

## **PRESENT**

The Mayor, Councillor Dallas Tout  
Councillor Allana Condron  
Councillor Georgie Davies  
Councillor Richard Foley  
Councillor Tim Koschel  
Councillor Jenny McKinnon  
Councillor Amelia Parkins  
Councillor Karissa Subedi  
Councillor Lindsay Tanner

## **IN ATTENDANCE**

General Manager	(Mr P Thompson)
Director Community	(Ms J Summerhayes)
Acting Director Infrastructure Services	(Mr R Graham)
Director City Engineering	(Mr W Faulkner)
Chief Financial Officer	(Mrs C Rodney)
Chief Operating Officer	(Mr S Gray)
Director Economy, Business & Workforce	(Mrs F Piltz)
Manager Corporate Governance & Performance	(Mr D Galloway)
Manager Development Assessment & Building Certification	(Mr C Collins)
Manager Community Services	(Ms M Scully)
Manager Regulatory City Compliance Services	(Mr R Gauci)
Manager Environment & Sustainability	(Mrs C Hood)
Corporate Governance Coordinator	(Mrs N Johnson)
Communications & Engagement Officer	(Ms Z Zaia)

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## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

Wagga Wagga City Council acknowledges the traditional custodians of the land, the Wiradjuri people, and pays respect to Elders past, present and future and extends our respect to all First Nations Peoples in Wagga Wagga.

We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and continuing connection with the land and rivers. We also recognise the resilience, strength and pride of the Wiradjuri and First Nations communities.

## **REFLECTION**

Councillors, let us in silence reflect upon our responsibilities to the community which we represent, and to all future generations and faithfully, and impartially, carry out the functions, powers, authorities and discretions vested in us, to the best of our skill and judgement.

## **APOLOGIES**

No apologies were received.

## **CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES**

### **CM-1 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES - ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING - 7 JULY 2025**

#### **25/196 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and L Tanner

**That the Minutes of the proceedings of the Ordinary Council Meeting held on 7 July 2025 be confirmed as a true and accurate record.**

**CARRIED**

## **RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

#### For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

#### Against the Motion

## **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillor A Condron declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT the reason being a speaker on this matter was a running partner at the 2024 Local Government elections and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor A Condron declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES the reason being that she had a working relationship with one of the applicants and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor A Condron declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-7 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - EVENTS the reason being that she had a working relationship with one of the applicants and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor T Koschel declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT the reason being a speaker on this matter was a running partner at the 2024 Local Government elections and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor T Koschel declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-14 2025/26 BUDGET VARIATIONS AND 30 JUNE 2025 INVESTMENT REPORT the reason being he works for a financial institution and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor J McKinnon declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES the reason being a family member is a member of an organisation named in the report and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor J McKinnon declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-9 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - NEIGHBOURHOOD & RURAL VILLAGES the reason being that a family friend is named in the report and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor K Subedi declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-5 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - COMMUNITY PROGRAMS & PROJECTS the reason being an applicant from a community organisation named in the report was a candidate on the same election ticket as her in 2024 Local Government elections and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor K Subedi declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-9 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - NEIGHBOURHOOD & RURAL VILLAGES the reason being she is the Co-Chair of an organisation named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor K Subedi declared a Pecuniary Interest in RP-12 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - SMALL BUSINESS the reason she holds an executive role in one of the businesses that applied for the grant and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor L Tanner declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-16 FREEDOM OF ENTRY PARADE - ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE (RAAF) WAGGA the reason being that he is an ex serving member of the Air Force and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

Councillor L Tanner declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES the reason being that he is the secretary for one of the organisations named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES the reason being the Art Factory have an arrangement with art in the Mayoral Office and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Pecuniary Interest in RP-5 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - COMMUNITY PROGRAMS & PROJECTS the reason being he has a commercial arrangement with an applicant named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-7 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - EVENTS the reason being he is a member of a committee named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-10 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - RECREATIONAL & COMMUNITY FACILITIES the reason being he is a resident of Oura but has had no knowledge or input into the application and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-12 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - SMALL BUSINESS the reason being that he has a friendship with an applicant and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Director Economy, Business & Workforce, Mrs F Piltz declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES the reason being that she is a Board Member of an organisation named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Director Economy, Business & Workforce, Mrs F Piltz declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-7 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - EVENTS the reason being that she is a Board Member of an organisation named in the report and vacated the chamber during its consideration.

