

Shire of Manjimup

Celebrating Our Diversity



SHIRE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

In our 2009/10 budget there were \$2.4 million worth of projects funded by some \$1.5m Royalties for Regions (R4R) [comprising both Shire allocated and Warren Blackwood Strategic Alliance allocated R4R funding].

The withdrawal of all Country Local Government funding (R4R) for 2009/10 has the following impact on the Shire's activities including deferral of:

- ◆ 14 building projects totalling \$1.3m;
- ◆ 8 road bitumen reseal projects totalling \$433k including the Manjimup Airport;
- ◆ 2 road asphalt projects (\$47k);
- ◆ 3 gravel resheeting projects (\$107k);
- ◆ 1 drainage project (\$5k);
- ◆ weighbridge for the Manjimup landfill site (\$150k); and
- ◆ partial deferment of landscaping works on the Pemberton main-street project (\$200k).

At this stage, the Minister for Regional Development has indicated that the 2009/10 funding will not be replaced in 2010/11 which means the funds have really been withdrawn rather than simply deferred.

In most likelihood, Council will consider reinstating these projects next year and funding them from 2010/11 R4R funding if and when confirmed. There is a possibility that recent changes made to the rules governing the regional funds to encourage local government reform may preclude some of these projects.

Needless to say, the late withdrawal of funding is extremely disappointing and frustrating to Council, staff and contractors.

Wade DeCampo

COUNCIL NEWS

CORPORATE MANAGEMENT

Local Government Reform: A fresh process on amalgamations is underway with the Minister for Local Government inviting the Shire of Manjimup to consider participating in a Regional Transition Group. A forum is scheduled in Perth for Tue 9 Feb to meet with the Minister to seek clarification on the reform agenda, however at this stage there is no likelihood of amalgamation in accordance with Council's previously stated position and that of our neighbouring shires. Nevertheless, a response from Council is required by 26 March 2010.

Local Government Extraordinary Election 2010 Central Ward: Two candidates have nominated for the Central Ward. Election details are published in the Public Notices in this edition.

Australia Day 2010: Congratulations to the worthy nominees. Shire President Wade DeCampo announced the Premier's Australia Day Active Citizenship Awards winners at the official Australia Day Ceremony in Walpole

on 26 Jan 2010:

Person 25 Years & Over

- ◆ Mrs Liz Burse
- ◆ Mr Colin Crombie (winner)
- ◆ Mr Alan Hatfield
- ◆ Mr Mark Hudson
- ◆ Mrs Faith Jones
- ◆ Ms Vivienne Karahoutis
- ◆ Mr Max Lefroy
- ◆ Mrs Flo Link
- ◆ Mrs Alison Littlefair
- ◆ Mrs Jan Ryan
- ◆ Shirley & Colin Rouse

Person Under 25 Years

- ◆ Miss Jaime Mayger (winner)

Community Group or Event

- ◆ Karri Cup Mountain Bike Challenge (winner)
- ◆ Manjimup Child and Family Health Centre Committee
- ◆ Manjimup Repertory Club - (winner)
- ◆ Risk Intervention Saving Kids
- ◆ Walpole Country Club
- ◆ Walpole Telecentre

STATUTORY SERVICES

Cumulative Statutory Approvals

	2010	2009	2008
Building Applications for January			
Number:	23	18	32
Value \$mil:	\$3.1	\$0.5	\$1.3

	2010	2009	2008
Planning Applications for January			
Number:	9	7	13
Value \$mil:	\$1.6	\$0.6	\$0.5

WORKS & SERVICES

Roads

- ◆ **Windy Harbour Road:** reconstruction completed, seal scheduled.
- ◆ **Old Vasse Road:** 2 drainage culverts installed.
- ◆ **Graphite Road:** reconstruction to be completed and sealed next week.
- ◆ **Private Works:** edging completed for Boyup Brook Shire. 3km edging for Bridgetown-Greenbushes Shire scheduled.
- ◆ **Maintenance Grading:** continuing in Manjimup and Northcliffe.
- ◆ **Bridge Repairs:** to various bridges in Manjimup Shire. Private works bridge maintenance with Bridgetown-Greenbushes, Nannup and Donnybrook Shires will commence shortly.
- ◆ **Shire reseal program:** commencing this week (noting that the reseal program will be greatly reduced with the withdrawal of R4R funding).

ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

An Ordinary Meeting of the Manjimup Shire Council will be held in Council Chambers, Manjimup commencing at 5.30pm on Thur 11 Feb 2010.

Notice of Agenda Items:

- 12.1.1 Additions and Alterations to an Office: Lots 568 & 362 Rose Street, Manjimup
- 12.1.2 Reconsideration of Proposed Small Bar and Caretaker's Residence: Lot 12 Hoptgarden Road, Beedelup
- 12.1.3 Proposed Change of Non-conforming Use to Holiday Accommodation: Lot 264 Brockman Street, Pemberton
- 12.1.4 Request for In-principle Support to Amend Subdivision

Guide Plan: Lots 4 and 820 and Location 6223 South-West Highway, Manjimup

- 12.1.5 Proposed Holiday Cottage and Outbuilding: Lot 22 Mitchell Way, Windy Harbour
- 12.3.1 Manjimup Country Club Requests Approval for a Temporary Caravan Park Camping Ground.
- 12.4.1 Request to Build Information Shelter on Shire Land
- 12.4.2 Financial Activity Statement: December 2009
- 12.4.3 Budget Review Adjustments and Removal of Royalties for Regions Funding: December 2009
- 12.5.1 Response to Petition: Request for Resurfacing of Lane Way Adjacent to the Railway between Manjimup Monograms and Manjimup Chainsaw Centre
- 12.14.1 Northcliffe Town Hall Management Committee Minutes: 18 Jan 2010
- 12.14.2 Airfield Management Committee Minutes: 2 Dec 2009
- 12.15.1 Marketing Advisory Committee Minutes: 21 Jan 2010

COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Northcliffe Town Hall Management
Notice is given that a meeting of the Northcliffe Town Hall Management Committee will be held in the Northcliffe Town Hall, Zamia St, Northcliffe at 7.30pm on Mon 15 Feb 2010.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice of Election: see Public Notices in this edition for details.

