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What happened at the Council Meeting in May?

A summary of issues considered at the Council meeting held on 6 May 2014 at the Corryong Council Office is provided below:

Tallangatta Integrated Community Centre – The project team is meeting regularly to discuss the Tallangatta Integrated Community Centre and progressing the development of preliminary design drawings. Council is preparing to relocate Lords Hut and will be undertaking community consultation over the coming months as to its relocation. The Tallangatta community will be invited to provide feedback on a possible new location and ongoing maintenance of Lords Hut.

New bridges to be constructed - Council considered a report for the design and construction of two new bridges in the Shire. Tenders have been accepted from Haring Construction and Murray Valley Piling for a bridge to be constructed on Jarvis Creek Road over Dan's Creek Old Tallangatta and Cudgewa North Road over Stoney Creek respectively.

The projects are in accordance with Council's asset renewal program and have been budgeted for in the 2013/2014 financial year. It is anticipated that works will commence within two to three months (weather dependent) and includes allowances for completion of road approaches and improvement works.

New kerbside waste collection truck - Council considered a report for the purchase of a new side loader kerbside waste collection truck. Council accepted a tender from MacDonald Johnston for the delivery of a new Iveco Acco 4x2 truck. The purchase of the truck had been budgeted for in the 2014/15 capital budget, however Council resolved to purchase it in the 2013/2014 year so that the final implementation of the in-house waste collection service will not be delayed.

The above information is a summary only of the Council Meeting business. Copies of Council Minutes are available from Council's website www.towong.vic.gov.au, Council Offices and all townships within the Shire (either the Post Office or local store). Should further information be required please contact Diana Snaith on 02 6071 5100.

The next ordinary Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 3 June 2014 at Council's Tallangatta Office commencing at 10.00 am with Open Forum.

Council Meetings are public meetings and all are welcome to attend.