

# Tilba District Strategic Plan - on a page



## Vision Statement

We want to protect and enhance the character and landscape of the Tilba district to ensure it remains a special place to live, work and visit, to provide even greater opportunities for local businesses and to ensure the community is better prepared to face future challenges.

## Key Drivers

<b>Prepare, Protect &amp; Preserve</b>	<b>History &amp; Culture</b>	<b>Community &amp; Connectedness</b>	<b>Economic Growth</b>
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## Focus Areas

Emergency and natural disaster preparedness and protection	Long-term landcare protection and enhancement of our district	Sustainability opportunities	Raising awareness	Better celebrate both aboriginal and settler history	Provide engagement opportunities	Keeping community informed	Continue to build on stakeholder relationships	Providing community support	Improved infrastructure	Encourage visitors to the district with a focus on off-peak periods	Enhance business and agriculture networks
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## Initiatives

<p><b>Establish a Community-led Resilience Team (CRT).</b> This newly formed team will lead the emergency preparedness and protection activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify emergency agencies to be involved and formalise communication structure</li> <li>Establish a preparedness plan and checklist for the community</li> <li>Advocate on issues around water supply and telecommunications</li> <li>Emergency management training opportunities identified</li> </ul>	<p><b>Tilba Environment Landcarers (TEL) will lead the activities to establish ways to preserve and protect our landscape.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Undertake steps towards establishing a Biosphere Reserve for the Tilba District</li> <li>Collaborate with Council and the community on the Council's proposed Climate Action Plan</li> <li>Advocate to ensure sympathetic development in the Tilba District</li> <li>Establish a sustainability pledge for the Tilba District</li> </ul>	<p>A collaborative group will be formed to improve the way the district's history and culture is understood, appreciated and presented</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enhance cultural-based tourism through workshops and tours</li> <li>Establish cultural awareness programs</li> <li>New story-telling signage, including stories of aboriginal history and culture</li> <li>Establishing a Cultural Centre in Tilba which creates a community hub for visitors and locals</li> </ul>	<p>Tilba District Chamber of Commerce will lead the activities to build on our strong sense of community and connectedness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore opportunities to further connect the villages</li> <li>Optimise Tilba Tilba Oval</li> <li>Establish a centralised knowledge sharing framework</li> </ul>	<p>Tilba District Chamber of Commerce will lead the activities to establish sustainable economic growth without compromising the ability of future generations to enjoy the area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advocate and collaborate with ESC on car parking and streetscape improvements</li> <li>Waste management solutions for Bate Street</li> <li>Collaborate with ESC to install wayfinding signage</li> <li>Develop and implement an off-peak events and marketing program</li> <li>Elevate support network for the business and agricultural sectors</li> </ul>
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## Values

We have a strong sense of community	We have a unique identity drawn from our continuing connection to indigenous culture, our rich and diverse history, and our stunning landscape	This identity is at the heart of why we choose to live and work here and why visitors are attracted to the area
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