Welcome to the City of Marion

Information book

A great place to *live*

CITY OF MARION





Welcome from the Mayor

On behalf of my fellow Council Members and staff, I welcome you to the City of Marion. This booklet contains useful information about council services and the contact details of your Councillors who are your elected representatives.

Communities are built by people. Now that you are living in the City of Marion, I encourage you to connect with your fellow residents by volunteering or joining a local club or organisation. Thank you for choosing to make your home in the City of Marion.

Yours faithfully,

Kris Hanna

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Kaurna Acknowledgement

Ngadlu tampinthi Kaurna meyunna yaitya mathanya yaintya yerta

This Kaurna acknowledgement was prepared in consultation with traditional custodians.

Acknowledgement of Country

The City of Marion acknowledges we are situated on the traditional lands of the Kaurna people and recognises the Kaurna people as the traditional custodians of the land.

Community Vision

A liveable, sustainable community.



Contact us

Customer service business hours:
8:30 am to 5 pm | Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays)

Administration Centre:
245 Sturt Rd, Sturt SA 5047
8375 6600
PO Box 21, Park Holme SA 5043

Live chat:
marion.sa.gov.au/#livechat

Report an issue:
my.marion.sa.gov.au

Outside business hours:
council@marion.sa.gov.au

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How to use this book

This book is a general information guide that outlines council services, facilities, programs and contact details for the City of Marion. Please visit our website for more information: **marion.sa.gov.au**

Our ward map and key locations

Council offices

1. City of Marion Administration Centre
   245 Sturt Road, Sturt
2. City Services
   935 Marion Road, Mitchell Park

Community Centres

3. Cooinda
   245 Sturt Road, Sturt
4. Glandore
   25 Naldera Street, Glandore
5. Mitchell Park Sports and Community Centre
   139 Bradley Grove, Mitchell Park
6. Trott Park
   34 Hessing Crescent, Trott Park

Libraries

7. Cove Civic Centre
   1 Ragamuffin Drive, Hallett Cove
8. Cultural Centre Library
   287 Diagonal Road, Oaklands Park
9. Park Holme
   1 Duncan Avenue, Park Holme

Cultural sites

10. Living Kaurna Cultural Centre
    Warriparinga Way, Bedford Park
11. Marion Cultural Centre
    287 Diagonal Road, Oaklands Park
12. Marion Heritage Research Centre
    245 Sturt Road, Sturt

Higher education

13. Flinders University
    Sturt Road, Bedford Park
14. Flinders University at Tonsley
    1284 South Road, Clovelly Park
15. TAFE SA Tonsley
    1284 South Road, Clovelly Park

Hospital

16. Flinders Medical Centre
    Flinders Drive, Bedford Park
17. GP Plus Marion
    10 Milham Street, Oaklands Park
18. Marion Medicare Urgent Care Clinic
    453 Morphett Road, Oaklands Park

Business hubs

19. Tonsley Innovation District
    6 MAB Eastern Promenade, Tonsley
20. Marion Business Hub - Cove
    1 Ragamuffin Drive, Hallett Cove

20b. Marion Business Hub – Glandore
    25 Naldera Street, Glandore

Police

21. Sturt Police Station
    333 Sturt Road, Bedford Park

Shopping centres

22. Castle Plaza
    992 South Road, Edwardstown
23. Hallett Cove Pavilion
    246 Lonsdale Road, Hallett Cove
24. Westfield Marion
    297 Diagonal Road, Oaklands Park

Sports and recreation

25. Morphettville Racecourse
    79 Morphett Road, Morphettville
26. Sam Willoughby International BMX Facility
    Majors Road, O'Halloran Hill
27. Southern Soccer Facility
    cnr Majors Road and Adams Road, Trott Park
28. Seacliff Golf Course
    1 Clubhouse Road, Seacliff Park
29. Marion Sports Precinct
    262 Sturt Road, Marion
30. Cove Sports and Community Club
    2 Oval Road, Hallett Cove
31. Edwardstown Memorial Oval
    East Terrace, South Plympton
32. Glandore Oval
    716 South Road, Glandore

