

FEDERATION COUNCIL SNIPPETS



POSITIONS VACANT

Federation Council is seeking talented and energetic people to fill the following roles based in Corowa.

- GARDENER, Full time
- RECORDS OFFICER, Part time
- COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER, Full time
- COMMUNITY & EVENTS PROJECT OFFICER, Part time
- IT SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR, Full time
- ADMINISTRATION OFFICER - PLANNING & ENVIRONMENT, Full time

Following the recent amalgamation and as a result of internal promotions, Council is now able to offer the above positions which will be part of an exciting program of change and improvement.

This is an exciting opportunity to become part of a supportive and family-friendly organisation focused on the delivery of excellent customer service.

The position descriptions and more information on each position can be found on Council's website federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

DISABILITY INCLUSION AND ACCESS PLAN - SURVEY EXTENDED

Federation Council is conducting an important survey that will inform the development of its Disability Inclusion and Access Plan.

The plan will be invaluable in helping to ensure that communities are inclusive and accessible for those with a disability who live, work in or visit the Federation Council area. It will consider a range of issues and barriers such as access to information, services, buildings and facilities. Council is encouraging the wider community to take part in the survey and has extended the survey closing date until Friday 17 March. The survey is available on Council's website.

3D PRINTER TASTER

Are you curious about 3D printing? Technology can be really fascinating, and printing three dimensional objects from digital models has so many exciting possibilities. From printing replacement machine parts, to prosthetic limbs, 3D printers are being used in lots of industries, and in libraries!

Come and see what practical, useful and fun things can be printed. If you have a design you would like printed, bring along the STL file on a thumb drive and we'll give it a go!

Howlong Library Thursday 16 March
10.00am-12noon 02 6026 5055

Corowa Library Thursday 16 March
1.00pm-3.00pm 02 6033 8941
Printer will be available at Corowa Library until Tuesday 28 March.

Mulwala Library Thursday 30 March
10.00am-12noon. 03 5744 3439
Printer will be available at Mulwala Library 30 March - 8 April.

38TH ANNUAL COROWA SWIM-IN AND MILITARY VEHICLE GATHERING TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES SATURDAY 18 MARCH 2017

Council advises that the following temporary Corowa Street closures will occur from 8:45am to 10:00am on Saturday 18 March 2017 for the purpose of the safe conduct of the 38th Annual Corowa Swim-in and Military Vehicle Gathering hosted by the Khaki Vehicle Enthusiasts Inc.

- SANGER STREET, FULL LENGTH
- CHURCH STREET, and Sanger Street
- RIVER STREET, and Sanger Street
- MARY STREET, and Sanger Street
- ISABEL STREET, and Sanger Street
- SHORT STREET, FULL LENGTH
- HONOUR AVENUE, left hand turn lane from Short Street to Sanger Street

Detours will be via adjacent streets including Parliament Street, Edward Street, Queen Street, Henry Street and Riesling Street and will be adequately signposted. During the parade access to McDonalds Restaurant will be via Federation Avenue only.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS

In accordance with Council's Public Notification Policy regarding Development Applications, the following are hereby listed for public comment. Plans relating to these proposals may be inspected in Council's Planning Department during normal working hours.

| DA NO. | ADDRESS | ZONING | PROPOSED WORK |
|---------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| 2017/43 | 131 Read Street Howlong | Residential R1 | Swimming Pool |
| 2017/44 | 36 Gallipoli Street Corowa | Residential R2 | Dwelling Alterations & Additions |
| 2017/45 | 8 Piggan Court Corowa | Residential R1/ Environmental Management E3 | Shed |
| 2017/46 | 43 Lang Street Mulwala | Residential R2 | Extension & Internal Alterations to Dwelling |

Any persons may make a submission on the proposal within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of this notification. Persons making a submission are required to comply with Section 147(5) of the Environmental Planning Assessment Act (Political Donations & Gifts Disclosure Statement). Forms are available from Council's administrative offices.

DEVELOPMENT CONSENTS

Public notice is given pursuant to Section 101 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, that the Council has granted development consent in respect of the following developments. The consents are available for public inspection, without charge, at the Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Corowa between the hours of 9.00 am and 5.00 pm Monday to Friday:

| DA NO. | ADDRESS | APPROVED WORK |
|----------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| 2016/214 | 45-55 Orford Street Corowa | Dwelling and Shed |
| 2017/18 | 104-106 Wanstead Street Corowa | Shed Dditions |
| 2017/25 | 24 Birdwood Street Corowa | Demolition |
| 2017/26 | 170-184 Melbourne Street Mulwala | Shed Extension |

TOURISM REVIEW - OPERATORS SURVEY

Federation Council is undertaking a review of visitor services in the region to develop a strategic direction for the delivery of tourism services in Federation Council.

