



Weekly Round Up

15 January 2021

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Domestic Violence (DV) Safe Program

As part of Walkerville Councils White Ribbon commitment, we have partnered with the Domestic Violence (DV) Safe Program to become a collection point for old (working) mobile phones.

The mobile phone is often one of the first items to be thrown, broken or stolen during domestic violence, leaving the victim cut off from the outside world, with no way to call emergency services or helplines for assistance.

The DV Safe Program:

- encourages the community to donate unwanted phones and repurposes them for those vulnerable members who need a “safe” phone in times of emergency.
- handles the security requirements around the disposal of old mobile devices (staff individually factory reset and test every phone, as well as destroying any removable SD cards).
- meets the environmental requirements around disposal of old mobile devices (if the phone is unusable due to age/damage, it is recycled through an official mobile phone recycling centre).



We have installed a collection box for mobile phones in the foyer of the Walkerville Civic and Community Centre.

To find out more about the project ‘DV Safe Phone’ please visit www.dvsafephone.org

If you have a spare phone or two sitting around in a cupboard at home, unlikely to see the light of day again, why not donate it! Your donation will definitely help someone in a DV situation.

Parking Permit Zone

New parking changes to parts of Medindie and Gilberton will be rolled out from 1 July 2021.

The Town of Walkerville will be implementing 3-hour parking restrictions throughout Medindie and Gilberton between 8am and 5pm, Mondays to Fridays, from 1 July 2021. Residents will be able to apply for on-street fixed parking permits (subject to eligibility), along with the ability to request one free transferable residential parking permit.



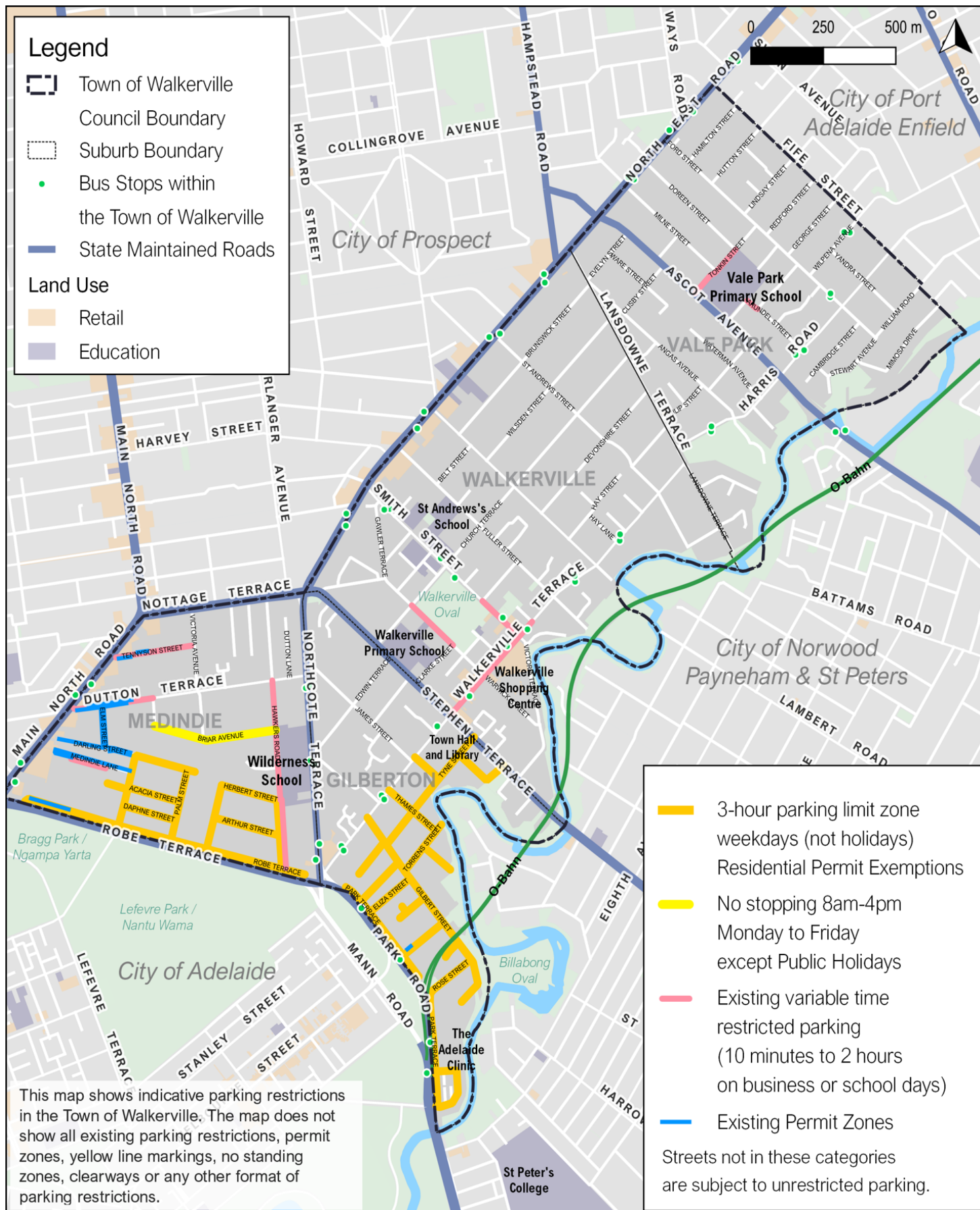
Vehicles displaying these permits are exempt from the 3-hour parking restrictions.

