



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

The Victorian Electoral Commission is currently reviewing the electoral structure of the Gannawarra Shire. This important review will look at whether we have an appropriate number of Councillors and whether the municipality should be one large unsubdivided area or subdivided into wards.

You can learn more about this review and how you can have your say by visiting www.gsc.vic.gov.au.

Feedback will be accepted up to 5pm Wednesday, 15 February.

Kind regards,

Mayor Charlie Gillingham



RATES PAYMENT REMINDER

Ratepayers are reminded that if you are paying your rates in full, payment is due by Wednesday, 15 February 2023.

For more information, visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au/rates or phone (03) 5450 9333.

COUNCIL MEETING

The next Meeting of Council will be held on **Wednesday, 15 February 2023** at the Kerang Senior Citizens Centre, starting at 10am. Interested members of the public are welcome to attend.

A recording will be available at www.gsc.vic.gov.au/meetings no later than 24 hours after this meeting.

EMPLOYMENT VACANCIES

- **People & Development Officer** – Permanent full-time
- **Governance & Compliance Coordinator** – Permanent full-time
- **Technical Officer** – Temporary full-time
- **Finance Officer** – Temporary full-time
- **Early Years Support Officer** – Permanent full-time
- **Administration Officer – Enrolments** – Permanent full-time
- **Community Care Worker - Domestic Cleaner** - Casual

For more information, please visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au/jobs

TEMPORARY LAKE CLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that Kangaroo Lake will be closed to the public from 6.30am-6pm on Saturday, 11 February and Sunday, 12 February 2023.

The purpose of the lake closure is for Ski Racing Victoria PS5 event. Information about the exemptions made under section 203 of the *Marine Safety Act 2010* is available at www.gsc.vic.gov.au/waterway_events

Any enquiries may be directed to the Kerang Office on (03) 5450 9333.

Geoff Rollinson

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Free RATs from your council

FREE RAPID ANTIGEN TESTS

Thanks to the State Government, residents can collect up to 10 COVID-19 rapid antigen tests (2 kits) for each member of their household for free from Council's Customer Service Centres and Gannawarra Library Service branches. People requiring tests do not need to verify eligibility and do not need to reside within the municipality. Please note that if you do have COVID-19 symptoms and require a test, please arrange for someone to collect your free rapid antigen tests on your behalf.

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COMMUNITY SATISFACTION SURVEY UNDERWAY

The 2023 Community Satisfaction Survey is underway.

Independent market research agency National Field Services is currently contacting 400 residents over the age of 18 by telephone, asking participants to assess Council's overall performance.

Anyone who has any queries about the Community Satisfaction Survey is encouraged to contact Council on (03) 5450 9333.



FLOOD DEBRIS DISPOSAL

Residents needing to dispose of materials damaged by the October-December 2022 floods can do so for free at Council's transfer stations until 2 March 2023. For details regarding opening hours and transfer station locations, please visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au/waste

Information regarding cleaning up your property following a flood is also available via the Recovery and cleaning up section at www.gsc.vic.gov.au/floods