

APRIL 2025



PROPOSED PUBLIC TOILET FACILITY – CONSULTATION

Our community is invited to provide feedback on a proposed public toilet facility in south Cottesloe.

Through a Community Survey undertaken in 2023 as part of the review of the Town's Strategic Community Plan 2013 – 2023 and development of the new Council Plan 2023 – 2033, the desire for a public toilet facility in south Cottesloe was highlighted. Council is currently considering addressing this gap in infrastructure and the Town is seeking input from the community on two possible locations and a design.

We encourage you to find out more and have a say, your feedback is important. Please share your thoughts via a short online survey available on Engage Cottesloe at <https://cottesloe.engagementhub.com.au/proposed-public-toilet-facility>. The survey will be available to complete until Tuesday, 22 April (5pm) 2025.

COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM – APPLICATIONS OPEN

Applications for the Town's Community Grants Program for the 2025/2026 financial year close on Sunday, 20 April 2025.

Funding is available to community groups for initiatives that foster connection, inclusion, sustainability and growth. Eligible groups include community-led organisations across areas such as arts, culture, sport, youth, seniors, Disability Access and Inclusion (DAIP) and multicultural activities.

To find out more about the Community Grants Program and how to apply, please contact the Town's Community Development Officer on 9285 5000 or cdo3@cottesloe.wa.gov.au.

CHRMAP - CONSULTATION

At the December 2024 Ordinary Meeting, Council accepted a draft Coastal Hazard Risk Management and Adaptation Plan (CHRMAP) for the purpose of community consultation.

The strategic purpose of the CHRMAP is to determine the risk and required mitigation against inundation and erosion of the Cottesloe coastline from climate change. The findings will inform the Town's various planning and asset strategies.

The draft summary is now available for our community to provide their feedback. The summary and feedback form are available on our website at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/ (under Develop & Build/Major Projects/Coastal Hazard Risk Management and Adaptation Plan (CHRMAP)). Please provide feedback by Friday, 16 May (5pm) 2025.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council Agenda Forums are usually held on the third Tuesday of the month at 6pm and Council Meetings are usually held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 6pm at Cottesloe Civic Centre, 109 Broome Street, Cottesloe.

Full details of Council Meetings are available on our website at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/council-meetings/. Agendas are available at the Civic Centre and on our website. The next Council Meeting is on Tuesday, 22 April.

ANZAC DAY – LEST WE FORGET

The RSL WA Cottesloe Sub-Branch ANZAC Day Service to remember those who served and lost their lives will be held on Friday, 25 April at Cottesloe Civic Centre, with a parade to the Main Lawn.

The service includes the parade, raising of the flag, wreath laying, readings and the Last Post. All members of the community are welcome and are invited to lay a wreath, flowers or sprig of rosemary at the service. Following the service a simple breakfast will be served.

Meet at 6.45am at the South Gate (opposite Loma Street), Cottesloe Civic Centre, 109 Broome Street, Cottesloe.

Lest we forget

ANZAC Day



Cottesloe Civic Centre

6:45am - Parade Assembles at Southern Gate, Broome Street

Service includes:
Parade Flag Raising
Wreath Laying and Readings
Last Post
Gunfire Breakfast

25 April 2025

Members of the public and community groups are invited to lay a wreath or a sprig of rosemary



IT'S TIME TO PLANT NATIVES!

The annual Native Plant Subsidy Scheme is back. During the month of May Cottesloe residents can purchase up to 40 plants per household at the subsidised price of \$3.00 each from APACE Nursery (1 Johannah Street, North Fremantle). The scheme aims to encourage biodiversity and local habitats in the western suburbs. This is a fantastic opportunity to choose water wise native plants that are adapted to thrive in Perth's environment. Visit apacewa.org.au for details and available species and stock. This is a Western Suburbs Alliance initiative. Please take proof of residency when you visit APACE. Retail hours during May are Wednesday to Saturday, 8:30am to 2pm.

If you're planning to create a waterwise garden, Town of Cottesloe residents are welcome to free mulch from the West Metro Recycling Centre. There's no need to call ahead – just visit the centre in Shenton Park (bring a shovel) and help yourself!



WESTERN SUBURBS ALLIANCE

Native Plant Subsidy Scheme

\$3 each from APACE Nursery

1 Johannah Street, North Fremantle

Plants available during the month of May while stocks last. Check the APACE WA website for details and available species and stock.

apacewa.org.au

NATIVE WATERWISE VERGE REBATE

The Town's Native Waterwise Verge Rebate program is on again! Native waterwise verges help save water and increase plant biodiversity. By making the change to a native waterwise verge, residents may be eligible for a rebate of \$15 per m2 of converted verge, with a maximum claim value of \$500.

Find out more and download the application form at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au (under Services/Environment and Sustainability).