



Dumbleyung Swimming Pool Update

The Dumbleyung Shire Council has appointed a Project Working Group to guide input and design for a new Dumbleyung Swimming Pool precinct; members of the Project Working Group include: -

- Cr Julie Ramm (Shire President)
- Cr Bevan Doney
- Chelsea Mott
- Pip Gooding
- Jon Ward
- Heather Bartram

Two meetings of the Project Working Group have been held: 23rd March and 7th April 2022

The Shire of Dumbleyung has appointed H&H Architects to support the Project Working Group to explore initial design options for a new Dumbleyung Swimming Pool precinct

Initial preliminary design concepts have considered the following: -

- Focus on enabling the current pool to be reopened as soon as possible with new pump room, circa 2024
- Location options
- Shifting the main entrance, pool plant room & balance tanks and changerooms to the north side of the precinct
- Maintaining a preference for a 6-lane main (lap) pool plus a large kid's pool with water play
- Expanding the overall pool land area footprint to incorporate some sections of the vacant land located to the west of the facility
- Converting some of the existing pool buildings into other health uses i.e. Gym
- The Project Working Group has sought a broader precinct design option encompassing both the pool and the existing building areas
- A fuller more comprehensive geotechnical investigation is required to obtain a clearer picture of subsurface conditions for the whole precinct
- Specialized structural engineering expertise is also required to gain an in depth understanding of the existing building condition
- Once a Project Working Group endorsed concept design is finalised, estimated project costings will be sought
- Staging of the project is still considered an important option given existing LRCI grant funds (\$857K) available to support the potential construction of a new Pool Infiltration system, Plant Room and Balance Tank and the need to spend these funds by 30 June 2023
- A funding and overall project affordability strategy will also need to be considered as part of the final selected preferred concept design

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