Please see the map on the following page for streets impacted by the change or [click here to view in a new browser](#).

Parking Permit Zone signage will be installed in Medindie and Gilberton outlining the restrictions. This signage will not be placed down every street – as recommended by the community during public consultation to avoid an abundance of signage in the area. The signage will be installed in March 2021 to notify the community and allow the public time to adjust to these new restrictions, however, the changes will not be enforced until 1 July 2021.

Council engaged GTA Consultants review existing traffic, transport and parking conditions in Medindie and Gilberton. During consultation, one key finding within both suburbs was the need to address community concerns in relation to non-resident cars being parked on streets for extended periods of time. In response, Council endorsed a 3-hour permit zone at its 19 October 2020 Ordinary Meeting.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us on 8342 7100 or email walkerville@walkerville.sa.gov.au.



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Protecting our koalas

Look out for koalas along Stephen Terrace (and our new signs).

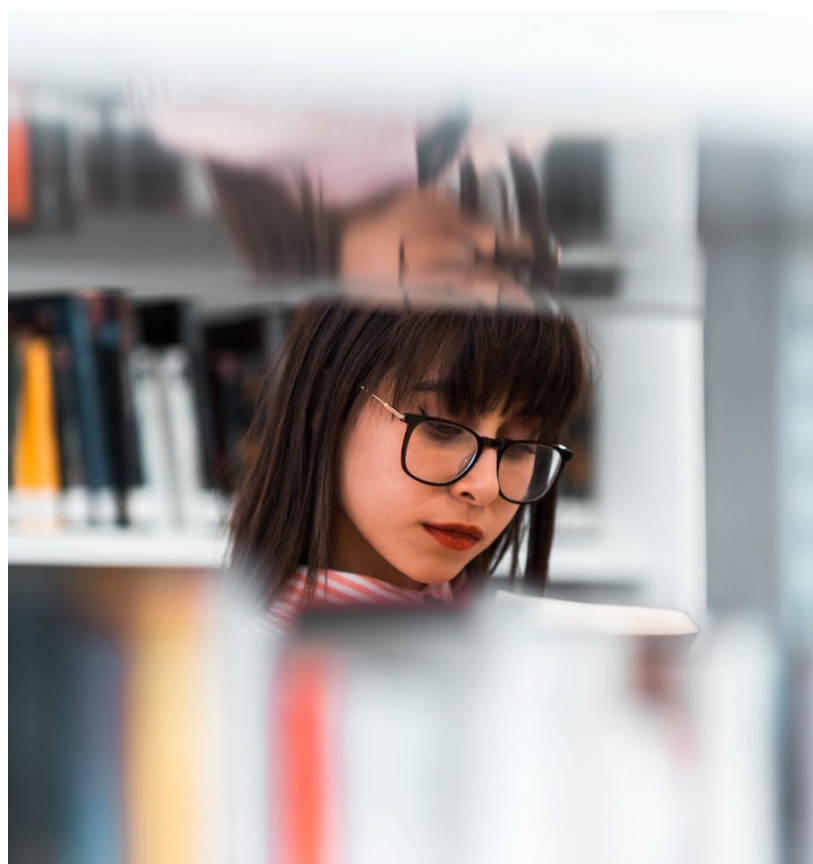
Council has installed koala warning signs between Cluny Avenue and Ponder Avenue.

