

Designs Progress for Mirboo North Outdoor Pool

South Gippsland Shire Council endorsed the Mirboo North Outdoor Pool Masterplan at its meeting yesterday to progress the development of detailed designs this year.

Council has allocated significant funds in its future budgets to deliver the outcomes of the masterplan.

The development of the masterplan was the first step in planning for future capital works at the pool.

A considerable amount of community consultation was completed as part of the masterplan works including community surveys, presentations and meetings with the Friends of the Mirboo North Pool Committee and further distribution in local papers, Council's website and social media.

The completion of the masterplan allows for the commencement of the detailed design process and provides the opportunity for Council to seek funding from other levels of government.

South Gippsland Shire Council's Director Sustainable Communities and Infrastructure Anthony Seabrook said it was great to see the masterplans finished and that the next stage of the project could commence.

"The completion of the masterplan for the Mirboo North outdoor pool has been much anticipated by the local community.

"It has been fantastic seeing the Mirboo North community provide their vision of the much loved asset and influencing the future works at the site.

"We also wish to thank the Friends of the Mirboo North Pool Committee who worked hard to receive this community feedback through community surveys," said Mr Seabrook.

The next step in delivering the outcomes of the masterplan is to release a tender for the detailed design works and quantity surveyor costs.

A tender for the detailed design of the works and quantity surveyor costs will be released in May 2017.

To see the endorsed masterplan please visit Council's website at www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/mirboonorthpool.

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