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### PUBLIC NOTICE – HYDROTHERAPY POOL WINTER SEASON OPENING HOURS

With the onset of Autumn and Winter the daylight hours are now much less. The Hydro Pool building is equipped with solar panels on the roof to harvest as much free energy from the sun as possible.

The new 'Heat Pump' water heater for the Hydro Pool is now operated by electricity to take advantage of the electricity supplied by the solar panels to be able to absorb heat from the environment. For the heat pump to heat the pool during the Autumn and Winter periods using the solar panels Council has agreed to change the opening hours for the Hydro pool in the mornings to **10AM Monday to Friday** starting this week. By opening later, the heat pump will be able to use the available power from the solar panels to catch up and get the hydro pool to 32°C Celsius for you comfort and convenience.

Thank you for your understanding and with the onset of Summer and the longer days the Hydro Pool is anticipated to return to the normal opening at the earlier times.

Mr Darren Mollenoyux  
**Chief Executive Officer**

