

# OUR COUNCIL

## POSITIONS VACANT

### Finance Officer

F13/17/01 - Closes 6 February 2017

- Permanent Full-Time (35 Hrs/Wk)
- \$68,383 to \$73,283 pa (plus Super)
- Monthly Rostered Day Off (RDO)
- Job enquiries may be directed to Paul Della on 6730 2313 or email pdella@gisc.nsw.gov.au.

### Ranger

DE05/17/02 - Closes 6 February 2017

- Permanent Full-Time (38 Hrs/Wk)
- \$51,266 to \$58,586 p.a. (plus Super)
- On Call Allowance

Job enquiries may be directed to Greg Doman on 6730 2388 or email gdoman@gisc.nsw.gov.au.

To apply for any of these positions, download the relevant information package, and apply online, through Council's website: [www.gisc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gisc.nsw.gov.au).

Enquiries relating to the application process may be directed to Helen Stapleton on 6730 2303 or email hps@gisc.nsw.gov.au.

### Direct Support Coordinator

CS50/17/03 - Closes 13 February 2017

- Permanent Full-Time (38 Hrs/Wk)
- \$53,440 to \$58,988 (plus Super)
- Rostered Day Off

Job enquiries may be directed to Tony Williams on 6730 2504 or email awilliams@gisc.nsw.gov.au.

## COUNCIL WORKS PROGRAM

Council would like to advise residents that the following projects are being undertaken from Monday 30 January 2017 to Friday 10 February 2017, subject to weather conditions and external delays:

- Pot-hole patching and general maintenance in various locations including Glen Innes CBD.
- Road construction works on Old Grafton Road:
- Maintenance grading on Bezzants Road, Emmaville Road side roads, Eimers Road, Tablelands Road, Coopers Road and Gwydir Highway side roads.
- Drainage works in the Pinkett Road area and Gasworks Lane (adjacent to Norco entrance).
- Bridge works at Glen Creek and Gulf Road including Gulf Road culvert installation.
- Kerb and gutter works in Pitt Street.
- Slashing in various locations.
- Ongoing maintenance inspections of urban and rural roads.

Please note that depending on the varying condition of gravel roads, some roads may not be graded to their full lengths. Council apologises for any minor traffic delays associated with these works, and requests that motorists follow all traffic control signage and directions at the worksites.

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS FOR COMMUNITY COMMITTEES OF GLEN INNES SEVERN COUNCIL

The following Community Committees of Council are holding their Annual General Meetings (AGM) for 2017 as shown:

DATE	COMMITTEE	TIME	VENUE
04 February	Glencoe Hall Committee	12 noon	Glencoe Hall, Glencoe
07 February	Dundee Reserve Trust	4.00pm	Dundee Hall, Dundee
08 February	Library Committee	8.30am	William Gardner Conference Room, Glen Innes Severn Learning Centre, 7 Grey Street, Glen Innes
13 February	Glen Innes and District Sports Council	7.30pm	Board Room of Glen Innes and District Services Club, Grey Street, Glen Innes
16 February	Open Spaces Committee	3.00pm	William Gardner Conference Room, Glen Innes Severn Learning Centre, 7 Grey Street, Glen Innes
18 February	Emmaville Mining Museum	3.30pm	Emmaville Mining Museum, 86 Moore Street, Emmaville
16 February	Glen Innes Severn Cemetery Committee	5.00pm	Church Street Meeting Room, 136 Church Street, Glen Innes
22 February	Emmaville War Memorial Hall Committee	8.00pm	Emmaville War Memorial Hall, Emmaville

Council is calling for nominations from community representatives for the above-mentioned Community Committees of Council. Members of committees are expected to:

1. Have a commitment to the activities of the Committee and a willingness to be actively involved in committee issues.
2. Be either a resident of the Local Government Area (LGA) or an employee in a business within the LGA.
3. Be prepared to actively serve the Committee for a minimum of one (1) year.
4. Be prepared to operate under the Council's Code of Conduct and Community Committees of Council manual.

Nomination forms are available from Council's Town Hall office and on Council's website. Completed nomination forms can be mailed to PO Box 61, Glen Innes NSW 2370, faxed to Council on 6732 3764, or hand delivered to the Town Hall office prior to the Annual General Meeting.

## DESIGNATED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO: DA41/16/17

Council has received the following development application:

Application No: DA41/16/17.

Property Address: 1323 Gwydir Highway, Matheson.

Property Title: Lots 87, 101 and 113 DP 753319.

Applicant's Name: Glen Innes Severn Council.

The Proposal: Stage 2 - Extractive Industry - 300,000 tonnes/annum.

Exhibition Period Starts: Thursday, 26 January 2017.

