



OPPORTUNITIES

EDUCATION

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THE PROBLEM

Strathbogie Shire is located in the Hume Region, approximately 90 minutes from Melbourne. It is comprised of the diverse townships of Avenel, Euroa, Longwood, Nagambie, Strathbogie and Violet Town. The shire covers over 3,300 square kilometres and has a population of over 10,000 people.

The shire is limited in its ability to further attract residents, visitors and investment because it is missing the basic infrastructure and services available in metropolitan areas.

Local secondary and tertiary education opportunities are incredibly limited in the shire. This hinders residents' ability to live and learn local and limits the capability of the local economy and job market.

THE SOLUTION

Council is seeking funding for greater education opportunities in the Strathbogie Shire, particularly for secondary education in Nagambie and a tertiary or community education centre.

Strathbogie Shire Council is willing to facilitate the Nagambie Secondary School project and provide appropriate land-use zoning. We will also contribute to providing the infrastructure and technology required for a tertiary education centre.

THE ASK

Project	Description
Nagambie Secondary College	A public secondary school in Nagambie which partners with private schools to provide a campus for water sport training and competitions
Tertiary education opportunities	A feasibility study into the establishment of a tertiary education centre in the Strathbogie Shire

THE RESULT

- Attracting and retaining young people who can learn local and contribute to the regional economy
- ✓ Enhanced liveability of the Strathbogie Shire and better education offerings to support the region as an attractive residential and commercial investment prospect
- ✓ Direct and indirect jobs associated with delivery of infrastructure and education services
- ✓ Enhance Nagambie's ability to attract and retain major national and international water and related events and activities

