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#### April 2010 Council Resolutions

Highlights of Council's Ordinary meeting of 19 April 2010 include the following resolutions:

♦ That Council be represented by Mayor R Filmer at the 2010 National General Assembly of the Australian Local Government Association from Monday, 14 June 2010 to Thursday, 17 June 2010.

• That Council note:

♦ That submissions are being sought from the public into the Review of Implementation of the Nation Building and Jobs Plan in NSW.

♦ The Environmental Planning and Assessment Amendment (Miscellaneous) Regulation 2010 (the Miscellaneous Regulation) which came into force on 26 March 2010

♦ The consequential amendments to the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 and the Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000 regarding new arrangements for landowner's consent and notification requirements relating to applications under Part 3A and Part 4 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 when the subject land is owned by a Local Aboriginal Land Council.

• That Council:

♦ Rezone land off Panhandle Road as conservation in the next Local Environmental Plan as the appropriate Environmental Protection Zone.

♦ Approve the following restrictions to user, giving the authority to place the Council Seal on all relevant documents: "Accept the Vegetation Rehabilitation and Management Program prepared by Armidale Tree Group Inc."

#### Resolutions cont:

• That increases of 2.6% less \$15,143 (which is effectively 2.84%) in general rate, 3.2% for Uralla Sewer, 4.7% for Uralla Water, 4.01% for Uralla Waste Collection, 4.03% for Bundarra Waste Collection, 2.98% for Rural Waste Collection, 3.28% for the Recycling Charge and 3.54% for the Environmental Levy be the basis for the Draft Revenue Policy for 2010/2011.

• That Council support the application by Mr B Wisemantel to purchase the Crown Land as marked provided Council has right of access to the Cemetery and that the fenced Cemetery area be excluded from the area to be sold.

• That Council support the Mid North Weight of Loads draft budget of 5% increase and the review of the way the Mid North Coast Weight of Loads Group carries out its inspectorial operations.

#### Uralla Shire Council NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEVELOPMENTS

##### APPLICATION NUMBER: DA-20-2010

Uralla Shire Council has received an application from Mr L & Mrs D Jewell seeking permission for dual occupancy at 110 Goodes Road, Arding.

##### APPLICATION NUMBER: DA-21-2010

Uralla Shire Council has received an application from Mrs F G Lulham seeking permission for a Farm Stay at 229 Eastern Avenue, Kentucky.

The applications may be inspected at the Uralla Shire Council office during business hours. Any person may make a written submission in relation to the development application. Submissions must be received by Uralla Shire Council in writing before close of business on 28 May 2010.

Should you have further enquiries please contact Council Officers by telephoning 02 6778 6300.

Tom O'Connor

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## URALLA SHIRE COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



*Construction of Salisbury Waters Bridge*

**MAY 2010 VOLUME 18.5**

The emergency number after hours or  
on Public Holidays is  
0427 784 982

Ring 000 to report fires

The next Council Meeting  
will be held at 12 noon on  
24 May 2010  
at the Council Chambers,  
Salisbury Street, Uralla.

#### THANK YOU

The Residents of the Uralla Shire did us all proud by turning up to the Public Consultation Meeting in such large numbers.

The exit count at the end of the Meeting was 976. Therefore more than one thousand residents attended. Our thanks to all of you who attended or supplied your apologies.

#### ROAD NAMING – DORLIE LANE

Please be advised that Council is seeking comment for 28 days on its recommendation to support changing "Dorley Lane" to "Dorlie Lane".

Please contact Council should you wish to discuss this proposal.

#### SUBCATCHMENT PROJECT

##### Community Day in Alma Park Sunday 16 May – FREE BBQ LUNCH

Check out the flyer in this newsletter. Come along to find out more about the health of our water and what's planned on the creeklands through Uralla.

##### Kentucky Creek Drinking Water Catchment Project Starts

Council is pleased to announce funding has been received from the Border Rivers – Gwydir Catchment Management Authority for the commencement of a project to test water quality in the Kentucky catchment area. Test bores will be sunk in the Kentucky (closed) landfill site at the end of May. Creek Water testing will commence after consultation with landowners. All results and recommendations made by the hydro-geologist will be reported to Council to ensure appropriate remediation and rectification works, if required, are undertaken to keep our current and future water supply safe.

Our environment will benefit greatly from this project. For more information please contact Warren Sellings on 6778 6311.

