



## **Drop-in Session: Council Advisory Committees – Information & Registration**

**Where?** Balranald Discovery Café , Market Street  
(in the Visitor Information Centre complex)

**When?** Thursday, 30<sup>th</sup> July 11:00am – 1:00pm

**Why?**

- Explain the seven Advisory Committees,
- Discuss the role of Committee Members,
- Register your expressions of interest
- Committee-Council framework (Also to!).

**Who?** You'll have the opportunity to engage with our friendly Council Staff who can answer your queries





On the 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020 at an Extraordinary Meeting of Council, the Administrator ratified the Proposed Advisory Committee Structure comprising seven Advisory Committees. It was also resolved that Council – for a one month period – invite our Shire community members to submit expressions of interest (EOI) for one or more of the Advisory Committees.

1. Your Contact Details (to remain confidential with Council):

2. Can you please give Council a brief snapshot of your career and interests?

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3. Which Advisory Committee(s) are you interested in becoming a member of?

- ☐ Youth Council
- ☐ Growing Business Industry and Tourism
- ☐ Strengthening Community Access, Inclusion & Well-being
- ☐ Ageing Well, Aged Care and Facilities
- ☐ Balranald Beautification
- ☐ Sport and Recreation
- ☐ Euston Progressive

4. Can you please briefly explain why you are interested in joining this/these Advisory Committee(s)

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# BALRANALD SHIRE COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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## FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

**Next Ordinary Meeting of Council: 5pm, 18 August 2020**

As I move around the community, many of you are telling me that Council has/does not listen to what the community wants. In my role, I am committed to listening to what the community wants from its Council, but, my listening will only deliver outcomes reflective of community expectations when there is a genuinely representative community voice speaking to me that enables me to understand the depth of community support for the various options for Council actions, works and services under consideration.

As I have said repeatedly since my arrival in Balranald, the primary task that I have been given by the Minister is to restore confidence between Council and the community. However, my recent experience with the 2020-21 Council Budget process has left me wondering how we can achieve this (I say "we" because it must be a 2-way process).

In June, Council adopted the 2020-2021 Operational Plan & Revenue Policy which includes a \$24M budget and sets the rates and charges for the year. We asked the community to actively contribute to these, but although some community input was received (and appreciated), very few people participated in this important process. We offered six face-to-face sessions in Balranald and Euston, but only one person attended **in total**. Only a session at Clare was well attended, although these sessions were widely publicised, and they could not realistically be interpreted as providing an expression of community-wide opinion.

Following those sessions, we received only 8 written submissions on the 2020-2021 Operational Plan, Revenue Policy and Long-Term Financial Plan. Thank you to those who made submissions, but the low

participation rate leaves me wondering how worthwhile is it allocating resources to consultation with such low levels of participation? While I appreciate the community's apparent confidence in me to make these important decisions, I still need a lot more input from you if I am to ensure that Council delivers what the community wants.

Council is now seeking direct community involvement in local decision-making by asking people to nominate to join one or more of six new local advisory committees. After discussion with the community in a series of online workshops held in April/May, followed by an online survey in May/June, the following advisory committee framework was established:

- Growing Business, Industry & Tourism
- Strengthening Community Access, Inclusion & Wellbeing
- Ageing Well, Aged Care & Facilities
- Balranald Beautification
- Sport & Recreation
- Euston Progressive

In addition to these, our Youth Council is already underway, and it is intended that there be an Executive of Chairs Committee comprising the Chairs of each advisory committee in order to better harmonise decision-making across different areas of interest.

We are currently seeking nominations from interested community members to serve on these six committees - please consider nominating yourself, or consider alerting someone else who you think might be suitable to nominate. Further details regarding the nomination process are contained within.

**Mike Colreavy**  
**ADMINISTRATOR**

**E: [mcolreavy@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:mcolreavy@balranald.nsw.gov.au)**

## From the Youth Mayor

Hi all,

I hope you're all settling back into things after the two-week break, and ready to go for the second half of the year! The Youth Council and I are sure enough ready to get back to work.

