

Community Consultation Meeting

Action List

Coolah

Minute / ACTION Required	Directorate	Progress	Status
Coolah			
11 April 2022 – Round 2 2021/2022			
<p>1. Coolah Lions Club garden beside light pole McMaster Park</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to investigate appropriate maintenance of McMaster Park gardens.</p>	DTS	<p>23.05.22 - Maintenance including irrigation to be improved.</p> <p>07.07.22 – New maintenance regime developed.</p>	Completed
<p>2. Coolah Tourist Park and Home Base Flooding</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to investigate the condition of town drains leading to the Coolaburragundy River.</p>	DTS	<p>23.05.22 - Condition assessment of all stormwater systems underway. Condition of these drains to be inspected and addressed if required.</p> <p>28.10.22 – Drains inspected. The inspection revealed that the drains were clear and allowing water to flow. Therefore no further action was taken. With subsequent rain events, council staff will continue to monitor the drains and take any necessary action should they become blocked.</p>	Completed
<p>5. Public Lands Planning Proposal</p> <p>Concerns were raised about Plans and Policies on the Council website.</p> <p>ACTION: DCCS to review the display of Council Policies and Plans to one common webpage.</p>	DCCS	<p>07.07.22 – Policies and Plans/Strategies being consolidated to one central location on website.</p>	In progress
3 November 2021 – Round1 2021/2022			
<p>21. Kathy Rindfleish would like an update regarding the rocks out the front of the school.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to follow up with staff.</p>	DTS	<p>20.01.22 – Manager Urban Services made enquiries. Still unresolved.</p> <p>01.03.22 – Followed up with staff to have rocks removed.</p> <p>23.05.22 – Trialling installation of turf to address the situation.</p> <p>22.08.22 – Turf has been laid and is holding</p>	Completed

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<p>2. Update after traffic committee meeting on unbroken double white lines at turn off Coolah Sport & Recreation Ground</p> <p>DTS advised that the committee proposes advance notice signs rather than changing double white unbroken lines.</p> <p>Community says the area is high risk and want culvert widened to make turning out of the driveway easier as usage of the site is increasing, as is the risk. DTS advised Community to start with big advance notice signs and feedback on effectiveness.</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to arrange discussion at the Traffic Committee meeting with issues of slipway and culvert extension.</p>	DTS	<p>28.06.21 – Advance notice signs installed. Survey and assessment of intersection layout included on program for Design Team. 06.10.21 – Survey and assessment has been programmed to be undertaken. 04.03.22 – Surveying programmed for March 2022. 23.05.22 – No further update. Will follow up to see what discussion occurred at Traffic Committee. 12.08.22 – Traffic Committee determined no change to original resolution. Survey identified that AustRoads standards have been met. No further action proposed.</p>	Completed
<p>4. Item 6 – Road issues across the Shire</p> <p>Greg Piper passed on thanks to guys working for last couple of weeks but some things had not been done. Greg questioned Council policy to not seek consultation with road users and suggested that Council workers should contact local road users and residents before coming to work on the road.</p> <p>DTS advised that recent work was emergency work and more work to be done. Best to talk to the supervisor rather than the grader operator.</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to investigate work that has not been addressed and put it into the schedule.</p>	DTS	<p>28.06.21 – Onsite discussion with Greg Piper regarding three locations on Moorefield Road is yet to be arranged. 23.05.22 – Meeting with Greg Piper to be arranged in next month. 01.08.22 – It is not practicable for Council to consult residents every time they do work on the road though we will consult on major projects such as gravel resheeting or sealed road rehabilitations. Council is still in the process of finalising natural disaster recovery funding for this road. It is not known at this stage when we will have an update on this funding outcome.</p>	In Progress

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<p>14. Budget 2021/22 CFO referred to the draft budget which was adopted by Council on 15 April 2021 and is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • currently on exhibition and open for comment via the “Have Your Say” page on Council website or via mail. • it can be viewed on Council Website or Council offices in Coonabarabran and Coolah. • there is a 3 part operational plan and a revenue policy which includes fees and charges: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 2% increase in General rates + catch up of below 1% ○ increase to water charges by 15% ○ increase to sewerage charge by 5% ○ increase to waste charge 2% <p>Budget summary page requested by Greg Piper</p> <p>ACTION: DCCS to investigate releasing a budget summary page for rate payers information in an easy to read format.</p>	CCS	07.07.22 – the Operational Plan ‘Introduction’ contains a budget summary and ‘at a glance’ graphic.	Completed
29 October 2020 – Round 1 2020/2021			
<p>3. Cameron Place Cul de sac drainage issues</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to look into stronger surface work at the cul de sac.</p>	TS	<p>26.03.21 – Not yet investigated. 20.01.22 – Site was investigated. Survey and design programmed. 01.03.22 – A permanent solution to the problem is unlikely to achieve a suitable cost/benefit ratio. Community submission made to the draft budget. 23.05.22 – Submission to budget not accepted. No funding to carry out drainage and reconstruction of cul de sac.</p>	Completed

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<p>4. Evacuation Centres DTS advised evacuation centres for Coolah are listed on Council website with other information on emergency planning. Sports Club, Local school and CYCC potential evacuation centres. Police are auditing numbers due to COVID.</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to raise Rec ground as a potential evacuation centre with LEMC.</p>	TS	<p>26.03.21 – The Local Emergency Management Committee is reviewing the capacity of evacuation centres.</p> <p>28.1.22 – Review of evacuation centres incomplete. To be raised at next LEMC meeting on 28 February 2022.</p> <p>01.03.22 – Issue raised at LEMC meeting on 28 February 2022. Review of all evacuation centres will be programmed.</p> <p>23.05.22 – LEMC review of evacuation centres in progress. Recreation ground has been listed as potential site.</p>	Completed
<p>5. Libraries Survey Cr Capel asked can we have that on facebook and have your say page on website?</p> <p>ACTION: Library survey to be available online</p>	CCS	09.08.21 - Macquarie Regional Library to provide link to survey for future surveys so it can be placed on Council website and social media.	Completed
16 March 2020 – Round 2 2019/2020			
<p>7 Carol Richards notes an email from Mr Roy Cameron who advised that there were flood gauges and is asking if the water gauge is still on the Coolaburragundy River? DTS advised that this was not council responsibility. There are gauging stations that are automatic.</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to enquire if gauges are operational.</p>	TS	<p>22.01.22 – Followed up with Bureau of Meteorology to check if gauges are operational. No response at the time of writing.</p> <p>01.03.22 – No response from Bureau of Meteorology to date.</p> <p>23.05.22 – Sent a follow up request to Bureau of Meteorology.</p> <p>07.07.22 – No response from Bureau of Meteorology to date.</p> <p>12.08.22 – No response from Bureau of Meteorology to date.</p>	In Progress