



South Gippsland
Shire Council

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Have Your Say: Coastal Strategy Round Two

A draft Coastal Strategy has been developed and is out now for engagement.

The Strategy outlines how Council will respond to the management of our coastline including work to identify and mitigate coastal hazards in order to protect our coastal communities and environment.

The first round of community consultation ran between December 2022 and February 2023 and attracted feedback from 770 people. Feedback was submitted both online and through face-to-face pop-up events in Port Welshpool, Toora, Sandy Point, Venus Bay, Tarwin Lower and the Stony Creek Racecourse.

Now, we look to our community once again to let us know if the draft Strategy

reflects community feedback and expectations.

In the draft Strategy, there are a mix of 22 short-, medium- and long-term actions. All of these have been carefully selected based on what actions we must take to keep our community safe, whilst understanding the opportunities these areas create for tourism.

It also details how we can work with our community and key stakeholders along the way.

To read the draft Coastal Strategy and provide your feedback, please visit:

yoursay.southgippsland.vic.gov.au

Feedback closes **Sunday 6 August 2023**.

Hard Waste Collection Bookings



Bookings are now open for the annual hard waste collection service.

This provides residents with a convenient way to dispose of hard rubbish, particularly if they are unable to attend a transfer station themselves.

All residents are eligible to receive one collection at a fee of \$150 per property. A reduced rate of \$53 applies for pension card holders.

Bookings close in August.

To book, please go to:
www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/hardwaste

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday 16 August 2.00pm
(Council Chambers, Leongatha)

Dates are also listed on Council's website at:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-dates

To watch the 'open' part of the meeting live or when it suits you, visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live

Please contact the Governance Team for questions about Council Meetings.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for a new job? We might have the perfect position for you!

Check out our current vacant positions here: **www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/vacantpositions**

SANDY POINT AND VENUS BAY PATHS & TRAILS

Are you a resident of Sandy Point or Venus Bay? Or do you visit often, have a business or own a holiday home?

Building on feedback we heard through the Coastal Strategy engagement, we're keen to hear from our community on road safety and possible pedestrian and bike path locations in these two coastal towns.

We have already had an amazing response, but we would love to hear more!

Feedback closes **Friday 28 July** and can be provided by visiting:

yoursay.southgippsland.vic.gov.au

STRZELECKI WARD COUNCILLOR CATCH UPS

On site 'Councillor Catch Ups' are back!

Mayor Hersey along with Councillors Felton and Keerie are providing opportunities for locals in their Ward to come and have a chat about what might be affecting them.

So far, there have been opportunities in Loch, Meenyan and Kongwak, with two more scheduled. These are:

- **Friday 11 August 12.00pm to 1.30pm:**
Poowong Hall.
- **Friday 11 August 2.00pm to 3.00pm:**
Nyora General Store.

No need to book, just come along and say 'hello'!

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