Director Community, Mrs J Summerhayes declared a Non-Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest in RP-10 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - RECREATIONAL & COMMUNITY FACILITIES the reason being that a community member is a family friend and remained in the chamber during its consideration.

### **PROCEDURAL MOTION - ENGLOBO**

**25/197 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That the standing orders be varied for the meeting as set out hereunder:**

- **Items where councillors wish to speak**
- **Items where no councillors wish to speak**
- **Confidential**
- **Matter of urgency**
- **Closure of Meeting**

**That RP-3, RP-6, RP-8, RP-10, RP-11, RP-13 TO RP-16, RP-18, RP-19, CONF-1 and CONF-2, be adopted as recommended in the business papers.**

### **RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condon  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

### **PUBLIC DISCUSSION FORUM**

#### **RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT**

- Paul Funnell - Speaking in favour of the recommendation
- Karen Masson - Speaking in favour of the recommendation
- Michael Henderson - Speaking in favour of the recommendation

## PROCEDURAL MOTION - CHANGE STANDING ORDERS

### **25/198 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors G Davies and R Foley

That Council move forward consideration of RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT to follow the public discussion forum.

**CARRIED**

## **RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

### For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

## REPORTS FROM STAFF

### **RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT**

### **25/199 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors R Foley and T Koschel

That Council:

- a endorse in principle the proposed planning reforms outlined in the body of this report
- b direct the General Manager to immediately commence work on drafting proposed changes to the Wagga Local Strategic Planning Statement, Local Environmental Plan and Development Control Plan, aimed at achieving the protections identified in this report
- c note that any proposed planning instrument amendments will be subject to statutory processes and consultation
- d request the General Manager treat this as a matter of priority and provide a progress report at an Ordinary Council Meeting in October 2025

- e write to the NSW Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure to seek support for fast-tracking these local planning protections and ensuring they are considered in State and Regionally Significant Development assessments
- f investigate options for a Community Benefit Policy for Electricity Generating and Storage Works
- g direct the General Manager to develop a policy which encourages recycling of renewal energy technologies at either the Special Activation Precinct or the Gregadoo Waste Management Centre to the exclusion of other land

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condon  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-1 REVISED ONSITE WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT STRATEGY AND RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK**

**25/200 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors R Foley and A Parkins

**That Council:**

- a note the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure Office of Local Government Onsite Wastewater Management Guidelines April 2025 for NSW Councils in meeting legislative requirements for the management of Onsite Wastewater Systems
- b endorse the 'Onsite Wastewater Management Strategy 2025-2029' which has been revised to meet the NSW Office of Local Government Guidelines and includes a new Risk Management framework
- c note the proposed engagement as detailed in this report to engage and inform on (a) and (b) of this resolution and place the documents on public exhibition for 35 days commencing 28 July and concluding 31 August 2025
- d receive a further report after the public exhibition period:
  - i on the engagement process and responses to the draft documents

ii proposing the adoption of the 'Onsite Wastewater Management Strategy 2025-2029'

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

*RP-2 PATHWAY TO STRENGTHEN PROTECTIONS FOR PRIME AGRICULTURAL LAND AND MANAGE LAND USE CONFLICT was moved forward to follow the public address session.*

**RP-3 APPLICATIONS FOR SUBSIDY FOR WASTE DISPOSAL FOR CHARITY ORGANISATIONS**

**25/201 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council endorse the Financial Assistance for waste disposal subsidy for the 2025/26 financial year at the total amount of \$650.00 for the below listed charities.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-4 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ARTS, CULTURE & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**

The Mayor Councillor D Tout, Councillors L Tanner and A Condron and Director Economy, Business & Workforce, Mrs F Piltz declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest and vacated the chamber, the time 7:52pm.

Deputy Mayor, Councillor G Davies assumed the Chair the time being 7:52pm.

