



Shire President Graeme Campbell with Gabrielle Hill and her design for a 3m-high banner in Perth.

Banner showcases Broome in Perth CBD

A 3m-tall banner in the centre of Perth designed by St Mary's College student Gabrielle Hill is representing Broome in one of WA's biggest annual community art projects.

The annual Banners in the Terrace event is run by the WA Local Government Association as part of the WA Local Government Convention.

Representatives from shires, towns and cities around the State will gather in Perth where the banners are displayed along St Georges and Adelaide Tce from Sunday 26 July to Monday 8 August.

What's happening in the Shire of Broome?

Fri 14 – Sun 16 Aug – Marrugeku's Cut the Sky

Broome Civic Centre. "Seventy minutes of intercultural and interdisciplinary performance",

featuring Broome's Dalisa Pigram. Full details and tickets at www.broomeciviccentre.com.au.

Good news for Broome economy

Broome has been recognised as one of WA's key regional centres and granted access to extra funding and resources to boost the local economy.

The Shire was selected as one of four regional centres to take part in the first stage of the Regional Centres Development Plan, along with Greater Bunbury, Geraldton and Kalgoorlie.

The four centres will share \$7.5 million of funding in stage one, to work with the State Government to plan future economic growth.

Shire of Broome CEO, Kenn Donohoe, says the Shire has lobbied hard for the town to be recognised as one of WA's key growth centres.

"The Shire and Kimberley Development Commission developed an extensive submission outlining Broome's potential and preparedness, and this was submitted to the State Government," Mr Donohoe says.

"Economic development has become a real focus for the Shire and this is starting to pay dividends.

"The outcome is that Broome will now have access to funding and resources to help make sure economic development plans become reality."

WA Regional Development Minister, Terry Redman, says the investment will bring government, community and business together to ensure a co-ordinated approach to local decisions and initiatives.