



FEDERATION COUNCIL

Council Meetings

Federation Council resolved at its April 2022 ordinary meeting, that future Council meetings will be held on the third Monday of the month from May 2022.

The Ordinary meeting of Council is responsible for dealing with matters relating to finance, works, development, planning, health, building and community services. This meeting also makes a decision on Committee recommendations and is the forum for making the final decision of Council.

Residents and ratepayers are cordially invited to attend Council meetings.

2022 Council Meeting Dates:

Monday 15 August	
Monday 19 September	Monday 17 October
Monday 21 November	Monday 19 December

Join the team

There are a range of job types that could suit your interests, lifestyle or career plans which will support Council's local community, businesses and visitors.

Visit Federation Council's website to see what job opportunities are going today!
www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Free Online Food Safety Training



Federation Council is pleased to offer FREE online food safety training. This training is suitable for people working in the food industry seeking basic food safety training or a refresher to brush up on knowledge.

There is no limit on how many times the program can be accessed. It can be used to induct new staff or used as a staff refresher training on an annual basis. It is also a useful tool for parents, students, community volunteers and sporting groups involved in handling food for canteens and fundraisers.

Sign up now from the Federation Council's website.

Community Grants Program

The Community Grants Program supports initiatives that deliver a range of social and economic benefits to communities across the Federation Council area. The program provides a more streamlined approach to supporting local community groups, organisations and clubs with delivering community projects and events.

Two rounds are facilitated each year, with a total amount of \$60,000 available to fund one-off projects through one of the nine focus categories:

- Arts And Culture;
- Events & Tourism;
- Community Work and Welfare;
- Skill Development and Learning;
- Health Promotion;
- Accessibility and Inclusion;
- Young People;
- Senior Residence; and
- Children and Families.

Round One of the 2022/2023 Community Grants Program will open on Monday 8 August 2022 and close on Friday 16 September 2022. Applications recommended for approval will be considered and announced to successful groups at the October Ordinary Council meeting.



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Club Grants Category 1 - Applications Now Open

The ClubGRANTS program is open 1 September to 31 August each year.

Community groups are invited to apply for funding through the ClubGRANTS (Category 1) Scheme. ClubGRANTS will fund local projects that address the following priorities: -

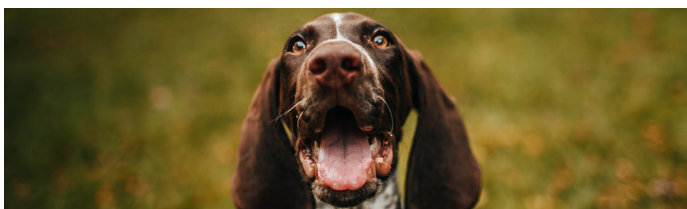
- Community Development
- Aged Services
- Youth Services
- Community Mental Health
- Emergency Services
- Veteran Welfare Services

Groups operating in Victoria or outside of the council area may apply for funding assistance if they are able to demonstrate a service is being provided to NSW residents.

Innovative new projects are encouraged as are applications for other important projects. All applications for the ClubGRANTS program must be made through the new ClubGRANTS Online System. To register your organisation and make an application visit www.clubgrants.com.au

Further information concerning ClubGRANTS Category 1 funding can be obtained from the ClubsNSW website on www.clubgrants.com.au/how-to-apply

Stray Dog Sightings



Do you know that stray dog sightings should be reported to Council?

If you find a stray or lost animal please contact Council and a ranger will collect the animal from you.

During business hours, please call us or after hours complete our online customer request form available from Council's website.

Library Story Time 2022



Federation Council invites parents and carers to Storytime sessions at the Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala Libraries.

Children and their parents/carers can participate in FREE story time sessions that involve sharing stories, rhymes and themed activities.

Storytime sessions are suitable for ages 0-5 years and run for 30-45 minutes.

Join in the fun, meet new people, introduce your child to a world of books and lay the foundation for a lifelong love of reading.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, a maximum of 15 people are able to attend. Bookings are required before attendance and can be made via the online form below or by contacting the Corowa Library on P: 02 6033 8941.

Save Power Kit

Learn how you can save power, minimise water usage, reduce emissions and create a more sustainable future in your own home.

The Save power kit will help you identify simple actions you can take to save money and power & to reduce your impact on the environment. The kits are free to borrow with a Riverina Regional Library membership from the Corowa Library.

Each kit contains useful information and tools to help you measure how you use energy in your home, including:

- Power-mate Lite
- Stopwatch
- Infrared Thermometer
- Light Meter
- Thermometer
- Compass

Find out more on Council's Website.



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Grant Finder

Are you seeking grant funding for a project or initiative at your business, community group or organisation?

Federation Council is excited to provide Grant Finder to all local businesses, community groups, organisations and individuals. This site provides a comprehensive list of grant and funding opportunities available to you.

Register now to receive email alerts for new grants, save your favourites and access tips to help you apply for grants.

Never miss a grant opportunity again, sign up now from Council's website.

Firewood Collection

Residents in the Federation Council area can apply to obtain a permit to collect firewood from road reserves for home heating during winter.

Firewood collection is limited to 1 April – 30 September each year.

To apply for a permit, residents must complete the application form and show proof that they reside in the Federation Council area (i.e. drivers licence).

Visit Council's website for more information.

New Residents Kit



Have you recently moved or about to move to the Federation Council area?

Council has compiled a New Resident Kit which welcomes you to our community and provides a handy reference guide which includes information about the services and facilities available from Council and within the community.

A hard copy of the New Resident Kit is available from any Council office or online from Council's website.

Subscribe to Council Electronic Newsletters



Federation Council produces a number of monthly electronic newsletters to engage with our community and visitors regularly and to showcase the vast array of Council projects and updates.

Stay connected and subscribe to the news topics of interest to you or all of Council's electronic newsletters.

See Council website for more information.

Community Directory



Have you created a Community Directory listing for your club or organisation?

The Federation Council Community Directory is an online directory that aims to bring together a range of community services in the one space. It provides information for people who may be looking to join a sporting club or volunteer at a local service club. As well as links to service providers and support for people who may be needing assistance.

Find out more and create a listing from Council's website.

Local Government Week is designed to showcase the work councils do in their communities, including the wide variety of services they provide. Councils provide their communities with the services and infrastructure they need to work, rest and play, 365 days a year.

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT COUNCIL'S WEBSITE
WWW.FEDERATIONCOUNCIL.NSW.GOV.AU



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