



# HELP SHAPE YOUR COMMUNITY

If you're looking to work in a progressive and contemporary environment, we've got a number of careers opportunities available.



**MIDCOAST**  
council

# BIN DAY DILEMMA?



Great news for householders across the region – we've taken the guess work out of bin collection day. Head online and enter your street address to find:

- What day of the week your bins are collected
- Which week your yellow recycling bin is collected
- Which alternate week your green waste bin is collected (for households who receive this service)
- A downloadable bin calendar

Scan the code or visit [midcoast.nsw.gov.au/binday](https://midcoast.nsw.gov.au/binday)

# BACK-TO-SCHOOL ROAD SAFETY

With the new school term starting, make sure you know the rules that are in place to keep our kids safe during school drop-off and pick-up times.

- Slow down to 40km/h when school zone signs and bus lights flash
- Look out for children crossing the road near bus stops, in school zones, and along bus routes
- Give way to buses as they merge back into traffic
- Observe kerbside signs showing where you can and can't stop your car in school zones



# NEED TO REMOVE A TREE IN YOUR BACKYARD?

Sometimes trees can cause issues such as roots blocking drains, or overhanging branches posing a risk to people and property. In some cases, you may consider removing or pruning undesirable or dangerous trees or vegetation.

Before you do anything, make sure to check if a permit application is required based on your location.

## VEGETATION MANAGEMENT CONTROLS

In some areas, controls are in place to ensure we balance the protection of the environment and landscape with the need to manage trees and other vegetation that are causing issues.

These protection controls differ from place to place, depending on the ecological value of the area - so one size does not fit all.



For more information and to find out if your property is covered by the Vegetation Management Policy, scan the QR code or visit [midcoast.nsw.gov.au/trees](https://midcoast.nsw.gov.au/trees)



# DOING BUSINESS WITH US ONLINE

We've listened to your feedback and have updated our online services to make doing business with us easier and more efficient for you. This is part of our commitment to delivering benefits for our community in a way that adds value and builds trust. If there is something you are looking to do, like pay a bill, lodge a DA or give feedback on our projects, head to our website to find out more.



## COUNCIL CAREERS

Looking for a healthy work/life balance? Check out our diverse range of career opportunities on our website.



## BEACH VEHICLE PERMITS

Find out where you can buy beach vehicle access permits and how to drive responsibly on our beaches.



## PETS AND ANIMALS

Learn about your responsibilities as a pet owner, find a lost animal or adopt a new pet.



## REPORT AN ISSUE

If you come across something that you think we should know about, such as a damaged facility or a pothole in your street, you can share the details with us.

We can't fix a problem we don't know about, so let us know and we will do what we can to get a resolution for you.

# GRAB YOUR SHOP MIDCOAST GIFT CARD TODAY

## Keep it local

All money stays within the MidCoast region. The gift cards are purchased in the area and can only be redeemed at participating stores in the area. By using the cards, MidCoast shoppers are supporting jobs in their communities and investing in their local economy.

## One card, endless possibilities

Having a great variety of businesses as part of the network means you can give someone a gift and they can buy anything they want! People can use it to go treat themselves or just take care of the essential items.

## An easy way to shop

You can do all your gift shopping in one place. You don't have to think about what to buy someone. It's more thoughtful than cash only gifts.

Visit [www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/shopmidcoast](http://www.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/shopmidcoast) for more info.



Look out for these window stickers for participating businesses around the region



## GET MORE INVOLVED, MORE OFTEN



### HAVE YOUR SAY

Hearing from our community helps us deliver the projects and services that matter most. Head online to see what's currently open for feedback, have your say on the projects that interest you, and register to stay updated as they progress. Scan the code or visit [haveyoursay.midcoast.nsw.gov.au](https://haveyoursay.midcoast.nsw.gov.au)

### STAY UPDATED

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- Follow us on social media
- Tune in to a live-streamed Council meeting

