

AN INVITATION - HARPARARY BRIDGE OPENING

The Narrabri Shire community are invited to attend the Official Opening of the Harparary Bridge at 2:00pm, Thursday 30 June 2016. The new two lane bridge replaces an aging one lane timber bridge and was joint funded by the Federal Government's Bridges Renewal Program (\$1.65M) and the Voluntary Planning Agreement contribution from Boggabri Coal Pty Ltd(\$1.65M).

The opening of this bridge is significant for local residents, providing a vital link over the river used by many rural-based families in Maules Creek to avoid the longer detour around Tarriaro. The bridge integrates into key freight networks and has allowed the road to be upgraded to a B-double and Road Train route assisting with the transportation of agricultural products and machinery.

The bridge will be officially opened by Federal Member for Parkes, Mark Coulton MP who will be accompanied by State Member for Barwon, Kevin Humphries MP. Council welcomes all local residents and interested parties to attend this occasion and help commemorate the bridges opening.



THE GREEN RIVER

Council's Weeds Section has received various enquiries about the green weed growing in parts of the River.

This plant is Azolla; a native water fern of the Salviniaceae family which provides food for fish, birds and insects, fixes atmospheric nitrogen, can act as a biological mosquito control and discourages blue/green algae.

As it is not a noxious weed, Council will take no action to get rid of it. The weed thrives in stagnant water so a good flow in the river is the best remedy.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Policies on Public Exhibition

The following draft policy is currently on public exhibition for a period of 28 days:

- Restricted Assets (Internal) Policy.

Copies of the draft policy may be viewed at Council's Administration Building during business hours or viewed on Council's website www.narrabri.nsw.gov.au.

Submissions will be received up to 5.00pm on Tuesday 28 June, 2016. If the submission is by way of an objection, the objection must be clearly stated. Subject to no submissions being received, the Restricted Assets (Internal) Policy will come into effect from 1 July, 2016.

Bellata Caravan Park

Narrabri Shire Council hereby advertises the intent to reclassify Community Land, Lots 1-7 of Section 14 in Deposited Plan 758081, formerly the site of the Bellata Caravan Park, to become Operational Land.

Submissions will be received up to 5.00pm Friday 30 June, 2016. If the submission is by way of an objection, the objection must be clearly stated. For information, contact Council on (02) 6799 6866 or email council@narrabri.nsw.gov.au.

Quotation for the Provision of Labour and Materials for the Construction of the Boggabri Heritage Walk Paved Footpath

Quotations are invited and will be received up until 4:00pm on Thursday 23 June,

2016 for Contract No. 2015-16/11 for the Provision of Labour and Materials for the Construction of the Boggabri Heritage Walk Paved Footpath.

To receive quotation documents, including quotation forms, and for any further information please contact Council Administration Officer, Emma Gould, on (02) 6799 6854 during office hours.

The canvassing of Councillors or Council staff, at any time, in respect of this quotation will disqualify a company from quoting.

The lowest or any quotation not necessarily accepted.

Gwabegar Bushfire Community Protection Plan Community Consultation Event

When: Thursday, 16 June, 2016

Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Where: Gwabegar Community Link Centre

Who: All interested residents

Why: An opportunity for Gwabegar locals to view and provide input into bushfire mitigation plans for the immediate area to ensure they meet the communities needs.

There will be a short talk commencing at 5:30pm on how the plan is developed. This will be followed by a free sausage sizzle. The Rural Fire Service and other land management agency staff will be on hand to discuss any bushfire related issues residents may have.

Enquiries to Dan Gibson
daniel.gibson@rfs.nsw.gov.au
Ph (02) 6691 0400

Wee Waa Microchipping Day

Saturday, 30 July 2016

\$10 per animal (Cash Only)

TIME: 9am - 1pm
LOCATION: Dangar Park, Wee Waa
FURTHER INFO: Phone (02) 6799 6858

All are welcome. Please ensure dogs are on a leash at all times and cats are kept in a cat carrier or on a leash. Please ensure you clean up after your animals.