**25/202 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and J McKinnon

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Arts, Culture & Creative Industries category of the Annual Grants Program 2025/26 as detailed in the report totalling \$25,510, which includes the carryover of 2024/25 Arts, Culture & Creative Industries category funds.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

G Davies  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi

Against the Motion

Councillors L Tanner and A Condron and Director Economy, Business & Workforce, Mrs F Piltz re-entered the Chamber the time being 7:55pm.

**RP-5 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - COMMUNITY PROGRAMS & PROJECTS**

The Mayor Councillor D Tout declared a Pecuniary Interest and remained vacated from the Chamber.

**25/203 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and J McKinnon

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Community Programs & Projects category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$30,000.**

**CARRIED**

## RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION

### For the Motion

G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

Deputy Mayor, Councillor G Davies vacated the Chair the time being 7:56pm.

The Mayor Councillor D Tout re-entered the Chamber and assumed the Chair the time being 7:56pm

## RP-6 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - ENVIRONMENT

### **25/204 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

#### **That Council:**

- a approve the successful application to the Environment category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$5,000**
- b approve the budget transfer as detailed in the Financial Implications section of the report**

**CARRIED**

## RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION

### For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

## RP-7 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - EVENTS

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout, Councillor A Condron and Director Economy, Business & Workforce, Mrs F Piltz declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest and vacated the Chamber the time being 7:58pm.

Councillor G Davies assumed the Chair the time being 7:58pm.

### 25/205 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors J McKinnon and L Tanner

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Events category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$56,000, which includes the carryover of 2024/25 category funds.**

**CARRIED**

## RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION

### For the Motion

G Davies  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

Deputy Mayor, Councillor G Davies vacated the Chair the time being 7:59pm.

The Mayor Councillor D Tout re-entered the Chamber and assumed the Chair the time being 7:59pm.

## RP-8 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - LOCAL HERITAGE

### 25/206 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a approve the successful application for the Local Heritage category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$7,500
- b approve the budget transfer as detailed in the Financial Implications section of the report

**CARRIED**

## **RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

### For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

## **RP-9 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - NEIGHBOURHOOD & RURAL VILLAGES**

Councillor K Subedi declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest and vacated the Chamber the time being 7:59pm.

### **25/207 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors J McKinnon and L Tanner

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Neighbourhood & Rural Villages category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$25,333, which includes the carryover of 2024/25 Neighbourhood & Rural Villages category funds.**

**CARRIED**

## **RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

### For the Motion

D Tout  
A Condron  
G Davies  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

Councillor K Subedi re-entered the Chamber the time being 8:00pm.

**RP-10 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - RECREATIONAL & COMMUNITY FACILITIES**

**25/208 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Recreational & Community Facilities Category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$30,000.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-11 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - RURAL HALLS**

**25/209 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Rural Halls category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$25,000.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-12 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - SMALL BUSINESS**

The Mayor, Councillor D Tout declared a Significant Non-Pecuniary Interest and vacated the Chair and the Chamber the time being 8:00pm.

Councillor K Subedi declared a Pecuniary Interest and vacated the Chamber the time being 8:00pm.

Deputy Mayor, Councillor G Davies assumed the Chair the time being 8:00pm.

**25/210 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and T Koschel

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Small Business category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$15,267.57, which includes the carryover of 2024/25 Small Business category funds.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

Deputy Mayor, Councillor G Davies vacated the Chair the time being 8:01pm.

The Mayor Councillor D Tout re-entered the Chamber and assumed the Chair the time being 8:01pm.

Councillor K Subedi re-entered the Chamber the time being 8:01pm.

