



FEDERATION COUNCIL

Council Meetings

Ordinary meetings of Council are held on the third Tuesday of the Month commencing at 9.30 am.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions regarding gatherings and the need to comply with social distancing measures, Advice from the NSW Office of Local Government is that Council meetings will continue to go ahead by audio-visual link and they should continue to be accessible to the public.

To help ensure we slow the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) within our workforce and the community from the 21st of April 2020 Council Meeting our public gallery will be closed.

Federation Council is pleased to offer LIVE streaming of our monthly Council Meetings on YouTube. This gives residents the opportunity to observe Council business via their computers and mobile devices.

Please visit Council's website and click on the LIVE STREAM link to watch the Ordinary Council Meeting live on YouTube.

The following schedule outlines the 2020 ordinary meetings of Council:

Tuesday 15 December 2020 Video Conference

Federation Council Community Calendar 2021

Federation Council is pleased to present its 2021 Community Calendar.

The thirteen images featured throughout the calendar were selected as part of the Community Calendar photo competition where a total of 67 images were entered from across our communities.

A complimentary copy of the calendar will be delivered to residents via Australia Post during December 2020.

The calendar will also be made available for purchase for \$10.00 from Council offices from mid-December.

We hope you love the 2021 Community Calendar as much as we do.

Howlong Swimming Pool Season Opening Times



Federation Council is pleased to advise residents and visitors of the Howlong Swimming Pool opening times for the 2020-2021 season:

Open from Thursday 19 November 2020, Thursday - Sunday, 3pm - 7pm.

From December 2020 to the end of March 2021, the pool will be open daily, 1pm - 7pm.

Entry is free for the 2020/2021 season.

Development Application Lodgement cut-off for 2020

In accordance with Council's Community Participation Plan, Council will be unable to assess applications received after Friday 4 December 2020 until Monday 11 January 2021.

All applications received after Friday 4 December will be advertised and assessed after Monday 11 January 2021.

New Lodgement Development Applications

Council would like to advise that from Friday 1 January 2021, Development Applications are encouraged to be lodged with Council via the NSW Planning Portal.

To lodge an application you must first register your details at

<https://apps.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/prweb/IAC/>

More Information can be found at

www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/onlineDA



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Federation Council launches new tourism era with new brand



A new era has commenced for tourism in Federation Council, with the local government organization launching its new tourism branding – North of the Murray on the tourism website and social media channels.

While the region has marketed itself through ‘Visit Corowa Region’ for a number of years, following the merger, Council set out to embark on an extensive branding project and marketing strategy development to encompass the many different tourism highlights and assets of the new Federation Council area. The transformation on these platforms is just the first stage of brand implementation.

Federation Council Mayor Pat Bourke said Council was pleased to formally present the new brand to the community and tourism stakeholders involved in the development of this foundational piece of work.

“The key objective of our new brand is to be consumer focused to increase visitation to the region” Mayor Bourke said.

“The new North of the Murray brand will help maximize the potential of our marketing and promotional efforts. North of the Murray brand will play a major role moving forward in growing Federation Council’s position as one of the most dynamic tourism, business, agricultural and residential regions.”

Mayor Bourke said 2020 has been a difficult year for tourism operators, and the tourism branding project could not have been delivered at a more crucial time, to assist in promoting visitation to our region.

“Council has been progressively working with our tourism stakeholders over many months to get to this stage and to say there is a high level of excitement is an understatement,” he said.

“Over the coming weeks, Council will transition its digital assets and work on delivering new marketing material to tourism stakeholders to utilise on their own channels and within their own businesses. As the North of the Murray brand grows we will build an even stronger tourism market and in turn, bring more visitors to our region.”

In closing Mayor Bourke encouraged residents to share the great news of the tourism brand with visitors from the past, and those who are planning to visit the region in the future. “This brand reflects our wonderful region, and I know Council are really looking forward to delivering the many successful marketing campaigns developed through our destination marketing strategy for many years to come,” he said.

“Thank you to the many tourism operators who have been involved in the development of this brand. The outcome is a true credit to you all, and another fine example of the successes we experience when Council and the community work together.”

For further information on the brand launch, or to become a brand champion visit www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au





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Light Up Federation

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS &
DECORATIONS COMPETITION



This Christmas season, Federation Council and the Community will work together to

'Light up Federation'

Residents and business owners are invited to decorate their homes or business's to Light Up Federation and show their Community Christmas spirit through lights and decorations for everyone to enjoy. This year the Light Up Federation will feature 3 categories that residents and business owners can enter.

Best Decorated House

Best Decorated Street

Best Decorated Business

To register, simply download a form from Council's website and email to **communication@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au** or complete a hard copy at any Council office or library. Entries close 5:00pm on Friday 4 December 2020.

VOTING AND PRIZES

Registered homes will be in the running to win \$800 cash for the 'Best House' category. One best house will be selected.

The title of 'Best Street' is also up for grabs with the winning street in each town which has registered homes, to have a sign placed below their existing street sign to recognise their success. The 'Best Business' will receive \$200 cash and a decal with their winning title to display.

A flyer of all registered homes and businesses available from Monday 7 December from all Council offices and libraries, Council's Facebook page and website, so you can arrange to drive by the decorations.

Residents can vote for their favourite display by completing an online voting form or complete a form at any Council office. Voting closes Tuesday 5 January 2021 with the winners to be announced on Council's website.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLY

Visit Council's website for further information www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au
or contact **(02) 6033 8999**



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Note this calendar is for the areas marked on this map only. Refer to separate calendar for services elsewhere in Federation Council.



- Be mindful not to overload the bins – maximum weight is 80kg
- Place bin close to the kerb with the handle facing toward your property
- Place your bin out the night before your collection day or by 6am on the morning of collection
- Keep clear of overhanging branches and power lines
- Please leave at least one metre between bins and other objects, including fences and vehicles.

Organics

Organics will be collected on the same day every week.

General Waste

General Waste will be collected on alternate weeks to your Recycling day.

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