Koalas regularly cross Stephen Terrace, near the bridge, to continue their journey along the River Torrens Linear Park. Council has been made aware of several incidents involving motorists and our native friends.

If you see an injured koala, please call **Adelaide Koala Rescue** on 0413 185 771.



Walkerville Library weekend hours restarting!



The library will return to Saturday opening hours of 9:30am to 1pm from this Saturday (9 January 2021).

You will be able to borrow, use computers and read once again in the library from 9:30am to 1:00pm starting from 9 January 2021!

We look forward to having your company once more on a Saturday in the New Year.

Visit the Town of Walkerville [website](#) for current information on available library services due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Weekly waste tip

The New Year is upon us and it is time to commit to

New Year's resolution #1:



resolutions...

✿✿✿ It's a New Year so why waste it? Make your New Year resolution to recycle ♻️ more and waste less!

Avoid single use plastics, choose reusable items instead!

Remember to **recycle** paper, cardboard, steel, aluminium, glass and rigid plastic containers and bottles.

Compost your food scraps! Almost 40% of material ending up in landfill blue bins is food and compostable items. Use a kitchen organics basket, available from Council, to collect food and compostable items before placing them in your green bin. You can compost the below in your green bin:

- Lawn clippings
- Weeds
- Sawdust
- Tissue and paper towel
- Coffee grounds
- Shredded paper (loose/not bagged)
- Small cuttings, prunings and branches
- Cut flowers
- Pet waste
- Egg shells
- Tea leaves and tea bags
- Food scraps (i.e. citrus, onion, dairy, meat, bones, fish, vegetable scraps)

[Click here to check the Which Bin? website for more tips.](#)

Friends for Good

Friends for Good is a volunteer driven not-for-profit loneliness service which supports those experiencing social isolation.

The FriendLine service is launching in South Australia as part of a national rollout.

Recent research found that loneliness impacts almost three million Australians and consequently, the Morrison Government has committed to investing almost \$5 million to support the significant expansion of FriendLine nationally.

“FriendLine is a free and anonymous telephone service that will provide seniors and adults in Australia with an opportunity to chat with a friendly volunteer,” FriendLine CEO Patricia Lauria says.

“The service is for anyone in our community who would like to feel more connected, with the aim of preventing callers from becoming lonely.”

Need a chat?



friendline®

A FRIENDS FOR GOOD SERVICE

The national support service ready for a cuppa and a conversation.

Call

08 7078 6229

(Free call 1800 424 287)