FIRE RESTRICTIONS
Zone 6 (Northcliffe/Walpole)
PROHIBITED BURNING until 28 Feb 2010

Zone 8 (Manjimup/Pemberton)
PROHIBITED BURNING until 14 Mar 2010

Dates are subject to change due to prevailing conditions.

Cash & Carry Sale of Computer Equipment:

- ◆ **What:** Second hand PC's, LCD screens, monitors & sundry equipment
- ◆ **When:** 9am onwards, Tue 16 Feb 2010
- ◆ **Where:** Manjimup Town Hall Inspection will be on the day only.
- Conditions of Sale:**
 - ◆ Cash and Carry. (Cash, EFTPOS and credit card).
 - ◆ Goods sold on "as is" basis.
 - ◆ There is no warranty or future service commitment.
 - ◆ All systems include licensed software as per manufacturer's supply.
 - ◆ Sales "in person" only.

Asbestos Removal: Increased controls on asbestos removal to reduce hazards have been introduced to WA's occupational safety and health

laws to ensure that only workers with the proper skills and knowledge can remove asbestos will come into force from 1 Jun 2010.

Business operators removing more than ten (10) square metres of bonded asbestos, including asbestos cement material, in a workplace will need to have completed an approved training course and hold an asbestos licence.

Further information can be obtained by telephoning WorkSafe on 9327 8777 or on the website at www.worksafe.wa.gov.au.

COMMUNITY UPDATE

Successful Grant Funding

Dept of Health has approved growth funding of \$34,420 to support Shire of Manjimup Home & Community Care with the provision of services. A further \$3,736 has been provided for the purchase of gardening equipment.

Youth Health Expo - Manjimup Timber Park on Thu 18 Feb 2010. The Expo is promoted by the Walgenup Aboriginal Corporation's Youth Group in partnership with the Shire. Approx 30 booths with healthy options and links to sporting and volunteering opportunities for youth, including State Emergency Service, St John's Ambulance, Youth Van, Local Drug Action Group Chocolate Wheel, RISK program, Mission Australia party zone and the PROBE car plus free entertainment. - contact Lisa Cross on 9771 1251.

MANJIMUP REGIONAL AQUACENTRE

Swim School: enrolments open until Fri 12 Feb 2010.

Great Big Loser: 8 week competition starts Tue 2 Mar 2010.

Personal Training Packages: available.

Contact AquaCentre on 9771 1278 for details.

LIBRARIES

- ◆ **Manjimup:** Rhyme Time is held on Fridays at 10.30am, and Story Time at 11am on Fridays.
- ◆ **Pemberton:** Rhyme Time is held on Wednesdays at 10am and Story Time Saturdays at 10am.

GRANT APPLICATIONS OPEN

The Dept of Sport and Recreation (DSR) invites applications for:

Community Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF) Small Grants: February 2010/2011 is now open for applications from not-for-profit sport, recreation or community groups and local government authorities seeking capital works grants to develop sport and recreation facilities with a total project cost of up to \$150,000. Applicants must discuss their application with DSR. Applications close at 4pm on Fri 26 Feb 2010.

Lotterywest Trails Grants: for trail planning, trail construction, upgrades to existing trails and promotion & marketing closes Fri 19 Mar 2010.

Visit www.dsr.wa.gov.au or contact Maureen Wright (DSR) on 9792 6900 for further details.

Ordinary Council Meetings 2010

5.30pm Thursdays - Open to Public

11 Feb	27 May	09 Sep
04 Mar	17 Jun (W)	30 Sep (N)
25 Mar (P)	08 Jul	21 Oct
15 Apr	29 Jul	11 Nov
06 May	19 Aug	09 Dec

(N)orthcliffe (P)emberton (W)alpole

Meetings are held in Council Chambers, off Brockman St, Manjimup unless otherwise advertised. Agendas and Minutes are available at our Public Libraries and on our website.

Manjimup Library
cnr Rose & Mount St Tel: 9771 2895
Mon-Wed 10.30am-5pm
Thu 10.30am-6pm

Fri 10.30am-5pm Sat 9.30am-12pm
Baby Rhyme Time: Fri 10.30am
Children's Story Time: Fri 11am

Northcliffe Library
Muirillup Road Tel: 9776 7168
Thu 2.30-4pm Fri 9am-4pm
Sat 9am-12pm

Pemberton Library
Brockman St Tel: 9776 1311
Mon 1-5pm Wed 9am-1.30pm
Fri 10am-12.30pm & 1-5pm
Sat 9am-12pm

Baby Rhyme Time: Wed 10am
Children's Story Time: Sat 10.30am

Quinninup Library
Mon, Wed, Fri 3-5pm Sat 9am-12pm

Walpole Library
Pier St Tel: 9840 1108
Wed 10am-1pm & 2-5pm
Fri 10am-1pm Sat 10am-12pm

Home & Community Care
Bath St, Manjimup Tel: 9777 1455

Manjimup Regional AquaCentre
cnr Rutherford & Finch St 9771 1278

Windy Harbour Camping
Tel: 9776 8398

Administration Centre

8.30am-5pm Monday-Friday
Tel: (08) 9771 7777

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Emergencies Only A/H 6454 4600
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