



## Stories From Working For Victoria

Canadian visitor, Jill Legare is one of the Buloke Shire's recently appointed Working for Victoria employees. The State Government funded initiative is geared towards boosting job-creation in response to the Covid-19 pandemic, and Jill's maintenance skills are being put to good use in trade-based projects across the Buloke region.

Hailing from Alberta, Jill along with her husband, Garret are in Australia for twelve months and currently reside in Donald where Garret teaches Cultural Studies at local High School.

Growing up in a construction environment – "Dad was a carpenter" – Jill's work in Alberta involved plenty of "tinkering around" – the basis of which is now being used to advantage in the Shire's expanded work force. Recently on the job in Charlton, Jill, along with her fellow workmate, Cassie Tuckett were busy re-laying footpath pavers in the town's main street. Two months into her tenure with the Shire, Jill's "can-do" attitude had previously seen her helping out with the renovations at Donald High School.

As one of around twenty Working for Victoria outdoor staff employed by the Buloke Shire, Jill and her fellow workers have brought a much needed boost to Council's outdoor ranks, significantly extending the scope of maintenance activities which will bring better outcomes for all.

## Your Council, Your Vote.

The Buloke Shire Council election will be held this October.

The Victorian Electoral Commission is preparing to deliver local council elections during the extraordinary circumstances of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. Elections are to be conducted entirely by post – a safe and completely secret method of voting.

Local council general elections are held every four years and councillors make decisions on a range of important local issues and services.

Voting is compulsory for State-enrolled Australian citizens aged 18 years or older, and you may be fined if you don't vote.

For detailed and up to date information about how to enrol, vote, become a candidate, and more, visit [www.vec.vic.gov.au/voting/2020-local-council-election/elections/buloke-shire-council](http://www.vec.vic.gov.au/voting/2020-local-council-election/elections/buloke-shire-council), or call the VEC on 131 832.

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## Are you considering running for Council at this year's election?

Bookings are now open for Candidate Information sessions for prospective Buloke candidates. Council is partnering with the Victorian Local Governance Association (VLGA) to deliver these sessions, which are crucial in the preparation of your campaign.

The next session is being held from 6.00pm Monday 7 September 2020.



## Notice of an Application for a Planning Permit

The land affected by the application is located at **Boundary Road, Pier Millan.**

The application is for a permit an **Annual Camel's Capers Off Road Racing Event (5 year permit).** The applicant for the permit is **Sea Lake Off Road Club.**

The application reference number is **PPA 870/20** You may look at the application and any documents that support the application by making contact with the office of the Responsible Authority, **Buloke Shire Office, Wycheproof.**

This can be done during office hours and is free of charge. Any person who may be affected by the granting of the permit may object or make other submissions to the Responsible Authority.

An objection must be sent to the Responsible Authority in writing, include the objectors name and contact details, include reasons for the objection, and state how the objector would be affected. An objection form is available on the Planning and Building page of the Buloke Shire Council website.

The Responsible Authority will not decide on the application before **10 September 2020.**

If you object the Responsible Authority will tell you its decision.

## Sign Up for eNotices

Are you ready to have the power to access your rates notices when you want and to have equally user-friendly payment options? Now is the time to sign up for eNotices.

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**You can access your account at [buloke.enotices.com.au](http://buloke.enotices.com.au)**

1. Enter in your email address and eNotices Reference Number (found on your rates notice).
2. Check your email inbox and click the validation link.
3. Select a password and mobile number.

You can also register to add additional notices by clicking "Add your notice" in your dashboard.

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**GO GREEN.  
GO ELECTRONIC.**



## Current Tender

**CONTRACT No. C83 – 2020/2021**

### Charlton Early Years Centre

The Buloke Shire Council invites tenders from suitably experienced contractors to design, supply and install a prefabricated pre-school facility at 1 Armstrong Street Charlton. Further details are available at [www.buloke.vic.gov.au/tenders](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/tenders).

Tender documents will be available for downloading from Tuesday 11 August 2020 from [www.tenderlink.com/bulokeshire](http://www.tenderlink.com/bulokeshire). Tenders close 2.00pm AEST Tuesday 1 September 2020.

**Anthony Judd - Chief Executive Officer**

You can register NOW for these free events at [www.vlga.org.au/events-training/2020-candidate-training-dates](http://www.vlga.org.au/events-training/2020-candidate-training-dates)

Candidates will also need to undertake Mandatory Candidate Training, which will be in the form of an online training module.

The training will help you understand the role and responsibilities of being a councillor.

You will not be able to nominate as a candidate unless you have completed the training.

For more information and to register visit [www.localgovernment.vic.gov.au/council-governance/candidate-training](http://www.localgovernment.vic.gov.au/council-governance/candidate-training)