

Council Matters

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

Council Meeting

11.00 am Tuesday, 10 September 2024

Information Briefing Session

9.30 am Thursday, 26 September 2024

RATES

Rates Due Soon and Assistance Available for Those in Need

2024/2025 rates notices have been issued, with the first quarter due on **Thursday, 5 September 2024**.

Key Things to Check if You Haven't Received Your Rates Notice:

- Ensure your address and contact details with the Council are up to date.
- Check if your rates notice has been sent to your real estate agent (for landlords).
- Log into your EzyBill account if you have registered for this service.
- Confirm if the rates have been paid in full for 2024/2025 during the settlement if you have recently purchased a new property.

For convenience, Kangaroo Island property owners can access their rates notice online through EzyBill.

To access this service please visit:
<https://kangarooisland.ezybill.com.au>

To receive future rates notices and other Council correspondence electronically, residents are encouraged to complete and submit the relevant form available on the Council's website.

Having Difficulty Paying Your Rates?

Importantly, the Council emphasises support for those experiencing financial hardship. Residents in this situation, as well as seniors entitled to deferrals, are urged to contact the Council's Customer Service Team on 8553 4500, to discuss payment arrangements or deferrals. The Council aims to ensure that all residents are informed of their options and feel supported in managing their rates obligations.

For further information, including a list of frequently asked questions about rates, visit <https://Kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/services/rates>.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The Council is seeking Expressions of Interest (EOI) from experienced contractors who can undertake fire prevention works prior to the coming bushfire season.

There are two divisions for work:

1. Private works for landowners
2. Council works – Contractors must be registered to undertake these works on behalf of Council

Interested parties are invited to submit their EOI for Bush Fire Prevention Works to kicouncil@kicouncil.sa.gov.au no later than 5:00pm on Friday, 6 September 2024.

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

Kangaroo Island Council has received an application for the temporary closure of part of Bayview Road, Vivonne Bay to facilitate building works.

- Duration: 10-12 hrs/day for **ONE DAY between Thursday, 5 September – Thursday, 19 September 2024** (weather dependent)
- Detours: Residents to exit via Crabb Rd, Sunset Way, & Lyle Street with appropriate signage in place
- Details: Updates on the closure schedule and additional information will be provided on the Council's website, social media pages and to emailed to affected residents prior to the works commencing.

Public consultation is open for a period of 21 days commencing **Thursday, 15 August 2024** and closing 5:00pm **Wednesday, 4 September 2024**.

Your input helps us ensure that the needs of our community are met during these temporary changes.

Have Your Say:

- Website: <https://www.kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/notice-board/news-and-notices/consultations>
- Email your feedback to 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.

DOG AND CAT REGISTRATION

Attention pet owners!

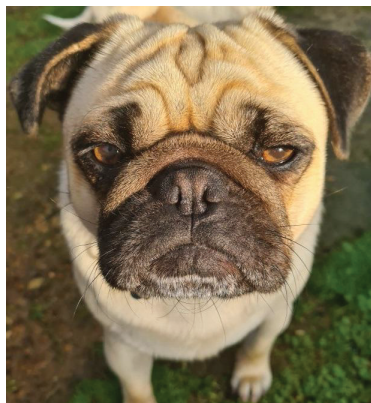
The deadline to register your dog or cat is fast approaching – Saturday, August 31, 2024.

How to Pay:

Online: Visit the Dogs and Cats Online to register or renew with ease.
<https://dogsandcatsonline.com.au/>

In-Person: Visit the Penneshaw Community Business Centre or the Kingscote Council Office, where our friendly Customer Service Team will be happy to assist you!

Don't delay, ensure your pets are registered by the deadline!



WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE UPDATES

New Footpath Centenary Avenue and Buller Street

We're excited to announce that construction will soon begin on a new footpath connecting the school with Kangaroo Island Children's Services.

Residents of affected properties will receive notifications before work starts on **Monday, 2 September 2024**.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation as we improve our community's infrastructure!



Drilling rig recovering core samples

Penneshaw Road Pavement and Subgrade Investigation

Council has engaged an external contractor and engineer to conduct soil testing at the Penneshaw Ferry Terminal. These tests will guide the design of future pavement improvements in the area.

Baudin Beach Toilet Facility Update

Work on the Baudin Beach toilet facility is progressing smoothly. The contractor has already installed some of the inground infrastructure, with additional materials arriving soon.

While the existing toilets are offline, temporary facilities are available for public use. We apologise for any inconvenience during construction, which is expected to be completed next month.

Thank you for your patience and understanding!



Delivery of Wastewater Treatment System