## Community Consultation Meeting

**ACTION List** 

Mendooran

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31 October 2022 – Round 1 2022/2023			
3. Temporary signage at the intersection of Frederick Road and Yarrow Road No Through Road needs to be moved to the intersection not just at the top of the creek as it makes it hard for vehicles to turn around. ACTION: DTS advised that there will be no objections to placing a sign up at the intersection.	TS	05.01.23 – Signs to be relocated when staff are next in the area. 17.02.2023 – This needs a new No Through Road sign on Yarrow Road at the intersection with Fredrick Road. To be discussed with the Traffic Advisory Committee. Road closed signs cannot be moved to the intersection because there are property access points in this area.	In Progress
5. Damaged signage opposite Royal Hotel, Mendooran Community members asked to have the sign moved north as it keeps getting bent and hit. DTS advised that Transport for NSW (TfNSW) will be responsible for this sign as it is on a state highway. ACTION: DTS advised Council will talk to TfNSW to move the sign.	TS	<ul><li>05.01.23 – TfNSW have been advised.</li><li>17.02.23 – TfNSW have been notified and sign will be replaced.</li></ul>	Completed
11. Merrygoen Causeway on Yarrow Road, Mendooran (Jodie Sams and Allison Martin) Community members advised that as bus operators they would like assist Council with liasing with TfNSW regarding Frederick Road or Yarrow Road. DTS advised that Council will work with bus operators and provide support to move forward on this issue. Also would like Council to look at the causeway on Frederick Road as there is a 2m drop without a guard rail, very unsafe for a very narrow road. ACTION: DTS will inspect the causeway on Frederick Road.	TS	05.01.23 – Causeway to be inspected.  17.02.23 – Causeway has been inspected.	Completed

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15. Mechanics Institute Hall – fluorescent lighting (Jenny Lloyd) ACTION: DTS advised that Council will look at the replacement of the fluorescent lights in the Mechanics Institute Hall.	TS	13.01.23 – Lights to be replaced as required. Inspection scheduled for late January 2023. 17.02.23 – Inspection rescheduled to February 2023. 22.03.23 - Lights were inspected on 22.03.23. Of the nine lights, one is not working and will be repaired. Staff are looking at options to relocate light switches to the entry area, from the current location up the stairs. A program for the replacement of the eight fluorescent lights will be considered then.	Complete
<ul> <li>26 Bus stop at 564 Mendooran Road         5km towards Coonabarabran there needs to be more gravel placed where the bus pulls off the road as it is far to boggy to pull off the road, making it unsafe for the bus.     </li> <li>ACTION: DTS – Council will consider placing gravel where the bus pulls off the road at 564 Mendooran Road.</li> </ul>	TS	05.01.23 – As this is a State Road, to be discussed with TfNSW. 17.02.23 – Matter raised with TfNSW.	In Progress
28 Bus stop at the cemetery Report large drop of both sides at the bus pulls off.  ACTION: DTS to report to TfNSW the unsafe bus drop off areas at the Mendooran	TS	05.01.23 – As this is a State Road, to be discussed with TfNSW. 17.02.23 – Matter raised with TfNSW. 22.03.23 – Repairs planned to be carried out in April 2023.	In Progress

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4 April 2022 – Round 2 2021/2022			
Footpath 70 Bandulla Street Mendooran  ACTION: DTS to organise temporary repair to footpath at 70 Bandulla Street Mendooran and investigate a permanent solution to fix footpath.	TS	23.05.22 – Temporary repair to be programmed. Permanent solution work to be carried out in 2022/23 financial year.  13.10.22 – Works to be programmed in conjunction with other footpath works in Mendooran.  13.01.23 – Budget bid for \$15,000 in 2023/24 Operational Plan has been submitted.  17.02.23 – Awaiting outcome of operational plan submission.	In progress

April 2022 – Round 2 2021/2022			
2. Frances Street Mendooran road conditions and water		23.05.22 – Site meeting to be	In progress
		arranged to determine cost of works.	
DTS advised the issue is not a simple fix and a scope of works with a		07.07.22 - The road has been	
cost estimate would be needed for a permanent fix.		inspected and repairs will be	
· ·		completed when resources are	
<b>ACTION:</b> DTS to liaise with Mr Chapman to detail concerns over		available and the site is dry enough to	
Frances Street Mendooran.		get equipment onto the road.	
	TC	12.10.22 – A further inspection has	
	TS	been completed and to address the	
		issue extensive drainage works is	
		required. These works are currently	
		unfunded.	
		05.01.23 – Budget submission to be	
		prepared. Low priority.	
		17.02.23 – Awaiting outcome of	
		operational plan submission	

