

Welcome Debbie



A message from Mayor, Ben Bell:

On behalf of Elected Members, staff of the Gore District Council and the wider Gore District, I would like to welcome our new Chief Executive Deborah Lascelles.

In what feels like a long time coming for some, and a blink of an eye for others, we were ecstatic to finally welcome Debbie to the Gore District Council, with a Mihi Whakatau (traditional Māori welcome).

We were very proud that her former Chief Executive Susan Law and Mayor Gary Petley made the trip from South Waikato to attend the ceremony.

I'm sure you will join us in welcoming Debbie to this beautiful place we call home.

Resealing Update



Unseasonal weather conditions have put a chip in the works for the Gore District Council's resealing programme.

Motorists are warned to be wary of loose chips on some resealed areas where the gravel top coat hasn't stuck to the bitumen.

The worst affected sites are:

- Hyde Street
- Robertson Street, from Charlton Road to Pukaki Street
- Ontario Street, a short section east of the stopbank
- Waimumu Road, from Bowmar Road to the DSIR

The Council is aware of the issues and will monitor problem areas until the contractor can carry out repairs.



Have a go at Pickleball

Pickleball is a popular sport taking the world by storm!

A mix between tennis and badminton, its a low impact game great for all ages and fitness levels. Played in pairs, quads or singles, you can come with friends or head down alone.

Head along to the MLT Event Centre Thursday's between **6:00pm - 8:00pm** to give it a go!

Sessions are \$5 per person. All the gear is provided. Staff will be on hand to give guidance and training as needed!

Dolamore Park Road closure

A section of the Southern Lights Rally will be held in the Gore District on Saturday 22 June. The following road will be closed for the rally from 5:30am to 10:30am:

- Dolamore Park Road, from Dolamore Park to Otamita Gorge Road

This closure is in accordance with Section 342 of the Local Government Act 1974.

Enquiries to Roading Asset Manager Murray Hasler, phone (03) 209-0330.

Upcoming meetings

Meetings are held in the Council Chambers, 29 Bowler Avenue, Gore, unless otherwise stated. All meetings, except those where the public is excluded, are live-streamed on the Council's YouTube channel www.youtube.com/GoreDC

Monday 10 June

The Mataura Community Board will meet, starting at 5:30pm, at the Elderly Citizens Centre, McQueen Avenue, Mataura.

Tuesday 11 June

The Assets and Infrastructure Committee meets, starting at 4:00pm, followed by the Policy and Regulatory Committee

Wednesday 12 June

Council meeting to deliberate the submissions received to the draft 2024-25 Annual Plan, from 4.00pm, Council Chambers

Tuesday 18 June

Audit and Risk Committee, from 4.00pm, Council Chambers

Tuesday 25 June

Council meeting, from 4.00pm, Council Chambers

Agendas for all meetings, except those in-committee, are available on the Council's website www.goredc.govt.nz (link on homepage).

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