



## Reconciliation Week

The National Reconciliation Week 2022 theme is "Be Brave. Make Change." There is a call for all Australians - individuals, families, communities, organisations and government - to be brave and tackle the unfinished business of reconciliation so we can make change for the benefit of all Australians.

In Buloke, as a sign of respect and in the name of reconciliation, the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags were raised for the start of Reconciliation Week on 27 May. An Acknowledgement of Country was also presented by Buloke Council CEO, Wayne O'Toole.

For young children there will be Reconciliation Week story times this week:

**Tuesday 31 May** – Charlton Library, 10:30am

**Wednesday 1 June** – Birchip Library  
10am until 12pm

**Friday 3 June** – Donald Hub, 10am until 12pm.  
National Reconciliation Week ends on 3 June 2022.

To find out more about Reconciliation Week visit: [www.reconciliation.org.au/our-work/national-reconciliation-week](http://www.reconciliation.org.au/our-work/national-reconciliation-week)



## Donald Tourism

Works are currently underway at the Bullocks Head Precinct, Byrne Street in Donald, to construct a new sealed car park. This complements the viewing platform and barbecue shelter completed last month.

The community is asked to observe traffic management directions whilst these works are completed.

## Road Sealing Update

The early arrival of low temperatures has delayed the resealing of Cumming Avenue in Birchip until later in the year. As a safety precaution, temporary line marking will be applied to improve traffic conditions until the sealing is complete.

For further information contact customer service on 1300 520 520.

## Have Your Say - Strategic Asset Management Plan

The *Local Government Act 2020* requires Council to develop a Strategic Asset Management Plan to clearly and transparently set its direction and priorities which support the efficient and responsible management of its assets on behalf of the community.

The purpose of the plan is to provide an overview of Council's fixed assets, the strategic challenges it faces in responsible their management, and the longer term strategies Council is pursuing over the next decade.

Major assets maintained by Council include a road network of 5,302 kilometers and 240 buildings and structures with a replacement value of \$113M.

To view the Strategic Asset Management Plan and have your say, visit [www.buloke.vic.gov.au](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au) or 1300 520 520.

## Have Your Say - Draft Annual Budget 2021/22

The Draft Annual Budget 2021/22 details the resources required over the next year to fund the large range of services and programs Council provides to the community. It also includes details of proposed capital expenditure allocations to improve and renew roads, buildings, footpaths, drainage and recreational facilities.

The Draft Annual Budget 2022/23 that was adopted by Council for public submission has been altered with updated schedules for rates details and some minor formatting changes.

Hard copies of the Draft Budget are available at Council's Customer Service Centre or by mail on request. Those who make a written submission will be invited to speak to their submission at Council's Ordinary Meeting to be held from 7.00pm on Wednesday 8 June 2022.

Submissions can be made in writing to the Chief Executive Officer by email to [buloke@buloke.vic.gov.au](mailto:buloke@buloke.vic.gov.au) or by mail to PO Box 1, Wycheproof VIC 3527 by 12 noon Wednesday 8 June 2022.

For further information contact Customer Service on 1300 520 520 or visit: [www.buloke.vic.gov.au/have-your-say](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/have-your-say)

## Have Your Say - Draft Annual Financial Plan 2022/23

The draft Financial Plan enables improved monitoring of Council's financial viability, and better reporting and analysis of decisions and assumptions over a 10-year period.

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## Old School Clean Up

Council has commenced the clearing of former school building foundations at 110 Sutcliff Street, Sea Lake, in preparation for a new housing subdivision.

There will be an increase in truck activity and machinery in the area while materials and equipment are transported to and from site, which may cause some noise and raised dust.

For more information about current works, contact Customer Service on 1300 520 520.



## Employment Opportunities

Council is an equal opportunity employer. Our roles are non-gender specific, and Council encourages all suitably qualified applicants to apply. Council is currently recruiting for:

### Team Leader Maternal & Child Health

Flexible working conditions, excellent remuneration, fleet vehicle, work life balance and a role that is both challenging and rewarding for a suitably qualified nurse.

→ Applications close 5:00PM Friday 10 June 2022.

### Senior Economic Development Officer

Do you have a comprehensive vision for Buloke's future?

→ Applications close 5:00PM Friday 10 June 2022.

### Independence Support Carer

Love helping people? Looking for a flexible role close to home?

→ Applications close 5:00PM Monday 6 June 2022.

### Human Resources Officer

Can you provide high quality, customer-focused human resources?

Permanent full-time with flexibility for part-time.

→ Applications close 5:00PM Monday 13 June 2022.

### Human Resources Officer

Council is currently seeking a positive and motivated person to join our Human Resources department in a temporary part-time position.

→ Applications close 5:00PM Monday 13 June 2022.

Visit [www.buloke.vic.gov.au/employment](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/employment) or call Human Resources on 1300 520 520 for full details on these exciting roles.

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