

Community Consultation Meeting

Action List

Dunedoo

Rd 2 2024/25

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24 March 2025 – Round 2 2024/2025			
<p>2. Update on Dunedoo public toilets maintenance (Cathy Bowman) Cathy Bowman enquired if Council can reinstate the heritage information from the back of the old door to the new door, once the new door is installed.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to investigate the possibility of reinstating the heritage information from the back of the old toilet door at Milling Park Dunedoo, onto the back of the new door, once the door is installed.</p>	TS	23.06.25 – Door delivery is expected shortly and installation will take place upon receipt.	In progress
<p>11. Removal of flood debris against the bridge on Lewis Lane. (Peter Colley) Peter Colley mentioned the bridge on Lewis Lane has had flood debris stacked against it for six months, and asked if the debris could be cleared.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to investigate NSW Department Primary Industries Fisheries policy regarding flood debris removal, and get back to Peter Colley.</p>	TS	25.06.25 – Inspection carried out and works programmed.	In progress
<p>12. Load of gravel to fill the gutter area on access road to the Dunedoo Waste Transfer Station U-turn area. (Peter Colley) Peter Colley mentioned the deep gutter at the Dunedoo Waste Transfer Station.</p> <p>ACTION: EDS to investigate the U-turn area near the access road of the Dunedoo Waste Transfer Station for maintenance, and assess works on a deep gutter that formed there.</p>	EDS	11.06.25 – Repairs have been undertaken on the access road.	Completed

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<p>15. Coolatai grass along roadsides on the Golden Highway and Black Stump Way, and Council slashing of these. (David Bowman)</p> <p>David Bowman mentioned that an invasive weed Coolatai Grass has been growing on the roadside of the Golden Highway and Black Stump Way, and has been a problem for 3 years or more. David mentioned that Council slashes the weed which can make the problem worse, and that he submitted a letter to the Castlereagh Macquarie County Council (CMCC) regarding the situation yet the problem remains, and weed spraying has been close to nil.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to collect and provide David Bowman's contact details to Senior Biosecurity Weeds Officer Andy Fletcher, to communicate about the Coolatai weed problem growing along the Golden Highway and Black Stump Way roadsides.</p>	TS	26.06.25 – Awaiting contact information.	In progress
<p>18. Merotherie Road update</p> <p>Emma Bowman enquired about an update to the road works on Merotherie Road.</p> <p>Emma Bowman enquired if Council have plans drawn up for the road work available for the community to see.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to investigate if there is a plan for road works for Merotherie Road that is available to the community, and get back to Emma Bowman.</p>	TS	23.6.25 – Council is working with ACJV who are designing and constructing the road. Plans are yet to be finalised.	In progress

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<p>19. Condition of Fairfield Road Emma Bowman mentioned that traffic has increased along Fairfield Road since the road works on the Golden Highway, and community members have experienced tyre punctures on sharp rocks in the gravel on that road. Furthermore, Emma mentioned there is also an issue of traffic speeding on that road.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to assess the condition of Fairfield Road for possible roadwork maintenance.</p>	TS	25.06.25 – Roads inspected and deemed to be in a fair condition. Flood recovery works were completed in 2024 and the road will be continue to be maintained under the routine maintenance schedule.	Completed
<p>20. WSC website – Council meeting files, and lack of historical records available to view. (Emma Bowman) Emma Bowman mentioned the attachments for Council meetings are all in one file and hard to find for each item, and there is a lack of historical records currently available to view. Furthermore, Emma enquired if Council meeting documents could possibly be uploaded separately before each meeting, and collated into one file after the meeting.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DCCS to investigate if Council Meetings website page can be arranged so meeting documentation can be available as separate documents for easier access for community members.</p>	CCS	30.06.2025 – The current website settings mean meeting documentation (attachments) are uploaded as one document. However, the Council Meetings page on the website was updated in early April to include an email contact address for anyone wanting to request separate attachments, or historical documents.	Completed
<p>21. WSC Facebook communications Emma Bowman enquired why Council Facebook posts are being scheduled out of business hours, ratepayer questions are being ignored and commenting is limited on certain posts.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DCCS to raise for discussion with Council executive whether Council have comments openly available on Council Facebook page, or whether potentially another option is viable.</p>	CCS	30.06.2025 – Comments on Council Facebook posts will continue to be monitored on a case by case basis as per the Terms of Use post that is pinned to the top of the WSC Facebook page.	Completed

