

Mayor's Message

More than 500 people have shown their support to help us prove just how important Her Majesty's Ballarat is to all of us.

But that's only a small number of the 75,000 patrons and 15,000 performers who take to its stage every year.

So if you're one of these local residents or performers who does not want to see our beautiful building fall into disrepair, I recommend you heading to savehermaj.com and adding to our support tally by clicking on the 'I want to save Her Majesty's' button.

There is so much history inside the walls of this iconic building, you just have to take a look at the names etched into the walls of the stairwell to see this first hand – I've seen names dating back to 1915.

Creating history at Her Majesty's Ballarat continues to this day.

On Friday we announced Ballarat contractor AW Nicholson won the \$3.3 million contract to begin the first stage of restorative works needed to save Her Majesty's Ballarat.

The contractor will begin emergency conservation and structural repair works for Her Majesty's – a 143-year-old performing arts landmark, which is listed on the Victorian Heritage Register.

The works include reinforcing and remediating the roof structural trusses, demolition and reconstruction of the stage, localised roof sheeting replacement, internal guttering, drainage works, damp remediation works, plaster repair works, and fire and lighting service works.

Stage one is the first step in realising the greater vision for the building – bringing this 19th century theatre into the 21st century and giving it a new lease on life for generations to come.

During this time we will continue our Save Her Majesty's Ballarat – The Time is Now campaign which calls on state and federal governments to provide the additional \$15 million required for the next stage of works to secure the future of Ballarat's foremost performing arts venue, ensuring the theatre is safe and can once again open its doors to performers, patrons, staff and the wider community.

A significant number of people have visited savehermaj.com to register their support and others, including comedian Carl Barron, have left messages on the online Wall of Support.

So now is your chance to save this unique piece of our city's past, and ensure it can be enjoyed for future generations to come.



Ballarat Mayor
Cr Samantha McIntosh

Notices

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO SELL LAND

The City of Ballarat hereby gives notice under Section 189 of the Local Government Act 1989 ("the Act") of its intention to sell the Occasional Childcare Centre located at 112 Armstrong Street North, Ballarat as indicated on the diagram below.



Written submissions relating to the sale of land will be considered in accordance with Section 223 of the Local Government Act and must be received by the Property Department, City of Ballarat, PO Box 655, Ballarat, Vic. 3350, within 28 days of this notice.

Any person requesting to be heard in support of their written submission is entitled to appear in person or by a person acting on their behalf before a committee of Council, the day, time and place of which will be advised.

Should further information be requested please direct enquiries to Executive Manager Property Services and Facilities Management on 5320 5500.

The Occasional Care program will continue to be held in Council's new and improved premises located at the Girrabanya Children Centre at 11A Steinfeld Street North, Ballarat.

Looking for a career in local government? View our current vacancies online at: ballarat.vic.gov.au

Draft Meeting Procedure Local Law

Notice is hereby given that the City of Ballarat intends to adopt the Meeting Procedure Local Law in accordance with section 119 of the Local Government Act 1989 (the Act).

The City of Ballarat has commenced the process of developing the new Meeting Procedure Local Law to replace Local Law No. 18 Meeting Procedure Local Law. The review has been undertaken by Council officers from all relevant departments and with assistance from expert legal counsel.

The draft Meeting Procedure Local Law has been prepared with reference to the state government's guidelines for local laws.

There are a broad range of matters that are addressed by the proposed Meeting Procedure Local Law. These matters include the following:

- Swearing in of Councillors and Election of Mayor;
- Councils Common Seal;
- Councils Office Holders; and
- Meeting Procedures.

The proposed changes focus on providing more clarity around statutory meetings, swearing in of councillors, election of temporary chairs, procedural motions, and petitions and joint letters. It will also increase transparency around urgent business, notices of motion, alterations of motions and points or order, public question time and representations.

A copy of the draft Meeting Procedure Local Law together with a Community Impact Statement has been prepared and are available for viewing on the City of Ballarat's website and for inspection at the Customer Service Centre at the Phoenix Building, 25 Armstrong Street South, Ballarat.

Any person may make a written submission to Council under section 223 of the *Local Government Act 1989*.

Written submissions must be received by the City of Ballarat by 5pm, 9 November 2018.

Written submissions should be addressed to the Executive Manager Safety, Risk and Compliance Services, City of Ballarat and sent by mail to: PO Box 655, Ballarat 3353.

Any person who has made a submission under section 223 of the Act and has requested to be heard in support of their written submission, is entitled to appear in person or to be represented by a person specified in the submission before the Council. The proposed Local Law will be considered at the ordinary meeting to be held on 12 December 2018. The time and place of the Council meeting will be advised in writing.

Details of submissions may also be included within the official Council Agendas and Minutes which are public documents, and which may also be made available on Council's website.

Council will consider any written submission in accordance with section 223 of the Act.

Any person requiring further information should direct their enquiries to Cameron Montgomery, Executive Manager Safety, Risk and Compliance Services on (03) 5320 5500 or via email: info@ballarat.vic.gov.au.

Tenders

Tender documents can be obtained from www.tenderlink.com/ballarat or by contacting City of Ballarat Customer Service Centre on 5320 5500.

Tender No	Tender Description	Closes
2018/19-38	Renovation Gatekeepers Cottage, Botanical Gardens	12 noon 17/10/2018
2018/19-51	Road rehabilitation Armstrong Street South	12 noon 24/10/2018
2018/19-56	Design services – Alfredton Recreation Reserve Complex extension	12 noon 24/10/2018
2018/19-54	Roundabout modifications Howitt Street and Doveton Street	12 noon 31/10/2018
2018/19-53	Road reconstruction Brogdan Court, Golden Point	31/10/2018
2018/19-58	Landscape construction Ballymanus Central Park	31/10/2018
2018/19-59	Reconstruction Gregory Street West	31/10/2018
2018/19-61	Detailed design for upgrade of Gong Reservoir dam wall, Buninyong	31/10/2018



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Secure the future

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