



This year Light Up Federation will feature three categories that residents and business owners can enter:

Best Decorated House
Best Decorated Business
Best Decorated Street
People's Choice Award
(NEW CATEGORY)

INTERGRATED 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 **22 November 2023 to 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 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 **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**.

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:

- **Asset Management Coordinator**
- **Procurement Officer**
- **Casual Labourer Facilities**
- **Lifeguards**
- **Senior Reticulation Officer**
- **Patching Truck Operator - Urana**

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**.

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
2023/91	Jamiesons Road Corowa	Part Demo, Adds to existing amenities
2023/22	401-405 Honour Avenue Corowa	Demolition of sheds, 2 New Sheds, Signage, Tree Removal

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 services.

ROAD WORKS RAILWAY ROAD BALLDALE

Council wishes to notify motorists and residents that road works activities are scheduled for Railway Road (Main Street) of Balldale.

- **Monday, November 27** and **Friday, December 8**
- 7:30 AM to 5:30 PM.

The altered speed limit during these scheduled road work activities will be 40, and minor traffic delays are expected.

We ask local motorists and residents to observe traffic/road work signage and take extra care when travelling near the area. Council thanks our community for your patience and cooperation while undertaking this work.

All completion dates are subject to weather permitting.

HOWLONG, URANA AND OAKLANDS SWIMMING POOLS TO OPEN

The Howlong, Urana and Oaklands Swimming Pools are set to open for the summer season as follows;

- Howlong: **Monday 4 December**, open daily 1pm - 7pm

Annual memberships are available for families, adults, children and pensioners along with single entry passes.

- Urana and Oaklands: **Saturday 2 December**, open daily 7am - 7pm
- Upon paying an annual membership of \$60.00 for a family pass and \$40 for a single season, a waiver form must be completed along with the collection of an access fob. Forms and fobs are available from the Urana or Corowa Council Office.

Find out more about our Swimming Pools from Council's website.

2024 AUSTRALIA DAY AWARD NOMINATIONS DATE EXTENSION

The annual Federation Council's Australia Day Awards honours and acknowledges individuals and groups who have made a noteworthy contribution during the current year and/or given outstanding service to the local community over several years. Residents are encouraged to consider who they believe makes a difference in their community, and nominate them to be recognised for their efforts and commitment. Online Nomination Forms are available from Council's website for the following categories:

- Citizen of the Year Award
- Young Citizen of the Year Award
- The Local Achiever Awards
- Community Group of the Year

Nominations are now open and close 5:00pm on **Monday 4 December 2023 (extended closing date)**. Find out more from Council's website.

Assisted by the Australian Government through the National Australia Day Council.

LIGHT UP FEDERATION

It is time to enter the 2023 Light Up Federation Christmas Lights Competition!

The annual competition invites residents to light up their homes and businesses and enter a range of categories, including Best Decorated House, Business and Street, and a new category in 2023 the People's Choice Award.

Prizes include gift vouchers to local businesses worth \$500 for Best Decorated House, \$250 for the Best Decorated Business, \$250 for the People's Choice Award, and a street sign placed below the existing street sign for Best Decorated Street. Entries are now open until 5pm **Friday 8 December, 2023**.

MAKE MEMORIES THAT LAST THIS SUMMER

Light Up Corowa:

Friday 1 December, 5pm - 8:30pm, Bangerang Park
Get ready to kick off the festive season in style at Light Up Corowa, a dazzling Christmas celebration that promises to fill your heart with warmth and wonder!

Rock on the River, Corowa:

Saturday 2 December, 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.

Howlong Twilight Christmas Festival:

Saturday 16 December, 3pm - 9pm, Lowe Square
Embrace the spirit of the season at Howlong's Twilight Christmas Festival, a heartwarming celebration of joy, community, and holiday cheer that promises a day filled with delightful experiences and unforgettable moments.

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.

AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT MOBILE SERVICE CENTRE

The Australian Government Mobile Service Centre is coming to our region.

- Urana: **Wednesday 29 November**, 9:30am-4pm, Anna Street

- Oaklands: **Thursday 30 November**, 9:30am-4pm, Milthorpe Street

- Corowa: **Friday 1 December**, 9:30am-4pm, River Street
- Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people. Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

For more information go to:

servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

**FEDERATION
COUNCIL**

Corowa General Office

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

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