# FEDERATION COUNCIL SNIPPETS

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# **FEDERATION** COMMUNITY EXPO

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NOW OPEN

FOR SPORTING GROUPS, COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS, AND SERVICE PROVIDERS.

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#### **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 one of these opportunities are for you:

- Manager People and Culture
- Lifeguards
- Assistant Duty Officer Pools
- Customer Service Officer Pools
- Patching Truck Operator
- Asset Management Coordinator
- Reticulation Officer

More detailed advertisements and position descriptions can be obtained from Council's website.

Emailing jobs@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or by phone on (02) 6033 8903.

#### **URANA CARAVAN PARK NEW WEBSITE**

Federation Council has launched the new Urana Caravan Park website www.uranacp.com.au

The Urana Caravan Park is located right in the heart of the beautiful Riverina and situated on the shores of the picturesque Urana Aquatic Centre.

Whether you want an action packed stay for skiing, fishing, golf or a relaxing weekend escape exploring the amazing bird life along the five kilometre walking track, the caravan park can satisfy every need.

The new interactive website is image led and has been designed to ensure key user requirements of responsiveness and accessibility are forefront.

The new website features;

- Online accommodation booking integration via RMS.
- Information about all accommodation options including cabins and camping sites.
- A summary of the facilities available at the park along with things to do and see in Urana and the surrounding area.
- Professional photography by Sue Davis, a local Corowa photographer.

Federation Council is pleased to share it with you all and hope that you love it as much as we do! Please take the time to review the new site to help you stay up to date with what is happening at the Urana Caravan Park. Be sure to spread the word with your family and friends.

## WATER MAINS CLEANING

Federation Council has commenced water main cleaning in the townships of Corowa, Mulwala and Howlong.

The air scouring process will take approximately 3-4 hours per segment of water main being cleaned, with the entire network taking approximately 10 to 14 days to complete. Customers will receive a letter informing them of the dates and times their water supply will be affected.

Works are expected to be completed by Saturday 17

#### September, 2022.

During the cleaning process, customers may experience short periods of dirty or discoloured water.

Periodic water main cleaning is part of the ongoing commitment by Council to maintain a quality water supply for its customers. If you require any further information, please contact Council on (02) 6033 8999.

# **SELECTIVE HERBICIDE APPLICATIONS**

Selective Herbicide applications will occur from Monday 15 August to Monday 10 October 2022 to all Council ovals, parks, and open spaces This is an annual program to remove broadleaf weeds. This process reduces mowing frequencies and will improve turf density. The selective herbicide that will be used is Javelin (20g/I Clopyralid, 15g/I Diflufenican, 300g/I

#### **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 by contacting Council during business hours.

DA NO. **ADDRESS** APPROVED WORK 2022/615 29 Adam Close Mulwala Dwelling 2022/534 126 Katrina Circuit Corowa 2022/518 6 Sisters Lane Howlong Dwelling

Federation Council advises that there are significant delays to all applications being lodged for each stage of the development process. Staff shortages, in conjunction with the increasing complexity of the NSW Planning Portal Processes required to be undertaken by Council has seen pre-lodgement assessment times increasing to 6-8 weeks and average determination times taking between 10-12 weeks.

We ask you for your cooperation as Council officers concentrate on clearing the backlog of applications while maintaining all other legislated

#### **COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM**

The Community Grants Program supports initiatives that deliver a range of social and economic benefits to communities across the Federation Council area.

The program provides a streamlined approach to supporting local community groups, organisations and clubs with delivering community projects and events.

Two rounds are facilitated each year, with a total amount of \$60,000 available to fund one-off projects through one of the nine focus categories:

- Arts And Culture;
- Events & Tourism;
- Community Work and Welfare;
- Skill Development and Learning;
- Health Promotion;
- Accessibility and Inclusion;
- Young People;
- Senior Residence; and
- Children and Families.

Round One of the 2022/2023 Community Grants Program is now open and will close on Friday 16 September 2022.

The online application form is available from Council's website. Applications recommended for approval will be considered and announced to successful groups at the October Ordinary Council

### **COROWA AQUATIC CENTRE CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE EOI**

Federation Council is calling for Expressions of Interest from local residents in the Federation Council local government area to join the Corowa Aquatic Centre Consultative Committee.

The committee is being established to enable Council to engage with the community and stakeholders in relation to the operations of the Corowa Aquatic Centre.

Initially the Corowa Aquatic Centre Consultative Committee will focus on the following key strategic goals within the Corowa Aquatic Centre Business Plan 2022-26:

- · Optimising the financial performance of the facility.
- Growing membership, participation, events, and attendance to the
- · Providing quality programs and activities for all user groups.
- Strengthening the promotion and marketing of the facility.
- Providing a safe and well managed facility that everyone can enjoy. Those residents interested in expressing their interest to be apart of the committee are encouraged to complete the online form or submit a paper copy form available from Council's website to any of our Council offices in Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala and Urana. Expressions of Interest nominations are now open until 5pm,

#### Friday 30 September 2022.

### FEDERATION COMMUNITY EXPO **EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

Federation Council and the Federation Interagency Committee is calling for Expressions of Interest from sporting groups, community organisations and service providers operating in the Federation Council local government area and further afield to join us at the inaugural Federation Community Expo.

The Federation Community Expo will be a one day event, scheduled on Thursday 10 November, 3pm - 6pm at Bangerang, Park Corowa. This event is being organised by the Federation Interagency Committee and is designed to connect people with their local community and a great opportunity to promote who they are and what they do. Stalls are free, we just ask groups to provide their own information, resources, and staff to answer questions and give advice about their services or community group. We are also seeking community groups to hold a fundraising BBQ and /or drinks stall along with applications to perform or play

To express your interest in attending, please complete the online form from Council's website.

Expressions of Interest is now open until 5pm, Friday 30 September 2022.

# **COROWA TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES**

The Corowa RSL Sub-branch advises that the following temporary street closure will occur on Saturday

10 September from 10:30 am and 12:30 pm to accommodate activities associated with the Corowa War Memorial Rededication.

- a. Honour Avenue, between Steele Street
- b. Honour Avenue to Bow Street
- c. Federation Avenue and Sanger Street Roundabout d. Short Street- Full length
- e. Walker Street- Full length

Detours will be signposted and will be via adjacent streets including Steel Street, John Street and Mary Street.

# **COMPANION ANIMAL REGISTRATION**

Council has recently reviewed the NSW Companion Animals Register which includes the details of microchipped cats and dogs residing in the Federation Council area. This review has found there are companion animals that are

yet to be registered with Council as legally required. As part of Council's Companion Animals Compliance Program, reminder letters are currently being issued to residents where this applies.

Our furry friends are so important in our lives and at Council, there is no better joy for our rangers to be able to return your pet home safely, however, if your pet is not registered they may not know where to return them to. Registration can be completed at any Council office during business hours and further information is available from Council's website.

# **FEDERATION**

**Corowa General Office** 

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

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