Media Release

Key Projects Celebrated

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Buloke Shire Council will mark both the launch of the Buloke Integrated Community Plan and the official opening of the Berriwillock Synthetic Bowling Green at a special event to be held in Berriwillock next week.

The Buloke Integrated Community Plan is a key outcome of the Building Buloke 2030 project and sits alongside the 10 Community Plans devised for each township in the Shire. The Integrated Plan draws from the common themes contained in each of the Community Plans and will assist in shaping the future of the Buloke Shire and enable a collective response to our challenges, aspirations and opportunities to deliver outcomes that benefit the whole community.

The Building Buloke 2030 project was partially funded by the Federal Governments Building Better Regions Fund.

The Berriwillock Synthetic Bowling Green project is the finishing touch to the versatile Berriwillock Community Centre. The new synthetic green enables the Berriwillock Bowling Club to play in drought conditions and alleviates the reliance on access to water to maintain the former grass facility.

The Berriwillock Synthetic Bowling Green project was funded by Council, Federal Government (Drought Communities Program), State Government (Sustainable Water Fund - Community Sport and Recreation Program) and the Berriwillock Bowling Club Inc.

"These two key projects are significant and demonstrate great achievements in Council and community working together with all levels of government. The development of the Integrated Plan and the 10 Community Plans represents the largest consultation and engagement process undertaken by Council whilst the Berriwillock Synthetic Bowling Green is an outstanding compliment to the Berriwillock Community Centre that the community and local bowlers will enjoy for many years", said Mayor Cr Carolyn Stewart.

Council will celebrate these milestones with a luncheon event to be held at the Berriwillock Community Centre from 12.00 noon on Thursday 13 December 2018 with all members of the community welcome to attend.

End release

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