

LOCAL LAW AMENDMENT CANCELLED

At its 18 December 2019 Ordinary Meeting, Council unanimously voted to adopt the following:

"That Council:

1. Discontinues the consultation process for General Local Law (Amendment 1 of 2019) at 5.00pm on 18 December 2019;
2. Gives notice in the Government Gazette and Public Notice in Council's Noticeboard section of the local newspapers stating that council has discontinued the statutory procedures pursuant to s.119 and s.223 of the *Local Government Act 1989* regarding General Local Law (Amendment 1 of 2019);
3. Revisits the review of the General Local Law at an appropriate time within 12 months of its sunset in April 2024.
4. Any future review considers feedback obtained during this community consultation period
5. Refers the council resolution of the ordinary meeting of council 19 December 2018 on the 24 hour cat curfew and leash order to the future review of the General Local Law.
6. Writes to all those who made submissions and lodged petitions to inform them of council's decision; and
7. Endorses the continued application of the current General Local Law (2014)."

South Gippsland Shire hereby confirms the continued application of the current General Local Law (2014).

IMMUNISATION SESSIONS

Foster: Tuesday 7 January (10.00-10.30am):

War Memorial Arts Centre

Leongatha: Tuesday 7 January (12.30-1.30pm):

Uniting Church Hall

Mirboo North: Wednesday 8 January (9.00-9.30am):

Maternal and Child Health Centre

Korumburra: Wednesday 8 January (11.30am-12.00pm):

Karmai Community Children's Centre

CHRISTMAS CLOSURE

Council offices will be closed from midday 24 December until 8.30am on Thursday 2 January 2020. Emergencies: Phone 5662 9200 (24/7) for urgent Council matters eg. livestock General emergencies: 000.

Tourism: Foster Visitor Information Centre: 7 days a week, 9.00am – 5.00pm. (www.visitpromcountry.com.au)
Coal Creek: 7 days a week, 10.00am - 4.30pm.
Leongatha Information Centre, Memorial Hall: 7 days a week, variable hours. Phone 5662 2111.
(All closed Christmas Day).

Maternal and Child Health: Centres are open (except public holidays) but limited to Key Ages and Stages checks. Appointments required. For support, call 13 22 29. If you or your child is unwell, seek advice from your GP or nearest hospital emergency unit. Council and community playgroups do not run during school holidays. Go to www.playgroup.org.au to find details for your local group.

Waste Management: There will be no kerbside garbage, recycling and green waste collections conducted on Christmas Day. Properties scheduled for bin collections on Wednesday 25 December will be collected on Thursday 26 December. This affects properties in Bena, Dumbalk, Koonwarra, Loch, Meeniyan, Mirboo North, Nyora, Poowong and Tarwin. Transfer stations and the Koonwarra Landfill are closed on Christmas Day. Opening hours displayed at sites and on Council's website.

COASTAL STRATEGY PROJECT

The South Gippsland Coastal Strategy project is a proactive step to prepare our coast for future challenges. Have your say on the overview paper and background report at www.oursay.org/southgippsland/coastalstrategy
Join us at community sessions for further discussions on:
4 January: Port Welshpool Sea Days Festival 9.30-11.00am
Old Ferry Terminal, Lewis Street
10 January: 10.00-11.30am Stanley Street Park, Toora
12.30-2.00pm General Store, Yanakie

WORKS THIS WEEK *Weather permitting*

Tree requests: Whole Shire

Unsealed/ sealed road maintenance: Whole Shire

Street sweeping: Bena, Loch, Nyora, Korumburra, Leongatha, Mirboo North, Fish Creek, Waratah Bay, Sandy Point, Foster, Toora, Meeniyan, Port Welshpool, Port Franklin, Tarwin Lower, Venus Bay

Guardrail upgrade works: Hudsons Road, Leongatha South

WORKS WEEK BEGINNING 6 JANUARY

Unsealed road maintenance: Whole Shire

Sealed road stabilising maintenance: Boolarra – Foster, Road, Foster

Footpath extension: McKitterick Street, Meeniyan and Koala Drive, Koonwarra

Roadside slashing: Mardan

Amenities blocks building works: Baromi Park, Mirboo North

Refurbishment works: Fish Creek Kindergarten

Guardrail upgrade works: Hudsons Road, Leongatha South

Pool redevelopment: Mirboo North swimming pool

Sealed road drainage maintenance: Dollar Road, Dumbalk, Fairbank Road, Arawata

Gravel road resheeting: Dorans Road and Rathjens Road, Toora

LDNA netball court redevelopment: Leongatha Recreation Reserve

Tree uplifts: Harding Lawsons Road, Fish Creek and Blandfords Road, Berrys Creek

Unsealed road drainage maintenance: Hedley, Welshpool

Road rehabilitation works: Dyrings Road, Foster

Sealed road reseal preparation: Nicholls Road, Mirboo North and Leongatha North Road, Leongatha North