News & Information

from Mackenzie District Council





Heritage **Fund**

Council is now calling for applications to be made for the Heritage Protection Fund. The fund is allocated \$5000 by Council which is then contestable by applicants. Buildings, items or places listed on the Heritage Items Schedule of

the District Plan, Trees listed in the Protected Trees Schedule, and archaeological sites and wahi tapu sites as identified by the New Zealand Historic Places Trust, are all eligible to apply for funding. The applications will be presented and considered at the 30 June Council Meeting.

Information provided will be made publicly available as it will be a part of the published Council Agenda. Closing Date for applications, which are to be sent to the Planning Department, is 28 May 2021. Please send applications to: planning@mackenzie.govt.nz or call the Planning Department on (03) 685 9010 to discuss your application. The Heritage Fund Application and Policy is available on the Council website (www.mackenzie.govt.nz).

Property for Sale By Tender

Tenders are invited for the purchase of the following property which has been declared abandoned by virtue of an order of the Timaru District Court dated 19 June 2020.



The property situated at Fairlie-Tekapo Road Kimbell, in the name of Charles Crane, record of title CB92/198 containing 1,012m2 more or less and being Lot 19 DP 186 (Canterbury registry).

Particulars of the property and conditions of tender are available from the Mackenzie District Council, Main Street, Fairlie. A copy of the tender document is available on the Mackenzie District Council website www.mackenzie.govt.nz.

Enquiries should be referred to the Mackenzie District Council by email to pauline.jackson@mackenzie.govt.nz or by 'phone to 0800 685 8514.

All tenders must be lodged on the prescribed form of tender and received at the Mackenzie District Council, main Street, PO Box 52, Fairlie before 31 May 2021 in a sealed envelope. Council is not bound to accept the highest or any tender.

Suzette van Aswegen, Chief Executive Officer, Mackenzie District Council.



Temporary Road Closures

The following roads will be closed for the running of the 2021 Rally of South Canterbury on Saturday 21 June. Roads will be impacted between 10am and 4.45pm but each road will only be closed for approximately four hours.

- Spur Road
- Middle Valley Road
- Chamberlain Road
- Monavale Road
- Rocky Gully Road
- Gorge Road
- Askins Road
- Limestone Road
- Cricklewood Road
- Coal Pit Road
- Rutherford Road

These closures will be enforced by approved Temporary Traffic Management Plans allowing for local residents to be marshalled through the road closures. Please contact Council on the number below if you have questions or concerns.

The Rally is a great spectator event for the whole family - why not make a day of it! For details visit the South Canterbury Car Club www.southcanterburycarclub.org.nz.

Spatial Plans - Feedback Invited on Preferred Options for Fairlie, Twizel and Tekapo

Responses to the initial round of engagement have been reviewed and changes made to the plans to reflect the views of the community.

The Mackenzie Spatial Plans will create a 30-year vision of what the future could look like in Fairlie, Takapō and Twizel. The project will ensure our main townships are maintained as places for people, ensuring growth can occur in a way that benefits the local community and improves where we live.

What is a Spatial Plan?

A Spatial Plan is a visual blueprint for the future, showing what should go where and how each part should interact with the others. We want to ensure we can get ahead of growth, identify key improvements, then plan for it and get on with it. The Spatial Plans will inform the zoning that will be included in the District Plan Review, which will begin in the second half of 2021.

As a community, we have an opportunity to chart the future of our townships, ensuring growth occurs in a sustainable way that protects the environment, our communities, aesthetics and industries that make the District such a special place.

Where are we now?

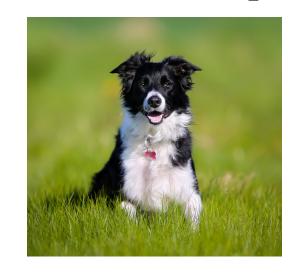
We have analyzed the feedback received in December last year from the community on Spatial Plan options for Fairlie, Tekapo (Takapō) and Twizel. We've also done an assessment on the infrastructure required for each option and used this to develop a preferred Spatial Plan for each town. We have outlined each plan in a Preferred Option Discussion Document - these can be found on our engagement platform (letstalk.mackenzie.govt.nz) and at Council offices in Fairlie & Twizel.

We are now looking for community feedback on these Spatial Plans so we can fine tune the plans before they are presented to council for adoption in the first half of this year. The survey is available on our engagement website (letstalk.mackenzie.govt.nz) until 13 May 2021.

Responsible Dog Ownership

We're receiving an increasing number of complaints about dogs. We endeavour to respond to them all but we'd all be happier if our enforcement officer didn't need to intervene. Most people are responsible and sensible owners, but if you need some pointers it's pretty simple:

- register your dog with Council and get it microchipped;
- keep your dog under control at all times;
- ensure your dog is in good physical health and that you meet its natural behavioural needs;
- ensure your dog has food, water and shelter.



Dates of Upcoming Meetings

Twizel Community Board 3 May Tekapo Community Board 5 May 6 May Fairlie Community Board 18 May Council Meeting 18 May Audit & Risk Committee 29 June Council Meeting 12 July Twizel Community Board 14 July Tekapo Community Board 15 July Fairlie Community Board 3 August Council Meeting 17 August **Engineering & Services Committee** 17 August Commercial & Economic Development Committee 17 August **Strategy Committee** 17 August Planning & Regulations Committee Event Centre Lounge, Twizel, 3pm Community Hall, Tekapo, 3pm Council Chambers, Fairlie, 4.30pm Event Centre Lounge, Twizel, 9.30am Follows council meeting. Council Chambers, Fairlie, 9.30am Event Centre Lounge, Twizel, 3pm Community Hall, Tekapo, 3pm Council Chambers, Fairlie, 4.30pm Council Chambers, Fairlie, 9.30am Council Chambers, Fairlie, 9.30am

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Committee meetings follow the preceding meeting and so start times will vary. The public are welcome to attend meetings. Occasionally times and venues change so please call and check beforehand. There is a public forum at the beginning of each Council and Community Board meeting and members of the public are invited to address Elected Members on relevant matters. Agendas are available on the Council website at least two working days before each meeting.