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## THIS IS FUTURE FEDERATION 2023 2024

Federation Council is asking the community to help shape Future Federation **2023-2024**. We are hosting a number of engagement opportunities at a number of locations and times during the **month of May**.

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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:

- **Human Resources Advisor**
- **Works Overseer**
- **Learn to Swim Instructor**

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

Emailing [jobs@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](mailto:jobs@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au) or by phone on **(02) 6033 8903**.

### BURAJA AND DAYSDALE RECREATION RESERVE LAND MANAGERS

Ever wondered who is responsible for keeping Crown reserves operating?

Countless facilities like showgrounds, local halls and parks are run by Statutory Land Manager Boards, made up of people just like you. People who understand the need and have a desire to manage public land and assets for the benefit of the entire community.

Your role as a Board Member is voluntary, but the rewards of giving something back to the community are priceless.

We are looking for a good mix of people with a variety of skills, however, sound business and financial management skills and objective decision making expertise would be a distinct advantage.

Don't let this opportunity to do something for yourself and your community pass you by - contact us today.

The Buraja Recreation Reserve Land Manager manages the Reserve No. 85438 at Lowesdale notified on 3-Sept-1965 for Public Recreation. The term of appointment will be for a period not exceeding 5 years. All applications are required to be lodged by **Monday 29 May 2023**.

The Daysdale Recreation Reserve Land Manager manages the Reserve No. 35084 at Daysdale notified on 4-Oct-1902 for Public Recreation. The term of appointment will be for a period not exceeding 5 years. All applications are required to be lodged by **Monday 22 May 2023**.

Application for membership can be made via [portal.crownland.nsw.gov.au](http://portal.crownland.nsw.gov.au)

For further information contact: Grant Maginness on **(02) 6937 2709** or go to [reservemanager.crownland.nsw.gov.au](http://reservemanager.crownland.nsw.gov.au)

### SERVICE NSW

The Service NSW Mobile Centre bus will be visiting Federation Council communities during May 2023, as follows;

- **Tuesday 9 May, 9am - 3pm**, across from Lake Mulwala on Erne Street.

Services offered include Driver Licence and Photo Card Applications and Renewals, Driver Knowledge Tests, Working With Children checks, NDIS worker check, birth, death and marriage certificates, Stay NSW and Parents NSW voucher applications plus up to 70 government rebates and savings. Find out more from the Service NSW website [www.service.nsw.gov.au](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au)

### AUSTRALIA DAY 2024 EOI

Federation Council is interested in working with a community group, organisation or business that is passionate and already doing wonderful things to enrich the community, to help coordinate the official Australia Day Ceremony. The event will be held on **Friday 26 January 2024** at a township within the Federation region, excluding Corowa, Urana, Howlong and Urana. These towns are on the regular schedule, and Council is keen to see if there are other towns interested in hosting this great event.

Interested community groups are asked to complete the Expression of Interest form available from Council's website.

EOI Submissions are being invited until **5pm, Friday 12 May 2023**. Submissions are to be made in writing and addressed to Federation Council's Community Projects and Events Officer.

See Council's website for more information.

### MIKI CITY STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Federation council is excited to announce that students from Miki City, Japan, will be visiting Federation Council as part of the Sister City Cultural Exchange Program during **August 2023**. Guests will stay with local host families, to enable them to experience everyday life in an Australian household for up to a week. Community members and families interested in hosting students, chaperones or dignitaries during the August 2023 exchange program, are being invited to express their interest by completing an Expression of Interest form available from Council's website or any of Council's offices.

Further information is available from Council's website.

### FIREWOOD COLLECTION SEASON

Firewood collection season is open until the end of September 2023. Residents can collect firewood on designated Federation Council road reserves at certain times of the year with a permit. Further information including where you can and can't collect firewood, plus all of the relevant fees and permit information is available from our website.

### ON EXHIBITION

In accordance with section 47 of the Local Government Act 1993 (NSW), Federation Council as Crown Land Manager under the Crown Lands Management Act 2016 (NSW) proposes to grant a lease in respect of Council-managed Crown land as follows:

- Property: Part of Lot 7300 DP1150319, 110 Hammer Street, Howlong, NSW 2643.
- Term: 5 year lease – further 3 options of 5 years.
- Permitted Use under the lease: Medical Centre (as per Crown Reserve purpose).
- Lessee: Corowa Medical Centre Pty Ltd (trading as Redgum Medical Group).

Submissions relating to this proposal are to be made by no later than **12pm, Friday 5 May 2023** to Council via the below;

- Mail: PO Box 77, Corowa, NSW 2646
- Email: [council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au)

Further information is available from Council's website.

### LIBRARY STORYTIME

Federation Council invites parents and carers to Storytime sessions at the Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala Libraries.

Children and their parents/carers can participate in FREE story time sessions that involve sharing stories, rhymes and themed activities. Storytime sessions are suitable for ages 0-5 years and run for 30-45 minutes.

Join in the fun, meet new people, introduce your child to a world of books and lay the foundation for a lifelong love of reading. See Council's website for more information.

### HAVE YOUR SAY THIS MAY

Federation Council is asking the community to help shape Future Federation 2023-2024 by providing further input into its combined Delivery Program and Operational Plan, and other supporting strategic documents.

Council will be presented with the draft Delivery Program, Operational Plan and Annual Budget, along with the updated Long Term Financial Plan, at its April meeting of Council. These documents provide a guide to Council's operations and help the organisation meet community demands for services and infrastructure by maximising what it can achieve with its available resources, whilst planning for a sustainable future. Council's key strategic documents will be on public exhibition from **Wednesday, April 26** through to 5pm on **Wednesday, May 31**. During this time, we will be seeking further feedback from the community on these draft key strategic documents. This includes our:

- Draft Delivery Program and Operational Plan (including Annual Budget);
- Draft Fees and Charges 2023-2024; and
- 10 Year Long Term Financial Plan.

Council is committed to engaging with the community on the draft suite of documents, and will be hosting a number of engagement opportunities at the following locations and times during the month of May:

#### Pop Up Sessions

- **Monday, May 1:** Corowa Pop Up Session, Memorial Plaza: 11am - 2pm.
- **Tuesday, May 2:** Howlong Pop Up Session, Howlong Bakery: 11am - 2pm.
- **Wednesday, May 3:** Mulwala Pop Up Session, Mulwala Bakery: 11am - 2pm.
- **Thursday, May 4:** Urana Pop Up Session, Urana Take Away: 11am - 2pm.

#### Public Meetings

- **Monday, May 8:** Mulwala Public Meeting: Mulwala RSL Club: 5.30pm - 7pm.
- **Wednesday, May 10:** Corowa Public Meeting: Corowa RSL Club: 5.30pm - 7pm.
- **Monday, May 15:** Urana Public Meeting: Urana Council Office: 5.30pm - 7pm.
- **Wednesday, May 17:** Howlong Public Meeting: Howlong Golf Resort: 5.30pm - 7pm.

#### Drop In Sessions

- **Monday, May 22:** Corowa Drop In Session, Corowa Civic Centre: 10am - 1pm.
- **Tuesday, May 23:** Howlong Drop In Session, Howlong Library and Resource Centre: 10am - 1pm.
- **Wednesday, May 24:** Urana Drop In Session, Urana Council Office: 10am - 1pm.
- **Thursday, May 25:** Mulwala Drop In Session, Mulwala Library and Resource Centre: 10am - 1pm.

Council will also be hosting a series of round table stakeholder meetings with community groups during the month of May to capture further feedback.

**FEDERATION  
COUNCIL**

**Corowa General Office**

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

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