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INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION 2023/120-PAN-344652

Proposal: Earthworks /312m Retaining Wall on Crown Land

Property: Crown Land within Murray River adjacent to

Lot 1 TP865125 Murray Valley Highway Bundalong

Applicant: Tango Pty Ltd

Consent Authority: Federation Council

Approval Body: Federation Council

Federation Council, being the consent authority, has received an Integrated Development Application. In accordance with Section 2.22 and Schedule 1 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979, the application is on public exhibition from **Wednesday 22 November 2023 to Friday 19 January 2024** inclusive.

The application is also development for which concurrence from other authorities is required under Chapter 5 of SEPP (Biodiversity and Conservation) 2021 (formerly the Murray REP 2 provisions). Any person may inspect this application and accompanying documentation at the following Federation Council locations from now until the Friday 19 January 2024:

• Council website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au/

[Connect/Development-Applications-Notice-of-Proposed](#)

Any person interested in making a submission should do so in writing addressed to the General Manager, Federation Council, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or email to council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au.

Submissions will be received up to 5:00pm on **Friday 19 January 2024**. Where a submission is by way of an objection, the grounds of the objections are required to be specified in the submission. Submissions are not confidential and if the application is reported to Council for determination, Council only redacts signatures, phone numbers and email addresses included in any submission. You can request (in writing) that your name and address be suppressed if you consider that your, or your families safety or well-being may be affected if the information is not suppressed. Council's Community Participation Plan outlines how Council manages submissions and the information contained within them. The Community Participation Plan may be viewed here:

<https://www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au/Council/Corporate-Planning/Plans-Strategies>

If you require further information, please contact Council's Planning and Development Team on **02 6033 8999**.

SWIMVAC - ROYAL LIFE SAVING LEARN TO SWIM PROGRAM

Registrations are now open for the Royal Life Saving's SwimVAC program being hosted at the Howlong Swimming Pool and Corowa Aquatic Centre during January 2024.

• **8 January - 19 January, 2024**

SwimVAC is a swimming and water safety holiday intensive program for children from 6 months - 14 years of age.

Register today from the Royal Life Saving's website:

www.drowningprevention.org.au/swimvac

AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS CEREMONY

Come along and celebrate Australia Day at the Federation Council's Day Awards Ceremony at Paradise Palladium Theatre in Morundah on **Friday 26th January**. The ceremony commencing at 10am will include the announcement of the Federation Council Citizen of the Year Award, Young Citizen of the Year Award, Community Group the Year Award, the Local Achiever Awards as well as recognition of the Student Achiever Award recipients. The Awards are provided by Federation Council, and decided by Council's Elected Australia Day Awards Panel. Live entertainment and a complimentary lunch will follow the ceremony. Residents are encouraged to register their attendance for catering purposes. Registrations can be made with Council via the website, by calling **02 6033 8999** or by emailing communityevents@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au Federation Council's 2024 Australia Day Awards and Ceremony is assisted by the National Australia Day Council.

COUNCIL OFFICES AND SERVICE CLOSURES CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

During the Christmas holiday period, Council offices and services will have altered operating hours and public holiday closures.

Kerbside bin collection dates for all towns will be as usual over the Christmas and New Year period. Residents are reminded to place their bins out for collection the night before as collection may occur earlier.

Over this time, Federation Council encourages residents to submit any non urgent customer requests via the online form available from Council's website. The requests will be reviewed and actioned from **Tuesday 2 January 2024**.

The After Hours service for urgent matters will operate during the closure period as normal. Phone **1800 110 088** to access this service. Federation Council Councillors and staff would like to wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and happy New Year!

Full details are available from Council's website.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION ADVERTISING CUT-OFF FOR 2023

In accordance with Council's Community Participation Plan and the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2021, notification or advertising of development applications is not undertaken during the period **20 December 2023** and **10 January 2024**. The first advertisement published in the new year will be on Wednesday 17 January 2024.