I would like to thank the community for its ongoing strength and support during these Covid times, the Youth Council has experienced major interruptions to its plans since the time of the Covid-19 beginning, and we are still drawing our attention to returning to regular duties.

I would like to once again remind the community to social distance and use proper hygiene in an effort to keep out Covid-19. Also please remember to respect our healthcare, and other essential workers who continue to work at their hardest to keep our communities safe, clean, and happy.

During the past few weeks, I have begun to roll out a survey for those aged 25 and below (the Youth) to complete, so if you come across it, and are in the age group we are surveying, then please take 10 minutes to fill it out. This survey is regarding the potential future establishment of a Youth Hub in Balranald. We can't wait to check out your responses to it.

I would like to officially announce the co-winners of the Youth Council logo design competition, who will each be receiving a gift voucher from the Balranald sports shop. Your designs will be used to inspire the final outcome of the design for the next Youth Council logo. So, congratulations to Aleah Richards, and Reagan in year 4 (at BCS). Your prizes will be delivered to you soon!

I would like to inform the community that we plan to launch the final design of our logo soon, and we cannot wait to share it with you! And we would like to give a special thank you to Zoe Griffiths, who is creating the final design of our logo. Zoe has worked with us on many projects, and we are glad to have her working with us again!

We are still working on our up and coming Facebook page. Though it's been a while since I first announced this project, we are making sure that there are no loose ends, so that when we release it, it is fully functional.

The Youth Council is now hard at work on recruiting our next team! So if you are interested in joining us, then please visit the Balranald Shire Council webpage, and view the Advisory Committee Structure for 2020-2021. We cannot wait to see some new faces.

On behalf of the Balranald Shire Youth Council,  
Stay safe, and keep well!  
Jackson Bialobrzewski  
Youth Council Mayor, Balranald Shire Youth Council

## ABC Heywire Competition 2021

The ABC is calling for stories from young people aged 16-22 for the Heywire Competition! This annual storytelling competition showcases what life is like in regional, rural and remote Australia. 40 winners, chosen from right across Australia, will work with ABC producers to see their stories featured on the ABC. They also receive an all-expenses paid trip to the Heywire Regional Youth Summit, where winners come together to discuss how life could be improved for young people in their communities. Enter your story by September 16th!

<http://www.abc.net.au/heywire/competition/>





## Introducing Graeme Gillam



Council has recently welcomed Graeme Gillam to the team in the role of Finance Manager.

Graeme brings a wealth of knowledge to Council having spent recent years working in Local Government around Australia. He has previously lived in the Far West region working as CFO at Broken Hill City Council.

Graeme has moved from Northern Peninsula Area Regional Council in Cape York after four years there as Executive Manager Finance and most recently as CEO. Graeme also has experience in public accounting and the engineering and mining industries.

Graeme is originally from Tasmania and is keen to get back flying having got his wings at Swan Hill some years back. With a farming heritage, Graeme has many and varied interests including flying, motorcycling, sailing, farming and fishing. Graeme has a strong interest in mentoring.

If you see him around town be sure to say hi and introduce yourself!

### Expressions of Interest - NEW Advisory Committees

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| <input type="radio"/> Youth Council (12-25 years only)                       | <input type="radio"/> Balranald Beautification |
| <input type="radio"/> Growing Business Industry & Tourism                    | <input type="radio"/> Sport & Recreation       |
| <input type="radio"/> Strengthening Community Access, Inclusion & Well-Being | <input type="radio"/> Euston Progressive       |
| <input type="radio"/> Ageing Well, Aged Care and Facilities                  |  |

At the Extraordinary Council Meeting on 30 June 2020 Council adopted the new Advisory Committee Structure and opened a four week Expression of Interest period to close 30 July 2020. **This deadline has been extended to Friday 14 August 2020.**

If you intend to express interest to join one (or more) of the Advisory Committees, please do so without delay!! The new Advisory Committee structure can be viewed on Council's website <http://www.balranald.nsw.gov.au/uncategorized/advisory-committee-structure-2020-2021/>

### To express your interest

Please complete the form attached to the front of this edition of this newsletter (behind the flyer about the drop in session!) and email it to [council@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@balranald.nsw.gov.au) or drop it into the Office.