Exhibition Period Ends: Monday, 20 February 2017.

Consent Authority: Glen Innes Severn Council.

Determining Authority: Joint Regional Planning Panel.

The application is a "designated development" and "integrated" under the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979* and *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulations 2000*. It requires approval from the NSW Environment Protection Authority pursuant to Section 91A(2) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979*.

Any person may make a written submission concerning the development application during the exhibition period. If making a submission, it is important that:

- a. The submission must be received in writing during the exhibition period specified by this notice. Submissions should be posted to Glen Innes Severn Council, PO Box 61 Glen Innes 2370 or emailed to [council@gisc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@gisc.nsw.gov.au).
- b. Submissions that do not contain the author's name and address will not be considered as their authenticity is unable to be validated.
- c. If a submission is made by way of objection, the grounds of that objection must be specified.
- d. You may request that your name and address not be disclosed (by stating prominently "OBJECTION IN CONFIDENCE" on your submission) for reason that disclosure would result in detriment to yourself. However, Council may be obliged to release your correspondence excluding your personal information under the *Government Information (Public Access) Act*.
- e. Submissions concerning the development will be provided to members of the Northern Region Joint Regional Planning Panel; and,
- f. Submissions must include disclosure of any reportable political contribution or gift made in the previous two years. Further details, including disclosure forms, are available on request from Council.



## DESIGNATED DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO: DA41/16/17

The issues raised in your submission will be included in the assessment of the development application, along with the other matters Council must consider. If you wish to view the submitted information, you may do so during the exhibition period nominated by this notice at the following locations:

1. Council's website at [www.gisc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gisc.nsw.gov.au);
2. At Council's Offices located at 136 Church Street and 265 Grey Street, Glen Innes between 8.30am and 4.30pm Monday to Friday;
3. Department of Planning and Environment, Level 22, 320 Pitt Street, Sydney.

Questions regarding this development can be directed to Council on 6730 2350.

Any person who objects in writing to the proposal, and is dissatisfied with the determination of the application by the granting of consent, may appeal to the Land and Environment Court. However, if a Commission of Inquiry is held concerning the development application, the Minister's determination of the application is final and not subject to appeal.

## WATER SUPPLY

Beardy Waters Weir Off Stream Storage  
100% (488ML) 100% (\$55ML)

Average Daily Water Consumption for Glen Innes: 1.65 megalitres  
Available Water Supply: 2.5 years  
Deepwater Weir level: 100% capacity  
No water restrictions are in force.

## CONTACT US:

Glen Innes Severn Council  
265 Grey Street (PO Box 61)  
Phone 6730 2300  
[council@gisc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@gisc.nsw.gov.au)  
[www.gisc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gisc.nsw.gov.au)



# MEDIA RELEASE



7 February 2017

## **“Wattle Vale” Stage Two Quarry Development**

Glen Innes Severn Council has lodged a Development Application for Stage 2 of the “Wattle Vale” Hard Rock Quarry, located on 1323 Gwydir Highway, Matheson. The development will be considered by the Northern Joint Regional Planning Panel as the consent authority.

The quarry development plans to extract up to 300,000 tonnes per annum and up to 3,000 tonnes per day over 30 years, and will predominantly supply materials for use in public road construction and maintenance.

Council's General Manager, Hein Basson said the project could also fulfil an anticipated short and medium term demand for aggregate products for the construction of major wind farm projects in the region.

“In the longer term the quarry will provide a supply of aggregate products to the district replacing the existing quarry east of Glen Innes, which has less than 10 years’ remaining capacity”, said Mr Basson. “The quarry will also support the significant wind farm construction industry in the Local Government Area; generating the need for goods and services and thereby creating further opportunities for business development in the Glen Innes Highlands.”

The quarry is classified as a regional development which means that the Northern Joint Regional Planning Panel is the consent authority, not Council. “The Panel is an independent body and operates with the aim of strengthening decision making on regionally significant development applications such as this. A date is yet to be determined for the Panel to meet to consider the application,” Mr Basson said.

The quarry is subject to a Development Application and as part of that Application, an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) has been prepared. The Development Application and EIS are currently on public exhibition until Monday, 20 February 2017. Both documents can be found on Council's website [www.gisc.nsw.gov.au](http://www.gisc.nsw.gov.au), under the *Development Applications Advertised* tab, and at the Town Hall and Church Street offices of Council.

To obtain more information on the application or make a submission please contact Council on 6730 2350 or email to [council@gisc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@gisc.nsw.gov.au).

**END**

**Contact:** Communications and Committee Liaison officer, Mahri Koch (6730 2314), [mkoch@gisc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:mkoch@gisc.nsw.gov.au)