2pm – 6pm, Monday & Friday

2pm – 8pm, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

2pm – 5pm, Saturday & Sunday

Chat

friendline.org.au

1pm – 5pm, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

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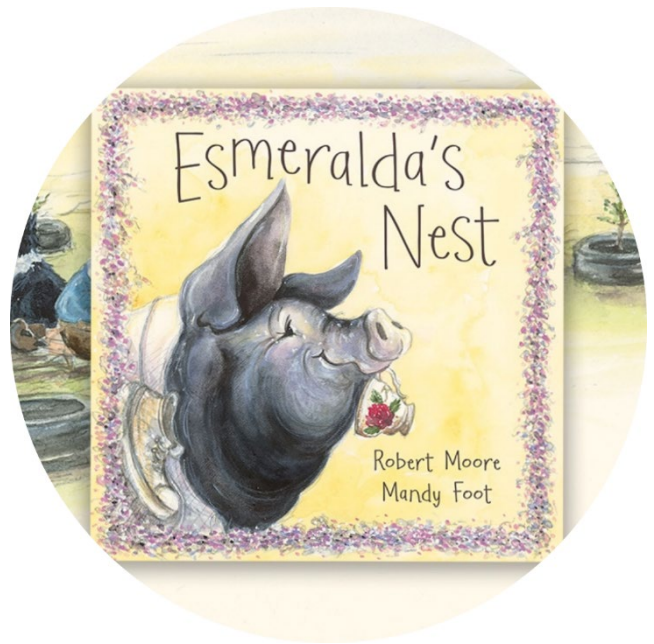


Our summer program of events, [CULTIVATE 5081](#) is out today. There are events for all ages and interests. All participants will be expected to adhere to 1.5m distancing, hand hygiene and contact tracing requirements (QR code).

Children's Author Talk with Mandy Foot

Join Mandy as she shares her process for creating a picture book - from initial sketches through to the finished artwork of intricate watercolour paintings. Mandy will read from her new book Esmeralda's Nest and conclude with drawing Esmeralda herself. What will this Saddleback pig be waddling down the hill with next?

1:30pm, Monday, 11 January, Town Hall, Free, bookings essential, call 8342 7100 or [CLICK HERE](#). Children must be supervised by an adult guardian.



Whittle & Weave Workshop



This creative and hands-on experience uses technology and techniques from long ago to forge modern masterpieces. Children will be amazed to find that the simplest of natural materials can reveal layers of surprise. Children explore historical links to design and technology while mastering new skills demanding self-control and persistence.

1:30pm, Wednesday, 20 January, Town Hall, \$5.00 per child, aged 9-13, bookings essential, call 8342 7100 or [CLICK HERE](#). Children must be supervised by an adult guardian.



Stretch, Meditate & Relax

This age old practice enables us to calm the mind, relax the body, and ease away stress and tension which improves both physical and mental well-being. Learn some simple, easy to apply, and effective meditation and yoga practices to achieve a deeper sense of peace in your daily life. Classes for adults are conducted by practitioners from the Australian School of Meditation and Yoga.



6.00pm 12, 19 January, 2, 9, 16, 23 February, Town Hall,

\$5.00 to attend, bookings essential, call 8342 7100 or [CLICK HERE.](#)

Laughter Yoga



Rediscover laughter and reap the benefits: reduce stress, improve immune system, boost your mood and even manage pain. Laughter yoga does not involve any downward dog and can be done standing or seated. You will leave this session guaranteed to be happier, calmer and more positive. Join TEDx speaker and author, Annie Harvey, as we put fun into our lives and release some of those happy hormones!

6.30pm Monday 18 January, Town Hall,
Free to attend, bookings essential, call 8342 7100 or [CLICK HERE.](#)

Summer Reading Club

Children and young people can join the “Club” once again this summer at Walkerville Library.



The campaign themed Tales of Wonder is designed to incite wonder and discovery as children and families look to explore myth, legend and fairy tales this summer.

To join the club, come into the library and collect your pack. Fill in a reading log with every book read or heard (audiobooks).

There will be instant prizes for children each time they return their completed reading log.

Every completed reading log goes into the draw to win a \$50 voucher from Dymocks Adelaide (one voucher for children up to 5 years and one voucher for children 6 and over).

Find out more about this national literacy initiative at:
summerreadingclub.org.au/theclub

Capital Works Update

Smith Street, Walkerville

The Town of Walkerville is undertaking road works on Smith Street, Walkerville, from Monday 11 January to Thursday 14 January 2021.

The work will traverse from North East Road down along Smith Street to the roundabout at Church Street. As such, Smith Street will be closed to most traffic for safety.

The work involves milling to 150 mm depth on the traffic lanes and 50 mm depth on the parking areas, for the full length and width of the existing road.

