

# **COUNCIL COLUMN - WEDNESDAY 17 JULY 2024**

## **NEXT COUNCIL MEETING**

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 17 July 2024 at** Council Chambers commencing at 5.30 pm.

## **NEW DATE ADVISED - PRE-ELECTION CANDIDATE SESSION**

Join an informative webinar with **Peter Tegart** from Local Government NSW. This webinar will be suitable for anyone interested in running as a candidate for the upcoming Local Government Elections on 14 September.

**Date:** Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024 **Time:** 5:00 pm – 8:30 pm Via Webinar

To register, please email your interest to <a href="mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au">mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</a> and mark the subject line: **Register Candidate Briefing Session July 2024** and supply your name and phone number or give Council a call on 6889 9999. For more information about running as a candidate, please visit: <a href="https://www.elections.nsw.gov.au">www.elections.nsw.gov.au</a>

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS

NSW Local Government Elections will be held on **Saturday**, **14 September 2024**. All information in respect to these elections can be found by visiting NSW Electoral Commission website at: <a href="https://www.elections.nsw.gov.au">www.elections.nsw.gov.au</a>

# CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES PUBLIC NOTICE - BURRAWAY STREET

Council is currently undertaking works at the corner of Burraway Street and Manildra Street to create a sealed area for light vehicles and enhance road safety. The project is expected to be completed by the end of August, pending favourable weather conditions.

#### DANDALOO STREET RAIL CROSSING & PEDESTRIAN ACCESS

ARTC is finalising the upgrade to Dandaloo Street, Narromine level crossing by completing work on the concrete pedestrian crossing. Work is scheduled to take place on **Monday 29th July 2024 from 7:00 am - 6:00 pm**. The southbound lane on Dandaloo St between Burraway St and Derribong Ave and the eastern concrete pedestrian crossing will be closed. Traffic control will be in place and there may be slight delays at peak times.

# **PUBLIC NOTICE - DUNDAS PARK PUBLIC TOILETS**

Council is commencing work on the Dundas Park Public Toilets. The first step involves installing a sewer main along Mingelo Street from Tuesday 16th July. There may be some traffic control in the area during the construction period.

### **ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY**

All road updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for **all NSW roads including Narromine Shire Council's roads please** visit <a href="www.livetraffic.com/">www.livetraffic.com/</a>

Up to date road closures and information is Council's website or by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to <a href="https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions">www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions</a>

All motorists are reminded not to drive through floodwaters and to drive to the conditions of the road. Water that is covering roadways may be deeper and flowing faster than anticipated and/or the road may have suffered extensive damage hidden beneath the water. Flagrant and irresponsible disregard for this appeal could lead to prosecution to the full extent of the law. In life threatening situations call 000 (Triple Zero) for emergency help in floods call the NSW SES on 132 500.

### **PUBLIC NOTICE - OVERGROWN VEGETATION**

Council is receiving complaints about overgrown vegetation on vacant, residential, and commercial land. Overgrown allotments can become breeding grounds for vermin and pose significant fire hazards due to the dense grasses, weeds, and other vegetation. Council is urging all property owners and occupiers in Narromine, Trangie and Tomingley to actively reduce vegetation on their premises. If you can't manage it yourself, there are local businesses and contractors available to assist you. For any enquiries about overgrown land, please contact Council's Health, Building, and Environmental Services Team at 6889 9999.

## **REGISTER AND MICROCHIP YOUR PET**

There are legal requirements to microchip your pets by a certain age, but did you know you also have to register your pets? Registering your pets can give you the ability to assign and update your pets' details if you move addresses, change contact details or in the case of a change of ownership.

Working dogs do need to be microchipped and registered, though registration is at no charge. Find out more about keeping your best mate safe by visiting: https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/microchipping-lifetime-registration

# **PUBLIC NOTICE - ACQUISTION OF LAND**

On 26th June 2024 Narromine Shire Council resolved:

That the land described as Lots **227 and 228 DP 755131** and **Lot 1 DP 249020** (36 Jones Circuit) be classified as operational land following acquisition by Narromine Shire Council in accordance with Part 2, Division 1, Section 31 of the Local Government Act 1993. (2024/108). Note that this land will become operational to allow for the development of residential land.

**Written submissions regarding this resolution** are welcome and can be addressed to: The General Manager, Narromine Shire Council, PO Box 115, Narromine NSW 2821. Submissions can be made prior to 5pm on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2024.

## WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NARROMINE REGION

27 July - Macquarie Picnic Races, Trangie

**8 August** – Annual Veteran's Open Golf Tournament

25 August - Narromine Gold Cup

31 August - Narromine Show

7 September – Outdoor Cinema feat Top Gun Maverick Narromine Aeroclub

14 September – NSW Local Government Elections

21 & 22 September – NSW Veterans Men's Sand Green Fourball

**6 October** – Mungery Picnic Races

**12 October** – Narromine Dolly Festival

19 October – Dandy Cup

To list your event and to find out more about what is on in the Narromine Region, visit https://www.narromineregion.com.au/calendar

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