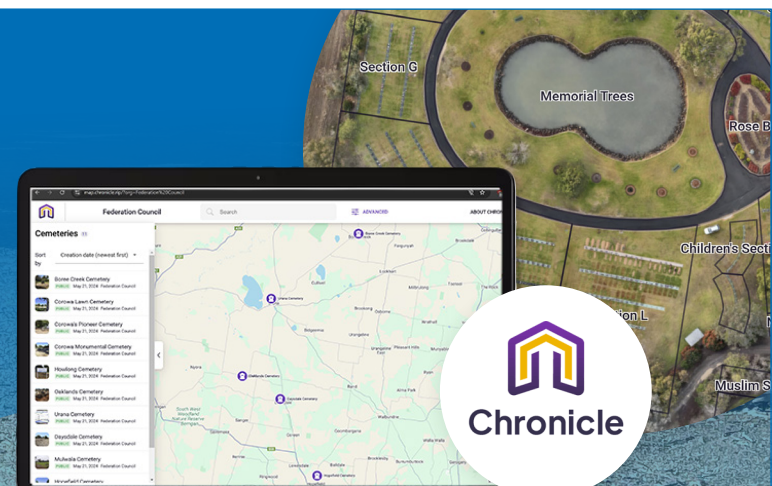


NEW DIGITAL CEMETERY PLATFORM

Connect with the past, present & future of our community.

Find out more below, on Council's website or scan the QR code!



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:

- **Ranger**
- **Service NSW Officer**
- **Works Overseer - Corowa**
- **Utilities Engineer**

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.

TELSTRA PAYPHONE LOWESDALE

Telstra is proposing to remove the Telstra payphone from outside 8163 Riverina Hwy, Lowesdale NSW 2646. The next nearest payphone is located outside 651 Federation Way, Coreen NSW 2646. If you would like to make a submission on the proposed removal of this payphone, you should send it in writing to:

- Telstra Payphone Siting Manager, Locked Bag 4850, Melbourne, VIC, 3001

You can also send your submission by email to payphones@team.telstra.com. A final decision will be made on the proposal by Telstra by **Sunday 4 May 2025**. Any submissions need to be received before this date.

COMMUNITY MEETING - HOWLONG

Federation Council invites residents to a community meeting to discuss the proposed 41 Lot Subdivision (1-19 Jude Street, Howlong) development application DA 2024 64.

The meeting is scheduled:

- Howlong Golf Club, 186 Golf Club Drive, Howlong
- **Tuesday 1 April, 2025.**
- 5:30pm - 7:00pm

This meeting provides an opportunity for the community to express their views on the proposed development in a public forum prior to the application being reported to Council for determination. The applicant has also been invited to attend to respond to matters raised by the community. Interested stakeholders can view the proposed development application and further information on Council's website.

OUTDOOR SWIMMING POOLS UPDATE

It's been a fantastic summer at our outdoor pools!

The Howlong, Oaklands and Urana outdoor swimming pools will be closing soon for the season. Join us for the last splash of the season on **Sunday 30 March, 2025**. A big thank you to all our swimmers and visitors for making this season so special. We know how much the community values our local pools and we look forward to welcoming you all back when the season commences again later in the year. The Corowa Aquatic Centre is open all year round offering a 25m indoor pool, 50m outdoor pool, splash park and lots more www.corowaaquaticcentre.com.au

ANIMAL CARE SERVICES - OAKLANDS & URANA

Animal Care Services will be conducting FREE veterinary services in Oaklands & Urana:

- Oaklands: **Thursday 10 April** 8:30am-10:30am, Recreation Reserve Patey Street
- Urana: **Thursday 10 April** 12pm-2pm, Victoria Sports Ground Federation Way

Services include:

- Free health checks
- Free dog C3 vaccinations & cat F3 vaccinations
- Free Microchipping

Cats must be in carriers and dogs on lead, with a maximum of three animals per household. Please ensure you bring a mobile device to sign in. Proudly brought to you by Animal Welfare League NSW and funded by NSW Government.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS

In accordance with Council's Public Notification Policy and Community Participation Plan, the following Development Applications are hereby listed for public comment. Plans relating to these proposals are available for review from Council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

DA NO.	Address	Zoning	Proposed Work
10.2025.23.1	37 Jude Street Howlong	R1 General Residential	2 Lot Subdivision

Following the decision by Australia Post that mail deliveries to households will be reduced from a daily service, Council extended the timeframe for responses to Development Application Notifications from 14 days to 21 days. The extension of time will ensure that the community is provided with adequate time to respond to proposed developments and will assist Council in receiving and addressing the views of the community when assessing proposed developments. 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 by contacting Council during business hours.