Milling will occur to 50 mm across the full area and then the additional 100 mm on the traffic lanes thereafter. The new asphalt will be laid progressively as the milling is finished in each section.

The road will be closed to most traffic, excepting local residents, buses and some delivery trucks. There will be no parking during work times on the road, but if safe to do so, overnight parking will be available.

Due to the 150 mm depth of milling, access to properties will be limited and variable.

Residents, St Andrews school and other property owners were first notified in October 2020. This week, variable message boards on all access to Smith Street have been installed and residents were further notified by TopCoat (contractor) on Tuesday 5 January.

As this is a School Zone, work needs to be carried out during school holidays. TopCoat have provided a detailed program, including a traffic management plan and have liaised with DTI and the Bus operators.

Whilst every effort will be made to accommodate property owners and residents, there will be major disruptions and some long wait time to access Smith Street.

Warwick Street, Walkerville

A footpath using permeable pavers will be constructed outside of the new picket fence along Warwick Street, from the tennis courts to Church Terrace. Asphalt work on Warwick Street and Clarke Street will occur on Friday 15 January 2021 and be completed before school returns.

Street sweeping helps keep the Township clean

Our street sweeping programs are seasonally adjusted to effectively manage the level of risk in streets where issues are present generally relating to street tree litter.



While we make every effort to keep our streets clean year-round, you can help out by doing the following:

- Avoid sweeping leaves or clippings onto the road;
- Do not park caravans, trailers or boats on the road for extended periods.

Vale Park	Main Roads	Gilberton/Medindie	Walkerville
		13/1/2021	
27/1/2021	3/2/2021	10/2/2021	21/1/2021
24/2/2021	3/3/2021	10/3/2021	18/2/2021
24/3/2021	31/3/2021	7/4/2021	18/3/2021
21/4/2021	28/4/2021	5/5/2021	15/4/2021
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11/8/2021	18/8/2021	25/8/2021	5/8/2021
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6/10/2021	13/10/2021	20/10/2021	30/9/2021
3/11/2021	10/11/2021	17/11/2021	28/10/2021
1/12/2021	8/12/2021	15/12/2021	25/11/2021
29/12/2021			23/12/2021

SA Power Network Tree Pruning

SA Power Networks vegetation clearance program within the Town of Walkerville will be undertaken between November 2020 and January 2021.

SA Power Networks vegetation clearance program consists of the following programs to manage vegetation near powerlines:

- Annual cyclic program in high bushfire risk areas and risk-based approach in medium bushfire risk areas (approximately 430,000 line spans across the state).
- Pre-fire danger season program in high bushfire risk areas – repatrol all spans that were inspected as part of the annual cyclic program prior to 1 May in that year.
- Three-year cyclic program in non-bushfire risk areas.
- Metropolitan Council program – three-year cyclic program.
- Metropolitan 33kV/66kV Pre- Fire Danger Season Program – preventative maintenance program on high voltage feeders.

Tree trimming advice

SA Power Networks will be trimming trees around powerlines from now through to January 2021 in the following council areas: Adelaide, Prospect, Walkerville, Marion, Holdfast Bay, Burnside, West Torrens.

This work will help minimise the risk of outages and damage to powerlines and enhance community safety.

Our tree trimming program ensures we meet legislative requirements and deliver electricity reliably and safely to homes and businesses in the area.

For more information call us on 13 12 61 or visit sapowernetworks.com.au/trees

They have advised Council of their intention to commence these works throughout the township. Further information on this program can be found on their website or via the following link [SA Power Networks Vegetation Clearance Program](#).

Any queries relating to these works can be directed to SA Power Networks.

Open for Consultation

Draft Public Land Encroachment Policy



The *Local Government Act 1999* (Act) requires Council to have in place policies, practices and procedures for dealing with any reasonable request for the use of public land. The Public Land Encroachment Policy (Policy) provides the basis for Council to manage encroachments on, over and under public land.

The Policy has undergone a scheduled review and is presented to the community for public consultation.