If you have already expressed your interest in brief via SurveyMonkey or email, you will be emailed a full registration of interest form to complete. These forms are to help Council fairly evaluate all applications received, to ensure we compile a representative, robust, roundtable of voices.

### Questions?

A drop in session will be held at the Discovery Café on Thursday 20 July, 11am - 1pm. Come down, ask questions, get involved!

## **Council Works Update**

### **Road construction and maintenance**

#### **Construction**

Work is continuing on gravel sheeting of a section of the Ivanhoe-Mildura Road across the Lake Leaghur lakebed.

Council has received advice of approval to its application for grant funding comprising approximately \$4 million under the State's Fixing Local Roads programme to be spent on upgrading and sealing the balance of Weimby – Kyalite Road as far as the Windomal Road junction, and extending the bitumen seal on the Marma – Box Creek Road for a minimum of a further 14km.

It is anticipated, but not yet confirmed, that Council will also receive funding under the Regional Road Repair ("REPAIR") round of Transport for NSW funding to widen the section of Main Road 296 (Kyalite – Moulamein Road) from the Kyalite Caravan Park entrance to the Shire boundary. A second application under this programme for funding the gravel sheeting and bitumen sealing of a 2km section of Main Road 514 (Oxley Road) including widening a narrow multi-cell culvert is likely to also be approved.

Other construction works planned in coming months are the widening of the Magenta – Wampo Road from the Tronox mine access to the intersection with Marma – Box Creek Road, and completion of the widening of a 1 km length of Main Road 67 (Balranald – Ivanhoe Road) which was unable to be completed in 2019-20 due to inundation.

Taken together, these projects represent the largest road construction programme ever undertaken by the Council in a single year.

#### **Unsealed road maintenance**

Contractors have completed all formation recovery and maintenance grading programmes under Round 1 of the Commonwealth Drought Communities Programme (DCP). Tenders will be invited shortly under Round 2 of the DCP for maintenance of approximately 170km of roads in the northeast of the Shire and in the Prungle – Marma area.

#### **Sealed road maintenance**

A schedule of locations is being prepared for heavy patching, together with culvert extensions and shoulder widening, at various locations on MR67.

#### **Water, sewerage and drainage**

##### **Balranald Sewerage Program**

Works proposed in 2020-21 comprise a further round of sewer relining and various pump station upgrades.

##### **Balranald Water Network**

Work is progressing on the Integrated Water Cycle Management (IWCM) Plan by Public Works Advisory.

##### **Euston Sewerage Program**

Works proposed in 2020-21 comprise various pump station upgrades and inlet structure cleaning.

##### **Euston Water Network**

Discussions are ongoing regarding the draft Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Lower Murray Water (LMW) for progressing investigations into the potential to connect Euston to the Robinvale filtered water network via an under-river pipeline.



## **Council Works Update (cont.)**

### ***Civic enhancement projects***

#### **Riverfront precinct**

A formal development application for the proposed swing bridge is in preparation, including detailed investigations of environmental and cultural heritage matters. Preliminary works are in hand for construction of the proposed walking trail linking the new and existing bridges.

#### ***Buildings and Facilities***

##### **Football/Netball Club**

Pavilion upgrading works are now complete. A preliminary concept plan for design of new change rooms has been referred back to the architect for modification after consultation with Balranald Football Club.

##### **Bidgee Haven Hostel**

Tenders for the design and construction of the proposed 15-bed high dependency extension were put on hold in March 2020 due to the pandemic situation. Closure of the Victorian border means that this must remain deferred.

##### **Balranald Landfill**

Work continues at the landfill to clean up historic uncontrolled tipping and to better control specialist waste.

