

# Community News



### **Planning Committee Meeting**

### Cancellation 5 April 2023

The Planning Committee Meeting scheduled for Wednesday 5 April, 2023 has been cancelled. There are no planning matters to be determined by the Committee at this time.





## Council meeting

The March Council meeting will be held on: **Date:** Wednesday 29 March 2023

Time: 4pm

Venue: COPACC (95 - 97 Gellibrand Street, Colac)

Council meetings are open to the public and interested people are welcome to attend. The Council meeting will be livestreamed to the public via Council's You Tube channel (search Colac Otway Shire Council at <u>www.youtube.com</u>). Copies of the agenda will be available today, Friday 24 March 2023 at <u>www.colacotway.vic.gov.au</u>

### Congratulations to our Community Award Winners!

#### Colac Otway celebrates the 2023 Community Award Recipients

Council would like to congratulate the 2023 Colac Otway Community Award recipients, who were officially recognised on the main stage at today's Colac Kana Festival.

"The Community Awards are an opportunity to acknowledge and thank members of our community for their dedication and positive contributions to Colac Otway," said Council Mayor Chris Potter.

"Our shire is made up of many wonderful people who do great things, at Kana on Saturday we celebrated the achievements of three remarkable people in our region, our Citizen of the Year - Vicki Jeffrey, Young Citizen of the Year - Murray Green and Community Service Award - Zoe Hudgell.

"Holding the Community Awards at Kana is a great event to publicly celebrate the achievements of award recipients.

"Our shire is made up of many impressive people who do great things, it's a great privilege to shake the hand of each of the deserved award winners and thank them for their contributions toward making Colac Otway the wonderful community it is.

"On behalf of Colac Otway Shire Council we congratulate everyone who was nominated for an award this year, and this year's Community Award recipients," Cr Potter said.

## 📑 We're recruiting

If you're interested in working alongside your community, engaging in local projects and helping to make Colac Otway the great place it is, work with us! For current employment opportunities visit Council's website.

• Executive Officer Community & Economy (closes 6/4/23)

For a position description and to apply online, visit <u>www.colacotway.vic.gov.au</u> or contact Human Resources on 5232 9529.

## A - Z of Council Services

We're concluding our A to Z of Council Services with Y and Z. Local councils provide a wide range of services from waste collection, to road maintenance, tree planting - and many things in between. We've gone through a service that Council provide for each letter of the alphabet, we hope you found the information useful - if you're interested in finding out more on any of the services Council provide visit our website or call us on 5232 9400.



## Y - Youth Services

Did you know Council has a Youth Services section on our website? Make sure you visit to keep up to date with any happenings www.colacotway.vic.gov.au/Community-services/ Youth-services



### Z - Zoe...Murray and Vicki!

Congratulations again to our 2023 Community Award recipients! Put your thinking caps on now Colac Otway, who are the people in our community you would like to nominate for the 2024 Community Awards? We'll provide updates on when the awards open for next year.



## Cressy Community Drop-in Session

Colac Otway Shire Council will be holding a drop-in information session for Cressy community members regarding its intention to close part of Hall Street Cressy.

When: Thursday 30 March Time: Drop-in any time between 4pm and 5.30pm

Where: Cressy Hall, 41 Yarima Road

Written submissions from the community on this proposal are invited, for further information, visit Council's website and click Have Your Say from the homepage. There will be an opportunity for any person wishing to speak to their written submission at a meeting of the Submissions Committee scheduled to be held on Wednesday 3 May.

Please call 5232 9400 or ing@colacotway.vic.gov.au with any enquiries.

### Expressions of Interest - Lease of the Lake Colac Holiday Park

A fantastic opportunity is currently open to lease the land known as Lake Colac Holiday Park at 51 Fyans Street, Colac. One of the main visitor accommodation sites in Colac, the Lake Colac Holiday Park is located on the foreshore of Lake Colac, beside the Botanic Gardens and boat ramp, and is only a short walk to the Colac CBD.

Colac Otway Shire Council have allocated up to \$500,000 to capital upgrades at the Park and are seeking a well credentialed proponent who can develop and operate a successful caravan/holiday park business contributing to the towns growing tourism industry.

A copy of the Expression of Interest documents can be downloaded from Council's website at <u>www.eprocure.com.au/colacotway</u>

Expressions of Interest close at 2pm, 26 April 2023. Submissions may be lodged in the Electronic Tender Box only. Late, posted or emailed Expressions of Interest will not be considered.



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Colac Otway Shire Council is seeking quotes from suitable suppliers for the supply of a 3 point linkage tow behind/pull along mower that is compatible with a 6110 John Deere tractor.

A copy of the quotation documents can be downloaded from Council's website at <a href="http://www.eprocure.com.au/colacotway">www.eprocure.com.au/colacotway</a>

Tenders close at 2pm Wednesday 12 April 2023. All submissions and enquiries must be lodged using the e-procure portal only. Late, posted or emailed tenders will not be considered.

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