Swimming

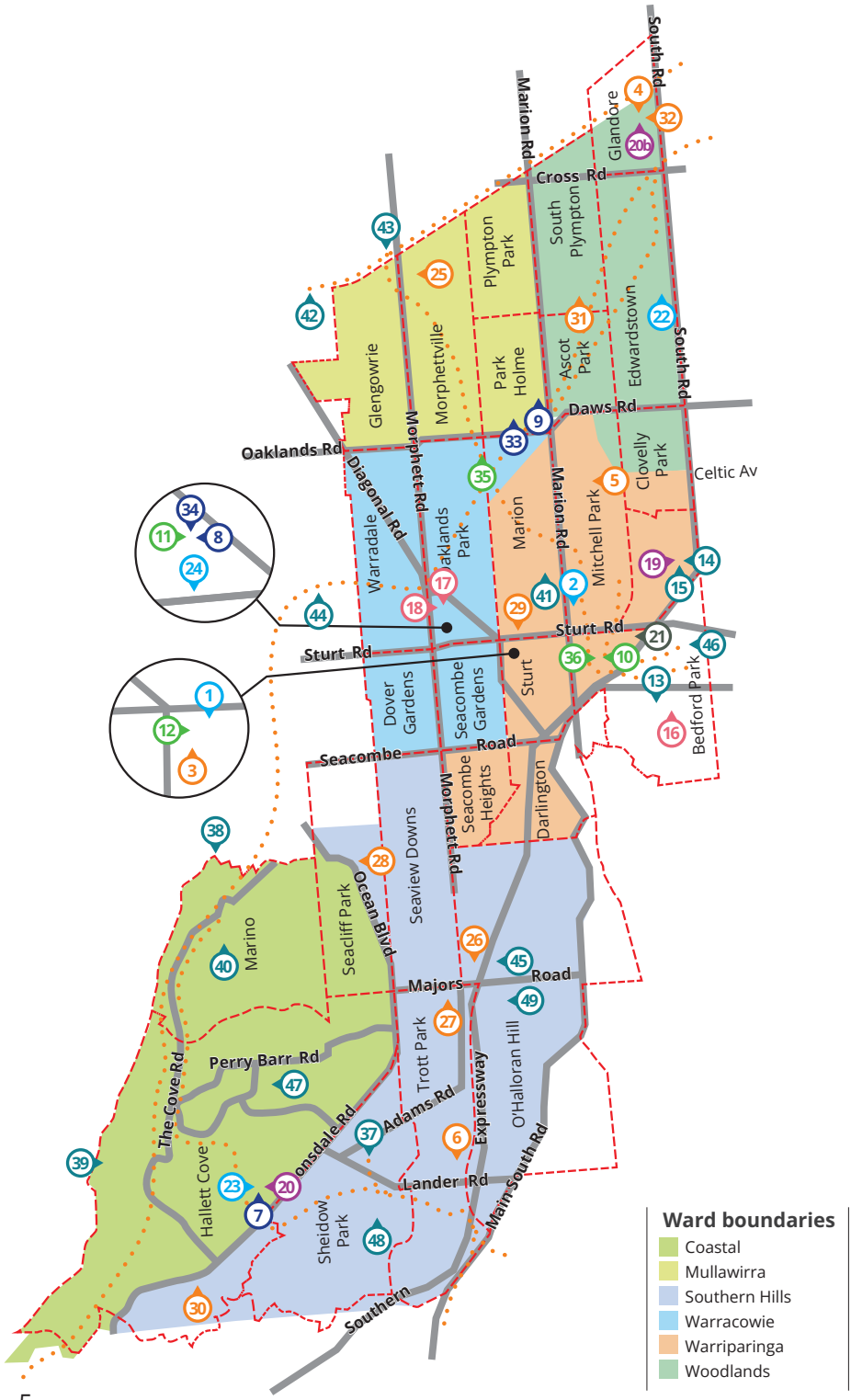
33. Marion Outdoor Pool
    cnr Oaklands Road and Hendrie Street, Park Holme
34. SA Aquatic and Leisure Centre
    443 Morphett Road, Oaklands Park

Wetlands

35. Oaklands Wetland and Recreation Plaza
    Oaklands Road, Oaklands Park
36. Warriparinga
    Warriparinga Drive, Bedford Park

