

EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

Held on Wednesday 3 July, 2024 at 5:00pm Council Chambers, 56 Chanter Street, Berrigan





Minutes



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The Extraordinary Council Meeting of the Shire of Berrigan held in the Council Chambers, 56 Chanter Street, Berrigan, on Wednesday 3 July, 2024 when the following business was considered:-

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Present via MSTeams:

Councillors:

Matthew Hannan, Carly Marriott, Julia Cornwell McKean, Sarah McNaught, Renee Paine, Roger Reynoldson

The following staff were also in attendance:

Karina Ewer (Chief Executive Officer), Matthew Hansen (Deputy CEO) and Tahlia Fry (Director Corporate Services), Andrew Fletcher (Director Strategic Planning and Development) and Keelan McDonald (Executive Assistant).

1 OPENING OF MEETING

The Council opened its meeting at 5:00pm.

Cr Julia Cornwell McKean read the following statement:

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2 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

Cr Julia Cornwell McKean made an Acknowledgement of Country with the following statement:



"We acknowledge the original inhabitants whose country we are gathered on, and we pay respect to the elders, past, present, and future and extend respect to all first nations people."

3 APOLOGIES AND APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE OR ATTENDANCE VIA AUDIO-VISUAL LINK BY COUNCILLORS

3.1 Apologies/Leave of Absence

Cr Ted Hatty

Cr John Taylor

3.2 Attendance Via Audio-Visual Link

All via MSTeams

4 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

5 NOTICES OF MOTION/QUESTIONS WITH NOTICE

Notice of Motion - Correction of inconsistencies in the 2024-2025 Operational Plan and Rates Resolution

Resolved ECM-170/24

Moved: Deputy Mayor Carly Marriott

Seconded: Cr Renee Paine

That Council

1. notes:

- a. the 2024/25 Operational Plan adopted at its meeting on 19 June 2024 contained some inconsistencies between the fees included in its Register of Fees and Charges and its Statement of Revenue Policy
- b. while on public exhibition for the required 28-day period, Council did not receive any submissions or enquiries regarding the Operational Plan
- 2. amends resolution OCM 140/24 by adopting the revised 2024/25 Operational Plan attached to this report.



3. amends OCM 144/24 – the 2024/25 rates resolution – as set out below, to be consistent with the revised 2024/25 Operational Plan

CARRIED

6 CONCLUSION OF MEETING

The next Extraordinary Council Meeting will be held on 17 July 2024 from 9:00am in the Council Chambers, 56 Chanter Street, Berrigan.

There being no further business the President, closed the meeting at 5:03pm.