##### **Euston Cemetery**

Installation of a toilet is in hand under the 2019-20 budget. Under a contract with Local Land Services, the perimeter fence has been installed prior to the planting of trees that are specifically chosen to attract regent parrots. Perimeter irrigation works were deferred so as to integrate with the proposed plantings, but can now proceed when resources permit.

##### **Euston Recreation Reserve**

Repairs have been carried out on the netball courts surfacing. Provision has been made in the 2020-21 budget to upgrade the entrance to the reserve.

##### **Euston Riverfront Reserve**

Improvements to the riverfront parking area have been completed and a footbridge on the riverside walking track has been installed.

##### **Balranald town maintenance**

The Operations team continue to carry out routine town maintenance tasks and specific works as required from time to time. Root barrier works are being finished to mitigate the impact on neighbouring properties of historic Moreton Bay Fig trees in Court Street

##### **Euston town maintenance**

Landscaping of the main entries to the town is a priority to be considered in allocating funds from the Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Programme.

##### **Border control**

Since the Government's announcement on 6 July 2020 of the proposed closure of the Victorian border from midnight on Tuesday 7 July, Council's Operations team has been heavily involved in providing infrastructure and logistics to support the border checkpoint on the Murray Valley Highway at Euston.

## Street Raffles

Council has recently received an enquiry regarding registration of Street Raffles (i.e. community groups holding positions in front of shops, selling raffle tickets to pedestrians).

Council reminds residents of the Street Raffles Policy adopted by Council in 2009 and most recently readopted in February 2017. The objective of this policy is to ensure that street raffles are to be equitable to all community groups, individuals and adjacent land owners & convenient to the public and adjacent land owners.

Council commends our community groups on the general decorum with which they conduct themselves. Our various school groups and other not for profits are a credit to themselves; the self regulation, etiquette and overall level of cooperation exhibited is a true reflection of community mindedness and something to be proud of.

Council thanks the Balranald Newsagency for maintaining the calendar of bookings and facilitating the orderly conduct of Street Raffles.

Should you wish to book in a street stall, please contact the Balranald Newsagency. Should you have any queries about the policy, please contact Council.

All Council policies are available on Council's website: [www.balranald.nsw.gov.au](http://www.balranald.nsw.gov.au)



### BALRANALD SHIRE COUNCIL

#### DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION

Pursuant to Section 4.59 of the *Environmental Planning & Assessment Act 1979*, public notice is hereby given that the following development applications have been approved:

Approval Date	Reference	Applicant	Address	Description
30/06/2020	DA 45/2020	Cadell Orchards Pty Ltd	Windomal Road, Balranald	Rural Workers Accommodation & Onsite Sewage Management System

The development consent is available for public inspection, free of charge, during normal office hours at Balranald Shire Councils Office, 70 Market Street, Balranald.

Michael Kitzelmann, General Manager  
PO Box 120, BALRANALD NSW 2715  
03 5020 1300  
[www.balranald.nsw.gov.au](http://www.balranald.nsw.gov.au)

### Reminder: Email Invoice and Payment Options for Rates & Water Notices

You can now go paperless and receive your Council Rates & Water notices electronically. Council has employed Payreq to send digital invoices to online banking BPayView, or directly to accounting systems, Xero, MYOB, or Reckon.

You don't need to be a business or use an accounting program to set up a BPay View account. If you would like more information about options for going digital, please email or phone Council - our finance team are happy to help!



### New Unit for NSW SES Balranald



The NSW State Emergency Service has recently moved into their refurbished Unit opposite the Balranald Shire Council Offices.

New signage was placed on the outside of the shed and new furniture and equipment were installed inside the Unit.

"The NSW SES is the combat agency for storms and floods and works with other local volunteer organisations, such as the Volunteer Rescue Association and Rural Fire Service, to ensure the community has help when they need it the most," Deputy Zone Commander Craig McIntyre said.

"To be able to bring the Balranald Unit operations into a single space means our members will have an area to work, meet and conduct their training activities.

"It was wonderful to see the support and interest from locals while we were establishing the new headquarters. We signed up two new members on the day and encourage anyone who has an interest in supporting their community to apply on the NSW SES website.

