

GEORGE TOWN COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

TO: Councillors
COPY TO: GM, DCS, MI&W, MDS, MCD, EOC, EAG, EAP
FROM: Josie Higgins, Executive Officer (Governance)
DATE: Friday 8th May, 2015
SUBJECT: Coming Events/Information

**COUNCIL MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS – May 2015**

Day	Date	Time	Purpose
Tuesday	12 th May	5.45pm for 6.00pm	Volunteer of the Year Award presentation function – Jim Mooney Gallery
Wednesday	13 th May	2.00pm – 4.00pm	Special Council Workshop – Voluntary Amalgamations/Resource Sharing – Council Chambers
Wednesday	13 th May	4.00pm – 6.00 pm	Council Workshop – Budget - Council Chambers
Wednesday	20 th May	4.00pm – 5.00 pm	Audit Panel meeting – Council Chambers (Cr Barwick and Cr Nicholls only as appointed)
Wednesday	20 th May	5.00pm – 5.30 pm	Presentation by Chairperson of Audit Panel to Councillors – Council Chambers
Wednesday	20 th May	6.00pm	Ordinary Council Meeting – Council Chambers

PLANNING INFORMATION – Applications received for the week ending 8th May, 2015

DA No.	Received	Applicant	Address	Proposal	Portal Submission
2015/25	4/5	A Millwood	Den Road Pipers River	Dwelling in the Rural Resource Zone	NO
2015/26	4/5	Richard Nicholls obo S Ross	119 Soldiers Settlement Road George Town	Aircraft storage hanger	YES
2015/27	7/5	K Lindsay	Brownrigg Street Hillwood	Two shipping containers with roof (retrospective) within landslip overlay – vary front setback	NO

CURRENT/UPCOMING WORKS

Description	Detail of Works
Marguerite Street Traffic calming	Submission requesting approval sent 8 th January to Transport Commission – Awaiting response.
Main Road Bus Shelter	Glass installation to exterior of the shelter complete.
Footpath grinding	Complete.
Footpath replacement	Regent Square nearing completion.
Tree Maintenance	Weymouth.
Gravel re-sheeting program	Commenced 10 th March – Current works at Lefroy and Industry Road.
Edging of Kerb & Channel	Ongoing – Throughout George Town area.
TasRail Intermodal Project	Reconstruction of Old Bell Bay Road intersection in progress.
The Glen & Pipers River Rd Junction	Awaiting line marking.
Dalrymple Rd junction upgrades at Industry, The Glen & Old Bangor Tram Rds.	Work commenced 27 th April.
Windmill Pt (Esplanade Nth) road upgrade including stormwater & additional parking bays.	Work commenced 28 th April.
Jacobs Avenue	Kerb and channel works in progress.

COUNCILLOR CORRESPONDENCE – Week Ending 8th May, 2015

The following items of Councillor correspondence have been placed on the Councillors Intranet:

Date of Correspondence	Author	Details	For Information Only/ Action Required
30/04/2015	Tasmanian Heritage Council	News from the Tasmanian Heritage Council and Heritage Tasmania Sector Update	For information.
30/04/2015	TasWater	Letter from Tony Foster, Chief Representative to the Hon Peter Gutwein MP	For information.
01/05/2015	ALGA	Newsletter – 1 May 2015	For information.
01/05/2015	TCCI CEO	CEO's Update – 1 May 2015	For information.
03/05/2015	BOFA	Regional Innovation Survey	For action.
05/05/2015	Mr John Martin, General Manager	Draft Local Government (Meeting Procedures) Regulations 2015 – Consultation with Local Government	For information.

If you require a hard copy of any of the correspondence please contact Louise (louised@georgetown.tas.gov.au)

INVITATIONS

Volunteer Award – Tuesday 12th May 2015

If you wish to attend the awards presentation, please RSVP to Rebeccah (rebeccah@georgetown.tas.gov.au) as soon as possible.

**GIVE HAPPY
LIVE HAPPY
INVITATION**

Please join us to celebrate
National Volunteer Week

Location
Jim Mooney Gallery
Memorial Hall
George Town

Date
Tuesday, 12th May 2015

Time
6.00pm

RSVP
E: rebeccah@georgetown.tas.gov.au
P: 6382 8800
by Thursday, 7th May

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Launceston Tamar Valley Tourism Association (LTVTA)

May Family and Network Evening – Thursday 28th May 2015

Councillors are invited to join the LTVTA Committee for the May family and network evening, details below:

Where: Low Head / George Town
Cost: Networking event \$15.00 per person.
Bus cost: To be advised

4.45pm - Bus departure from Inveresk car park, 2 Invermay Road (near The Tramsheds)
5.30pm - Arrival at Low Head Penguin Tours Host: Shirley Lincoln <http://penguintours.lowhead.com>
(Come dressed in warm clothing and covered in footwear please)

6.40pm - Depart Low Head to Bass & Flinders Centre, George Town (Networking, food and drinks)
Host: Tim Corey <http://www.bassandflinders.org.au>

8.00pm - Bus departure to Launceston

*** For those wishing to take advantage of the bus transport from Launceston to George Town return, there will be a cost. Once bus numbers known further details will follow.

RSVP: Friday 22nd May info@lvtasmania.com.au
Please note any dietary requirements
