

## President's Report



special part of the State in which we live. We managed to quickly visit the next stage completed in the day use area at the Historic Lime Kiln at Lake Clifton that has included upgraded walk trails and interpretation signage. Congratulations to the Lake Clifton-Heron Residents Association for the effort in capturing this part of our Shire's history and working with the environment on this project. If you would like to visit this Heritage Site you will find it on Newnham Road in Lake Clifton.

Councillors and Senior staff recently conducted a tour of the Shire to visit some of our current infrastructure and points of interest. It certainly reinforced to us that we have a very diverse and

Council currently has quite a few calls for submissions on a variety of issues that have an effect on our Shire. From renewable energy policies through to recreation and local business

matters, Council is always asking for input from the broader community to bring as many views together as possible to help formulate these guiding policies. Please keep an eye out in the local papers and also visit the Shire's website to keep up to date on subjects our Council requests engagement on.

With the announcement of the Federal election in May, the next few weeks will be an opportunity to engage with the candidates who take the interests of our region to the decision makers in Federal Parliament. While most of the funding for our current projects is secured, it is always an opportunity to advocate for improvements and highlight areas of concern.

Western Australia is shaping up to be potentially the decision ground for this election as other areas in the country are running on equal footing. I wish everyone good luck in your voting decisions and the plethora of information you will be faced with in the coming month.

A reminder that the Anzac Services at dawn (at 6:15am) and the traditional 11am Service are on track at this stage. Having been unable to hold these important services over the past two years, we sincerely hope that we see a good number of people showing their respect this Anzac Day. If you are able to attend a service this year, please plan to do so.



**ANZAC DAY**  
25 April 2022  
#AnzacDay

*Lest we forget*

6.15am - Dawn Service, Waroona War Memorial followed by a Gunfire Breakfast at the Waroona Memorial Hall

10.45am - ANZAC Parade from Waroona Memorial Hall to Waroona War Memorial

11.00am - ANZAC Day Service at Waroona War Memorial

12:00pm - ANZAC Day activities & light refreshments @The Bowling Club

 Waroona-Hamel RSL



**Important Reminder**

The Shire of Waroona has a range of regulations, policies and local laws it upholds to support the delivery of the community's goals and vision in the Strategic Community Plan. There are also other State and Federal laws, which protect the environment and have an impact on planning and development matters.

**As a Shire we support sustainable development, that achieves economic growth, land conservation and community development.**



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**This is to ensure we work together, to protect the wellbeing of the community and our natural assets for future generations.**

**PLEASE REMEMBER – you need to obtain written consent **BEFORE** clearing any natural vegetation or mature trees!**

*Written permission is also required - before undertaking any activity in a Shire Road Reserve.*

*It is also illegal to take any wood alive or dead from a Shire Reserve.*

For the clearing of vegetation, you can contact the Shire's planning services. A Shire officer will work with you to establish if you need to get an assessment done on your site, in relation declared and engendered flora and fauna, as well as wetlands and waterways. Your property may also be subject to a **'conservation convent'** preventing land clearing. **Please be Aware: Property owners and machinery operators, who clear land without approval may be prosecuted, fined and/or ordered to rehabilitate.**

## Next Council Meeting

Next council meeting will be Tuesday 26th April 2022 at 4pm at the Waroona Council Chambers

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