MAKE MEMORIES THAT LAST THIS SUMMER

Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala and Urana will play host to five new events during December, January & February which are a must visit.

Rock on the River, Corowa:

Saturday 20 January, 4pm-8pm, Rowers Park

Immerse yourself in the rhythmic tunes of Australia's best at Rock On The River, an extraordinary evening of live Aussie music against the serene backdrop of Rowers Park.

Mulwala Family Fun Day:

Saturday 27 January, 12:30pm - 9:30pm, Mulwala Water Ski Club

Featuring free kids rides 1pm to 6pm, music, delectable food, a water ski show, laser light show and more.

Urana Flame N Feast:

Saturday 3 February, 4pm - 8pm, Urana Aquatic & Leisure Centre

Prepare your taste buds for a fiery adventure at Urana Flame N Feast, the ultimate BBQ food festival that promises a sizzling evening filled with smoky delights and mouth watering moments.

Find out more from Council's website.

Thankyou to our amazing community for joining us to celebrate the festive season at Light Up Corowa held on 1 December and Howlong Twilight Christmas Festival held on 16 December.

COROWA ARTSPACE EXHIBITION - BOUGHLANDS

Federation Council will celebrate the International Day of People with Disability day by hosting a group exhibition which will be on display at Corowa Art Space, featuring work by several artists from the Art Factory.

'Boughlands' features a series of work from eight artists made in response to the flora, fauna, and landscape of the Fivebough and Tuckerbil Wetlands. A wide range of media, surface, colour and texture is explored. Looking through the lenses of each artist, the works are interpretive and respond to the history, visuals and sounds of the wetlands.

Boughlands will be available to view at Corowa Art Space to Sunday **14 January, 2024**. The gallery is open Wednesday to Friday from 10am until 4pm and on Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 2pm. Find out more from Council's website.

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 is for you:

• **Aqua Fitness Instructor**

A more detailed advertisement and position description can be obtained from Council's website.

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

FIREWORKS NOTIFICATION

The Rotary Club of Corowa has organised the following fireworks displays:

• New Years Eve fireworks display on **Sunday 31 December** between 10pm and 10:15pm at RSL Park, Corowa.

• 2024 Federation Festival on **Saturday 27 January** between 9:30am and 9:45pm at RSL Park Corowa.

The fireworks display will be launched from the garden area of the RSL Park in John Street for less than 15 minutes.

A safety exclusion zone covering the fenced area around the fireworks will be in place during the course of the display. Please note that people or animals are not permitted in this area for safety reasons.

There are lots of great vantage points around Corowa for residents and visitors to enjoy the fireworks. If you choose to watch from the park, please be aware all parks in the Federation Council area are glass free zones and footpaths and roads surrounding RSL Park are Alcohol-Free Zones.

Fireworks can be frightening for dogs, cats and other animals as they are loud and unfamiliar. To assist owners, Council has prepared a list of helpful tips for pet owners which can be downloaded from this page. If you have lost or found an animal in the Federation Council area, please contact Council of **P: 02 6033 8999** or **P: 1800 110 088** (after hours).

LIGHT UP FEDERATION VIEWING AND VOTING

Check out the most amazing Christmas lights and decorations at this year's 'Light Up Federation' Competition!

Spread the Christmas cheer and get out and about to see the most beautiful light and decoration displays in our region!

Don't forget to get the flyer and online map to plan your trip, see all the displays, and find your new favourite.

Voting for the People's Choice Award is now open until **Saturday 23 December, 2023**.

View the online map, download the flyer and vote for the People's Choice award today from Council's website.

COROWA SALEYARDS

The management team at the Corowa Saleyards would like to notify the public that the first sheep sale for the new year is scheduled to take place on **Monday 8 January, 2024**. The Saleyards Management team would like to thank all stakeholders for their support during 2023 and wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

FEDERATION COUNCIL

Corowa General Office

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Monday to Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm

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