

SHIRE COUNCIL

#### **COUNCIL COLUMN – WEDNESDAY 2 APRIL 2025**

#### **Next Council Meeting**

The next ordinary meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday 9th April 2025.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE – NORTHERN DRAINAGE STORMWATER PIPE

Narromine Shire Council would like to advise the community that construction works have commenced to improve the stormwater pipeline system. These works are essential to enhance drainage and mitigate potential flooding during heavy rain. Council asks residents to take note of any traffic management measures in place and exercise caution when travelling through the area. The project is expected to be delivered over a six-month period with completion by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2025, weather permitting. There will be various intermittent road closures during this time with detours and traffic management in place throughout different stages of the project.

For further inquiries, please contact Narromine Shire Council via email <u>mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</u> or call 6889 9999.

### **ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY**

All road updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for **all NSW roads including Narromine Shire Council's roads please** visit <u>www.livetraffic.com/</u>

Up to date road closures and information is available 24/7 on livetraffic.com or by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For any further information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to <u>www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions</u>

#### PUBLIC NOTICE - DRAFT COMMUNITY STRATEGIC PLAN 2025-2035

Council's Draft Community Strategic Plan is now on public exhibition. Submissions are now open for public comment and must be received in writing by Tuesday 15 April 2025. To view and/or download the document please visit Council's website at: www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition

Written submissions can be addressed to: General Manager PO BOX 115 NARROMINE NSW 2821 or via email mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au or submitted through the feedback form

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE - SAVING WATER**

Narromine Shire Council thanks residents to continue their excellent water conservation habits. As we continue with some hot weather over the next few weeks, Council reminds residents not to water lawns and gardens during the heat of the day. For further information about water saving tips please visit Council's website: https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/.../water-saving-handy-tips

#### PUBLIC NOTICE – DANDALOO STREET UPGRADE

Narromine Shire Council would like to advise the community that upgrade works will commence on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2025 to improve vehicle and pedestrian access to the approaches of the Dandaloo Street Railway Crossing. There will be closures during this

time and traffic management in place throughout different stages of this project. The partial closure of Dandaloo Street may impact parking for some local businesses. Access to shopfronts will not be affected. Plans and dates may change due to weather conditions or operational requirements. For further inquiries, please contact Narromine Shire Council via email <u>mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</u> or call 6889 9999.

## PUBLIC NOTICE - SPEED LIMIT REVIEW

A speed limit review is underway on Tullamore Road/McGrane Way encompassing the area between the railway line and a point approximately 250m south of the Backwater Cowal culvert. A review has been triggered by three crashes on the bridge in the past 18 months. NSW Transport is assessing the speed limit from the current 80 km/h zone (south of the railway line) to the southern end of the bridge. If approved, the existing 80 km/h zone would be extended by approximately 325m. Given the accident history, high number of heavy vehicles, road curvature and narrow road width, the review will determine the safest speed limit for this section.

# WATER NOTICE REMINDER

Water meters have now been read for the Third quarter of the 2024/2025 financial year. Notices for this quarter were issued on 18 March and are due 22 April 2025. For more information on water and payment options, please visit Council's website at <u>www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/water-rates</u> or drop by Council's Customer Service & Payments Centre.

# **REGISTER AND MICROCHIP YOUR PET**

There are legal requirements to microchip your pets by a certain age, but did you know you also have to register your pets? Registering your pets can give you the ability to assign and update your pets' details if you move addresses, change contact details or in the case of a change of ownership. Working dogs do need to be microchipped and registered, though registration is at no charge. Find out more about keeping your best mate safe by visiting: www.petregistry.olg.nsw.gov.au/owners/microchipping

## WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NARROMINE REGION

**4 April** - Narromine Seniors Morning Tea 10:30 am at Narromine Sports and Fitness Centre 12A Meryula Street Narromine, RSVP now by either emailing <u>mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</u> or call 6889 9999 during normal business hours.

**5 April** - Tomingley Picnic Races, gates open 11:30 am purchase your tickets at 123tix.com.au

**6 April** - The Yarn Exchange: Better Tools for 2025 presented by Western Rural Connect at Soul Food, Narromine – purchase your tickets at 123tix.com.au

Visit <u>www.narromineregion.com.au</u> and help promote your event on the Narromine Region website.

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