As part of the project, Council is seeking feedback from tourism operators regarding visitor services, as well as challenges and opportunities for tourism in the region.

Operators are encouraged to visit Council's website for further information and complete the online survey by 5pm, Friday 31 March 2017.

WANT TO LEARN ABOUT RENEWABLE ENERGY OPTIONS AVAILABLE IN THE MURRAY REGION?

The Energy Options for the Murray Region – Energy for Today & Tomorrow Forum is being held on Friday 24 March at the Corowa Golf Club. The forum will focus on energy needs and issues for business and industry, as well as exploring the various options of renewable energy which are available locally to the community, including farmers. The forum is free and lunch and refreshments are also supplied. To register please visit www.eventbrite.com.au

FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES LEVY

NSW Councils will be levying the Fire and Emergency Services Levy from 1 July 2017.

The Emergency Services Levy which was previously paid to insurance companies will cease on 30 June 2017. For more information visit www.fesl.nsw.gov.au or phone 1300 78 78 72.

SMALL GRANTS FOR COMMUNITY GROUPS

Federation Council invites community groups and organisations to apply for a Small Grant of up to \$3000 to assist in the development of programs or activities that address community needs and focus on community development, developing partnerships and improving the quality of life and wellbeing of the people in the Federation Council communities.

Program guidelines and an application form are available on Council's website or from any Council office. Applications close on 31 March 2017. Please contact Wendy Thompson on wendy.thompson@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au for further information.

PUBLIC EXHIBITION SWIMMING POOL INSPECTION POLICY

Notice is hereby given that Council intends to adopt the Swimming Pool Inspection Policy following public exhibition for a period of 21 days. This policy is available for public inspection at the following locations during normal office hours;

- Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Corowa
- Howlong Library & Resource Centre, 59 Hawkins Street, Howlong
- Mulwala Library & Council Office, 71 Melbourne Street, Mulwala
- Urana Office, 30-32 William Street, Urana

Any enquires should be directed to Council on (02) 6033 8999. Any person interested in making a submission should do so in writing addressed to the General Manager, Federation Council, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or email to council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au.

Submissions must be received by 5.00pm Tuesday 21 March 2017.

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES

THURSDAY 23 MARCH 2017

- COROWA (between 10:00am and 11:15am)
- Honour Avenue –Steele Street to Bow Street
 - Federation Avenue – Mary Street to Bow Street
 - Short Street- Full length
 - Walker Street- Full length

The purpose of the closure is to permit the safe conduct of the Memorial Service by the British Commonwealth Occupation Force Association of Australia to be at the Genotaph on Thursday 23 March 2017 at 10.30am.

FUN PARK PROPOSAL

Federation Council has received a request to lease land within the Ball Park Precinct in Corowa known as the old Tractor Pull area adjacent to the Lawn Tennis Club (Part of 2 Riesling Street Corowa).

The intention of the group is to establish a Fun Park at this location which would include water slides. The land is currently maintained by Council as public open space and is a dog off-leash area.

As this is land classified community land, the Local Government Act stipulates a number of requirements that would need to be met to allow this land to be considered for a lease by a business.

Council is seeking to establish the views of the community in relation to leasing this section of land to a private business for the purposes outlined. Any interested person may inspect this proposal and draft plans at the Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Corowa from Wednesday, 1 March 2017 to Wednesday, 22 March 2017 between the hours of 8.30 am and 5:00pm Monday to Friday.

Submissions received will form part of a report to Council which is intended to be a public document. Should you not wish any personal details or your submission to be publicly released, please advise this in your submission. Please note that a development application has not been submitted so Council has not yet made any planning assessment of the proposal, this will be a required process.

Submissions in relation to this current consultation are not allowed to form part of any planning submissions received when the development application is formally exhibited once lodged, so writers are advised they will need to resubmit if they wish to make submissions on the planning assessment of this proposal.

Corowa General Office

Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Ball Park
Monday to Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm

Corowa office: (02) 6033 8999

Howlong office: (02) 6026 5055

Mulwala office: (03) 5744 3439

Urana office: (02) 6930 9100

Urgent After Hours: 1800 110 088

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