

Shire President's Message



Adopted Budget

The 2020-2021 Financial Budget was adopted at the Council meeting on 13 August 2020. This year's budget saw a 0% rate rise and a freeze on fees and charges in an effort to ease the burden on the community due to the impacts of Coronavirus. Council also voted to obtain three loans to be used for the Pemberton colocation project and a two stage upgrade of recreation and community facilities. The budget is available to view at the Shire Administration Office, public libraries and on the Shire website, you are encouraged to make yourself familiar with it.

COVID Relief Fund

There are still funds available in the COVID Relief Fund, if you or a friend need a helping hand or you are putting off paying bills or

worried about the next one get in touch with **BEN Signs** one of the many community representatives to discuss your options. A full list of representatives is available on the Shire's COVID information webpage.

The relief fund has been made possible through the generous support of Lotterywest and the hard work of the Shire's COVID Recovery Team, the Shire of Manjimup has attained \$428,364 to assist people living in the Shire (both permanent and itinerant) to alleviate any hardship that is being felt due to COVID-19. Approximately \$60,000 has already been utilised to help residents with basic necessities like firewood, gas and food.

Following the adoption of the budget comes the onset of rates. This year's rates reflect 22% of the Shire's income. The WA Local Government Association has produced some very informative videos and brochures explaining how your rates are calculated, you October 2020. can find links to them on the Shire website.

Emergency The Beach signs Numbers program is a coding system created with a unique prefix and has been integrated into CAD systems used by emergency services. These signs provide specific location information which is vital when emergency services are deployed. In the event of an emergency, dial 000 and quote the unique code and location information.

West Australian Photographic Federation Convention

The annual West Australian Photographic Federation's convention, PhotoWest, is this year being hosted by the Southern Forests Photography Club in Pemberton. The event sold out in 48 hours and will see photographers from throughout the state enjoying workshops, guest speakers and fellowship while exploring the Southern Forests region over the weekend 16-18

Until next time stay well and safe....Paul



Rates Information

How to Pay

Online at

www.manjimup. wa.gov.au

Biller Code - 57323

Reference number on your notice

Billpay Code - 2631

Reference number

on your notice

PO Box 1

Manjimup WA 6258

Due Dates

In full 2 October 2020

OR

1st Instalment 2 October 2020

2nd Instalment 7 December 2020

3rd Instalment 8 February 2021

Final Instalment 12 April 2021

Did you know?

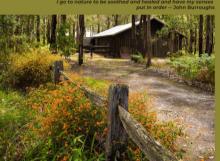
- You can pay weekly, fortnightly or monthly via
- · You can pay by Centrepay deductions (contact Centrelink).
- You can pay by special arrangement or payment plan (contact the Rates Officer). Severe Financial Hardship



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If you are unable to pay due to severe financial hardship, please contact the Rates Officer to discuss your options

Coastal Ward Councillor

Cr Wendy Eiby Ph: 0434 811 474



Northcliffe Waste Transfer Station

Lot 150 Pemberton Northcliffe Road Tuesday: 12pm - 5pm / Saturday: 9am - 4pm

Northcliffe Library

Lot 178 Muirillup Road - 9776 7203 Monday - Sunday: 9am - 4pm Holidays: 9am - 4pm

2020 Ordinary Council Meetings

Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, off Brockman Street, Manjimup Copies of the agenda are available via the Shire website Tuesday before the meeting.

The Shire of Manjimup recommends attendance from members of the public only if they have essential matters to discuss due to COVID-19 restrictions.

3 September 24 September

15 October 5 November 26 November 17 December

Shire President - Paul Omodei

Administration Centre

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