# RE OF KOORDA

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Friday 9.00am to 4.00pm | Licensing 9.00am to 3.30pm



# **DATES TO REMEMBER**

## Sat 3 May

Federal Election - Voting is at ES building from 8am-6pm

#### Wed 21 May

Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 5pm

## Sat May 31st

Koorda Drive In Screening



#### **Avon Waste Collection Calendar**

Visit our website to view the 2024/25 collection calendar. Services > Waste Management



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# **COUNCIL MEETING DECISIONS**

### Ordinary Council Meeting - 16 April 2025

The following is a summary of resolutions passed by the Koorda Shire Council at the Ordinary Council Meeting held on 16 April 2025, commencing at 5pm. Full Council meeting minutes and agendas can be viewed on the shire's website at past Council meetings.

## **Presentation to the Council Meeting**

NEWTRAVEL officer Linda Vernon made a presentation to Council on the success of the organisation's initiatives, particularly the Wheatbelt Way, in attracting more than 15,000 visitors to the region over the past year. As part of her presentation, Ms Vernon provided a summary on the history of NEWTRAVEL and outlined future plans including a proposed Memorandum of Understanding with the shire for greater funding certainty.

## Announcements by Shire President Jannah Stratford

The shire president expressed condolences to the Inman family for the passing of Mr Don Inman who was a shire councillor from 1981 to 1993 and shire president from 1986 to 1992. Cr Stratford also offered condolences to the Luers family for the passing of Mr Bruno Luers who was a JP, former business owner and active community volunteer for many years. The president also welcomed recent works to resurface the truck bays adjacent to Railway Street and thanked staff.

## **Corporate and Community**

Council received the shire's Monthly Financial Statements and List of Accounts Paid. Council also endorsed the proposed timetable for the development of the Shire of Koorda 2025-26 annual budget with a completion schedule to meet the statutory 31 August deadline. Council also approved development of the MoU between the Shire and NEWTRAVEL.

#### **Governance and Compliance**

Council approved the use of the common seal on the Caravan Park Local Law to be submitted to the departmental Director General. A public submission period, for which the community can offer submissions or comments on the proposed new local law is currently open until 8 May.

The addition of two more properties to be seized by the shire as part of the program to recover long-term non-payment of rates has been endorsed by Council. Property Seizure and Sale Orders will now be sought on the properties at 27 Smith Street and 51 Smith Street. These properties are in addition to two other properties – 1 Allenby Street and 23 Smith Street – which the shire is currently advertising to be sold to recover overdue rates.

#### **Works and Asset**

Council endorsed works to convert the cul-de-sac at the end of Thomas Street to a through road as a second entrance to the Koorda Sports Club car park. Access to the car park via an informal side entrance to the cul-de-sac was recently closed following a safety complaint to the shire. The cul-de-sac and side entrance will now be removed to enable direct access to the car park with the inclusion of speed control measures on the approach from Thomas Street. The cul-de-sac was previously created to address safety issues regarding a playground in the car park at the time. As the playground no longer exists, the need for the cul-de-sac to restrict access is redundant.

## Meeting closed at 5.41pm







# **ANZAC DAY SERVICE**

Thank you to all the community members that attended the Anzac Service. It was well supported with a good turnout. Below are some photos taken at the service.







# **LIBRARY NEWS**

The Koorda Library has been successful in obtaining a Technology and Digital Inclusion Grant 2024/2025. We have been able to purchase a 100m-400m zoom lens to fit the library camera and a Sony video camera that is now ready to borrow for free from the library.



# **LOCAL ROADWORKS**

Water binding 2 sections of Cadoux-Koorda Road

Please expect delays when travelling through roadworks. Please be aware and abide by the road work speed limits. We thank you for your patience.

# **KOORDA RUBBISH DUMP SIGNS**



There are new signs at the Koorda Rubbish Dump. Please follow the signs and dump your waste as per the signs. Thank you.

Green Waste sign is to the right.

Avon Waste and Household Waste is the the left.