Walking and cycling

37. Coast to Vines Rail Trail
38. Coastal Walkway and bridges
39. Hallett Cove Conservation Park
40. Marino Conservation Park
41. Marion Historic Village
42. Mike Turtur Bikeway
43. Sturt River-Warripari Linear Park
44. Marino Rocks Greenway
45. Patrick Jonker Veloway
46. Flinders Link and Greenway
47. Capella Reserve
48. Hugh Johnson Reserve
49. Glenthorne National Park - Ityamaiitpinna Yarta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Coastal
Mullawirra
Southern Hills
Warracowie
Warriparinga
Woodlands
South Rd
Marion Rd
Cross Rd
Daws Rd
Oaklands Rd
Diagonal Rd
Morphett Rd
Celtic Av
Sturt Rd
Seacombe Road
Ocean Blvd
Majors Road
Perry Barr Rd
The Cove Rd
Onsdale Rd
Adams Rd
Lander Rd
Main South Rd
Expressway
Southern
Glandore
Glengowrie
Morphettville
Plympton Park
South Plympton
Park Holme
Ascot Park
Edwardstown
Clovelly Park
Warradale
Oaklands Park
Marion
Mitchell Park
Dover Gardens
Seacombe Gardens
Sturt
Bedford Park
Seacliff Park
Seaview Downs
Seacombe Heights
Darlington
Marino
Trott Park
O'Halloran Hill
Hallett Cove
Sheidow Park

Council Members

Coastal Ward Marino, Seacliff Park (part), Hallett Cove (part)



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Council meetings

Marion Council meets at least once per month, meetings are open to the public.
Where: Chamber, Administration Centre, 245 Sturt Rd, Sturt.
When: Tuesdays from 6:30 pm | **marion.sa.gov.au/council-meetings**

Our history

65,000+ years ago — The Kaurna people were the original inhabitants of the region, including Warripari / Sturt River

1838 — The village of Marion was laid out by Colonel William Light's survey team, and European immigrants settled near the life-giving Sturt River

1853 — Marion's first local Council was formed and the first Council meeting was held at the Thatched House Tavern

1886 — Marion becomes the District Council of Marion. Prior to this it was part of the District Council of Brighton

1930s — Marion's almond groves, market gardens and vineyards had earned it the title 'The Garden of Adelaide'

1944 — The Municipality of Marion was proclaimed

1953 — Marion was proclaimed the City of Marion

1967 — Marion receives its Grant of Arms Motto: Vi et Virtute (By Strength and Virtue)

1968 — Marion Shopping Centre opened

1970s — The suburbs of Hallett Cove, Sheidow Park and Trott Park were established

2001 — Marion Cultural Centre opened

2002 — Living Kaurna Cultural Centre opened to the public

2013 — Oaklands Wetland opened to the public

Explore more local history at the Marion Heritage Research Centre, 245 Sturt Road, Sturt

Frequently asked questions

How do I become an Australian Citizen?

The City of Marion hosts regular ceremonies to welcome new citizens. Applications for citizenship should be made through the Department of Home Affairs.

homeaffairs.gov.au | 131 880
citizenship@homeaffairs.gov.au

How do I enrol to vote?

You must be an Australian citizen or eligible British subject to vote in Federal or State government elections. Check eligibility and learn more about Council Elections via: **ecsa.sa.gov.au.**

aec.gov.au/enrol | 13 23 26

Where can I find information about local schools and childcare centres?

Contact the Department for Education on **8226 1000** or **education.sa.gov.au.** Find local schools online by searching for 'City of Marion' at **sacommunity.org.**

How can I get a document witnessed?

A Justice of the Peace (JP) can witness and sign documents, including statutory declarations, passport applications and affidavits.

JP services are free and available at the Administration Centre, Cove Civic Centre and Park Holme Library. This is a walk-in service; no appointments are necessary. Please check the website before attending to confirm JP availability for the day.

marion.sa.gov.au/jp

Can I get a free kitchen caddy for food waste?

Yes you can. Free kitchen caddies are available for collection from our facilities. You can also reuse certified compostable produce bags from supermarkets in your caddy and place them in the green bin.

How do I book a hard waste collection?

Households can book up to 2 free hard waste collections per financial year. The City of Marion will collect a maximum of one cubic metre of material per booking. Book via the My Marion customer portal.

my.marion.sa.gov.au

Do I need to register my dog, isn't a microchip enough?

All dogs must be registered on the statewide database Dogs and Cats Online (DACO) from 3 months of age or within 2 weeks of ownership.

dogsandcatsonline.com.au

How do I submit a development application?

The State Government's new planning system has changed how all applications for property are lodged and assessed. All development applications must now be lodged via the PlanSA website. Search 'development application' on our website or visit:

marion.sa.gov.au/planning

Council's by-laws

By-laws are local laws established by councils to deal with issues specific to the relevant council area. The City of Marion has 7 by-laws, which apply only within the City of Marion's boundaries.
Learn more at: **marion.sa.gov.au/by-laws**



By-law 1: Permits and Penalties
You must seek permission (a permit) from the council in relation to the Council By-laws.



