



Council Meeting

Date: Tuesday 25 February 2025
Time: 1pm
Venue: COPACC (95 - 97 Gellibrand Street, Colac)

Council meetings are open to the public and interested people are welcome to attend. A copy of the meeting agenda will be available Thursday 20 February 2025 on Council's website.

The meeting will be livestreamed to the public via Council's You Tube channel (search Colac Otway Shire Council at www.youtube.com)



Roadworks - Mooleric Road, Birregurra

Colac Otway Shire Council wish to advise the community of upcoming road works to be carried out on Mooleric Road Birregurra.

The works involve road pavement reconstruction and resurfacing with some roadside drainage upgrades.

A road closure of the affected section of Mooleric Road will be in place during the works with local traffic access permitted to residents and business, Council requests that road users take care in the area and observe the traffic signage in place.

The works are scheduled to start from 24 Feb 2025 and pending suitable weather conditions are expected to be completed by mid-May 2025, Council apologises for any inconvenience caused during these important road upgrade works.

For further information or questions on the project, please contact the Project Manager, on (03) 5232 9400.



We're Recruiting

Colac Otway Shire Council is an exciting place to work. If you are passionate about delivering great customer service, working for a progressive and innovative council, and making a difference to your local community, we would love to hear from you!

- **Multipurpose Officer/Plant Operator (Apollo Bay)**
- **Multipurpose Officer/Plant Operator (Colac)**

For a position description and to apply online, visit www.colacotway.vic.gov.au or contact Human Resources on (03) 5232 9400.



Have Your Say

Council Plan 2025-2029 Community Survey

Council is developing the Council Plan 2025-2029 which will include the Municipal Health and Wellbeing Plan.

To ensure our new Council Plan 2025-2029 reflects the priorities, goals and aspirations of our community, we are calling for community members who would like to be part of the engagement process to join us.

Visit our Have Your Say webpage to complete the survey.

Colac Bike Park Predesign Consultation

The need for a bike park to be developed in the township of Colac/Elliminyt has been identified.

In response to this, Council has appointed The Trail Collective to undertake community engagement and consultation to confirm the requirements for a bike park in the Colac/Elliminyt area, determine the most appropriate site and develop concept design drawings.

Please come along as we are excited to hear your thoughts and feedback on what you would like included in the design.

When: Monday 24 February 2025 at 4pm - 6pm
Where: Elliminyt Recreation Reserve Shelter (Pirate Park)

Proposal to Declare a Road to be a Public Highway

Council is inviting submissions under Section 223 of the *Local Government Act 1989* on the proposal to declare a road to be a public highway.

Council gives notice under section 204(1) of the *Local Government Act 1989 (Act)*, that it proposes to declare that part of the land contained in certificate of title volume 10677 folio 083 and known as (part) 67 Karingal Drive, Wye River, Victoria 3234.

Visit our Have Your Say webpage to find out how you can make a submission on this proposal.

Submissions close at 5pm on Friday 7 March 2025.



Temporary Relocation

From Monday 10 February to Friday 21 February, the Colac Customer Service Centre will be temporarily relocated to the Colac Visitor Information Centre due to urgent roof replacement works at the Rae Street building.

During this period, Council services will continue to operate, but some changes may occur. If you have any questions, please contact Council at 5232 9400.

PLEASE NOTE: Council's Rae Street Building will be **CLOSED** during this time and parking availability in the area will be reduced. Please observe all traffic management and signage in place

There will be no changes to the Apollo Bay Customer Service Centre located at GORVIC.



Council Plan 2025-2029

Many Voices, One Vision, Our Strategic Focus

Colac Otway Shire is starting an exciting phase of work that will guide and inform how Council delivers the services and infrastructure we know are critical to supporting the social and economic well-being of our community.

Central to our planning is the 2025-29 Council Plan which will set our objectives and priorities over the next four years and play a significant role in achieving our 2025 vision for the region.

Community participation in developing our plan is essential and your feedback will also assist us in supporting other key strategic plans.

How can you be involved?

- Complete the community survey
- Tell us your ideas at a pop-up location
- Talk to our team at a drop-in session in Forrest, Cressy, Wye River, Carlisle River, Lavers Hill or Colac.
- Attend a focus group
- Register your interest to be part of the Community Panel

Visit www.colacotway.vic.gov.au/councilplan for more information.