[Click here to view the draft Policy.](#)

Written submissions should be submitted as follows:

If posted, to:

The Chief Executive Officer
Draft Public Land Encroachment Policy
Town of Walkerville
66 Walkerville Terrace
GILBERTON SA 5081

Or if emailed, to:

walkerville@walkerville.sa.gov.au with the subject line “Draft Public Land Encroachment Policy”

Consultation closes 5pm Tuesday 26 January 2021.

Open for Consultation

Levi Park Oval upgrade



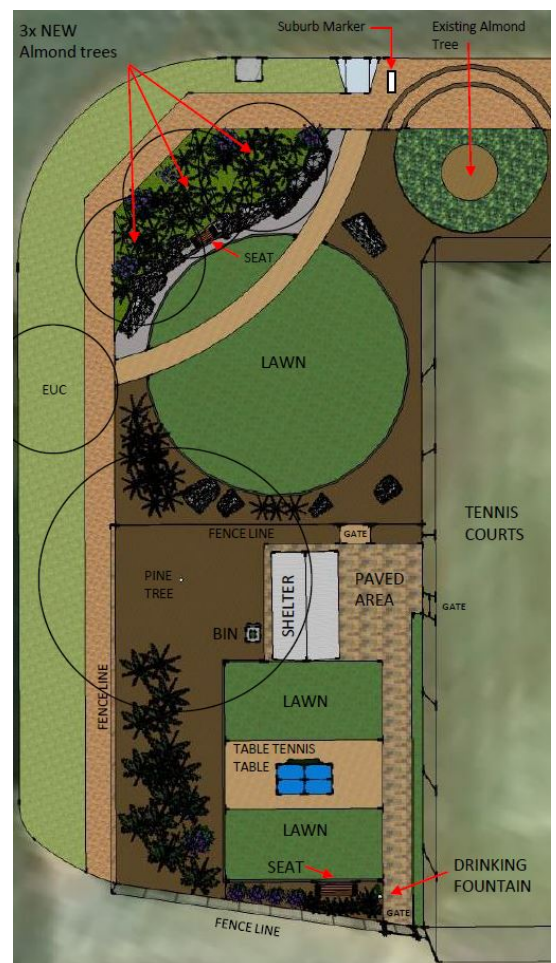
A table tennis table, new fenced enclosure, bench seats, drinking fountain and landscaping are all part of the plan for an upgrade of Levi Park Oval.

The Town of Walkerville will be undertaking the project in order to improve the area for the community and to create a destination that speaks to the history of the Township. This includes the proposal for new almond trees to strengthen the historical link between Levi Reserve/Vale House and the Belt family – who were known as "the Almonds".

Let us know what you think of the project by completing the survey here:

www.surveymonkey.com/r/leviparkupgrade

Consultation closes 5pm Friday 29 January 2020.



Open for Consultation

Draft Order Making Policy



Section 259 of the *Local Government Act 1999* (Act) requires Council to prepare and adopt an Order Making Policy (Policy).

The Order Making Policy enables Council to order a person to do or refrain from doing a thing under certain circumstances. These things having regard to:

- Hazards on lands adjoining a place (s254);
- Inappropriate use of a vehicle (s254);
- The power to order the owner of private road to carry out specified roadworks (s216);
- The power to require owner of adjoining land to carry out specified work (s218).

The Policy has undergone a scheduled review and Council is seeking community feedback on the revised document.

[Click here to view the draft Policy.](#)

Written submissions should be submitted as follows:

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Draft Order Making Policy
Town of Walkerville
66 Walkerville Terrace
GILBERTON SA 5081

Or if emailed, to:

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Consultation closes 5pm Wednesday 3 February 2021.

Open for Consultation

Draft Suicide Prevention Bill



Many South Australians have been affected by suicide and the consequences can be devastating, complex and long-lasting for families and communities.

Suicide is the leading cause of death for South Australians aged 15 to 44, is the third leading cause of premature death and has the third highest rate of years of life lost for all conditions.

The [draft Suicide Prevention Bill](#) proposes to establish measures to reduce suicide in South Australia. It will promote a whole of community focus on suicide, underpinned by sustained engagement with the community, government and non-government agencies, and services and community organisations such as Suicide Prevention Networks.

