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Colourful collaboration between Council & developer

A collaboration between a local developer and the Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council will contribute to renewal and revitalisation of the Clare CBD.

A co-funded project to create a mural on the former Commonwealth Bank building on the intersection of Burton Street and Main North Road is now available for expressions of interest from creatives.

Building owner and developer, SJM Carpentry and Building, will be contributing 50% of the costs of the mural, with the remainder coming from Council's Clare Main Street Renewal funding.

"Council seeks to commission a creative, or team of creatives, to develop a mural along the existing Commonwealth Bank building which is currently undergoing significant renovations to become the new home for Seed Winehouse + Kitchen, one of our region's dining destinations," Mayor Wayne Thomas said.

"Key objectives for the mural include that it should represent Clare and the broader Clare Valley, nature and plants, is a high quality piece of art and will create a strong feeling of identity, public pride and ownership of the mural.

"Clare CBD improvements, including the artwork, aim to entice people, particularly tourists, to stop and enjoy the town and its attractive main street."

The budget for the co-funded project is \$10,000.

The mural is part of plans for other Clare main street artworks including another mural in Gleeson Street for which expressions of interest have also recently been opened.

Expressions of interest documentation is available on Council's website: www.cgvc.sa.gov.au and close at 3pm on Wednesday, 18 December 2019.

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