



Roads
975
km

Population

20,854

ABS ERP 2021

Land area

4,567

square km

Population density

4.57

persons per square km

Locality Snapshots

Locality	Population	No. of dwellings
Bogee	78	45
Dunville Loop	14	3
Glen Alice	52	44
Glen Davis	117	73
Mount Marsden	60	32
Upper Nile	8	3

ABS Census data 2016

Locality snapshots are summary profiles of all populated localities in Lithgow City Council area for the latest Census year only. These are based on ABS "State Suburb" boundaries, which are close approximations to official gazetted locality boundaries in 2016.

Localities identified may extend outside the boundaries of Lithgow City Council; the data given relates to the whole locality, not just the area inside Lithgow City Council.

Source: <https://profile.id.com.au/lithgow/locality-snapshots>

Did you know?

Current research establishes that funding **maintenance at a rate of \$50,000 per km** over the life of a road extends the life of that asset from 10 to 15 years to over 30 years.

But, if the above maintenance funding is not provided the life of a road can decline and more significant repair will **cost approximately \$1.2m per km**.

Lithgow City Council has a backlog of road renewal and reconstructions. What does this mean?

- All our maintenance funding is spent keeping rapidly deteriorating roads in a serviceable state.
- But a backlog of more significant works is building. Without intervention, this backlog will become unaffordable.
- Sufficient funding is required to close the backlog. Once this is achieved we can incrementally increase preventative maintenance year on year.

Transport Expenditure Capital Works 2016/17 - 2021/22

Year	Project	\$
2022/23	Airlie Creek Bridge, Coco Creek Bridge & Crown Creek Bridge (Grant)	\$4,601,442
2021/22	Airlie Creek Bridge, Coco Creek Bridge & Crown Creek Bridge - design (Grant)	\$238,511
	Glen Davis Village - Maintenance	\$14,270
2020/21	Glen Davis Road/Glen Alice Road	\$2,534,008
	Glen Davis Village & Gullies Road (Natural Disaster)	\$64,854
	Upper Nile Road, Glen Alice (Natural Disaster)	\$25,126
	Glen Davis Village - Maintenance & resheet	\$141,709
2019/20	Glen Davis Road	\$346,174
2018/29	Sealed Roads Renewal - Glen Alice Road, Bogee	\$179,289
2017/18	Roads to Recovery Program - Glen Davis Road	\$233,404
	Roads to Recovery Program - Glen Alice Road	\$372,270
	Sealed Roads Renewal - Glen Alice Road	\$21,680
2016/17	Roads to Recovery - Glen Alice Road, Bogee	\$346,674

2022/23 Income Bogee, Glen Alice and Glen Davis

Farmland Base Rate	\$99,978.75
Farmland Ad Valorem	\$223,518.59
Residential Other Base Rate	\$21,071.60
Residential Ad Valorem	\$18,213.82

**General Rate
Income
Total
2022/23
\$362,782**

Other Services

Living or owning property in rural communities, it is easy to feel that you do not have access to services and that everything is centred around the town centres of Lithgow, Wallerawang and Portland. Lithgow City Council provides over 100 services to its community. These services are what make our community unique, they attract visitors and new residents to our area.

So, what are some of the services we get for our rates?

- Across our Seven Valleys Council **maintains** 975km of roads (including 604km of sealed roads and 324km of unsealed roads) in addition to seeking grant funding for major projects.
- We manage weeds and mow roadsides.
- We maintain community halls, sporting fields, parks and reserves and cemeteries.
- We work with progress associations and community groups to provide community projects and programs that promote quality of life in rural communities
- We maintain rural landfills and provide waste transfer stations.
- We provide business services such as economic development and tourism programs, permits for home-based businesses as well as registration of food premises.
- We provide planning and development services for building and subdivisions
- We provide emergency management for our community including:
 - Servicing the Rural Fire Service Fleet.
 - Undertaking fire prevention activities including issuing fire prevention notices and working with fire agencies to reduce fire risks.
 - Planning overlay controls to address risks to properties such as fire and flood
 - Operating relief and recovery centres during/after an emergency
 - Coordinating emergency shelter for displaced people and animals
- We provide disaster recovery services:
 - Coordinating clean-up activities
 - Assessing occupancy of damaged buildings, safety of sites after an emergency, and overseeing rebuilding (permits/inspections).

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