

**NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL  
ORDINARY MEETING BUSINESS PAPER – 4 MAY 2022  
REPORTS TO COUNCIL – COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

**1. DEVELOPMENT APPROVALS**

<b>Author</b>	Director Community and Economic Development
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<b>Link to Strategic Plans</b>	CSP – 3.1.6 – Encourage developers to consider energy efficiency and sustainable building design options in new developments DP – 3.1.6.1 - Ensure compliance with relevant building codes and regulations

**Executive Summary**

This report provides information to Council on the approved Development Applications for April 2022.

**Report**

The approvals for the month of April 2022 brings the total approved Development Applications for the financial year to 75, with a total value of \$19,756,801.00.

<b>DA No.</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>LOT/DP</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Assessment Time/Days</b>
2022/07	44 Dandaloo St, Narromine	8/6/3572	Change of Use	\$25,000	12
2022/11	245 Old Backwater Rd, Narromine	177/1255094	Domestic Storage Shed	\$57,000	16
2022/12	800 Warren Rd, Narromine	101/1007295	Swimming Pool	\$43,600	17
2022/15	118 Warren Rd, Narromine	20/1027788	Additions & Alterations Res	\$305,000	26
2022/19	243 Tomingley Rd, Narromine	70/755131	Additions & Alterations Res	\$29,630	13
2022/21	9 Kingsford Smith DR, Narromine	56/1271467	Dwelling House	\$550,000	3

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## **1. DEVELOPMENT APPROVALS (Cont'd)**

There are currently 10 applications under assessment.

### **Legal and Regulatory Compliance**

Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979  
Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000

### **Risk Management Issues**

Nil

### **Internal/ external Consultation**

Nil

### **Attachments**

Nil

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## **RECOMMENDATION**

That the information be noted.

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## **2. RECONNECTING REGIONAL NSW- COMMUNITY EVENTS PROGRAM**

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<b>Link to Strategic Plans</b>	CSP – 1.2.2 Share and celebrate our cultural and social diversity through events. CSP – 2.2.5 Create and support a strong tourism industry that maximises benefits from visitors to the Shire.

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### **Executive Summary**

The NSW Government recently announced the \$200M Regional Recovery Package that aims to create jobs and support community events, shows and festivals. A dedicated allocation of \$239,651 is available to Narromine Shire Council to apply for. The report outlines the events to be nominated for support.

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### **Report**

The NSW Government recently unveiled a \$200M Regional Recovery Package that aims to create jobs across the regions, support community events, shows and festivals. The Community Events Package is a \$25M component of this overall recovery package and is available to local governments across the State via an allocation.

Narromine Shire Council has the opportunity to apply for \$239,651 which has been allocated as funding towards these events.

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## **2. RECONNECTING REGIONAL NSW- COMMUNITY EVENTS PROGRAM (Cont'd)**

The funding round opened on the 7 April 2022 and closes on the 24 June 2022. The events funded must be held prior to the 31 March 2023.

A number of additional guidelines apply to the funding. Events must:

- Be open to all members of the public
- Be free to attend or a very small fee to cover any extra costs
- Have a primary purpose of reconnecting communities and improving social cohesion of the local community.

Events could include:

- community markets and bazaars
- festivals and fairs
- sporting events
- food and leisure events
- recovery events
- community classes and workshops
- agricultural field days (run by community organisations)
- regional racing carnivals (e.g. horse or greyhound racing) run by community organisations
- touring events and theatre programs
- community public holiday celebrations (e.g. Australia Day or Anzac Day).

The funding announcement is very welcome. The recommendations of those events to be supported have been developed on the basis of supporting each of our communities, supporting existing and emerging events, encourage participation and held before the funding deadline.

Staff have also made these recommendations on the basis of ensuring fewer more significant events in order to be able to undertake the events in a short timeframe.

The following support is recommended:

<b>Event</b>	<b>Narromine</b>	<b>Trangie</b>	<b>Tomingley</b>
Dolly Festival	\$90,000		
TTT-Muster		\$75,000	
Community Festivals at Christmas	\$29,651	\$30,000	\$15,000

Each of these events are expected to draw significant interest from visitors and the local community and if supported by Council and the funding body we will work with each of the organising committees to assist.

### ***Financial Implications***

There are no financial implications for Council. The funding allows for an event coordinator to be engaged if required. Staff would generally attribute some time towards assisting with events.

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**2. RECONNECTING REGIONAL NSW- COMMUNITY EVENTS PROGRAM (Cont'd)**

***Legal and Regulatory Compliance***

Event management plans will be in place for each of the events to ensure insurances, risk management, traffic management and the like are in place.

***Risk Management Issues***

Risk Management plans will be undertaken as part of the event management. Insurances will be required for the events.

***Internal/External Consultation***

Trangie Truck and Tractor Committee  
Dolly Festival Committee

**RECOMMENDATION**

That application be made to the Community Events Program for \$239,651 for the following events.

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