

# Council Resolution Register – Notice of Motions Active as at 16 August 2022

## COMMUNITY

18/07/2022 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - CAT CONTAINMENT

Responsible: Gardiner, Mark

22/215 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors J McKinnon and T Koschel

## **That Council:**

- a write to the Office of Local Government and to any other relevant agency to request an update to any changes in legislation for NSW to provide a mechanism for Councils to introduce cat curfews in their Local Government Areas (LGA) to more responsibly manage cats
- b write to LGNSW requesting an update of any advocacy on this issue since cat containment became part of the policy platform in 2019
- c receive a report that considers
  - i any additional actions or policy changes open to Council at this time in order to encourage responsible cat management and cat containment in the Wagga Wagga LGA
  - the current NSW State Government program "Keeping Cats Safe at Home" and whether it is worthwhile asking for inclusion if the program is expanded outside of the current 10 councils over the remaining 3 years left on the project

## Status:

04 Aug 2022 11:10am Gardiner, Mark

Letters and a further report are currently being drafted.

## COMMUNITY

2/05/2022 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - ELECTRIC VEHICLE (EV) PARKING

Responsible: Gardiner, Mark

**22/136 RESOLVED:** 

On the Motion of Councillors A Parkins and D Hayes

That Council receive a report outlining how Council can encourage and support the increased usage of electric vehicles. The report should include, but not be limited to, consideration of the following:

- a opportunities to utilise any Local or State planning tools or regulations to improve EV readiness across certain development types and the advantages and disadvantages of implementing them in the Wagga Wagga LGA
- b an overview of EV incentives and charging station plans or strategies from other LGAs and other levels of government
- c costs to Council in implementing any of these measures

#### Status:

04 Aug 2022 11:08am Gardiner, Mark

A report is being prepared for September 2022 Ordinary Council meeting.

# **GOVERNANCE**

11/04/2022 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - VETERAN'S EMPLOYMENT AT WAGGA WAGGA CITY

COUNCIL

Responsible: Reeckman, Therese

22/113 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and A Parkins

#### **That Council:**

a receive a report detailing improvements to our recruitment processes, job vacancy notifications, website, and post application support with the aim to attract veterans to apply for positions at our council

b invite councils in the Riverina Joint Organisation and Canberra Joint Organisation to also consider improving their recruitment process to better attract veterans to job opportunities

#### Status:

## 17 May 2022 1:27pm Hensley, Ingrid

Council is engaging with other Councils to review current initiatives in veteran recruitment within local government. Council is reviewing guidance documentation developed by the Office for Veterans Affairs in partnership with the OLG NSW and will determine next steps after undertaking this further research and consultation.

## **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICE**

14/02/2022 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - ENGAGEMENT WITH BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION

Responsible: Gray, Scott

22/047 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors R Foley and D Hayes

That Council receive a report that considers the following in relation to engagement with the building and construction industry:

- a audit of current engagement activities with industry stakeholders, including face to face, digital communications, newsletters etc
- b consider the option of coordinating quarterly breakfast forums available for all industry stakeholders along the following lines:
  - i key planning staff to be present at these forums to brief the attendees with any relevant information and to answer any industry relevant questions posed by attendees
  - ii provide opportunities for all attendees to speak and address the forum for no longer than 5 minutes.
  - the forum is to act as an informal consultative entry point and significant interface between Council and these key building and construction sectors
  - iv affordable housing to be a regular topic of discussion with open participation and discussion of ideas to be encouraged with Industry in assisting Council in evaluating affordable housing development strategies for Wagga Wagga which has an ongoing crisis in affordable housing.
- c any other engagement opportunities that staff may be considering that is not referenced in this report

## Status:

## 21 Jun 2022 9:42am Gray, Scott

Progress on this item is currently delayed due to lack of staff in relevant areas. Recruitment underway.

# **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICE**

31/01/2022 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - VILLAGE MEETINGS

Responsible: Gray, Scott

22/022 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors R Kendall and D Hayes

That Council defer consideration pending a Councillor Workshop.

Status:

15 Jun 2022 3:46pm Gray, Scott

Workshop scheduled for 4 July 2022 to discuss options along with the revised Community Engagement Strategy.