"A big thankyou to Balranald Council for providing this facility and working with the NSW SES to enable us to support the local Balranald community," Mr McIntyre said.

Visit [www.ses.nsw.gov.au/volunteer](http://www.ses.nsw.gov.au/volunteer) to find out more about NSW SES or to register to become a volunteer.

### News From CanAssist

Hello from the Can Assist team to everyone in the community. You may not have heard from us for a while but we are still here. Despite the measures we have had to take during these COVID-19 times we are still operating and still assisting cancer patients in the district.

**If anyone needs assistance please do not hesitate to contact us on 0474 928 919**

We are here to help patients and their families experiencing difficult times. In the future we hope to meet with all the community again and invite everyone to join us, once that time comes, to help build our Branch into the future and also to enjoy some much needed social time together. Until then the Executive Committee sends best wishes to everyone to remain safe and remain healthy

**Can Assist Executive Committee – Balranald Branch**  
**Charity fund raising Number 12748**



### News From the Gallery

Balranald's Sense of Place in 480 Instagram moments showing at The Gallery. Balranald's Tour Operator German Urgarte showcases memorable moments exploring hidden treasures of Mungo and Yanga National Parks.

Week days 10-4 or by appointment. Come see what Balranald has to offer.

## RAS Foundation Rural Scholarships

Students in regional areas often have to relocate in order to study, leaving behind the support of family and friends and feeling torn between their education and their obligations. Fortunately, assistance in the form of a scholarship can help ease some worries and allow greater freedom to more regularly visit home and lend a hand.

Our Rural Scholarship program goes a small way to ensure students from regional areas can chase the same education dreams as students from rural and regional areas.

Who can apply for a RAS Foundation Rural Scholarship?

Rural Scholarships are available to support individuals in NSW who demonstrate a passion for rural communities and commitment for any career that will ensure the future success of rural and regional NSW.

Applicants for a Rural Scholarship must:

Be enrolled in or applying for study in any accredited tertiary course at an approved Australian education provider

Demonstrate a desire to contribute to the future of rural NSW

Demonstrate how a scholarship would assist them in achieving their education or training goal

Be an Australian citizen or permanent resident

What type of courses qualify for the RAS Foundation Rural Scholarship?

There is no limit on the types of courses that qualify or the age of the applicant. You could be studying anything from physiotherapy, engineering, teaching, agricultural science, horticulture, medicine and commerce - and almost everything in between.

You could be studying at University, TAFE or VET courses, on campus or by distance learning. However applicants all have one thing in common - a desire to play an active part in the future of rural NSW.

What scholarships are available?

Scholarships of up to \$6,000 for full-time study or \$3,000 for part-time study are available.

How can I apply?

**You can apply for a 2021 RAS Foundation Rural Scholarship from 1 July 2020 to 7 September 2020 by following the link to the online application form at the top right-hand side of this page.**

<http://www.rasnsf.com.au/foundation/scholarships/ras-rural-scholarships/>

**NSW Wild Dog Fence extension project**

# Job opportunities for the Aboriginal community

## Information for local Traditional Owners regarding employment opportunities

The NSW Government has committed to extending the NSW Border Wild Dog Fence by 742 km along the New South Wales and Queensland/South Australian borders. The project presents opportunities for local Aboriginal community groups and individuals to be involved through employment, assessments for cultural heritage and other areas.

### Employment

There will be a number of employment opportunities in the construction phase of the project, with some positions to remain ongoing to manage the extended fence. Local Aboriginal businesses, contractors and individuals interested in finding out more and registering their interest in being involved are asked to contact the project team.

### Assessments for Aboriginal cultural heritage

The project team will be working with local Aboriginal groups and individuals to carry out assessments for Aboriginal cultural heritage. The assessments will be undertaken prior to construction commencing.

### Contacting the project team

To express your interest in the employment opportunities or get further information about the assessments for Aboriginal cultural heritage, contact the project team on (02) 5852 1215 or [wilddogfence@scs.nsw.gov.au](mailto:wilddogfence@scs.nsw.gov.au).





