

# Council Matters



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## COUNCIL MEETINGS

### Information Briefing Session

- 9.00 am on Thursday, 30 May 2024
- 9.30 am on Thursday, 27 June 2024



### Council Meetings

- 1.00 pm on Tuesday, 14 May 2024 (Council in the Community to be held at the Stokes Bay Community Hall)
- 11.00 am on Tuesday, 11 June 2024

## PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Council By-Laws are able to be made by a Council in accordance with Section 246 of the Local Government Act 1999. By-Laws are local laws established by councils to deal with issues specific to the relevant council area.

Council is proposing to renew 7 of its By Laws with changes, being:

### By-law No. 1 PERMITS AND PENALTIES BY-LAW 2024

This By-law is a By-law to create a permit system for Council By-laws, to fix maximum and continuing penalties for offences, and to clarify the construction of Council By-laws.

### By Law No. 2 MOVEABLE SIGNS BY-LAW 2024

This By-law is a By-law to set standards for moveable signs on roads and to provide conditions for the placement of such signs for the purpose of protecting visual amenity and public safety.

### By Law No. 3 LOCAL GOVERNMENT LAND BY-LAW 2024

This By-law is a By-law to manage and regulate the access to and use of Local Government land and certain public places.

### By Law No. 4 ROADS BY-LAW 2024

This By-law is a By-law to manage, control and regulate certain activities on roads in the Council's area and to specify requirements for waste management services on roads and other public places.

### By Law No. 5 DOGS BY-LAW 2024

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### By Law No. 6 CATS BY-LAW 2024

This is a By-law to limit the number of cats kept on premises and for the responsible management and control of cats in the Council's area, including for conservation purposes and to protect Kangaroo Island's unique biodiversity and to reduce adverse economic impacts to the islands primary production sector.

### By Law No. 7 KEEPING OF LIVESTOCK, FOWL AND BEES 2024

This By-law is a By-law to regulate the keeping livestock, fowl and bees within urban areas in the interests of the community and to conserve the unique biodiversity and

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ecosystems on Kangaroo Island.

### HOW TO HAVE YOUR SAY ON COUNCIL'S BY-LAWS:

- Council website: fill in online form [www.kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/forms/community-consultation-feedback](http://www.kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/forms/community-consultation-feedback)
- Email your feedback to [kicouncil@kicouncil.sa.gov.au](mailto:kicouncil@kicouncil.sa.gov.au)
- Post your feedback to PO Box 121, Kingscote SA 5223 or drop off to Council's Kingscote Office or the Penneshaw Business Centre.

For further information contact: Customer Service on 8553 4500.

Consultation closes 5.00pm, Thursday 25 April 2024.

## PROJECT UPDATES

### Public Bench – Town Centres Penneshaw



Penneshaw Crew installing the bench

Installation and load testing complete!

Council is pleased to see locals and visitors enjoying elements of the Penneshaw Town Centre upgrade.

The Penneshaw Crew recently installed a bench in Middle Terrace Penneshaw.

Further beautification work is programmed to be carried out this coming winter, which includes landscaping above the limestone retaining wall.

This once underutilised corner has become a place of public art, contemplation, and relaxation.

Ongoing community support with Penneshaw garden bed maintenance is appreciated.



Councils' asset heavy equipment renewal and maintenance program continues following the detailed review carried out in 2021/2022.

The new JCB Backhoe arrived at the Kingscote Depot on the 4 April 2024. This versatile piece of plant can be utilised on a number of projects for loading, levelling and excavating.

It is compact and will assist and enable work in spaces not as easily accessible such as cemetery maintenance.



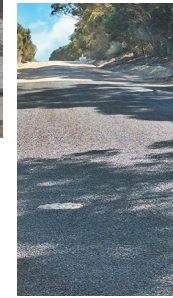
### Freycinet Way Penneshaw – CWMS (Community Wastewater Management System)

Trenching works continue in Freycinet Way. Works are currently being undertaken within the road reserve and are expected to be completed by the end of July 2024, weather permitting.

The contractor will be providing access for local traffic. Please consider all traffic signage and directions from site personnel so that everyone remains safe.

This project will improve the community's infrastructure through the upgrading and extension of the sewer network in Penneshaw. This work is being carried out in accordance with the Council CWMS Policy and the State legislative requirements.

### Redbanks Road – Reinstatement



Sealing works are complete and the Council contractor, Downers, are currently finalising areas around the service infrastructure in conjunction with SA Water and their contractor.

This project was implemented to restore the sealed portion of Redbanks Road following significant SA Water contractor water main works.

Council would like to thank the Downers team for accommodating this work within their busy schedule. Their team successfully delivered this work in a short timeframe.

This completes for the community the 1.1 kilometres of road pavement rehabilitation and restoration work.

Tangara Drive restoration road works are planned for the summer 2025. Resealing of the full 1.2 kilometres of Tangara Drive will be completed at that time.

## COMMUNITY GRANT FUNDING ANNOUNCED

Five deserving Island community groups and not-for-profit organisations will share in \$5,000.00 in funding from the Kangaroo Island Council's Community Grant Scheme. Funding for projects bringing social, environmental and cultural benefit to the Island. Council is pleased to advise of the following successful submissions for the unsubscribed funds from the 2023/2024 Kangaroo Island Council Community Grants Scheme are:

- Birchmore Bowling Club - \$550 for the development of a strategic financial plan
- Parndana Progress Association - \$800 to purchase a third Light Horseman uniform for the ANZAC Day services in Kingscote and Parndana
- Baudin Beach Progress Association - \$1100 to purchase and install a picnic table at Sabel Reserve, Baudin Beach
- Penneshaw Golf Club - \$1704 for the club's Native Revegetation Project
- American River Community and Sports Association - \$845 toward the purchase of a public address system

The Council's Community Grant Scheme for financial year 2025 will be open for applications later this year. For more information about the Council's Community Grant scheme visit: <https://www.kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/community/grants>

