

Population Growth and Land Supply Study Released

South Gippsland Shire Council accepted the Population Growth and Land Supply Study at its meeting this week. The study aims to support planning for future population growth in South Gippsland, in particular the expected projection to 2031. It starts by showing how our towns have grown decade by decade since 1900 giving an interesting historical perspective.

Data has been provided for the whole South Gippsland area with further detailed analysis for 18 towns and case studies of local residents through interactive maps, charts and community profiles.

South Gippsland Shire Mayor Councillor Lorraine Brunt was pleased to have the study available for assistance with future decision making.

“Council is aware that all of our decision making must reflect the needs of our community not only now but for our future.

“The Population Growth and Land Supply Study will be used as a resource for Council’s future decision making to ensure we are meeting expected future demand.

“It is fascinating to see what’s anticipated for our region into the future. The community will also be able to use the study as a resource for any relevant research.

“Having spent some time looking at the information on the website, I think that there’s something there for everyone. It’s very interesting,” said the Mayor.

Those wanting to view the Population Growth and Land Supply Study are encouraged to visit Council’s website: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/populationandlandsupplystudy

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