

COUNCIL TO COMMUNITY 17 February 2021

Governance Update

Wheatbelt Medical Student **Immersion Program**

Shire of Westonia in The conjunction with Rural Health West, Country WA Primary Health Network & Wheatbelt East Regional Organisation of Councils (WEROC). Medical students from Curtin Medical School and The University of Australia Notre Dame Fremantle School of Medicine will participate in a rural immersion experience in Westonia between the Mon 15th to Fri. 19 March 21

The program aims to build student understanding of a rural life. During their stay, students will experience a farm safety course and visits to local general practices, hospitals schools, Community and events and Town Specific opportunities. This program will give them an understanding of what а country patient experiences when travelling to/from Perth for treatment. If a student is influenced by the program to consider a rural career, that will be the cherry on top.

Community Thank you Dinner

Thursday. March 18 2021 at 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM



Wanderers Stadium Diorite St, Westonia





AVAILABILITY OF ANNUAL REPORT 2019/20 and

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF ELECTORS

The Annual Report of the Shire of Westonia for 2019/20 is available for inspection at the Shire Office, Wolfram Street Westonia during office hours or via the Shire Website www.westonia.wa.gov.au.

The Annual General Meeting of Electors will be held on Tuesday 9th March at the Old Miners Hall, Wolfram Street, Westonia commencing at 6.30pm.

The purpose of the meeting of electors is to discuss the Annual Report for 2019/2020 and any other general business.

Jamie Criddle Chief Executive Officer





OUTRIGHT PURCHASE OF

ADMINISTRATION VEHICLES

Council are seeking tenders for the Outright Purchase of the following vehicles:

2020 Toyota Landcruiser 200 Series registration 0 WT.

(Vin JTMHV01J5044315509) The vehicle is in as new condition with approximately 15,000km at time of release and is licensed until 30 June 2021.

2020 Toyota Landcruiser Prado GXL registration WT 111.

(Vin JTEBR3FJ10K175714) The vehicle is in as new condition with approximately 15,000km at time of release and is licensed until 30 June 2021.

Inspections of the two vehicles can be made by contacting the CEO, Jamie Criddle on 0427 467 063 o r ce<u>o@westonia.wa.gov.au</u>

Tenders be accepted until 4pm Wednesday 3rd of March 2021 and should be submitted in a sealed envelope marked 'ADMIN VEHICLE TENDER" to:

JAMIE CRIDDLE SHIRE OF WESTONIA

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Primary Care Nurse Practitioner LAURA BLACK

Every Tuesday 9.00am-2.00 pm **Booking made through SHIRE ADMIN** on (08) 9046 7063



DR OLGA WARD MBBS, FRACGP, GDRGP, FARGP Procedural Surgical **GP** Westonia **SHIRE ADMIN on** (08) 9046 7063 **Consulting Dates 2021** (Monday's) 22th of February 2021 WEROC 16th-18th March 2021 29th of March 2021 9th of April 2021 3rd of May 2021 14th of June 2021 12th of July 2021 30th of August 2021 4th of October 2021 8th of November 2021 13th of December 2021



The podiatrist will be back in town on the following dates

31 March 2021

Please call the Shire Office on (08) 90467063 for more information or to make an appointment.

COUNCIL WORKS UPDATE

Current and soon to be commenced Council works and projects



Roadworks

The construction crew have finally completed the 4.8km reconstruction of the Western end of the M040 which sees the completion of all upgrades to this road for a while.

Sealing is currently taking place with a new 2 coat seal. The works crew need to be complimented for their outstanding standard of work on this project.

1.5km section of the А Warralakin Road will also be reconstructed later in March adjacent to Logan Road. Trucks are currently carting excess spoil away from the site at the moment.

A 4km section of Capito Road has been carted and will be levelled and water bound early next week.

New drainage pipes are currently being installed on the Goldfields & 4 Mile Gate Floodways. The existing aluminium pipes have severely corroded and will be replaced with a new recycled plastic pipe which will not be affected by the salt and alkaline soils and water in the area. Traffic in the area are requested to take care with the exposed excavations during the process.

4km section of Sth А Walgoolan Road near the 6 Mile Clothier intersection will be treated with a polymer product to reduce the amount of corrugation that occurs by heavy traffic in the area.

The maintenance grader is currently at the extreme end to the North grading roads where significant rains fell earlier in the month.

Caravan Park

The town crew are currently redeveloping the caravan park to include an additional 6 bays to accommodate the influx of tourists expected during the tourist season.

Town Development

It is pleasing to see the new residential development happening in town which is making the town even more vibrant!!



Contact your local Fire Control Officer or contact the Shire Office on (08)90467063

CHIEF BUSHFIRE CONTROL OFFICER Frank Corsini | 0429 467 042 **DEPUTY BUSHFIRE CONTROL OFFICER** Malcolm Nicoletti | 0428 449 034



Please note the Shire offices and public library will be closed for the Labour Day public holiday on Monday 1

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