



# NOTICE OF COMMUNITY FORUM

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You are invited to attend the next Community Forum to be held in the Council Chambers, Wollondilly Shire Hall 44-62 Menangle Street Picton and remotely via audio visual link on Tuesday 21 November 2023 commencing at 6.30pm. The link to access the meeting and ticketing information will be made available on the Community Forum page of Council's website.

<https://www.wollondilly.nsw.gov.au/council/meetings/community-forums/>

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## FORMAL COMMUNITY FORUM MATTERS

### 1. Community Safety Presentation

CM 1350

Police officers from the three Police Area Commands (PAC's) covering Wollondilly will be in attendance to present information to the community on current community safety issues within the Shire. Highlighted will be what is currently being experienced in the field, operations being undertaken and any messages they would like to convey to the community.

The opportunity to exchange information on community safety is provided with community members able to raise issues relating to community safety in their area.

### 2. Government Services Building

CM 1113

Council's Chief Financial Officer will present on the financial analysis of the current GSB proposal, consideration of alternative options for the delivery of a GSB and which option provides the best financial outcome for Council and the Community.

The new Library and Government Services Building will bring a substantial \$732 million in economic benefits for the Picton town centre, the broader Wollondilly community, Council employees and other service organisations.

Already through this project the Shire Hall refurbishments, Library extension and new Childcare building have made a big difference to the precinct and Picton, with the new Performing Arts Centre well underway.

## COMMUNITY QUESTION/STATEMENT TIME

Community Question/Statement Time will be for those matters that relate to the Ordinary Meeting of Council Agenda.

Due to social distancing measures currently in operation the person need not be in attendance at the Community Forum to have their question addressed.

Matters can be submitted to Council up until 12 noon on the day before the Forum.

The Chairperson will read out the matter and a Council representative may act as speaker and read out the question/statement submitted. Each speaker's time will be determined by Council's Code of Meeting Practice. There can be two (2) submissions for and two (2) submissions against each issue, with each speaker allowed a maximum of 5 minutes.

All matters will be addressed and a direct answer provided thereby completing the matter or, a response as to how the matter will be dealt with.

In accordance with Council's adopted Community Forum Guidelines the Record of Proceedings will only record the name of the person raising the Question/Statement, whom they are representing and the matter/item for each written question/statement submitted for the night. Any additional documentation handed in on the night will be noted in the Record of Proceedings. No verbal comments will be documented

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## INFORMAL QUESTION/STATEMENT TIME

Informal Question/Statement Time will be for any general issues as well as those matters that were not answered during the Formal Community Forum section.

Matters are required to be submitted prior to 12 noon on the day before the Forum.

The Chairperson will read out the matter and a Council representative may act as speaker and read out the question/statement submitted. Each speaker's time will be determined in line with the Community Forum Guidelines. With each speaker allowed a maximum of 5 minutes.

All matters will be addressed and the person will either be provided with a direct answer thereby completing the matter or, a response as to how the matter will be dealt with.

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## CONCLUSION AND INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS

### CONCLUSION

This section of the Forum will allow the Chairperson to provide a summary of the matters discussed and advise that the next Community Forum will be held on Tuesday 5 December 2023.

### INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS

This section of the Forum will allow time for our community to speak openly with Councillors and Council Officers about any matter they wish to raise.



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## COMMUNITY FORUM DATES

Community Forums will generally be held on the third Tuesday of each month and will commence at 6.30pm either in the Council Chambers, Wollondilly Shire Hall 44-62 Menangle Street, Picton or at another specified location across the shire

Dates for the Community Forums for 2023 are as follows:

- Tuesday 5 December 2023 - Council Chambers, Wollondilly Shire Hall