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<p>24.1 External Budget Submission form (Sally Edwards) Sally Edwards enquired if the External Budget Submission form could include a tick box for a perpetual submission, should the initial submission not be successful in that round.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DCCS to investigate amending the External Budget Submissions Form to include a tick box option for perpetual submissions.</p>	CCS	25.03.25 – External Budget submissions form was updated to include a tick box option for perpetual submissions, should the first submission be unsuccessful.	Completed
<p>27. Road between Dunedoo showground and Dunedoo Sale Yards requires maintenance (Ronald Bowman) Ronald Bowman mentioned that the Council grader was in the area though did not grade the road between Dunedoo Showground and Dunedoo Sale Yards</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to assess the condition of the section of Bullinda Street between the Dunedoo showground and Dunedoo Sale Yards.</p>	TS	23.06.25 – This section of road is Crown Land and is not maintained by Council.	Completed
<p>28. Weight limits on the Talbragar Bridge over Digilah Road (Stephen Yeo) Stephen Yeo enquired about an update about the weight bearing limit access to the Talbragar Bridge on Digilah Road, and when will the weight limit return to normal.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to investigate the weight bearing limit access timeframe to the Talbragar Bridge on Digilah Road, and respond to Stephen Yeo by email.</p>	TS	25.06.25 – Search underway for construction plans for the bridge. A structural assessment is required to confirm bridge weight limit. The assessment will be better informed in original construction plans are available. A search is currently underway for the original plans.	In progress

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<p>30. Request for independent flood study on the 1.7km section of the Merotherie road flood plain. (Emma Bowman) Emma Bowman enquired if Council could request that EnergyCo conduct an independent flood study on the Merotherie Road in the 1.7km area of flood plain on that road.</p> <p>ACTION: DEDS to contact EnergyCo and request an independent flood study on the Merotherie Road in the 1.7km area of flood plain on that road.</p>	EDS	11.06.25 – Letter sent to EnergyCo requesting an independent flood study be undertaken on Merotherie Road on 14 May 2025. To date, no response has been received.	Completed
<p>31 Missing defibrillator at Dunedoo pool (Sharon Nott) Sharon Nott mentioned that the Dunedoo pool has a defibrillator box with no defibrillator inside, when could that be installed.</p> <p>ACTION: A/DTS to investigate the Dunedoo swimming pool defibrillator box with no defibrillator inside, and when could that be installed.</p>	TS	23.06.25 – A defibrillator has been re-installed. The battery was being replaced.	Completed
4 November 2024 – Round 1 2024/2025			
<p>2.1 A community member mentioned that the bridge approaches to the two bridges on the Golden Highway leading south require maintenance.</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to investigate with TfNSW if this work has been scheduled.</p>	TS	28.2.25 – TfNSW are aware of the work required. They will attempt to source funding. Pending funding they will schedule works accordingly.	Completed

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4 November 2024 – Round 1 2024/2025			
9. Gardens at the Dunedoo park (Cathy Bowman) Cathy Bowman mentioned that the gardens and some trees at Dunedoo park look dead, and enquired if there is irrigation to help green up the park. ACTION: DTS to investigate the Dunedoo park gardens and trees and assess the watering arrangements for the park.	TS	15.01.25 – An automatic irrigation system will be installed in Milling Park as part of the Shire wide parks upgrade. It is anticipated that works will commence in early-February 2025. 23.06.25 – Irrigation has been installed.	Completed
15 April 2024 – Round 2 2023/2024			
4. Resurfacing of Dunedoo Lions park playground. (Dr Sally Plunkett) Dr Plunkett described potholes in the Dunedoo Lions park playground surface that were of a safety concern to children playing there. Pictures of the potholes in the playground area were provided to Council. ACTION: DTS to assess the Dunedoo Lions Park for possible maintenance work on potholes in the playground surface.	TS	24.07.24 – Unsafe sections have been fenced off. Repairs planned to coincide with playground upgrade this financial year 2024/25. 15.01.25 – This project as part of the Shire wide parks upgrade. It is anticipated that works will commence in early-February 2025. 23.06.25 – New soft-fall was installed at the park.	Completed
5. Baby change table in the Dunedoo Lions park public toilet. (Dr Sally Plunkett) ACTION: DTS will assess the Dunedoo Lions park public toilet block for possible location and viability for installation of a baby change table.	TS	15.01.25 – Urban Services is investigating a fold down changing table for the Dunedoo Lions park public toilet. 23.06.25 – Quotes will be sought in the next financial year.	In progress

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7 November 2023 – Round 1 2023/2024			
<p>20. Does the dog park have dog free areas? Community member enquired whether the Dog Park will have dog free areas?</p> <p>ACTION: DTS to investigate if the dog park has dog free areas, and report back to the community</p>	TS	<p>21.02.24 – Milling Park has two areas, a dog-free area, and a leash-free area. Signs to be erected to advise the public of the designated areas.</p> <p>04.10.24 – New dog park including fencing and signage to be installed by 30 June 2025.</p> <p>15.01.25 – It is anticipated that works on this project will commence mid-February 2025.</p> <p>23.06.25 – This project is now completed.</p>	Completed