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POSITIONS VACANT

Federation Council is committed to being a quality Council with a strong focus on the delivery of services that continually meet community expectations. If you are committed to excellent customer service, being a competent team player and have a focus on results orientation that drives strategic thinking and fosters a culture of innovation, learning and continuous improvement, then one of these opportunities are for you:

- **Reticulation Officer (Labourer) x3**
- **Assistant Duty Officer Pools**
- **Senior Reticulation Officer x 3**
- **Works Officer - Aerodrome Reporting Officer**

More detailed advertisements and position descriptions can be obtained from Council's website. Emailing jobs@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or by phone on (02) 6033 8903.

PLANNING AGREEMENT STATE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION 8804 – HOWLONG SAND AND GRAVEL

Proposed Development: Expansion of Howlong sand and gravel operations from 30,000 tonne per annum to 300,000 tonne per annum
Property: 4343 Riverina Highway, Howlong, NSW, 2643 (Lot 173, DP753744; Lot 174 DP753744, Lot 174A DP 753744, Lot 231 DP 753744, Lot 1, DP 1039973, Lot 1 DP 798291 & Lot 3, DP 113703)
Developer: Fraser Earthmoving Construction Pty Ltd
Council: Federation Council

In accordance with Section 7.5(1) of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 the planning agreement for State Significant Development 8804, Expansion of Howlong Sand and gravel Operations will be on public exhibition from **Wednesday 27 July 2022 to Wednesday 24 August 2022** inclusive.

Any person may inspect the agreement at the following Federation Council locations from now until **Wednesday 24 August 2022**:

Council website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au
 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 will be received up to **5:00pm on Wednesday 24 August 2022**.

If you require further information please contact Council's planning section on **02 6033 8999**.

COROWA AQUATIC CENTRE LAUNCHES LEARN TO SWIM SURVEY

The Corowa Aquatic Centre team is undertaking a survey to obtain your feedback in relation to our Learn to Swim Program. We value your feedback and would like to capture this via the survey so that we can improve the program that we deliver to you. The survey is available for completion online from our website www.corowaaquaticcentre.com.au or a hard copy can be printed, completed and handed to the staff at the centre. Alternatively, collect a hard copy from the centre when you visit us next. The survey will be open until **Sunday 4 September, 2022**.

HOWLONG LIBRARY STORYTIME

Federation Council wishes to advise the community that the Library Storytime sessions at the Howlong Council Office and Library have been paused and will not be operating again until the end of September 2022. Library Storytime sessions are available at the Corowa Library every Friday and Mulwala Council Office and Library fortnightly on Wednesday. Council apologises for any inconvenience caused and thank you for your continued support and understanding.

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 are available for review from Council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

DA NO.	ADDRESS	ZONING	PROPOSED WORK
2022/549	6 Sisters Lane Howlong	R2 Low Density Residential	Shed 128m ²

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 by contacting Council during business hours.

DA NO.	ADDRESS	APPROVED WORK
2022/503	835 Bullplain Road Mulwala	Dwelling Alterations/Additions
2022/504	152-160 Larmer Street Howlong	Shed
2022/552	136 River Street Corowa	Dwelling
2022/557	209-229 Orford Street Sth Corowa	2 Sheds & Carport
2022/593	3 Adam Close Mulwala	Swimming Pool
2022/596	194 Church Street South Corowa	Shed

Federation Council advises that there are significant delays to all applications being lodged for each stage of the development process. Staff shortages, in conjunction with the increasing complexity of the NSW Planning Portal Processes required to be undertaken by Council has seen pre-lodgement assessment times increasing to 6-8 weeks and average determination times taking between 10-12 weeks. We ask you for your cooperation as Council officers concentrate on clearing the backlog of applications while maintaining all other legislated services.

GRANT FINDER

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. Never miss a grant opportunity again! Register now on Council's website to receive email alerts for new grants, save your favourites and access tips to help you apply for grants. Federation Council is proud to partner with GrantGuru to provide you with this free service.

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 services and facilities. Stay connected and subscribe to these today from Council's website.

WATER MAIN CLEANING TO COMMENCE

Federation Council will commence water main cleaning in the townships of Corowa, Mulwala and Howlong from **Thursday 25 August, 2022**. The air scouring process will take approximately 3-4 hours per segment of water main being cleaned, with the entire network taking approximately 10 to 14 days to complete. Customers will receive a letter informing them of the dates and times their water supply will be affected. Works are expected to be completed by **Saturday 17 September, 2022**. During the cleaning process, customers may experience short periods of dirty or discoloured water. Periodic water main cleaning is part of the ongoing commitment by Council to maintain a quality water supply for its customers. If you require any further information, please contact Council on **(02) 6033 8999**.

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 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 is now open and will close on **Friday 16 September 2022**. The online application form is available from Council's website. Applications recommended for approval will be considered and announced to successful groups at the October Ordinary Council meeting.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Council is seeking Expressions of Interest to operate and/or lease Urana Caravan Park, Federation Way, Urana, New South Wales. Expressions of Interest are to be lodged with Council by **12 noon Wednesday 24 August 2022**. Documentation relating to the Expression of Interest can be found on Council's Website.

SELECTIVE HERBICIDE APPLICATIONS

Selective Herbicide applications will occur from **Monday 15 August to Monday 10 October 2022** to all Council ovals, parks, and open spaces. This is an annual program to remove broadleaf weeds. This process reduces mowing frequencies and will improve turf density. The selective herbicide that will be used is Javelin (20g/l Clopyralid, 15g/l Diflufenican, 300g/l Mcpa).

AUGUST COUNCIL MEETING

Federation Council's August 2022 Ordinary Council Meeting is scheduled **Monday 15 August** commencing 10:00am at the Corowa Civic Centre. Residents and ratepayers are cordially invited to attend Council meetings or watch the meeting via live stream which provides the opportunity to observe Council business via a computer or mobile device. The live stream is available for access from the Federation Council website along with the previous minutes and the agenda for the meeting.

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