encounter dirty or discoloured water.

All high water use customers will be taken into consideration and a representative will be available to liaise.

Due to the ongoing commitment by the Council to maintain a quality water supply, the water mains will be cleaned on an annual basis.

For further information, please contact Council on (02) 6033 8999.

PLAY SPACE UPGRADE PROGRAM UPDATE

Construction of four new playgrounds is about to get underway and Council is excited to deliver these new community spaces – just in time for Christmas!

RSL Park in Corowa, Lowe Square and Memorial Park in Howlong and the Rand Recreation Reserve will all be transformed over the coming weeks.

Signage and temporary fencing will be installed at each site and Council is requesting that members of the public do not enter the sites while they are closed.

It is expected that the new playgrounds will be opened early in December. For construction updates, visit council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or follow us on Facebook @ federationcouncil

2018 COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Council is currently developing the 2018 Community Calendar and is seeking photos from local residents that best represent Celebrating Community and Creating Opportunity within the council area.

12 photos will be chosen by a selection panel, to feature in the calendar which will be delivered to each household in the council area, and be available for purchase by visitors. Photographers of the chosen photos will receive a \$100 payment for Council to purchase the full rights to use the photo for promotional use.

To submit your entry or for further information, visit www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or pick up an entry form from your local council office or library. Entries to be submitted by Monday 20 November 2017.



FEDERATION COUNCIL

Corowa General Office

Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Ball Park
Monday to Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm

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