

REACHING OUT TO YOU - COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY

With the COVID-19 Pandemic, changes to the way Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council (CGRC) is required to distribute information has been made by the Office of Local Government. These changes include:

Removal of newspaper advertising requirements under the Regulation • To alleviate the red tape burden on councils and to reduce their costs, amendments have also been made to the Regulation to remove remaining requirements for notices to be published in newspapers. • Councils are now instead required to publish notices on their websites and in such other manner that they consider necessary to bring it to the notice of the local community or other interested persons.

Reference: Office of Local Government Circular to Councils 17 April 2020 / A696830. This is not a temporary measure and will be ongoing.

Council's aim for transparency dictates that information is available for all for residents, and supporting local businesses is paramount. CGRC is calling for residents to assist with the best way Council can reach the community. This short survey will help Council to understand and direct information to residents in a cost effective, collaborative and sustainable approach.

This survey is intended to be anonymous, however residents who would like to include their name and contact details are invited to do so.

How do you find information on what is happening in your local community?

- o Community News Newsletter distributed by Council
- o Facebook
- o The Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council website
- Other (please advise below)

Demographic (age)

- 0 18-25
- o 26-35
- 0 36-40
- 0 40-50
- o **50**+

Do you have access to computer/tablet/phone with internet?

- o Yes
- o No

How else could we get the newsletter to you?

- Free subscription
- o Continue to mail newsletters out
- Pick up from a store (post office, Newsagency)
- O Do you have any suggestions?

Optional Contact Details
Name
Address
Phone
Email
Would you like to receive information from CGRC via email?

This survey can be accessed online at https://www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au/communication-survey-reaching-out-to-you/or completed surveys can be submitted to CGRC Administration offices in person or by post to Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council, PO Box 420, Cootamundra NSW 2590, or via email to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au. Please mark Communication Survey in subject line.