



## **COUNCIL COLUMN – WEDNESDAY 8 FEBRUARY 2023 NEXT COUNCIL MEETING**

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 8 February 2023** at Council Chambers commencing at 5.30 pm.

### **WELCOME EVENING FOR NEW RESIDENTS TO NARROMINE SHIRE**

Council is hosting 'A Welcome to the Narromine Region evening' and invites all new residents to attend on Wednesday 15 February 2022 at Narromine Golf Club commencing at 6.00 pm, please email [mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au](mailto:mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au) or call Council on 6889 9999 to RSVP. This a free family event, please bring along children and all family members.

### **ROTARY PARK AMENITIES CLOSURE**

Council wishes to advise residents and visitors that the Narromine Rotary Park public amenities will be closed for maintenance on Tuesday 7 February and Wednesday 8 February 2023. Alternate public amenities are available at the Narromine Aerodrome, Narromine Aquatic Centre and Narromine Wetlands.

### **ROADSIDE VEGETATION MANAGEMENT**

Council advises motorists and residents that roadside vegetation management/slashing has commenced in the Narromine Local Government Area along **Gundong, Tomingley and Tomingley West Roads** in order to reduce vegetation and improve the visibility and safety for all road users. Please be mindful of slashers when driving on local roads.

### **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](http://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions) Live updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for all NSW roads visit [www.livetraffic.com/](http://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.

### **SERVICE NSW MOBILE SERVICE CENTRES**

Service NSW Mobile Centres will again be visiting Narromine Shire during 2023. The Mobile Service Centre will be located at Narromine Men's Shed at 66 Dandaloo Street, **Narromine** from 9.00 am until 3.00 pm on **Tuesday 14** February 2023. The Mobile Service Centre will be located at Trangie Library at 36 Dandaloo Street, **Trangie** from 9.30 am until 3.00 pm on **Thursday 2 March 2023**.

## **CHEMCLEAR CLEANUP PROGRAM FROM FLOOD IMPACTED AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS – REGISTER NOW**

Agsafe's ChemClear program is assisting farmers and other agricultural and veterinary chemical users in the Southern and Central West regions that have been impacted by recent flooding – this includes Narromine LGA. Agsafe, in collaboration with the NSW Environment Protection Authority (EPA), is holding an extra **ChemClear** run to collect damaged or affected chemicals in these regions.

Registrations will close on **12 February 2023** to register your chemicals, please visit: [www.chemclear.org.au](http://www.chemclear.org.au) or further information please contact ChemClear on: 1800 008 182

## **RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP and REGISTRATION**

All pet owners are reminded that companion animals must be under effective control (on a lead under the control of a competent person) while in a public place unless they are in a leash free area. Council operates a leash free area at the eastern end of Rotary Park on Culling Street Narromine. Any person wishing to register a cat or dog can do so at Council's **Customer Service and Payments Centre at 118 Dandaloo Street**, Narromine.

For further information about caring for dogs and cats and looking after pets during the heat of summer please visit: [www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents](http://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents)

## **BUSHFIRE INFORMATION REMINDER**

With the significant increase in vegetation growth there is an increased risk of **grass fires**. Landholders are asked to help reduce the risk of grass fires by taking steps to prevent fires from starting, especially during harvest. Know the fire danger rating in your area by visiting [www.rfs.nsw.gov.au](http://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au) and help protect your family and your life with a Bush Fire Survival Plan. For more information please visit [www.rfs.gov.au](http://www.rfs.gov.au)

## **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES WITH COUNCIL – JOIN OUR TEAM**

Narromine Shire Council offers a variety of opportunities to grow, develop and progress your career, please visit Council's website for more information [www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/employment](http://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/employment)

## **LOOKING FOR PRIVATE OR SHARED SHORT TERM CO-WORKING OFFICE SPACE WITH UBER-FAST INTERNET?**

Don't work from home! Get out and mix with other small businesses in a bright and open environment. Narromine's HubnSpoke offers private or occasional co-work spaces available with uber-fast internet at reasonable daily and/or weekly rates. For more information go to: <https://hubnspokenarromine.com.au>, or email [thehub@narromine.nsw.gov.au](mailto:thehub@narromine.nsw.gov.au) to arrange an inspection.

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