

## COUNCIL NEWS

### 2024 Australia Day Awards

Nominations are now open for the following awards to recognise the contributions individuals, events, organisations and business' have had on our community in the last year.

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Community Event or Community Organisation of the Year
- Business of the Year
- Employee of the Year

Award winners will be recognised at the Lower Eyre Council Australia Day breakfast and presentations in Cummins on Friday, 26 January 2024. Nomination forms are available on Council's website and in Council Offices.

For further information, please email [mail@dclep.sa.gov.au](mailto:mail@dclep.sa.gov.au).

Nominations close 5pm, 2 December 2023.

### Cummins Caravan & Cabin Park

Cummins Caravan and Cabin Park bookings are now made online!

Visit the link below to book a site or cabin to enjoy during the summer holidays.

[Cummins Caravan and Cabin Park | Lower Eyre Peninsula Council](#)



### New Staff Member

Helen Fraser commenced with Council on 30 October in the Manager Corporate Services role. In addition to being a qualified lawyer, Helen also has extensive experience (over 25+ years) working within Local and other levels of government as well as the community and health industry in New Zealand. She comes with experience in corporate services, legal affairs, project management, community engagement, youth & family services and community health and will be a great addition to the Council team.

## December Council Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the December Ordinary Council meeting has been rescheduled as per below, to allow for council administration to process resolutions and actions items arising before the Christmas holidays.

- From Wednesday, 20 Dec 2023
- To Wednesday, 13 Dec 2023

The ordinary meeting will commence at 9am in the Council Chambers.

## Public Consultation – Review of Council Policies

Council have recently reviewed the following policies and now invite public feedback to ensure they meet the needs of the community:

- Public Consultation Policy; and,
- Community Engagement Strategy Policy

To view the policies, click [here](#) or visit the Council Office at 32 Railway Terrace, Cummins or 38 Washington Street, Port Lincoln during normal business hours.

Comments may be sent via email to: [mail@dclep.sa.gov.au](mailto:mail@dclep.sa.gov.au) or by post: Director Corporate Services & Community, PO Box 41 Cummins SA 5631 prior to 5pm, Thursday 30 November 2023.

## Bratten Way Sealing

The sealing of the first 1600m section of new pavement on Bratten Way (5.4km to 7.0km West of Cummins), was undertaken last week.

The new seal will need time to cure, consequently Contractors and Council are requesting that care is taken, and speed limits are adhered to.

We thank the public for their patience during the construction works and apologise for the inconvenience caused.



## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Level 1 Sports Trainer Course

The South Australia Sports Medicine Association have received funding from SPORT SA to provide subsidised sports trainers and sideline help Courses to South Australian sporting communities.

This course is great way for local trainers to upskill and gain accreditation. And at a discounted rate!

The course will be held on Sunday, 26 November 2023 at the Lincoln South Football Club.

For more information or to register, visit [www.sasma.com.au](http://www.sasma.com.au).

### Active Club Program

The Active Club Program is now offering active recreation, sport, and recreation fishing clubs the opportunity to their share of more than \$1.2 million funding!

Active clubs are eligible for up to \$3,000 funding for programs and equipment that will benefit activity levels of South Australians.

Applications close Monday, 4 December 2023.

For more information, please visit <https://www.orsr.sa.gov.au/grants/active-club-program>

## Economic Recovery Fund

The New Economic Recovery Fund is open for applications from regional tourism operators. The fund will provide \$20 million to support Manufacturing Innovation and Regional Tourism Infrastructure Development.

Grants from \$150,000 up to \$1 million or loans from \$1 million to \$5 million are open for applications. Both are limited to up to 30% of the overall cost of the project at hand.

Applications close 15 December 2023.

For more information or to apply, please visit the below website;

[Economic Recovery Fund opens for Regional Tourism Infrastructure ...](#)