

# Marysville – Murchison Street and Town Amenity Project



## Have Your Say

Following extensive community consultation, the Master Plan for redeveloping Marysville's main streets has been endorsed by Murrundindi Shire Council's Section 86 Committee and is now out for final public comment until **Wednesday 12 May 2010**.

## The project

The tree-lined streets of Marysville, especially Murchison Street, are central to its identity, helping to define the town's character and providing both residents and visitors with a strong sense of place.

The Rebuilding Together Plan for bushfire reconstruction and recovery allocated funding to undertake planning and design for the restoration of Murchison Street and other areas in the centre of Marysville.

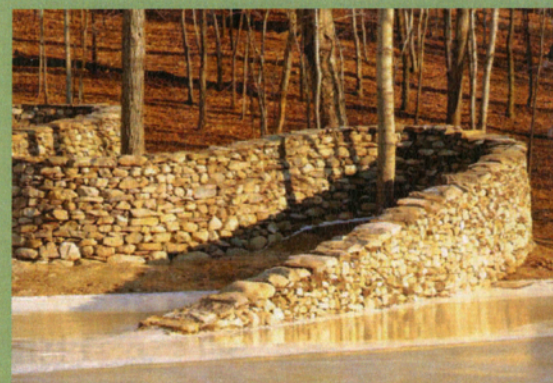
The project seeks to restore the character and heritage significance of key streets in the town. The landscape works will be complemented by civic works such as public art, street furniture and the creation of pedestrian friendly links.

## Key aspects of the Master Plan include:

- Retain and enhance **exotic tree plantings**, which are a character feature of Marysville, especially Murchison Street.
- New and improved **pedestrian / cycling links** within the centre of Marysville to encourage more walking and cycling.
- Extend the **exotic and native landscaping** along key streets in Marysville.
- Upgrade and **improve safety** of Darwin Street.
- Create additional **parking** opportunities in key locations around Marysville.
- Create **opportunities** for public art, water features, seating and informal gardens in public areas.

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## Murchison Street and Town Amenity Project Recommendation Summary



Sinuous stone wall



Deciduous trees



Native trees



Seasonal colour



# Community inputs so far

A number of workshops have been held since late last year with key stakeholders and the community to scope the issues, confirm the project's vision, and consider preliminary ideas.

A range of suggestions made by the community at these workshops have been included in the current project especially the need to reinstate and enhance the landscape character that was so special to Marysville's identity and also to focus on people by including more public seating, wider footpaths, bridge improvements, drink fountains and private spaces.

All of these elements are key features of the Master Plan.

## Feedback

Your knowledge as a resident, business owner, worker or visitor to the area is important and we are looking for your feedback on the proposed vision and ideas in the plans.

Please submit your feedback by Wednesday 12 May 2010 to:

Marysville – Murchison Street and Town Amenity Project

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## More Information

For further information about the project or to view the plans go to [www.wewillrebuild.vic.gov.au](http://www.wewillrebuild.vic.gov.au) or contact Markus Terjung on (03) 9651 7733 or [markus.terjung@dpc.vic.gov.au](mailto:markus.terjung@dpc.vic.gov.au)

A3 copies of the plans can also be viewed at the offices of the Victorian Bushfire Reconstruction Recovery Authority, Murrindindi Shire Council's Alexandra Office, Marysville Community Services Hub and Marysville Central Information Centre.



Marysville Urban Design Framework - Murchison Street, Artist's Impression

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