**Local Land Services**

### HELP US HELP YOU - CHECK YOUR LETTERBOX

Local Land Services is urging landholders to keep an eye out for Annual Land and Stock Returns which are landing in mailboxes this week.

Annual returns are a statutory requirement and the data provided ensures Local Land Services customers get the help they need when emergencies or disasters strike.

"We're urging landholders to complete their Annual Land and Stock Return online, because that's the quickest way to ensure we can respond swiftly and accurately when needed," said Business Partner, Emergency Management, Steve Eastwood.

"Landholders can help us help them in an emergency or biosecurity event," he said.

Annual Land and Stock Returns are a snapshot in time, much like a census and landholders should fill in the details as they were recorded at 30 June.

Annual returns need to be lodged to Local Land Services no later than 31 August.

The information gathered builds a picture of agricultural land use and livestock numbers across NSW and assists in monitoring flocks and herds for emergency animal diseases.

"We understand circumstances change over a 12 month period, and after a hard few years, reporting livestock figures can be confronting, especially when landholders have destocked due to drought, fire or flood," Dr Eastwood said.

Executive Director Regional Operations, Rob Kelly, noted that the livestock figure landholders provide on their return does not affect the amount they pay in rates.

Local Land Services rates are calculated on a property's Notional Carrying Capacity.

Mr Kelly said it is vital Local Land Services has accurate, up-to-date information so it can best deliver services.

"It may not be top of every landholder's to-do list right now, but we need all returns so we can understand what's happening on the ground across the state," he said.

"In an emergency situation like last summer's fires, our team will be supporting landholders as well as other agencies and suppliers to roll out an enormous amount of practical help, as well as information and advice," he said

Lodging online only takes a few minutes. Visit [www.lls.nsw.gov.au/alsr](http://www.lls.nsw.gov.au/alsr) and follow the links to the dedicated portal..

The online process can be done in three simple steps and helps reduce face to face contact with Local Land Services and mail service staff, although postal lodgement is still available.

**This is what  
INSPIRATION  
looks like**

**Australian of the Year  
Awards**  
Respect. Respect. Celebrate.

**We're all part of the story  
Nominate now**  
[australianoftheyear.org.au](http://australianoftheyear.org.au)



### Nominate Now for the 2021 Australian of the Year Awards

The Australian of the Year Awards recognise individuals who are changing lives and Australian society for the better; someone whose challenges and triumphs are manifested in their life experience and personal journey, beyond their career achievements. A person who has taken risks, done the hard yards and been a pioneer in their field, positively impacting the lives of others. Do you know someone who is worthy of the title of Australian of the Year? To nominate, go to <https://www.australianoftheyear.org.au/nominate/> and complete the three short questions. Nominations close on Friday, 31 July 2020.

# COVID-19

## Keep yourself and your loved ones safe



**Stay 1.5 metres or two big steps away** from other people



**Follow NSW rules for gatherings and activities** (individuals and businesses). Follow advice to avoid COVID-19 hotspots



**Don't attend big family gatherings.** Catch up with a small group instead



**Stay safe when out and about.** Take hand sanitiser with you. Clean your hands often



**No shaking hands, hugging or kissing** other people who don't live with you



**Stay in if you feel unwell. Get tested** if you have any symptoms. Avoid contact with others until you are well

### COVID-19 symptoms



Fever



Cough



Sore throat



Shortness of breath



Loss of smell



Loss of taste

### Stay Safe



**Clean your hands thoroughly** for at least 20 seconds with soap and water, or an alcohol-based hand sanitiser



**Cover your nose and mouth** when coughing and sneezing with a tissue or your elbow. Put the tissue in the bin and wash your hands



For more information call the National Coronavirus helpline on **1800 020 080** (available 24/7). For free help in your language call **13 14 50**.


