

South Gippsland Shire Council News Making Progress with COVID-19 Support

Last week Council adopted Phase Two of the COVID-19 Community Support Program to extend our support to the community during this difficult time.

As the new phase of support is beginning to roll out we thought this would be a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the progress made so far for recovery.

During Phase One of the \$2M COVID-19 Community Support Package:

- Over 816 subsidised flu vaccinations have been administered
- Community Restarter packages, which include hand sanitiser and dispensers, are being delivered to community groups across the Shire
- 83 businesses have received financial

assistance through the COVID-19
Business Grants program and
600 businesses will benefit through the
refund or waiver of business registration
fees

- Many groups have already taken advantage of the COVID-19 Community Grants which are still open
- 93 per cent of local invoices were paid within 14 days in July. An increase from 76 per cent in June

To see what level of support you may be eligible for in upcoming support phases please check:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/covidsupport



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.

Whilst COVID-19 pandemic restrictions are in force, Council Meetings will be conducted virtually and access to the live stream will be the 'open' component of Council Meetings.

Please contact the Council Business team should you require assistance with any aspect of Council Meetings.

COUNCIL MEETING (Virtual)

Wednesday 23 September 2020 (Meeting No.449) 2.00pm

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST TO PRESENT TO AND SUBMIT QUESTIONS TO COUNCIL

Expressions of Interest to present to and submit questions to Council are still invited. During the COVID-19 restrictions Council have adapted its usual open sessions, the Council Business Team will make contact with those parties who register an Expression of Interest.

Refer to our website:

www.southgipps land.vic.gov.au/council meetings

IMPOUNDED VEHICLES

Council impounded the following vehicles on 20 and 24 August from Smith Street, Leongatha and Whitworths Road, Korumburra South respectively: 1991 Red Mitsubishi Sedan 6MMTR3D41MA016232 2001 White Holden Station Wagon RJX678 6H8VXK35A2L787152

Unless the vehicles are collected and relevant fees paid within 14 days of this notice, the vehicles will be offered for public sale. For enquiries, please contact Local Laws.

SALE OF IMPOUNDED VEHICLE

Council impounded the following vehicle on 29 July from Cross Road, Leongatha South:

1998 Brown Holden Sedan 1HD4KV 6H8VTK69HWL324029

As this vehicle has not been collected and relevant fees paid within 14 days of impoundment, it will now be offered for public sale. Offers marked 'Abandoned Vehicle' and addressed to Coordinator Local Laws, South Gippsland Shire Council, Private Bag 4, Leongatha VIC 3953 are invited to purchase and remove the vehicle. Offers close at 2.00pm on Friday 18 September. The vehicle can be viewed at the Council Depot in Yarragon Road, Leongatha by appointment with Local Laws. The highest or any offer will not necessarily be accepted.

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

TENDER

Council is seeking submissions from qualified companies/applicants for the following:
RFT/266 - Detailed design and documentation for Leongatha Early Learning Centre

Tenders close 2.00pm AEST on Tuesday 22 September 2020. Documentation is available from Council's e-Tendering Portal:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders

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Please note: Our customer service centre is currently closed due to COVID-19. Payments are not available to be taken over the phone at this time. BPAY and online payments are still available.