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25 October 2021 – Round 1 2021/2022			
7 Bandulla Street  ACTION: A/DTS to arrange inspection of the kerbside gutters and parking spaces in Bandulla Street, Mendooran for damage and hazards caused by tree roots	TS	20.01.22 – Inspection carried out. Work to be priced and prioritised. 03.03.22 – To address the hazards will require the removal of the trees and rehabilitation of road pavement. This will require significant expenditure outside of the available maintenance budgets. A comprehensive plan for the main street developed in consultation with the community is considered desirable 23.05.22 – Requested priority listing from community still not received. Removal of trees and rehabilitation of pavement to be done in association with TfNSW when they repair the highway. Awaiting their advice. Likely to be in 2022/23 financial year. 12.08.22 – No update received from TfNSW.	Complete

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7 Bandulla Street (cont)  ACTION: A/DTS to arrange inspection of the kerbside gutters and parking spaces in Bandulla Street, Mendooran for damage and hazards caused by tree roots	TS	13.10.22 – The highway through town has been inspected by TfNSW and Council staff. The works will include the replacement of the water pipe under the damaged section, heavy patching of the highway (owned by TfNSW), the rehabilitation of some of the shoulder to the kerb (Council owned) and tree replacement. Funding is still to be confirmed for Council's contribution for the shoulder to kerb road repairs and sealing as it is not in this year's budget. It may be necessary to delay the resealing of other streets in Mendooran to fund these works.  13.01.23 – This work is being planned to be carried out in April 2023 17.02.23 – Work to commence on 20 February 2023.  08.03.23 – Works expected to be completed in March 2023. 05.04.23 – Recent project works in Mendooran have removed the tree roots and the road has been resurfaced. Works completed apart from the road marking. Awaiting contractor.	Complete

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<ul> <li>22. Vacant Land         DEDS advised that, following a Notice of Motion by Cr Todd at the October 2021 Council Meeting, Council is encouraging owners of vacant blocks to consider offering them for sale.     </li> <li>ACTION: GM to provide information on when Council will hold sale of land for unpaid rates.</li> </ul>	DCCS	27.01.22 – Preparatory work for sale being undertaken. No timeline yet set. 05.04.23 – Auctioned planned for sale of land for overdue rates in November 2023.	In Progress
26 April 2021 – Round 2 2020/2021			
7 Yarrow Road, efforts to open ACTION: DTS to organise removal of sand, install signage and reopen road.	TS	08.04.21 – Council not permitted to remove blockage downstream. The local member has been approached requesting that the relevant state agencies carry out their responsibilities with respect to the waterway.  23.06.21 – Sand removed. Permanent sign plan being reviewed.  03.03.22 – Yarrow Road will not be able to be opened until the relevant state agencies agree to carry out their responsibilities with respect to the waterway. A permanent solution such as a box culvert will not meet a suitable cost/benefit ratio given that there is an alternate route.  23.05.22 – Sand on causeway removed however this has not fixed the problem as further work required in the creek which is the responsibility of the Crown.	In Progress

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7 Yarrow Road, efforts to open (cont)  ACTION: DTS to organise removal of sand, install signage and reopen road.	TS	Still awaiting advice from Crown agencies on what they plan to do. 01.08.22 – Council has discussed matter with Crown Lands on 15 July and are waiting on their formal report before proceeding further. 12.10.22 – Report to October Council meeting. It is recommended that the causeway is permanently closed as there is no financially feasible options to address the issue. 20.10.22 – Council Resolution 111/2223  Resolved that Council:  1. Takes no further action to improve access across the Merrygoen Creek causeway on Yarrow Road, Mendooran.  2. Informs the residents of Mendooran that Council is unable to provide a safe and dry access across the causeway that is affordable by the Shire at this time.  3. Further assesses and considers options as the weather conditions change and the conditions of the Creek improve.	In progress

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7 Yarrow Road, efforts to open (cont)  ACTION: DTS to organise removal of sand, install signage and reopen road.	TS	4. Supports the Department of Planning and Environment seeking an expression of interest for the licencing of sand extraction from the site.  05.01.23 – Department of Planning and Environment have been written to.  17.02.2023 – Causeway continues to be inspected regularly with the last inspection completed on 07.02.2023 and it was still impassable.  04.04.23 – Causeway inspected on again 24 March 2023. Crown Lands have advised that an expression of interest for the commercial extraction of sand will be advertised in the coming months.	In progress