By-law 2: Moveable Signs
The City of Marion has set standards for moveable signs on roads and to provide conditions for the placement of such signs including for the purpose of protecting visual amenity and public safety.



By-law 3: Local Government Land
The City of Marion manages and regulates the access to and use of Local Government land (other than roads), and certain public places.



By-law 4: Dogs
There is a limit to the number of dogs kept on residential premises to allow for the management and control of dogs in the council's area.



By-law 5: Roads
The City of Marion manages, controls and regulates activities on roads in the council's area.



By-law 6: Cats
There is a limit to the number of cats kept on premises to allow for the management and control of cats in the council's area.



By-law 7: Animal Management
The City of Marion manages and regulates the keeping of certain animals on residential premises, including for the prevention of nuisances.

Council services

The City of Marion offers a range of community services to accommodate people from all different ages and backgrounds.

To learn more, visit: **marion.sa.gov.au**

 Animal management	 Arts and culture	 Business support
 Citizenship ceremonies	 Community bus and volunteering	 Elder support
 Emergency management	 Graffiti removal	 Grant and funding support
 Hard rubbish collection	 Justice of the Peace (JP)	 Parks and reserves maintenance
 Planning and development	 Playgroups	 Sporting clubs
 Tree planting	 Libraries and Community Centres	 Waste collection

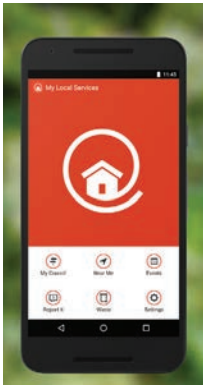
My Marion customer portal

If you need to report something to council or access any of the following services, you can do so via the My Marion customer portal.

- Waste and recycling
- Parking
- Property and rates
- General enquiries and feedback
- Trees and vegetation
- Roads, footpaths and verges
- Graffiti removal
- Hard rubbish collection

Register today at: **my.marion.sa.gov.au**

My Local Services app



The City of Marion is available on the free My Local Services app. Through the app you can report issues that require council attention at the tap of a button, such as potholes, graffiti or tripping hazards.

You can also use the app to check your bin schedule and receive reminders each week to place your bin out on the kerb.

Download for free on the app store:
marion.sa.gov.au/mls

Missed collections and damaged, stolen or missing bins

Please contact Cleanaway:
marion@cleanaway.com.au
1800 777 844

If your newly built and occupied dwelling doesn't have a bin, or to arrange for the removal of bins from a property due for demolition, please contact council:
council@marion.sa.gov.au
8375 6600

Information for new migrants

English classes

Weekly classes for beginners are available at Community Centres.
marion.sa.gov.au/learn-english

Settlement support

Advice on living in Australia.
amrc.org.au

Homework club

Support for children who use English as an additional language.
mysa.com.au/whatson/homework-club

Citizenship ceremonies

City of Marion hosts approximately 5 ceremonies per year. To become an Australian Citizen, please contact the Department of Home Affairs.
homeaffairs.gov.au/citizenship

Immunisation

Refugees and new migrants can get free immunisations by referral from the Refugee Health Service.
marion.sa.gov.au/immunisation

Community Centres

Our Community Centres offer a variety of programs including fitness, health, wellbeing, creative pursuits, education, playgroups and school holiday activities. They are a great place to meet and connect with people in the community and some offer on-site cafés. Find out more at: **marion.sa.gov.au/community-centres**



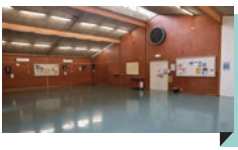
Cooinda Community Centre
245 Sturt Road, Sturt | 8375 6703



Mitchell Park Sports and Community Centre
139 Bradley Grove, Mitchell Park | 8375 6804



Glandore Community Centre
25 Naldera Street, Glandore | 7420 6400



Trott Park Community Centre
34 Hessing Crescent, Trott Park | 8387 2074

Libraries

Membership for Marion Libraries is free. As a member, you can drop in to one of our 3 branches and borrow from thousands of books, magazines, DVDs and toys. There are also a range of activities across the year for kids and adults and free Wi-Fi and computer access.

