



Community Survey

Balranald Shire Council - Advisory Committees

Balranald Shire Council is reviewing the structure of their Advisory Committees.

Advisory Committees are important volunteer groups which support Council by providing community knowledge, voice and action to Council within a range of key focus areas. A key role of Advisory Committees is to make recommendations to Council on Council decisions and undertake volunteer activities within those focus areas.

Whilst under administration (and without Councillors as elected representatives) Advisory Committees will be Balranald Shire Council's most sustained, regular and formal way of hearing from, and being guided by, the Shire community - YOU.

Currently Advisory Committees include: Youth Council, Balranald Beautification, Balranald Tourism, Euston Beautification and Tourism, Cultural Advisory Committee, Community Safety, Australia Day Advisory Committee and the Balranald Retirement Hostel Advisory Committee. These Committees and their members are very important to us and we want to be sure the best possible structure exists moving forwards.

To be sure we have all the Advisory Committees we need to support and inform us as we all work to make our Shire and communities the best they can be for all residents we are asking for your help in reviewing their structure.

Advisory Committees are 'Your voice to Council' now and into the future!

* 1. I live in (or closest to) the community/area of (please select one)_

- Balranald
- Euston
- Kyalite
- Hatfield
- Penarie
- Clare
- Oxley
- I live outside the Balranald Shire area
- Other (please specify)

* 2. I live (please select one)_

- In a town
- On a farm
- Other (please specify)

3. What is your gender?

- Male
- Female
- Non-binary

4. What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65+

* 5. Please select the position which best applies to you _

- I'm currently a member of a Balranald Shire Council Advisory Committee
- I've been a member of a Balranald Shire Council Advisory Committee in the past
- I've never been a member of a Balranald Shire Council Advisory Committee

6. To create a community you want to live, work and relax in, please rank the following



Disability Access and Inclusion



Education, Training and Career Development



Business and Industry Development & Investment Attraction



Community Buildings and amenities



Parks & Reserves, Recreation & Sports spaces



Culture & Heritage



Youth services, events and facilities



Ageing well and aged services, events and facilities



Housing and residential development



Community precinct safety

7. During online community engagement events held on the 6th and 13th May members of the Balranald Shire community told us about the areas they felt the new Advisory Committee structure should focus on – from this the following categories were formed. Please tell us how important you think each category is

	Very important	Somewhat important	Unimportant	No opinion
Youth Council	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Growing Business, Industry, Tourism (Culture & Heritage)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strengthening Community Access, Inclusion & Well-Being	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ageing Well, Aged Care and Facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Beautification Committee	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sport & Recreation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Euston Progressive	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

8. What would you change about these categories (for example: would you add a group, remove one, change the name)?

9. Do you have any final comments about the Balranald Shire Council's Advisory Committees?

10. If you are interested in becoming a member of one of the NEW ADVISORY COMMITTEES and would like to be contacted when Expressions of Interest are advertised please leave your name and details below:

Name

Email

Mobile telephone number

Postal address

* 11. Please add any final thoughts about how Council and community can communicate better _