

Spring 2018



Naracoorte Lucindale Council Newsletter

- make a difference -
COUNCIL ELECTIONS
- 2018 -



VOTE

must be received before 5pm
Friday 9 November 2018



Councils are part of the democratic framework of Australia. The community elects their council members every four years. The 2018 Council Elections are being held during October and November 2018.

Information on candidates will be received with your ballot papers. Additional information is available at <http://www.lga.sa.gov.au/councilelections>

Voting Packs

Voting for council elections is by postal ballot. This means that all election material (including ballot papers) is mailed directly to enrolled voters.

If you are on the state (House of Assembly) electoral roll or the supplementary roll, you will receive a voting pack in the mail in late October 2018.

Voting packs will contain:

- A ballot paper for each election being contested in the council area for which you are entitled to vote
- Candidate profile brochure
- A ballot paper envelope
- A reply paid envelope
- A Postal Voting Guide

More information about how to complete and return your vote to ensure it is valid is available on the Electoral Commission of South Australia website -

<https://www.ecsa.sa.gov.au/voting/voting-in-council-elections>

Make a difference by participating in your council election.

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In the Naracoorte Lucindale Council there are two elections being contested:

1. Mayor (1 vacancy)
2. Area Councillors (10 vacancies)

Your candidates are listed below in the order they will appear on the ballot papers.

Mayoral Candidates

Erika Lee	Vickery Castine
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Area Councillor Candidates

Ken	Schultz
Julie	Earl
Trevor	Rayner
Monique	Crossling
Derek	James
Cameron	Grundy
Alan	Taylor
Brett	Rumball
Tom	Dennis
Craig	McGuire
Ken	Banning
Kenneth (Toby)	Robinson
Didar	Ali
Rebecca	Smith
Bradley	Dickenson
Damien	Ross
Scott	McLachlan

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Waste and Recycling Refresher

Waste and recycling management is a major responsibility for Council. Council plays an important role in providing household waste and recycling collection, owning the Naracoorte Waste Transfer Station, supporting education and awareness programs and providing and maintaining litter infrastructure.

Council is committed to reducing the amount of waste ending up in landfill. To achieve this, efforts are being made by Council to:

- Maximise the collection of materials suitable for recycling
- Provide waste and recycling education
- Investigate new ways to process waste to increase recycling and reuse locally, decrease reliance on landfills and avoid other environmental impacts

Effective and efficient waste management is important to protect the environment and for the health and safety of the population and to control expenditure on waste management.

You can reduce what goes into your bins by doing the following:

AVOID waste:

- Refuse junk mail if you don't want to read it
- Share magazines and newspapers or access them online or borrow from a library

REDUCE what you throw away:

- Set up a compost bin and worm farm
- Buy in bulk and products with minimal packaging
- Repair before replacing

REUSE materials in an innovative way

- Buy items in refillable containers
- Reuse containers for storing food, pens, buttons, screws etc

RECYCLE products to save natural resources

- Close the loop and buy recycled products
- Use your recycling bin or your local recycling depot

WHAT GOES IN THE WASTE BIN?

- Any remaining items that cannot be recycled or composted
- Plastic bags, garbage bags, non-recyclable plastic and food packaging (eg chip packets)
- Crockery, broken glass, mirrors, etc
- Polystyrene, foam, cling film
- Nappies
- Ropes and hoses (neatly tied up)

WHAT DOES NOT GO IN THE WASTE BIN?

- All liquid waste, building and construction waste (including rocks and earth)
- Hot ashes, hazardous or radioactive materials
- Flares, ammunition or explosives
- Medical waste
- Automobile parts
- Gas cylinders

WHAT GOES IN THE RECYCLING BIN?

- Tins and cans (including aerosols)
- All glass bottles and jars (rinsed and with lids off)
- Paper and cardboard (newspapers, magazines, envelopes, junk mail, egg cartons, cardboard boxes - flattened)
- Liquid paperboard cartons (eg juice & milk cartons - rinsed)
- Aluminium and steel cans
- Clean plant pots and seedling tubs
- All rigid plastic containers (eg plastic drink bottles, detergent bottles, yoghurt, icecream and margarine containers - rinsed and lids off)
- Empty pizza boxes, rinsed takeaway coffee cups

Small alkaline batteries can be recycled at the Council Office or Naracoorte Waste Transfer Station.

DO NOT

- Do not bundle newspaper or cardboard
- Do not put your recycling in plastic bags
- Do not mix recyclables eg putting cans in boxes
- No polystyrene

ITEMS THAT CAN BE PLACED IN YOUR GREEN ORGANICS BIN INCLUDE

- Lawn clippings, small prunings and cuttings, bark, small branches and twigs, weeds, seaweed, cut flowers, leaves and sweepings
- **Food scraps can now be placed in your green organics bin** (this is an update to the list in the Kerbside Waste Collection Calendar)

For kerbside collection enquiries and waste accepted at the Naracoorte Waste Transfer Station contact EnviroTec on 08 8762 4719.