

# Community News



## Snapshot of Council's August meeting

- · Colac Otway Shire Council's Asset Management Policy and Domestic Wastewater Management Plan (DWMP) were both adopted at the August meeting.
- Council's first Public Toilet Strategy was adopted, providing a framework for decision-making regarding the provision, management and maintenance of public toilet facilities in Colac Otway Shire over the next ten years and includes recommendations for asset rationalisation.
- · Foot and Mouth Disease (FMD) Advocacy for Action was put forward as a Notice of Motion by Councillor Chris Potter. Council resolved to write to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry to advocate for continuing increased measures to prevent an outbreak of FMD and raise awareness of FMD.

For further information about Council's August meeting, including Media Releases on the policies and strategies that were adopted and recordings of the meeting, head to Council's website - www.colacotway.vic.gov.au

## Planning Committee meeting

The next meeting of the Colac Otway Shire Council Planning Committee is scheduled for:

Date: Wednesday 14 September 2022 Time: 4pm

Venue: COPACC (95 - 97 Gellibrand Street, Colac)

Planning Committee meetings are open to the public and interested people are welcome to attend. Only those who lodged submissions and have requested to speak to their submission are able to participate in the meeting. The Planning Committee meeting will be livestreamed to the public via Council's You Tube channel (search Colac Otway Shire Council at

www.youtube.com) Copies of the agenda will be available Friday 9 September at www.colacotway.vic.gov.au



## FAMILY DAY CARE EDUCATORS (Subcontractor/Flexible Hours)

#### Colac Otway Shire Council is seeking Family Day Care Educators to provide Family Day Care throughout the Colac Otway Shire.

Family Day Care is a great way to provide childcare to families as well as being able to work flexible hours from your own home.

We are looking for people who are passionate about working with children, building on their development and are prepared to be a part of a motivated and dedicated team.

"I really love mornings, I love opening the front door, greeting the families and seeing the children come in.... that would have to be my favourite part of the day." - Gerry Anson, Family Day Care Educator.

For a position description and information about becoming a FDC Educator or more information about working from your own home, please check out Council's Family & Children's Service webpage

www.colacotway.vic.gov.au or email familydaycare@colacotway.vic.gov.au

## Spotlight on Eastern Reserve and Western Reserve - Have Your Say

#### Council's Colac City Reserves have draft master plans open for public consultation until 11 September.

The master plans map out a vision for the future development of these reserves and this will support future funding applications to the state and federal governments.

Eastern Reserve is shared by cricket, baseball and netball players and families, and Western Reserve caters for women's and men's football, netball and cricket players and families. Plans for both reserves propose upgrades to change rooms to meet current sports facility standards for all gender sports participation.

Improvements to walking paths, parking and traffic movements are also included in the master plans. Other key priorities include upgrades to playing surfaces and new practice facilities.

Have Your Say about these reserves by visiting Council's website and completing the survey - <u>www.colacotway.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay</u>

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- SPRING NEWBORNS SPRING BLOSSOMS
- SPRING IN YOUR STEP SPRING-SATION

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Competition open from 1 September to 30 September, 2022. To enter, tag us on your public Facebook and Instagram. Or emai: <u>ing@colacotway.vic.gov.au</u> Details / T&Cs: www.colacotway.vic.gov.au/ColacOtwaySpringtime

## **Springtime Photo Competition**

#### Celebrate springtime with us as we look forward to some sunny days ahead.

Across the month of September, post your best springtime photo from vour public Facebook or Instagram account, with the hashtag #ColacOtwaySpringtime. Or email your photo to: ing@colacotway.vic.gov.au, to share.

#### There are four categories to enter including:

- Spring newborns
  - o Melt our hearts with your cutest newborn photos
- Spring blossom
  - o Capture the bright colours of spring from your local park or your own backyard
- o Need to shake off those winter blues? Get started with a new
- program or activity. • Spring-sation

Spring in your step

o This is the 'other' springtime category - photograph recipes, good news or something to make us smile

The winning entries will be promoted in the Colac Herald in October. See Council's website, under News and Media for details.

## Design and Construct - Pedestrian and Cycling Elevated Walkway over Milford Creek Apollo Bay

#### Contract No. 2205

Council would like to invite submissions from suitably qualified and experienced Contractors to design and construct a compliant elevated pedestrian walkway over Milford Creek in Apollo Bay.

A copy of the tender documents can be downloaded from Council's website at www.eprocure.com.au/colacotway

Tenders close at 2pm, Wednesday 28 September2022. Submissions may be lodged in the Electronic Tender Box only. Late, posted, e-mailed, or facsimiled tenders will not be considered.

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