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Media Release

Mobility Access improvement works at Menindee making a big difference

Central Darling Shire Council is pleased to announce that mobility access has been improved at three locations in Menindee.

The Menindee Post Office, public toilets and supermarket now have improved mobility access.

Central Darling Shire Council recognises the importance of mobility access and has a Disability Inclusion Action Plan (2021-2025) in place.

The plan is built around four focus areas which are based on feedback from people with disability about the main barriers limiting their inclusion in their communities and in society more broadly. Creating liveable communities through Infrastructure projects is highlighted in the plan. The plan identifies the need to:

- Improve access to community facilities Improve our accessible public toilets
- Identify and implement measures to improve the accessibility of public toilets throughout the Shire
- Improve accessible paths of travel including parking, footpaths and kerb ramps in our town and village centres, to key destinations such as local services.

The work at Menindee was funded by the Stronger Country Communities fund, round five. A total of \$178,000 was provided for the improvement works. The Council appreciates this grant support and continues to look out for further funding opportunities to improve mobility access across the Shire.

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