

C60mans - Jamieson

Planning scheme amendment C60mans is on exhibition
Here's what it says about Jamieson

What is Amendment C60mans?

C60mans is a planning scheme amendment which implements the Mansfield Planning Strategy, 2022. The amendment updates the strategic directions in the Mansfield Planning Scheme to better reflect the context of Mansfield Shire. It introduces a settlement hierarchy and sets out policy to direct growth and development across the shire, as well as introducing character statements for each settlement.

Jamieson Strategies

- Provide basic community infrastructure such as community meeting spaces and basic recreational facilities in townships.
- Avoid zoning of additional land for residential use.
- Encourage small scale commercial and retail development to complement existing development in Jamieson.

General Strategies

- Direct most population growth and residential development to Mansfield township.
- Support modest population growth and residential development in Bonnie Doon and Merrijig.
- Support incremental population growth and housing development within existing residentially zoned areas in Townships and Settlements.
- Consolidate existing residential areas, provided wastewater can be managed on site in un-serviced Townships and Settlements.
- Avoid development of dwellings not associated with the productive agricultural use of land in rural localities.
- Discourage linear development along the Maroondah Highway.
- Site and design development along the Maroondah Highway and Mt Buller Road to be sensitive to the 'Alpine Approach'.

Settlement Classification:
Township

Neighbourhood Character:
Rural Villages

Strategic Directions for Jamieson

Jamieson has some residential zoned land and accommodates a small population. Commercial activity and community facilities are limited.

Jamieson is not serviced by reticulated water or sewerage infrastructure. Limited growth within the existing zoned land is supported, subject to infrastructure requirements being met.

Jamieson is an attractive local service centre catering for the surrounding rural community and tourists, as well as a substantial number of non-residential landowners.

If you have questions about C60mans please contact the Strategic Planning team on (03) 5775 8555 or by emailing strategic.planning@mansfield.vic.gov.au



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The amendment introduces the township character for Jamieson and applies a new Schedule 5 to the General Residential Zone (GRZ5). The addition of a schedule to the General Residential Zone allows for neighbourhood character objectives to be introduced in these areas.

To view amendment in its entirety, please scan the QR code above or visit: mansfield.vic.gov.au/community-engagement

Neighbourhood Character Objectives

- To encourage built form that blends in with the surrounding rural and landscape setting by using natural materials with muted colours and tones.
- To maintain the existing character of the settlement by the generous use of vegetation, use of eaves on buildings, significantly recessing garaging and permeable driveway treatments.
- To maintain the open feel of the streetscape by minimising the use of front fencing and, when used, supporting low fencing that is at least 50 per cent permeable.
- To protect existing native and exotic canopy trees.

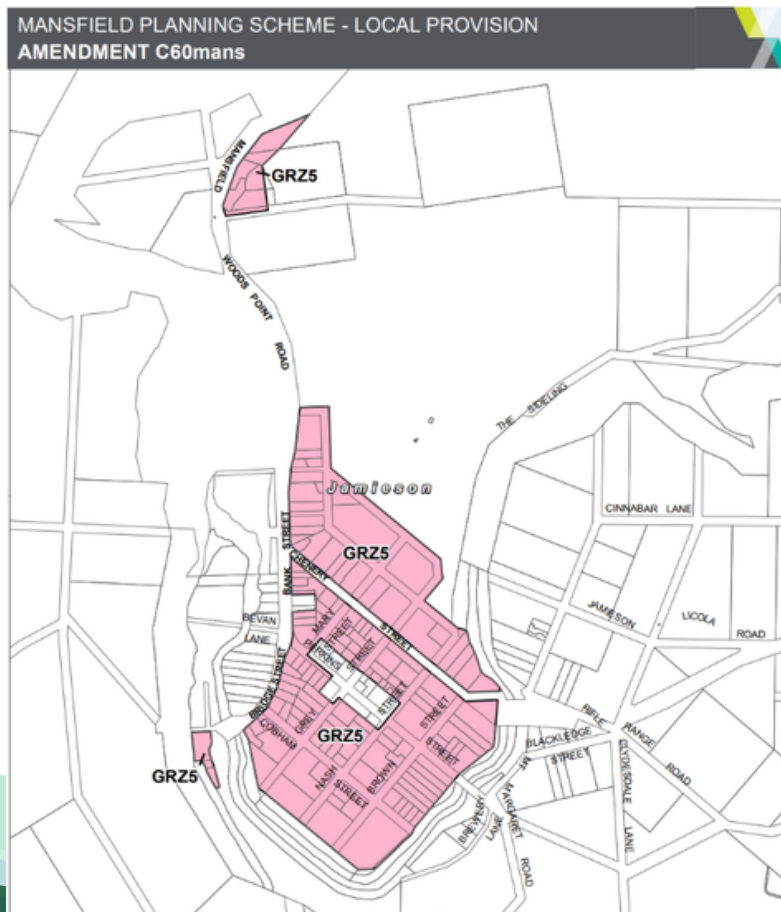
Rural Villages Character

These settlements are set among wider farming and rural areas, sometimes with national park close by. Vegetation in the public and private realm is a key feature, with large native and introduced trees and supporting undergrowth. In locations where topography is undulating, dwellings may have narrower front setbacks and be highly visible from roadsides.

Intermittent views of surrounding landscapes and vegetation are afforded by streets that wind across gently undulating topography. Settlements are generally laid out according to a loose grid which lends a heritage feel and makes best use of topography.

Views through the settlement to the surrounding rural landscape or national park are readily available along road corridors and between dwellings, given the intimate scale of these settlements.

Where the changes apply in Jamieson



What the character objectives do

The character statements provide direction on the existing and preferred character for each of Mansfield's outlying townships and character areas.

The inclusion of character statements will enable Jamieson's neighbourhood character to be considered in future planning permit application assessment.

The character statements do not apply if a planning permit is not required.

