Community Update

Buloke.



Attention Primary Producers in Buloke

In the wake of the recent storm event, we understand many of you might be facing significant challenges, including fence damage due to fallen trees and high winds.

BlazeAid, a volunteer-based organisation, can assist in removing debris from fences, standing them up and rebuilding fences.

If you've been affected and think you could use a hand, please don't hesitate to reach out.

To justify the mobilisation of BlazeAid's valuable resources we are aiming to engage 16-18 properties within a 30km radius. Contact the Community Recovery Team without delay at 1300 520 520 to express your interest or for more information.

Free Green Waste to Assist in Storm Clean Up

Council's dedicated Roads Staff have been working tirelessly to ensure the safety and accessibility of our community's roads following the recent storm.

Residential streets in Charlton and Wycheproof in particular have been cleared of obstructive trees, with the debris disposed of at Charlton and Wycheproof Transfer Stations.

Asset Inspectors have conducted primary inspections on all sealed road networks, while Roads Staff have focused on cleaning sealed sections, like Birchip Berriwillock Road, Warne Road, and Watchupga Culgoa Road, to restore safe passage for traffic.

Secondary inspections by Asset Inspectors have commenced on our gravel road network, with Roads Staff actively clearing significant blockages on roads such as Narrewillock Quambatook road, Jeruk River North Road and Jeruk River Road.

Other teams have been deployed across various areas including Berriwillock, Birchip, Charlton, Culgoa, Nullawil, and Wycheproof to address road safety concerns and ensure smooth traffic flow.

A special acknowledgment to the farmers and other community members who have generously assisted in clearing trees from rural roads. Your invaluable support has expedited the process significantly, demonstrating the power of community collaboration in overcoming challenges. Without your assistance, this effort would have been considerably more troublesome. Thank you for your dedication to our community's well-being.

A reminder that all Council's landfills and transfer stations are now accepting green waste free of charge to assist in the clean-up.

Yeungroon Road Closure for Flood Repair

Repair works will soon begin on the Yeungroon Creek floodway on Yeungroon Road after being damaged in the October 2022 flood and storm event. These works will include the road pavement and surfacing which will be replaced over the course of 6 weeks, beginning 26 February 2024.

To ensure community safety, a temporary road closure will be in place during this time along Yeungroon Road between Seven Mile Road and Nine Mile Road.

Visit our website for more information about access and detours https://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/road-closure-for-flood-repair-yeungroon-road

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A PLANNING PERMIT

The land affected by the application is located at **Borung Highway, Wooroonook VIC 3525.**

The application is for a permit for the Use and development of land for a single dwelling on an allotment in the Farming Zone, create or alter access to a Transport Zone and build within a setback to a Transport Zone. The application reference number is **PA24002.**

You may view the application and supporting documents on the Buloke Shire Council Website https://buloke.greenlightopm.com/planning or by making contact with the office of the Responsible Authority, Buloke Shire Office, Wycheproof on 1300 520 520.

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 made 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 online submission form is available on the Planning page of the Buloke Shire Council website.

The Responsible Authority will not decide on the application before **14 March 2024**.

If you object to the application, the Responsible Authority will tell you it's decision.

NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A PLANNING PERMIT

The land affected by the application is located at 224 Yeungroon-Woosang Road, Yeungroon East VIC 3525. The application is for a permit for the Use and development of land for rural worker accommodation (two two-bedroom units and carport). The application reference number is PA24001.

You may view the application and supporting documents on the Buloke Shire Council Website https://buloke.greenlightopm.com/planning or by making contact with the office of the Responsible Authority, Buloke Shire Office, Wycheproof on 1300 520 520.

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Employment with Buloke

Council is an equal opportunity employer.

Our roles are non-gender specific, and Council encourages all suitably qualified applicants to apply. For more information on equal opportunity, call Human Resources on 1300 520 520.

Urban Parks Maintenance Operator (Medium Plant)

Council is seeking a highly skilled and experienced in the operation of ride-on mowers, ancillary parks, gardens tools and vehicles over 4.5 tonnes GCM to 13.9 tonnes GCM; (truck, front-end loader).

→ Applications close Friday 1 March 2024

Works Grader Operator

Council is seeking an enthusiastic person to join our Buloke Shire Council roads team as a Grader Operator for Charlton to undertake programmed and preventative grading works for the delivery of safety improvements on Council's road network.

→ Applications close Friday 1 March 2024

You can find all current employment opportunities at www.buloke.vic.gov.au/employment You may lodge your applications by Mail to PO Box 1, Wycheproof VIC 3527; or Email to recruitment@buloke.vic.gov.au.