Find out more at: **marion.sa.gov.au/libraries**



Cultural Centre Library
287 Diagonal Road, Oaklands Park | 8375 6785



Cove Civic Centre
1 Ragamuffin Drive, Hallett Cove | 8375 6785



Park Holme Library
1 Duncan Avenue, Park Holme | 8375 6745

Programs and events at libraries

Our libraries offer a range of events, programs and activities all year-round, for all ages. Pick up a copy of the most recent What's On booklet, which has all the information you will need about upcoming programs and activities.

marion.sa.gov.au/whats-on-booklet



Library@Home

This is a service that delivers items directly to the door of community members unable to visit in person due to an illness, disability, or caring commitments.

marion.sa.gov.au/home-library



Environment and climate action

Stay informed

Our community can make a big difference in protecting and improving our local environment. The City of Marion provides services and programs to help you live more sustainably.

Environment events

Join a wide range of events and activities including guided walks, workshops, native plant giveaways and nature play.

Green Thymes e-newsletter

Subscribe to keep up to date with local environment and sustainability events, projects and information.

Common Thread

A regular sustainability event series that informs, inspires and connects people with an interest in living lightly.

Sustainability rebates

To encourage sustainable actions, rebates are available for purchasing home composting products, planting natives on your verge and looking after a large tree at home.

Take action locally

Volunteering in the City of Marion is a great way to connect with your community while caring for the environment.



Citizen science

Help protect our environment by collecting data for programs including CoastSnap, Inaturalist, and Aussie Bird Count.



Conservation and landcare groups

Get outdoors with local heroes to protect and restore native vegetation.



Community gardens

Create connections, build new skills and grow local food.

marion.sa.gov.au/environment

Waste collection and recycling



Collect your FREE kitchen caddy from:
- Administration Centre
- City Services
- Community Centres
- City of Marion libraries

Disposing of waste and recycling

There should be 3 bins for disposing of household waste and recycling at your property.



These items cannot go in the bins

Fridges, washing machines, stoves, household furniture, floor coverings/ carpets, small piles of wood, lawn mowers, air conditioners	→	**Hard waste:** You can book 2 hard waste collections per year
Entertainment equipment, home appliances, electronic devices and power tools	→	**E-waste recycling:** electronicrecyclingaustralia.com.au
Batteries	→	**Battery recycling:** Visit a supermarket, JB Hi-Fi or hardware store
Chemicals, insecticides, paints, varnishes and solvents	→	**Hazardous/chemical waste**: Visit Adelaide Waste and Recycling Centre, North Plympton
Clinical medical waste such as dialysis and other health treatments such as tubes, hoses and bags for human fluids	→	**Medical waste:** Contact your local hospital, medicine provider or health care provider for advice about safe disposal

Volunteering

Our volunteers greatly enhance the services that council provide to the community.

It doesn't matter who you are or where you come from, anyone can make a difference through volunteering.

Opportunities include:

- playgroup volunteers,
- graffiti removal,
- helping in the cafe at community centres,
- environmental and opportunities for young people to have their say.

Learn more about volunteering here:
marion.sa.gov.au/volunteering



Help shape your city

Making Marion is our dedicated community consultation website. It has been designed so that you can contribute ideas and comment on some of the issues being considered by Council.

Your participation will help guide us in making important decisions.

Join the conversation at:
makingmarion.sa.gov.au



Events coming up

Marion Celebrates is our major event series, these are events that showcase everything we love about our great city.

From seaside concerts to family activities, and cultural celebrations, Marion Celebrates is about connection and community. Everyone is welcome to celebrate with us.

See all events and programs in our events calendar here:
marion.sa.gov.au/marion-celebrates



A Winter's Night at Tonsley

Date: Friday 19 June 2026
Time: 5 pm to 9 pm
Location: Tonsley Village Green



Touch a Truck

Date: Thursday 1 October 2026
Time: 9:30 am to 2 pm
Location: Mitchell Park Sports and Commmunity Centre



Concert at the Cove

Date: Early 2027



Many Cultures, One Earth

Date: Early 2027

Business support

Southern Business Mentoring Program

Available to City of Marion businesses and residents, the Southern Business Mentoring Program (SBMP) provides one-hour of business support across a number of disciplines including business advice and marketing.

