



Minutes of an Extraordinary Council Meeting held in the Council Chambers on Wednesday, 2nd November, 2016 commencing at 4.00 pm.

Min. No. Present: Cr. Matthew Hannan (Mayor)

Crs: John Bruce, Denis Glanville, Colin Jones, Daryll Morris, Director of Corporate Services (Matthew Hansen), Development Manager (Laurie Stevens) and General Manager (Rowan Perkins).

Apology

RESOLVED Crs: Morris and Jones that an apology for non attendance be received from Crs Ross Bodey, Bernard Curtin and John Taylor.

Declaration of Items of Pecuniary and other Interests

nil

**3. DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION 46/17/DA/DM 2016
STRAWBERRY FIELDS MUSIC FESTIVAL – ALTERNATE
ADDRESS**

AUTHOR: TOWN PLANNER

STRATEGIC OUTCOME: Supported and engaged communities

**STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE: 4.2 Strengthen and diversify the local
economy**

FILE NO: 46/17/DA/DM

Moved Crs: Glanville and Jones that Development Application 46/17/DA/DM for the Strawberry Fields Festival 2016 be approved subject to the following conditions:

1. Approved Plans

The development shall be implemented substantially in accordance with the details set out on the Strawberry Fields Site Map (Version 2.2), Event Plan, Alcohol Management Plan, Emergency Management Plan, Fire Management Plan, Medical Plan, Risk Assessment, Security Management Plan, Waste Plan, the application form and any supporting information received with the application except as amended by the conditions specified hereunder.

2. Pollution

All necessary precautions must be taken to ensure that pollution of waterways does not occur in accordance with the provisions of section 120 of the *Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997*.

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3. Impact on Adjoining Properties

Measures must be taken to minimise and control the emission of dust and noise from the property to ensure that there is minimal impact on adjoining properties.

4. Combustible Material

The event site and camping areas must be grazed and / or slashed prior to the event so as to reduce combustible material and reduce the risk of harm by fire.

5. Aboriginal Place or Objects

Activities on the site must not harm or desecrate any Aboriginal place or object in accordance with the *National Parks and Wildlife Act 1974*. Should any Aboriginal object be discovered and / or harmed in, on or under the land, the event organisers must notify the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage.

6. Mosquito Borne Diseases

Precautions must be undertaken prior to, and during, the event to reduce the potential for exposure to mosquito borne diseases given that there are large areas of stagnant water in close proximity to the site. The Murrumbidgee Local Health District of the NSW Department of Health in Wagga Wagga can be contacted on (02) 6933 9100 for advice.

7. Food Stall Holders

All food stall holders must operate in accordance with the *NSW Food Act 2003* to ensure that the health and well-being of patrons is maintained.

8. Emergency Services

All emergency service organisations in the locality must be notified at least two weeks prior to the event to ensure that all resources will be available in case of emergency.

9. Fencing

Appropriate fencing must be maintained between the event site and adjoining properties throughout the event in order to contain patrons and prevent stock escaping.

10. Security

a) All security personnel must be licensed and boundaries with adjoining properties are to be monitored at all times with patrons warned upon entry that penalties apply if caught trespassing. Sufficient security personnel must be employed to achieve the above requirement and a security presence must be maintained from Thursday until Tuesday noon. This

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condition is added to maintain site safety and ensure patrons do not encroach on adjoining properties.

- b) A roaming security service must be provided to all properties within 2.5 km of the site.

11. Native Vegetation

Any destruction or injury to native vegetation is to be undertaken in accordance with the provisions of the *Native Vegetation Act 2003* and where necessary an approval obtained from the Murray Local Land Service.

12. Litter

Garbage bins must be provided throughout the area and the site must be inspected following the event to ensure all litter is collected and disposed of appropriately. At the cessation of the event a site inspection must be arranged with Council officers to ensure that there is no refuse remaining on site.

13. Site Inspection

An inspection by Council officers prior to the event must be arranged and undertaken to ensure all conditions of consent have been met and the proposal has been implemented in accordance with the submitted documents.

14. Traffic Management

Provision must be made on site for extensive traffic queuing areas and a sufficient number of traffic management staff employed to direct traffic in an orderly manner to ensure that queuing on Lower River Road does not occur at peak times or in the event of access to the camping areas being obstructed.

15. Liquor Licensing

A valid liquor license issued by the NSW Independent Liquor and Gaming Authority must be in place for the event and all persons responsible for the sale of alcohol must possess accredited Responsible Service of Alcohol certificates. Evidence of this must be provided to Council prior to commencement of the event.

16. Access

An all-weather access track at least 6m in width, including access & egress points, must be provided within the site to ensure that response vehicles will be able to access the site in the case of an emergency.

17. Noise

Stage closures, as per page 10 of the Event plan, must be in effect during the late hours of the night (especially after midnight) on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights to significantly reduce noise

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levels, reduce potential noise impact on adjoining properties and encourage rest.

Division:

For: Crs Jones and Glanville

Against: Crs Hannan, Bruce, Morris

The motion was put and lost.

RESOLVED Crs: Morris and Jones that the Council consider the matter of disposal of flood debris at this meeting.

The Mayor ruled that the consideration of disposal of flood debris was of great urgency.

RESOLVED Crs: Jones and Morris that the Council delegate to the General Manager the authority to consider applications to accept up to 20 cubic metres only of flood debris from flood affected properties, within the Shire area, at Council landfill sites, free of charge.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 5.05 pm