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Tenterfield Flood Study

Tenterfield Shire Council has received funding under the State Government's Floodplain Program to review and update the Tenterfield Flood Study. Council's Water and Waste Manager - Gillian Marchant is the Project Manager.

Mayor Bronwyn Petrie commented that "The flood study review will ensure that Council is using current state floodplain management information to support decision making on flooding issues."

Council's Mayor Bronwyn Petrie continued that "The main aims of the study are to protect the Tenterfield community from flood impacts and identify strategies to mitigate these impacts. The study will assess flood evacuation and planning options, community education on floods, and practical mitigation measures that can be implemented."

The project grant totals \$90,000, with costs shared with the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEW) and Council.

Michael Wood and Associates have been appointed to conduct the study. A program of community engagement and information resources will be made available through Council's website. The project will take approximately ten (10) months.

Council in conjunction with Michael Wood and Associates will be conducting a community consultation session at the "Koreelah Room", 247 Rouse Street, Tenterfield on Monday 20th May 2024, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm.

If you are wanting to attend the Community Consultation Session, please register your interest with Council by telephone 6736 6000 or Email council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au.

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