Our mentors are all business owners themselves, providing help to a wide variety of ventures, from start-ups to long-established businesses.

southernbusinessmentoring.com.au



Marion Business Hub

Looking to get out of the office or home? Marion Business Hub is an ideal place for local businesses to meet, network and upskill. Marion Business Hub provides businesses with technology-rich facilities including coworking hot desks, business-specific training and workshops, networking opportunities, meeting rooms and high-speed broadband.

marion.sa.gov.au/business-hub



Your rates and Ezybill

Your rates help us deliver a wide range of services, facilities and projects that create lasting value for the community, making the City of Marion a great place to live, work and play.

You can choose to pay your rates in full or in quarterly instalments.

Receive your rates notices electronically for a faster, easier and more convenient way to manage your accounts. By choosing digital delivery, you'll save paper, reduce waste and always have your notice ready at your fingertips.

Register today: **marion.ezybill.com.au**

Venues for hire

We offer a range of conveniently located venues and facilities, perfect for hosting your next birthday, function, conference, meeting, program and more.

marion.sa.gov.au/venue-hire



Sports and recreation



Sports

There are a wide range of great facilities on your doorstep - check out our website and find a club near you.

marion.sa.gov.au/sports-clubs

marion.sa.gov.au/recreation

Marion Cultural Centre

Marion Cultural Centre is a hub for arts and culture, incorporating the Domain Theatre, library, Gallery M, and meeting spaces and rooms for hire for functions and events.

marion.sa.gov.au/mcc

Marion Outdoor Pool

Open September to April annually, Marion Outdoor Pool offers swimming education, group fitness classes, lane hire, a splash park and 2 large waterslides. It's a great place for birthday parties and events, with picnic areas and extensive shade. Residents save 30 percent on family-passes.

marion.sa.gov.au/MOP

Parks and playgrounds

There are more than 250 parks, playgrounds and reserves in the City of Marion, including:

- Capella Drive Reserve
- Hugh Johnson Boulevard Reserve
- Stanley Street Reserve
- Brolga Place Reserve
- Wistow Crescent Reserve
- Hendrie Street Reserve.

marion.sa.gov.au/playgrounds

Walking and cycling

Some of our top picks include:

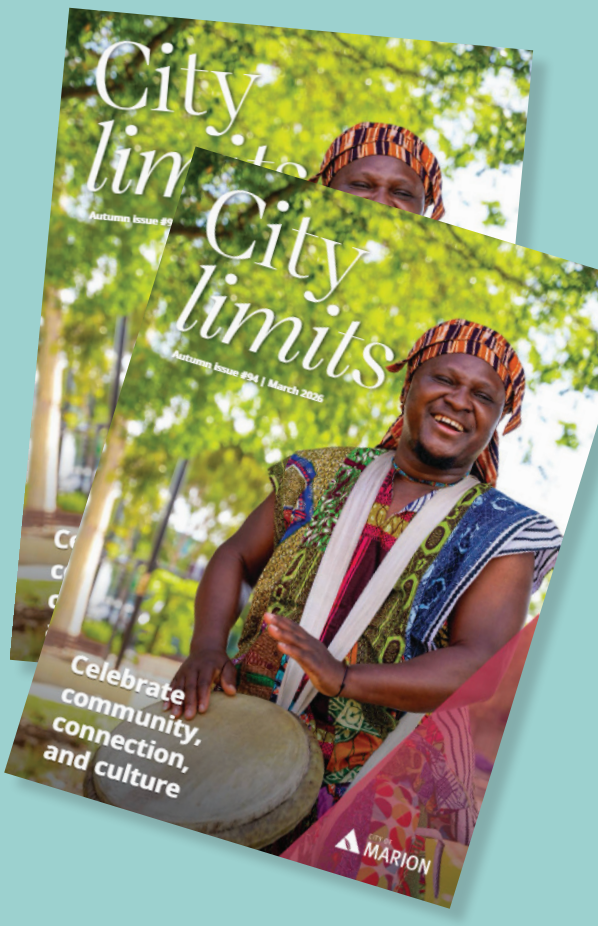
- Oaklands Wetland and Sturt River-Warripari Linear Trail
- Coastal Walkway, Hallett Cove
- Glenthorne National Park - Ityamaiitpinna Yarta.

marion.sa.gov.au/cycle

City Limits

City Limits is the City of Marion's quarterly magazine featuring exciting community news, local sports updates, ways you can have your say, interesting projects taking place across our city, ways to entertain the family, events, and more.

You should receive a copy direct into your mailbox – or alternatively, grab a copy from any City of Marion facility, or read it online:
marion.sa.gov.au/city-limits



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