

MAYOR OF THE DUBBO REGION - BEN SHIELDS



Councillor Ben Shields was first elected to the former Dubbo City Council in 1999 as an 18-year-old who was still studying for his Higher School Certificate.

Councillor Shields is a fifth generation local of Dubbo and has a small advertising and marketing consultancy business.

Since his election to Council back in 1999, Councillor Shields has served 10 years on the board of Local Government NSW (previously Local Government Association of NSW).

In 2012, Councillor Shields was elected Deputy Mayor of the former Dubbo City Council.

At the 2016 merger of the former Dubbo City and Wellington Councils, Councillor Shields was appointed as an advisor to the Local Representation Committee whose job was to advise the new council administrator until elections could take place for the new Regional Council in September 2017.

Following the 2017 Council elections, Councillor Shields was elected as the first Mayor of Dubbo Regional Council.

MAYOR'S BLOG

The Mayor's weekly column about issues, events and news in the region.

Government assistance needed to help region's economy through drought

As everyone is now acutely aware, we are in one of the worst droughts on record and as a region Dubbo moved to Level 4 water restrictions at the start of the month.

Council to investigate all options before REX meeting

Most people would be aware of grievances aired by Regional Express (REX) towards Dubbo Regional Council in recent months but Council is looking to work with the airlines to resolve differences and get a good outcome for Dubbo residents.

Celebrating 30 years as a sister city with Minokamo

Over the last few days I have had the pleasure of celebrating the 30th anniversary of our sister city relationship with the Japanese city of Minokamo.

Meet and greet give residents chance to talk to Council

In November Wellington residents will have an opportunity to talk to Councillors and senior staff from Dubbo Regional Council at an informal meet and greet.

Talk of "day zero" and Dubbo running out of water not true

Water restrictions about extending region's water supply to get us through tough times but taps not about to run dry.

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MEDIA RELEASES

1 Mar 2019 Dubbo and Minokamo to mark 30 years as sister cities with special visit

Dubbo residents have a chance to be part of a special delegation that will travel to Minokamo to celebrate the 30th anniversary of a sister city relationship between the cities.

1 Mar 2019 Council supports young driver education over three years

Dubbo Regional Council will provide sponsorship to the Rotary Youth Driver Awareness (RYDA) program over the next three years following a resolution by Council.

26 Feb 2019 Second Community Forum to be held at Wellington

Dubbo Regional Council will hold an informal community forum at Wellington on Monday, 4 March to give the public a chance to meet with Councillors and Senior Staff.

8 Feb 2019 Community paying a high price for vandalism

Mayor of the Dubbo Region Ben Shields has slammed a small group of vandals that cost the city tens of thousands of dollars in repairs and cleaning every year.

6 Feb 2019 New Lighting Systems installed at sporting facilities across Dubbo and Wellington

Mayor of the Dubbo Region Ben Shields is looking forward to flipping the switch on energy efficient lights across some of the regions sporting fields.

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A monthly calendar of the Mayoral Appointments.

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