DA NO.	Address	Approved Work
10.2025.20.1	15 Savernake Road Mulwala	Demolition of existing buildings
10.2024.149.1	Oaklands Berrigan Road Oaklands	Installation of fire fighting water tanks

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.

INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION 10.2025.26.1 – PAN-499762

Proposal: Jetty & Pontoon
Property: Lot 32 DP592030 - 184 River St, South Corowa
Applicant: Kylaire Holdings Pty Ltd
Consent Authority: 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 **19 March 2025 to 16 April 2025** 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.

- Council website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au/Building-Planning/Development-Application-Notice-of-Proposed-Development

Any person interest 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 **16 April 2025**.

Where a submission is by way of an objections, 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 the submission.

You can request (in writing) that your name and address be suppressed if you consider that your, or your family's 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 may be viewed on Council's website. If you require further information, please contact Council's Planning and Development Team on **02 6033 8999**.

NEW DIGITAL CEMETERY PLATFORM

Federation Council is excited to announce the launch of "Chronicle" a new online platform that opens the doors to our region's rich history through the digital records of our cemeteries. Recognizing that cemeteries are more than just resting places, but also vital repositories of our community's past, Council partnered with Chronicle to digitize records and create a user-friendly platform accessible to everyone.

Visit the Federation Council website to access the new platform and begin your journey of discovery. You can also find more information about the project and the history of our cemeteries on our website.

UNDERSTAND THE SPECIAL RATE VARIATION: BOOK A MEETING WITH OUR CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (CFO)

Navigating the Special Rate Variation (SRV) application can be complex. We're here to help. Federation Council understands that proposed rate increases can raise questions and concerns. That's why, in addition to other engagement initiatives underway, we're offering residents the opportunity to meet directly with our Chief Financial Officer (CFO) to discuss the Special Rate Variation (SRV) application and how it may affect your individual rates.

Book your meeting today!

If you'd prefer a one-on-one meeting with our CFO, please call us on **(02) 6033 8999** to schedule an appointment.

Further Information:

- Visit our website for detailed information about Council's SRV application.
- Learn more about IPART and their assessment process, and provide a submission on the application on the IPART website on IPART's website www.ipart.nsw.gov.au

We encourage you to continue to engage with us and learn more about the SRV. Your input is valuable as we work towards a sustainable future for Federation Council.

CELEBRATING NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK: MICRO GRANTS RETURN FOR FEDERATION VOLUNTEERS

To celebrate National Volunteer Week, Federation Council is offering twenty grants of \$250 to not-for-profits, 355 committees, clubs and local community groups, organisations or schools with a volunteer branch or committee, to assist with commemorating and appreciating their contributions.

The Volunteer Week Micro Grants provide groups with the opportunity to tailor their National Volunteer Week celebrations held **19 - 25 May 2025**, to best suit their volunteers. The grants can be used to fund a range of gratitude celebrations such as afternoon teas, certificates of appreciation or award presentations, outings, luncheons, barbecues, or even go towards training and development.

Applications open **Monday 7 April** and close **Monday 21 April**. Interested groups can read the full eligibility requirements from Council's website.

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION

Federation Council invites qualified and experienced businesses to participate in our Request for Quotation (RFQ) process to deliver the project outlined below.

Sewer Pump Station Safety Lid Supply & Installation

- Closing: **Friday 4 April 2025**, 5pm
- RFQ 2025-230

Documentation relating to the RFQs is available from the eProcure link available from Council's website.

FEDERATION COUNCIL

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