[www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19](https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19)

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### Beyond Blue Coronavirus Mental Wellbeing Support Service

Beyond Blue are providing information, advice and strategies to help you manage your wellbeing and mental health during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Hotline  [1800512348](tel:1800512348)

 [Beyond Blue Coronavirus Mental Wellbeing Support Service](https://www.beyondblue.org.au/coronavirus-mental-wellbeing-support-service)

## Border closure

Public Health (COVID-19 Border Control) Order 2020, relates to "affected persons" (meaning persons who in the last 14 days have been in Victoria). People entering NSW generally will have to obtain an entry permit and comply with the conditions on the permit or specific conditions in the order (eg returning NSW residents have to self-isolate). Public Health (COVID-19 Border Control) Amendment Order 2020 amends the current Public Health (COVID-19 Border Control) Order 2020. The Amendment Order: Redefines border zone residents; Increases restrictions to border zone residents; and Makes changes to the category of persons from Victoria permitted to enter NSW.

**Council encourages all residents to maintain awareness of COVID-19 Public Health Orders as the situation continues to evolve.**

**Council urges residents to give serious consideration to the necessity of any travel, particularly to Victoria, but also within NSW.**

As a community we are all responsible for working toward the suppression of this virus and it is crucial that we collectively continue to implement all measures toward staying COVIDSafe

Schedule 1 of the Order is snipped below for your reference, however the legislation may be further amended post-print date (23 July 2020) and currency should be verified.

<https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/covid-19/Pages/public-health-orders.aspx>

Public Health (COVID-19 Border Control) Order 2020 [NSW]  
Schedule 1 Authority to enter New South Wales

### Schedule 1 Authority to enter New South Wales

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Relevant class	Entry permit	Relevant conditions
1 NSW resident	Required	Self-isolate
2 Person providing a critical service	Required	Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
3 Person providing an emergency or law enforcement service	Not required	Nil
4 Member of Parliament or staff member	Required	Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
5 Consular official	Required	Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
6 Person entering to avoid injury or harm	Not required	Nil
7 Border community resident	Required	Self-isolate if the person has travelled to a place in Victoria outside a Border community May travel within a Border community of which the person is a resident
8 Relevant education visitor	Required	Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
9 Person enter for child access or care arrangements	Required	Self-isolate Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
10 Person entering for medical or hospital services	Not required	Nil
11 Interstate resident transiting through New South Wales	Required	Leave New South Wales by most practicable direct route Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
12 Seasonal worker	Required	Self-isolate Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
13 Person entering for compassionate grounds	Required	Conditions (if any) specified by entry permit
14 Person entering to attend court or meet other legal obligations	Not required	Nil

### For more info

#### Phone:

Service NSW

13 77 88

Health questions?

1800 020 080

Crimestoppers  
(Report public health offences)

1800 333 000

#### Web:

[https://  
www.nsw.gov.au/  
covid-19/what-you-  
can-and-cant-do-  
under-rules](https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/what-you-can-and-cant-do-under-rules)

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au/Infectious/covid-  
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au/transaction/apply-  
covid-19-nsw-border-  
entry-permit](https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-covid-19-nsw-border-entry-permit)



## Contact Council

**Street Address** 70 Market Street BALRANALD  
**Postal Address** PO Box 120 BALRANALD NSW 2715  
**Office Hours** 8.30am to 5pm, Monday to Friday  
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**Email** [council@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@balranald.nsw.gov.au)  
**Website** [balranald.nsw.gov.au](http://balranald.nsw.gov.au)  
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### **Other Council Services**

Balranald Library - M/F - 9am - 5.30pm, W 9.30am-5.30pm  
(closed for lunch 12pm-1pm)  
Balranald Landfill - T/T 4pm - 6pm, Sat 10am-1pm, Sun 10am-3pm  
Euston Landfill - T/T 1pm-6pm, Sun 9am-3pm

## Currently on Exhibition

### **Draft Documents**

For most current list and full details please visit <http://www.balranald.nsw.gov.au/council-documents/exhibition-of-draft-documents/>

### **Development Applications**

For most current list and full details please visit <http://www.balranald.nsw.gov.au/environment-and-planning/developments-on-exhibition/>

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