

Notice of Community Forum



Wollondilly
Shire Council

Notice of Community Forum Monday 10 September 2018

You are invited to attend the next Community Forum to be held in the Council Foyer,
62-64 Menangle Street Picton on Monday 10 September 2018 commencing at 6.30pm.

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OPENING BY THE CHAIRPERSON

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NOTE: Community Forum Papers will be available from Council's Foyer or alternatively on Council's website.



Formal Community Forum Matters

FORMAL COMMUNITY FORUM MATTERS

CM 1148-3

1. **Research Study about Potential Impacts of Mining on Redbank Creek**

Dr Ian Wright from Western Sydney University will provide a presentation on the details and findings of a research investigation into Redbank Creek which has been recently disturbed by mining operations. The Research Study monitored the water quality of the stream over a 5-year period.

Dr Wright lectures in water science and management, environmental planning and environmental regulation fields across several degree programs. Ian has worked as a scientist in the urban water industry for more than 25 years, and his research interests include freshwater ecology, water chemistry and water pollution (science and management). He has a long standing interest in the impact of urban development and coal mining on streams and rivers.

CM 2089

2. **NSW RFS Community Briefing**

David Stimson from the Rural Fire Service will address the Community and provide information and advice on how to prepare for the upcoming Bushfire Season.



Community Question/Statement Time

COMMUNITY QUESTION/STATEMENT TIME

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

The person must be in attendance at the Community Forum.

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

The Chairperson will read out the matter and will then invite the person to speak. 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 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.

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 from the speaker will be documented.

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Community
Question/Statement
Time

Informal Question/Statement Time

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.

The person must be in attendance at the Forum.

Matters are required to be submitted prior to 12 noon on the day of the Forum, although the Chairperson may accept late items if time permits.

The Chairperson will read out the matter and will then invite the person to speak. Each speaker's time will be determined by the Chairperson.

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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 Monday 8 October 2018.

INFORMAL DISCUSSIONS

This section of the Forum will allow time for our community to have a cup of tea or coffee and 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 second Monday of each month and will commence at 6.30pm in the Council Foyer, 62-64 Menangle Street, Picton.

Dates for the Community Forums for 2018 are as follows:

- Monday 8 October 2018
- Monday 12 November 2018
- Monday 4 December 2018