The purpose of the Bill is to have a legislative mechanism that aims to reduce the incidence of deaths by suicide and suicide attempts in this State. It proposes to do so through a number of measures, including:

- Establishing a Suicide Prevention Council to oversee suicide prevention and postvention (activities and programs to support people bereaved by suicide) and prepare a State Suicide Prevention Plan.
- Requiring certain agencies to have suicide prevention plans which respond to not only their employees but also their consumers.
- Establishing the capacity to declare certain means or methods of suicide as a controlled lethal means.
- Establishing a suicide register to provide more timely information that will assist in a targeted approach to suicide prevention initiatives.

You can provide a written submission or complete the community survey at: yoursay.sa.gov.au. There will also be two public webinar consultations with interested stakeholders. Details are available on the [YourSay website](#).

Consultation closes 5pm Friday 12 February 2021.

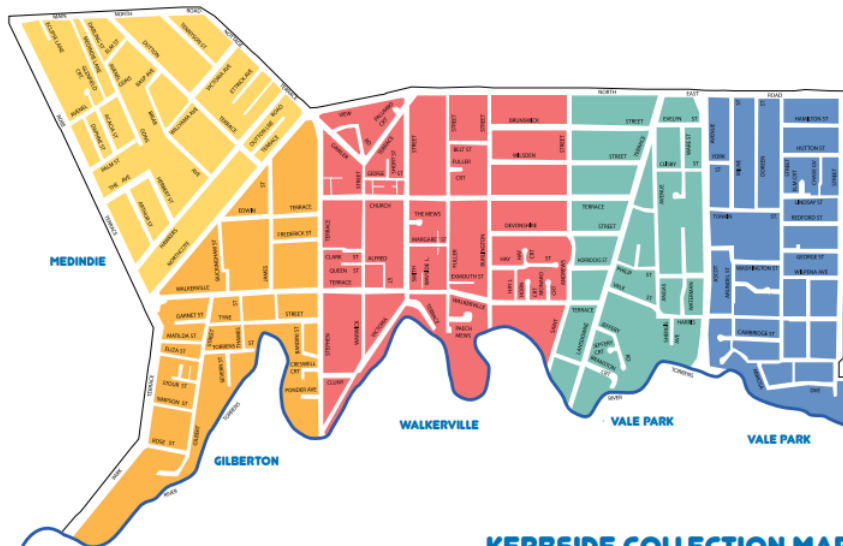
Bin Calendars

Pick up your [2021 Bin Collection Calendar](#) from the Civic and Community Centre or download the [My Local Services App](#) to access the calendar and receive reminders.

2021 KERBSIDE COLLECTION CALENDAR

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- Green organics bin (fortnightly)
- Yellow recycling bin (fortnightly)
- Blue waste to landfill bin (weekly)
- Public holiday - No collections on New Year's Day or Good Friday. All collections will move to the next day for the remaining week.
- Public holiday - Collection as usual



KERBSIDE COLLECTION MAP

COLLECTION DAY

Use this map to determine your collection day.

- MONDAY - MEDINDIE
- TUESDAY - GILBERTON
- WEDNESDAY - WALKERVILLE
- THURSDAY - VALE PARK
- FRIDAY - VALE PARK

KERBSIDE BIN PLACEMENT

Bins should be placed 1 metre apart at kerbside by 6am on your collection day. Please remove bins from kerbside within 24hrs of collection.

Council Meetings

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Monday 18 January 2021.

All Council and Committee meetings will be temporarily held online until further notice. The Council Chambers will not be open to the public during this time, however, meetings will be [live streamed via YouTube](#).

Questions for public question time may be submitted to the Chief Executive Officer by 5pm on Monday 18 January 2021 via email (kcristol@walkerville.sa.gov.au), post (Chief Executive Officer, PO Box 55 Walkerville SA 5081) or hand delivery (Community and Civic Centre, 66 Walkerville Terrace, Gilberton).

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