**RP-13 ANNUAL GRANTS PROGRAM 2025/26 - YOUTH PROGRAMS & PROJECTS**

**25/211 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council approve the successful applications for the Youth Programs & Projects category of the 2025/26 Annual Grants Program as detailed in the report totalling \$15,000.**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-14 2025/26 BUDGET VARIATIONS AND 30 JUNE 2025 INVESTMENT REPORT**

**25/212 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a approve the proposed 2025/26 budget variations as presented in this report
- b approve the proposed budget variations to the Long-Term Financial Plan Capital Works Program
- c note the Responsible Accounting Officer's reports, in accordance with the Local Government (General) Regulation 2021 (Part 9 Division 3: Clause 203) that the financial position of Council is satisfactory having regard to the original estimates of income and expenditure and the recommendations made above
- d note the details of the external investments as of 30 June 2025 in accordance with section 625 of the Local Government Act 1993

**CARRIED**

## RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION

### For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

### Against the Motion

## RP-15 DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO THE GENERAL MANAGER

### 25/213 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council delegates the following powers, authorities, duties and functions of the Council to the General Manager, Mr Peter Thompson, as shown in the Schedule hereto, subject to the limitations and exceptions as shown:**

### SCHEDULE

- a All powers, authorities, duties and functions of the Council conferred or imposed on the Council by or under the Local Government Act, 1993 other than the functions listed in Section 377 of that Act as matters incapable of being delegated
- b All powers, authorities, duties and functions conferred or imposed on the Council by or under any other Act

### LIMITATIONS

- a A power, authority, duty or function the subject of this delegation shall not be exercised by the General Manager in relation to any matter if the Council, by resolution, gives a direction to that effect to the General Manager
- b These delegations may be exercised only in accordance with prescribed standards, codes, policies and decisions of the Council

### EXCEPTIONS

- a The determination of any development application that proposes development that would contravene a development standard imposed by Wagga Wagga Local Environmental Plan 2010 or any other environmental planning instrument and that is accompanied by a written request from the applicant seeking to justify the contravention of the development standard

- b Determination of any development application that is required to be referred to Council for determination in accordance with the Wagga Wagga Development Control Plan 2010
- c Determination of any development application that is required to be referred to Council in accordance with policy "POL 046 Processing Development Applications and Planning Proposals lodged by Councillors, staff and their respective relatives"
- d Determination of any development application that is required to be referred to Council for determination in accordance with any directive issued by the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-16      FREEDOM OF ENTRY PARADE - ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE (RAAF) WAGGA**

**25/214      RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a receive and note this report
- b approve the budget variations as detailed in the Financial Implications section of the report

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-17 COUNCIL POLICY REVIEW**

**25/215 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors J McKinnon and T Koschel

**That Council:**

- a adopt the policies outlined in the body of this report that have received no changes, excluding POL 047 Road and Suburb Naming Policy which is to be workshopped further with Councillors**
- b adopt the policies that have undergone minor amendments and were approved under delegated authority since they were last adopted by Council with no changes**
- c adopt the policies in their current form, as outlined in the body of this report, acknowledging that major changes are required, with revised versions to be reported to Council at a later date for consideration and public exhibition**
- d rescind the following policies:**
  - i Signs As Remote Supervision (POL 011)**
  - ii Community Facility Direction Signs Policy (POL 015)**
  - iii Executive and Leaseback Vehicles Policy (POL 076)**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-18 SEWER AND STORMWATER POLICY UPDATES**

**25/216 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a** endorse the draft Sewer Policy (POL 036), Stormwater Policy (POL 037), Building in the Vicinity of Underground Assets Policy (POL 066) and the Low-Pressure Sewer Systems and Connections Policy (POL 067) and place on public exhibition for a period of 28 days from 22 July 2025 to 18 August 2025 and invite public submissions until 31 August 2025 on the draft policies
- b** receive a further report following the public exhibition and submission period:
  - i** addressing any submissions made with respect to the proposed Stormwater Policy (POL 037), Sewer Policy (POL 036), Building in the Vicinity of Underground Assets Policy POL (066) and the Low-Pressure Sewer Systems and Connections Policy (POL 067)
  - ii** proposing adoption of the policy unless there are any recommended amendments deemed to be substantial and requiring a further public exhibition period

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-19 ACQUISITION DISPOSAL AND MANAGEMENT OF LAND POLICY (POL038)**

**25/217 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a endorse the draft Acquisition, Disposal and Management of Land Policy (POL 038) and place on public exhibition for a period of 28 days from 22 July 2025 until 18 August 2025 and invite public submissions until 31 August 2025 on the draft Policy**
- b receive a further report following the public exhibition and submission period:**
  - i addressing any submission made in respect of the proposed draft Acquisition, Disposal and Management of Land Policy (POL 038)**
  - ii proposing adoption of the policy unless there are any recommended amendments deemed to be substantial and requiring a further public exhibition period**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-20 KERBSIDE COLLECTION SERVICES POLICY (POL 016)**

