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## Council urges extreme caution on Shire roads

Central Darling Shire has many unsealed roads which are currently under a road condition status of Closed or Caution. This means anyone planning to travel on our roads needs to take extreme caution for their own safety and the integrity of the road infrastructure.

Driving conditions are difficult now because of recent rain and storm event.

Our towns and villages are remote, separated by considerable distances and many of our connecting roads are unsealed and impassable following rain and storm events. Motorists planning to travel on the roadways are urged to drive with care, slow down and look out for wildlife on or near the roadsides.

Before travelling on Central Darling Shire roads people are advised to make sure they have the latest report on the road network status including any closures. Also, people should check the conditions of roads in surrounding Shires as any road closures in neighbouring Shires may impact your journey to and from Central Darling Shire.

Check the status of roads on Council's website: <a href="https://www.centraldarling.nsw.gov.au/News-articles/Drive-with-Caution-on-Central-Darling-Shire-roads">https://www.centraldarling.nsw.gov.au/News-articles/Drive-with-Caution-on-Central-Darling-Shire-roads</a>, and livetraffic.com.au or 132 701. The information provided is updated as conditions change.

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