



## Wycheproof Wetlands

Council has received a grant from the Victorian Government to help develop the Wycheproof Wetlands Precinct.

The precinct builds upon the recently completed Wycheproof Recreation Reserve Master Plan, to enhance existing tourism opportunities; provide new recreational activities for the wider community; and also provide valuable habitat for birds, fish, insects and amphibians.

If you want to know more about the Wycheproof Wetlands proposal, come along to a community meeting where opportunities about possible inclusions in the proposal will be discussed, such as a skate park or pump track, play area, walking trails, jetty or swimming pontoon, barbecue area and landscaping.

Council is seeking input from the community into the final design of planned infrastructure at the site.

**Date: Tuesday 15 November**

**Time: 7.00pm – 8.30pm**

**Venue: Wycheproof Recreation Reserve Pavilion**

**For more information, please contact Trevor Rumbold on 1300 520 520.**

## Free green waste extended

Green waste will be accepted free-of-charge at Buloke landfills and transfer stations from now until Christmas.

Recognising many routes to Buloke landfills and transfer stations were closed due to flooding during 'free green waste' month in October, Council has extended the period.

It's a jungle out there! We realise that it's a struggle to keep on top of the rapid growth and with the wet weather hanging about.

However, we all need to get on top of it ahead of fire season:

- Begin clearing leaves and debris from gutters;
- Cut grass; and
- Reduce vegetation around your home.

**For landfill & transfer station opening times, visit: [www.buloke.vic.gov.au/transfer-station-landfill-operating-times](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/transfer-station-landfill-operating-times).**



## Support For Communities

The Victorian Government has launched a webpage containing the latest information about where you can go for support, and the relief payments on offer for individuals, families, small business, primary producers and community groups, visit: [www.vic.gov.au/october-2022-flood-recovery](http://www.vic.gov.au/october-2022-flood-recovery).

Information is also available on Council's website, including wastewater and contamination issues. Contact Buloke's **Environmental Health Officer for advice by phoning 1300 520 520.**

## Parking Heavy Vehicles

Across Victoria, trucks, or heavy vehicles, are restricted in how long they can be parked within a township area.

Township areas are described, by definition, as a built-up area and these rules are in place to prevent the amenity of an area being affected.

The rules are enforceable at both a state and local level:

Under the State road rules, rule 200(2), the driver of a heavy (4.5T GVM) or long vehicle (over 7.5m) must not stop on a length of road in a built-up area for longer than one hour, unless they are loading or unloading.

Locations where long and heavy vehicles are permitted to park in townships:

- **Sea Lake** – Calder Hwy, south of township (near old Roadhouse);
- **Donald** – Racecourse Rd;
- **Birchip** – Berrwillock Rd, off Birchip-Berrwillock Rd (near old truck wash);
- **Charlton** – Boort Rd (near substation); and
- **Wycheproof** – alongside Saleyards (not near ramp).

## Sea Lake Drainage

Contractors are updating the footpath crossing at Cunningham Lane at Sea Lake, now that the weather is more favourable, requiring the closure of Cunningham Lane to Best Street for two weeks.

Preparations began on 2 November for excavation, base preparation and boxing work ahead of concrete pouring.

For the safety of the community and contractors, half of the lane will remain closed whilst heavy machinery is being used.

The entrance to parking at the hotel via Cunningham Lane will remain open.



## Community Meeting – Sea Lake

The Victorian State Emergency Service held a community meeting at Sea Lake on Thursday, last week, to inform the community about possible flood impacts from the Dunmunkle and Tyrrell creeks and to provide information to the community about preparedness.

## Have Your Say

### – Subdivision Sea Lake

Council is requesting community feedback on the sale of land and whether there is an opportunity for retaining one or more of the subdivided blocks at 110 Sutcliffe Street for community or social housing initiatives.

Information about the subdivision can be found on Council's website, visit:

[www.buloke.vic.gov.au](http://www.buloke.vic.gov.au)

Following the receipt of community feedback, Council will receive a further report on the Sale of Land at 110 Sutcliffe Street Sea Lake.

**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 to PO Box 1, Wycheproof VIC 3527 by 12 noon Thursday 8 December 2022.**



## 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:

### School Crossing Supervisor

#### Casual - Covering Donald & Charlton

Love to be outdoors and enjoy working with children? We are seeking a friendly, reliable and responsible individual to assist children to travel safely to and from school and reduce their risk of being involved in accidents with vehicles.

→ Applications close 5.00pm Monday 21 November 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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