**25/218 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors G Davies and K Subedi

**That Council:**

- a endorse the revised and renamed draft Kerbside Collection Services Policy (POL 016), incorporating the former Replacement of Stolen or Damaged Kerbside Collection Bins Policy**
- b place the draft Kerbside Collection Services Policy (POL 016) on public exhibition for a period of 28 days from 22 July 2025 until 18 August 2025 and invite public submissions until 31 August 2025 on the draft Policy**
- c receive a further report following the public exhibition and submission period:**
  - i addressing any submission made in respect of the proposed draft Kerbside Collection Services Policy**
  - ii proposing adoption of the policy unless there are any recommended amendments deemed to be substantial and requiring a further public exhibition period**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-21 NSW PUBLIC LIBRARIES ASSOCIATION (NSWPLA) SWITCH 2025 CONFERENCE AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**25/219 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and T Koschel

**That Council:**

**a be represented at the NSW Public Libraries Association (NSWPLA) SWITCH 2025 Conference and Annual General Meeting, to be held in Penrith on 11-14 November 2025**

**b appoints one Councillor as Council's delegate to attend the conference**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

Councillor L Tanner nominated Councillor A Parkins.

Councillor A Parkins accepted the nomination.

Councillor A Parkins was duly appointed as Council's representative to attend the NSW Public Libraries Association (NSWPLA) SWITCH 2025 Conference and Annual General Meeting, to be held on 11-14 November 2025.

**RP-22 RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES OF MOTIONS REGISTERS**

**25/220 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and T Koschel

**That Council:**

- a receive and note the following registers:**
  - i. Active Resolutions as of 3 July 2025
  - ii. Active Notice of Motions as of 3 July 2025
  - iii. Resolutions including Notice of Motions completed from 1 January 2025 to 3 July 2025
- b authorise the formal closure of the resolutions detailed in the report, excluding the following items:**
  - i. Res Number: 19/372 Review of Bourke Street
  - ii. Res Number: 20/180 Pedestrian Crossing - Lake Albert Road (Sacred Heart Primary School)
  - iii. Res Number: 21/220 Turvey Park and Mt Austin Pedestrian Safety Improvements
  - iv. Res Number: 22/277 Children's Crossing at William Street, North Wagga
- c endorse the revised reporting timeframe for council resolutions**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

**RP-23      QUESTIONS WITH NOTICE**

**25/221    RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors G Davies and J McKinnon

**That Council receive and note the report.**

**CARRIED**

**CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS**

**CONF-1    COMMISSIONING OF PUBLIC ARTWORK IN MENNEKE PARK**

**25/222    RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a    accept the application of artist Kathy Holowko for the City, Suburbs & Villages 2024/25 commission in Menneke Park, Estella**
- b    authorise the General Manager or their delegate to enter into a contract with recommended artist Kathy Holowko for the City, Suburbs & Villages 2024-25 commission in Menneke Park, Estella**
- c    advise the unsuccessful expression of interest applicants in writing**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

**For the Motion**

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

**Against the Motion**

**CONF-2 FIRE SAFETY INSPECTION REPORT - NSW FIRE COMMISSIONER**

**25/223 RESOLVED:**

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and L Tanner

**That Council:**

- a receive the report and recommendations dated 1 July 2025 from the Commissioner of Fire and Rescue NSW, in accordance with Schedule 5, Part 8, Section 17 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979**
- b note that a further report will be provided at the Council meeting of 11 August 2025 including a recommendation as to whether Council should exercise its statutory duty to issue a fire safety order**

**CARRIED**

**RECORD OF VOTING ON THE MOTION**

For the Motion

D Tout  
G Davies  
A Condron  
R Foley  
T Koschel  
J McKinnon  
A Parkins  
K Subedi  
L Tanner

Against the Motion

THIS COMPLETED THE BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL MEETING WHICH ROSE AT 8:17pm.

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MAYOR