

Medway - 11 November 2021

Issues raised	Response
Water Tank Community have requested that a water tank for bushfire purposes be investigated. Possibility for water tanks to be located near hall?	Land adjacent to the old village hall may be appropriate Council land to install fire storage tanks for the community. The hall roof storm guttering could potentially subsidise the storage. The request has been provided to Council's Asset department for consideration.
Planning General complaint about lack of communication in Planning area to be noted.	The Director, Communities and Place, is aware of issues within the Planning Department and is prioritising new systems and processes to ensure customers are provided with requested information as promptly as possible.
Playground Equipment removed years ago and the community were promised that it would be replaced. Still hasn't - what is the status?	The WSC Parks Strategy designates Medway Reserve as a Category 3 Bushland Reserve and so, as per the Strategy, the provision of a playground is not included within the development standards for this reserve.
Medway Hall What are the plans for the Hall? Community do not want it demolished as it has heritage significance to them. The would like it restored and to be used as a community evacuation centre for emergencies.	A condition assessment is currently being prepared on the Community Hall which, together with the outcomes Community & Recreational Facilities Strategy, will be used to inform the long-term strategy for this facility.
Medway Road Filled with significant potholes that require attention.	Action request for inspection was raised and the Maintenance team attended Medway on 18 January 2022 to attend to pot hole maintenance.
Roadside Vegetation Currently mown once a year if lucky and only ½ mown. Would like it properly mown and more regularly.	Council undertakes roadside mowing to 1.5m from edge of seal. Funding only allows for one annual mowing run.
Entry sign to village Public Domain Asset Officer working with community on locality sign. Council to provide information on any grants that would be available.	Meeting held with community members who are working on a village entry statement concept to reflect their history.