

# Future of the Markets



Due to personal circumstances a decision has been made not to renew the current Development Approval (DA) held with the Yass Valley Council for the operation of the markets. The existing DA remains valid until **December 2026**, and the markets will continue to operate as normal in accordance with that approval until that time.

This decision is **not a reflection of the success, value, or importance of the markets**, nor of the dedication and hard work of our stallholders and vendors. The markets have been, and continue to be, a valued part of the local community, and we are incredibly grateful for the support, enthusiasm, and contribution of everyone involved, from stallholders to visitors and local residents.

Looking ahead, should an individual or organisation be interested in taking over the operation of the markets beyond the expiry of the current DA. We are open to supporting a smooth transition, including a handover of the markets and the potential sale of existing market equipment.

This advance notice is intended to allow ample time for interested parties to consider future opportunities and engage with Yass Valley Council as required. Enquiries or expressions of interest regarding the future operation of the markets can be directed to [contact@suttonvillagecountrymarkets.com.au](mailto:contact@suttonvillagecountrymarkets.com.au)

Once again, we extend our sincere thanks to everyone who has contributed to making the markets such a positive and vibrant community experience.

With appreciation

*Market Management*