# COMM UNITY YOUR VOICE



## South Gippsland Shire Council News **2024 Local Government Elections**

Would you like to be part of shaping the future Life as a Woman Councillor - Virtual of South Gippsland Shire? Are you passionate about making a positive contribution to your community?

Three information sessions are being held to provide prospective candidates in this year's local government election with an opportunity to learn more about the election process and what it means to be a Councillor. One session will be held in-person and two will be held virtually for greater flexibility.

#### Stand for Council - Leongatha

In this session facilitated by the Municipal Association of Victoria (MAV) you will learn about the role and responsibilities of Councillors, the election process and candidate requirements.

When: Thursday 25 July (6.30pm to 8.30pm) Leongatha Memorial Hall

In this session, hosted by the Victorian Local Government Association (VLGA) prospective women candidates will be provided with an opportunity to hear from previous women councillors about their experiences representing local community.

When: Thursday 15 August (6.00pm to 8.00pm)

#### **Becoming a Councillor - Virtual**

Hosted by the VLGA prospective candidates will learn about their legal and regulatory obligations, Codes of Conduct and the leadership skills that promote and model good governance.

When: Thursday 29 August (6.00pm to 8.00pm)

All sessions are free to attend. Registration is required. For more information on the sessions, or to register, please visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/election



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In The Know, is our eNewsletter that is sent fortnightly and gives you an overview of what is happening at Council and in the community.

This can include employment and tender opportunities, engagement projects and more.

To subscribe to our community newsletter, please visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/subscribe

#### **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Wednesday 26 June 2.00pm (Council Chambers, Leongatha)

Dates are also listed on Council's website at: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-

To watch the 'open' part of the meeting live or when it suits you, visit:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live Please contact the Governance Team for questions about Council Meetings

#### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Looking for a new job? We might have the perfect position for you! Check out our current vacant positions here:

www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/ vacantpositions

#### **COMMUNITY GRANTS INFORMATION**

Do you have a question about Council's Community Grants Program? Not sure what the process is for applying for grants? What is SmartyGrants?

Come along to either an in-person or online information session to find out more

Monday 24 June

In-person: 11.00am to 12.30pm Online: 7.00pm to 8.30pm

For more information and to register for this FREE workshop, please visit: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/ communitytraining

#### **TENDERS**

Council is seeking submissions from qualified companies/applicants for the following:

RFT/412 - South Gippsland Shire Council Technology Refresh

Tenders close 2pm AEST on Saturday 13 July 2024

Documentation is available from Council's e-Tendering Portal www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/

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