With the recent extreme king tides combined with the run off of heavy rainfall, we have experienced a fair amount of coastal damage to vegetation and landscape throughout the municipality. Unfortunately these things will happen at this time of year and it may take some time for the restoration and repairs to be made to the relevant areas. As always, your patience and understanding is greatly appreciated during this time.

A reminder to residents that you will shortly, or may have already received your rates notice for 2018/19. Those who have opted to receive their notices electronically should have already received them, while mail versions will likely follow in the week ahead. It’s a good idea to give Australia Post at least a week (depending on where the postal address is) before ringing to request a replacement notice. Ratepayers have until 31 August 2018 to pay in full to receive their 5% early payment discount, otherwise payment is due in full on 5 October 2018 or alternatively by two instalments on 21 September 2018 and 18 January 2019.

The annual Wynyard Tulips Festival is coming up again on October 13 and it’s great to hear that there has already been a lot of support for the event. While plenty of stallholders are already booked in, there are still opportunities for sponsors to come on board. It would be great to have a few more sponsors to ensure that this wonderful event can continue to run smoothly. If you're interested, please contact Chantelle French on 6443 8320 or by email to cfrench@warwyn.tas.gov.au and she can talk you through the sponsorship packages on offer.