

South Gippsland Shire Council News **Applications Open for COVID-19 Community Grants!**

In order to support our community groups during this time Council has opened a COVID-19 Community Grants and a Community Support Program.

The COVID-19 Community Grants will provide funding to support the delivery of community and creative projects that will help the community to respond to and recover from the impacts of COVID-19. Funding of up to \$1,000 (ex GST) per applicant/group is available.

The COVID-19 Community Support Program offers funding support for suitable community and not-for-profit organisations through grants including:

- Community Adaptation and Participation Grant (\$15,000)
- Technology Support Grant (\$15,000)
- Quick Response Grants (\$20,000)
- Community Connection Grant (\$50,000)

Both funding streams aim to help our community organisations keep operating and respond and recover and promote community connection and social inclusion.

For further details on the eligibility and to apply please visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/covidsafe



COVID19 Community Grants and **Support Program**

Grants provide funding for the delivery of projects and activities that will support our region to respond to, and recover from, the impacts of COVID-19.

Community groups, clubs, service providers and not-for-profit organisations are encouraged to review the criteria and submit an application.

To find out more, please visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/covidsupport

Applications open 1 August and close when funding is exhausted.

COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday 26 August 2020 (Meeting No.448) 2.00pm

Whilst COVID-19 Pandemic restrictions are in force, access to the live stream will be the 'open' component of this meeting.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Expressions of Interest to present to and submit questions to Council are still invited. During the COVID-19 restrictions Council has adapted its usual open sessions, the Council Business Team will make contact with those parties who register an Expression of Interest. View details at www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/councilmeetings

Please contact the Council Business Team on 5662 9200 should you require assistance with any aspect of Council Meetings.

IMPOUNDING VEHICLES

Council impounded the following vehicles in accordance with Schedule 11 of the *Local Government Act 1989* on 24 July from Mary Street, Loch:

1994 White Mitsubishi Utility JMFMJ3M20RJ014368 2004 Silver Holden Sedan 6G1ZK52735L368635

Unless the vehicles are collected and relevant fees paid within 14 days of the date of this notice, the vehicles will be offered for sale to the public.

For enquiries, please contact Local Laws on 5662 9200 during office hours.

LET'S STAY CONNECTED FUND

The Victorian Government is helping communities to stay connected during the COVID-19 pandemic and beyond with the Let's Stay Connected Fund.

The fund provides grants between \$5,000 and \$200,000 to support community-led initiatives. For more information visit:

djpr.vic.gov.au/what-we-do/precincts-suburbs-andregions/lets-stay-connected

VICTORIA TOGETHER

Although South Gippsland is not under the Stage Three restrictions like metropolitan Melbourne many of us will still be staying home more than usual.

Victoria Together shares some of the best music, entertainment, nature and art our state has to offer to get us through this time. Because even though we're at home - we're in this together: www.together.vic.gov.au

WORKS THIS WEEK

To see a list of works that Council will be undertaking this week, please visit our website: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/works

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