#### NEW ENGLAND WIGS AND HEADWEAR LIBRARY supporting cancer patients

Would like to thank the local Community for their support in fundraising efforts conducted at the Street Stall in early May. The winners of their raffle conducted were:

- 1st Prize: Muriel Carter  
2nd Prize: Pauline Carlon  
Congratulations!!



#### URALLA SHIRE COUNCIL

##### STREET STORE ALLOCATIONS

A rent free store is made available as Council's contribution towards community organisations.

During the months of May/June the following organisations will be holding stalls and would appreciate your support :

NE Lapidary & Fossicking Club	- week ended 2/5/10
St Joseph's Church	- week ended 9/5/10
Uralla Combined Churches	- week ended 16/5/10
Rocky River P&C	- week ended 23/5/10
Friends of Foundry Inc	- week ended 30/5/10
Uralla Red Cross	- week ended 6/6/10
Kingstown P & C	- week ended 13/6/10
Uralla Driver Reviver	- week ended 20/6/10
Uralla Rugby League Club	- week ended 27/6/10

Council wishes each organisation success in their fund raising efforts which in turn provides assistance and support to members of our community.

#### Computerbank New England UPDATE

A massive increase in E-waste recovery has been possible since the move to Uralla Landfill. In March, Computerbank decreased their E-waste to landfill from 40% down to just 2%. The April report was even better with an incredible result - only 1.3% of E-waste was tipped into the pit. Volunteers have recovered Aluminium, Wire, Copper and Steel. This is fantastic work, well done Computerbank.

##### And Guess What ?

They need more of your E-waste so *please* take it to Computerbank at Uralla Landfill, *don't put your E-Waste in the garbage bin.*

##### Waste To Art Competition - Hurry, entries close 4 June.

Kingstown School has their entry in to Council – Where's your entry?

This competition is lots of fun and tests your imagination and artistic talents.

Enquiries to Kath Little or Nanette Lamrock 6778 6300.

For RSL Memorial Hall Bookings contact the Uralla Neighbourhood Centre on 6778 3277.

#### WHAT'S NEW IN TOWN ?

Purple Household Battery Collection Bins will be available at the post offices in Bundarra and Uralla, the General Store in Kentucky and the Community Street Stall in Uralla.

You can put all types of household batteries into these bins, your old mobile phone, torch batteries etc. Car batteries must be taken to your local landfill site.

#### MULCH

Due to a recent fire in a mulch pile at Uralla Landfill, Council now has high quality 100% wood mulch with a charcoal component.

Charcoal helps increase water retention in your garden, mulch also helps retain moisture and aids in the battle to controls weeds.

Cost \$15.50 per cubic metre

Delivery is available

Loading by arrangement Ph: 0427 245 793

#### Lions Information Meeting

Uralla RSL Memorial Hall

7.00pm 20 May 2010

Hosted by Lions District 201N1

Sponsors: Walcha Lions Club



Smart Casual Light Supper

Free Raffle: \$100 petrol voucher

Come along and bring a friend!

*Ordinary People*

*Doing Extraordinary Things!*

Full details of all reports to Council's next Meeting are contained in Council's Meeting Agendas which are available for public viewing at Bundarra General Store, Invergowrie General Store, Kentucky General Store, Kingstown General Store, Uralla Shire Council Chambers, Uralla Visitor Information Centre and on the website.

## Uralla Subcatchment Plan

The first stage of Uralla Creek Rehabilitation  
has been completed.

Planning the next stage of Uralla and Rocky Creek works NOW.

What does your  
creek  
mean to you ?

Come along and give us  
your ideas

Help influence what is  
done on the creeks

Learn from & talk with  
specialists in this field

Join in and help to form  
"Friends of the Creeklands"

Volunteer Groups



When: Sunday 16th May 2010

10am—3pm at ALMA PARK, URALLA

### What's Happening ?

**Please Bring a Chair &/or Blanket**

From 10am Join us for Morning Tea followed by an information session.

**Free BBQ LUNCH** at 1200 and from 1245 join in with future planning,

Join volunteer "Friends of the Creeklands" groups,

Speak with the specialists about your concerns

Help us create the best creekland environment for our future

**For the young and young at heart**

**WATERWATCH** activities on tap during the day

plus the playground at Alma Park

Please RSVP for Catering to Southern New England Landcare on 67729123.

