

COUNCIL COLUMN - WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2022

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

An Extra Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held **on Monday 21 November 2022** at Council's Chambers, commencing at 5.30pm to consider a Development Application for Waterford Circuit, Residential Subdivision; a public forum will be available.

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 14 December 2022** at Council's Chambers commencing at 5.30pm.

PUBLIC EXHIBITION - COUNCILLOR EXPENSES AND FACILITIES POLICY (DRAFT)

Council at its Ordinary Meeting held 9 November July 2022 determined to place the Revised Councillor Expenses and Facility Policy on public exhibition for a period of 28 days. Council will consider all submissions received during the public exhibition period prior to the final adoption of the Policy. Written submissions must be received by 5.00 pm the document will be available for public comment until 5.00 pm 12 December 2022. The draft Policy is available for viewing www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition

PUBLIC EXHIBITION - PLANNING PROPOSAL

Under section 3.34(2) of the Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979, Council advises that an amendment to **Narromine Local Environmental Plan (LEP) 2011** to rezone certain land to zone R1 General Residential and R5 Large Lot Residential and change minimum lot size controls to increase the supply of residential land in Narromine and Trangie.

The Planning Proposal is on public exhibition from **27/10/2022** to **24/11/2022**. During this time the proposal may be inspected at the Narromine Shire Council Office at 124 Dandaloo Street, Narromine during normal office hours or on Councils website at www.narromine.nsw.gov.au, and the Planning Portal pp.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/exhibitions-publication/exhibitions

RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP

Council reminds all residents about **responsible pet ownership and lifetime registration** of your pet. Any resident wishing to register a **dog or cat** can do so at Council's Customer Service & Payments Centre, 118 Dandaloo Street, Narromine, between 8.45 am and 4.30 pm Monday to Friday. Please have all necessary documentation including microchip details, desexing certificate, breeder's card and/or pension card. Further information about responsible pet ownership can be found on Council's website.

TRANGIE MAIN STREET TOILETS

The public toilets located in **Trangie's main street - Dandaloo Street**, are now closed for a complete refurbishment. Council wishes to advise business owners that the laneways adjacent to the toilets will be closed during the construction period. For further information please contact **Council by phoning 6889 9999 during normal business hours**.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS NARROMINE, TRANGIE, TOMINGLEY

Narromine Venetian Carnival and Community Christmas Carnival, Friday 2 December 2022 contact Council via email mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au or phone 6889 9999. Cale Oval 4pm – 11 pm with live music featuring 5-time Golden Guitar winning Australian singer songwriter Amber Lawrence, The Viper Creek Band and Georga Mae along with markets stalls, food, fun and activities for all ages. To register interest as a market stall holder at the 2022 Venetian Carnival, please email Council by Friday 25 November 2022 E: mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au

Trangie Street Xmas Party, Saturday 10 December 2022, contact Terrie, Trangie Action Group via email terriemilgate@hotmail.com

Tomingley Harvest Festival and Christmas Market will be held on **Saturday 17- Sunday 18 December 2022**, contact Quentin Park Alpacas by phoning 0484 576 928

WHAT'S ON IN THE NARROMINE REGION

If you have a community event please visit <u>www.narromineregion.com.au</u> to add any event to the Narromine Region event calendar.

ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY

Up to date road closures and information is available on Council's website, by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions Live updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for all NSW roads visit www.livetraffic.com/

All motorists are reminded not to drive through floodwaters and to drive to the conditions of the road. Water that is covering roadways may be deeper and faster flowing than anticipated and/or the road may have suffered extensive damage hidden beneath the water.

Flagrant and irresponsible disregard for this appeal could lead to prosecution to the full extent of the law. In life threatening situations call 000 (Triple Zero) for emergency help in floods call the NSW SES on 132 500.

FLOOD INFORMATION

Please visit Bureau of Meteorology for forecasts and flood warnings http://www.bom.gov.au/Visit For help or emergency information, visit https://www.ses.nsw.gov.au/ or contact 132 500. In life threatening situations call 000 (Triple Zero). For emergency help in floods call the NSW SES on 132 500. Tune in to your local ABC Radio station for any emergency announcements. For rural animal and livestock assistance, contact your Local Land Services Office on 1300 795 299 or visit www.lls.nsw.gov.au

SANDBAGS AND SAND AVAILABLE

NSW SES is providing the Narromine Region with self-serve sand and sandbags (please BYO shovel) at Narromine Showgrounds (during daylight hours) For the latest Weather, Warnings, Rainfall and River heights visit www.bom.gov.au or phone 1300 945 108

NSW SMALL BUSINESS STORMS AND FLOOD SUPPORT

There are support services available for small business owners and operators who have been seriously impacted by the NSW floods. More information can be sourced by visiting: www.smallbusiness.nsw.gov.au/news or visit Service NSW website at www.service.nsw.gov.au/storm-and-flood-assistance-businesses

AUSTRALIA DAY NOMINATIONS 2023

Council is reminding all residents to acknowledge the wonderful contributions that individuals and groups make to the wider community. 2023 Australia Day Awards are open and nomination forms are available from Council's website www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/community/australia-day-awards

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