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## Ulladulla Civic Centre Project Design Process Underway

The Ulladulla Civic Centre and Library Project Steering Panel have met for the first time to progress the design for this exciting project.

The meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2011 at the Ulladulla Civic Centre was attended by representatives from the Ulladulla Aboriginal Land Council, Ulladulla & Districts Senior Citizens Social and Welfare Club, Ulladulla Chamber of Business and Commerce, and the Ulladulla and Districts Community Forum and elected Councillors.

The Mayor Councillor Paul Green who chaired the meeting said "Council's appointed Architect Larry Melloco who is a Director of Brewster Hjorth Architects, addressed the meeting and discussed the design features of recent contemporary community and library centres. Members of the Project Steering Panel also reaffirmed the importance for the civic centre to remain as an important community hub, be multi functional and serve the Ulladulla Community for many years ahead."

The Project Steering Panel are referring strongly to the extensive community consultation undertaken last year and the Architect will be investigating design options and costs.

"It is likely that shared and flexible use of space will be a very important component of the design and Council will engage with the community again once a concept plan is developed." said Cllr. Green.

The Architect will be presenting options and costings to the next meeting as to how the budget of \$5.1 million could be spent. The next meeting of the Project Steering Panel has been scheduled for the 30<sup>th</sup> June 2011.

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