



Mid Murray Council meeting update

Council held its last meeting on Tuesday 12 October 2021 at which the following items were discussed or determined:

The following were adopted/endorsed by Council:

- Council made the decision to cease the practice of accepting the transfer of water licence allocations from participants in the Bowhill Water Supply Scheme. A further report on the the potential enhancement of Bowhill Water Supply Scheme will be prepared for Council with pricing options for the 2022/2023 financial year.
- Road and/or carpark closures for the following events were endorsed:
 - Morgan Community Christmas Pageant & Fair to be held in Morgan on Saturday 11 December 2021.
 - Australian Annual Kimber Run 2021 at the northern end of Mary Ann Reserve, Mannum on Sunday 7 November 2021.
 - Novita Mighty River Run to have exclusive use of the boat ramp and adjacent carpark at Mary Ann Reserve on Sunday 7 November 2021 from 8.30am until 1.30pm.
- Council endorsed obtaining valuations for the land that is currently in private ownership but that is proposed to be added to the legal boundaries of Purnong Road to include the as-constructed location of the carriageway and preparing a further report to Council once the valuations are received.
- Council endorsed the future report for budget revision allocation for immediate infrastructure needs at Mary Ann Reserve.
- Council endorsed the River Murray International Dark Sky Reserve – Mid Murray Council – Astro Tourism Strategy.
- Council consented to the installation of town map signage at Pioneer Park, Truro by the Truro & District Community Association.
- Council approved the Development Application Fee Waiver request from Looove Cheese, Mannum.
- Council consented to delegating authority to the Mayor and CEO to execute, under common seal, the Consent to the Deposit of a Plan of Division for Land Division 711/D037/10/004 (more commonly known as 'The Crossing').
- Council authorised the CEO to advise the LGA that it supports the proposed *Community Engagement Charter* and model *Community Engagement Policy*.
- Council approved the revocation of Council's Informal Gatherings Policy following commencement of section 52 of the Statutes Amendment (Local Government Review) Act 2021.
- Council agreed to extend the terms of existing Mannum Dock Board members (whose term was about to expire) until the new combined board is established.

Updates were received for the following:

- Monthly Financial Reports.
- Infrastructure & Field Services – Summary Report.

- Community Wastewater Management System (CWMS) – LGA Submission - Township Feasibility Studies.
- The annual update of the Animal Management Plan 2020 – 2025.
- Grant allocation for Mid Murray School Community Libraries.
- NAIDOC Week 2021 Celebrations.

Minutes were received from the following committees:

- Mid Murray Council Assessment Panel.

There was a presentation by Department for Infrastructure and Transport representatives on the Truro Bypass project.

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