## **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

10/01/2022 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - SPECIAL EVENTS AND VICTORY MEMORIAL GARDENS

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

22/008 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors T Koschel and J McKinnon

#### **That Council:**

- a receive a Report in relation to:
  - i options for Special Event Drop off Zones for special events at the Victory Memorial Gardens
  - ii usage of the Victory Memorial Gardens for special events, and including (but not limited to):
    - a list of all major events and non-major events, including school formals etc, that have been reported to Council
    - the opportunity to have an event registry log for non-major events, so organisers can register an
      event with Council
    - options for better utilisation of parking around the Victory Memorial Gardens
- b provide a copy of the Report to the Local Traffic Committee and request comment from the Local Traffic Committee on the options

## Status:

## 16 Aug 2022 8:01am Faulkner, Warren

Information about the usage of the VMG has been gathered. A report was not prepared for the July LTC for their comment. The report to the LTC will be targeted for the September LTC meeting for their comment prior to reporting back to Council

# **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

10/01/2022 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - WAGGA WAGGA ROADS

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

22/009 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

That Council receive a Report outlining all relevant information in regard to road maintenance and repair, including but not limited to:

- a current budget and comparison to other similar local government areas
- b current schedule of repairs
- c funding required and alternate options for funding
- d funding received from other levels of government
- e rating system for assessing Wagga Wagga roads and the process of designating priority repairs, maintenance, and upgrades
- f overview of the main causes of potholes within our Local Government Area
- g overview of current materials and methods used to repair potholes (including costings) and an investigation into the cost of alternative materials and methods which could be more durable, and long-lasting
- h challenges unique to Wagga Wagga in road maintenance
- i at the conclusion of the report, forward to State and Federal members for comment and/or support
- j explore new machinery and products to amend and properly repair potholes
- k investigate the use of contractors to tender for major roadworks to reduce the timeframes for upgrades and total costs

# Status:

## 16 Aug 2022 7:57am Faulkner, Warren

Financial data and information on new technologies has been gathered and the report to Council is being drafted. It is expected this report will be presented to the first Council meeting in September (5 September).

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

27/09/2021 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - AIRPORT STRATEGIC PLANNING

Responsible: Woods, Darryl

21/304 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

## That Council receive a report outlining:

- a process to develop a strategic plan for the airport for the betterment of our region
- b key areas for inclusion in the Strategic Plan such as tourism, business development, trade, and healthcare
- c investment and commercialisation options for the airport precinct

## Status:

#### 10 Aug 2022 9:35am Woods, Darryl

With the new Government in place, Council is developing a strategy to approach the two key issues of Airport tenure and continued operations through the need for Capital Investment to upgrade the terminal facilities at the airport. Leading up to the election Council produced a masterplan outlining the need for Capital Investment to upgrade critical facilities at the Airport., Ongoing

# **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

26/07/2021 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - TURVEY PARK AND MT AUSTIN PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

**IMPROVEMENTS** 

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

21/220 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

## That Council receive a report outlining:

- a any possible pedestrian safety improvements along Mitchelmore Street and Northcott Parade
- b investigate improvements for pedestrian access to the Botanic Gardens facilities along Macleay Street from Urana Street and Hodson Avenue
- c consideration of any improvements to be included in any grant or funding opportunities and additions to future works plans

#### Status:

#### 16 Aug 2022 8:30am Faulkner, Warren

The Design Services Team has been briefed on this NOM and is investigating options available and developing concepts for review/comments.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

26/04/2021 (RP-4) - RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MOTION - NAPPY AND MENSTRUAL PRODUCT REBATE

Responsible: Graham, Ray

21/115 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors V Keenan and D Hayes

## **That Council:**

- a add information and resources to the "your waste" web site to encourage the use of alternatives to disposable items in all possible areas to reduce waste to landfill and conserve resources
- b implement an educational and information program on reusable nappies, engaging with the Australian Nappy Association and through normal procurement processes engage a provider to conduct a series of workshops, over 6 months, to educate and assess community interest.
- c engage and consult with community Women's health and wellbeing groups in Wagga Wagga and work with the groups to develop the educational programs and workshops
- d implement a trial rebate scheme to commence in the 2021/22 financial year, offering a rebate of 50% of the purchase price up to a maximum rebate of \$100 per child.
- e receive a further report following the trial period and prior to formal adoption of the 2022/23 budget.
- f approve the budget variations as detailed in the Financial Implications section of the report

## Status:

## 09 Aug 2022 2:20pm Graham, Ray

Further report presented to the 22 August 2022 Council Meeting.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

22/02/2021 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - PEDESTRIAN ACCESS AROUND EQUEX CENTRE

Responsible: Creighton, Ben

21/035 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and R Kendall

#### **That Council:**

- a receive and acknowledge the accompanying letter from the Wagga Wagga Netball Association
- b receive a report on improving pedestrian movements surrounding the Equex centre

#### Status:

## 16 Aug 2022 8:37am Creighton, Ben

Concept alignments have been developed and are now being costed prior to a report being presented to Council.

# **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICE**

22/02/2021 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - AFFORDABLE HOUSING MODELS

Responsible: Atkinson, Crystal

21/036 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and R Kendall

## That Council receive a report that:

- a outlines any current strategies we have for providing and promoting affordable housing to meet the needs of the community
- b outlines any further model/s of affordable housing suitable for Wagga Wagga
- c informs Councillors of any relevant State or Federal Government strategy for social, affordable or community housing

## Status:

Councillor Workshop held on 15 August 2022, with a further report to be presented a future meeting of Council.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

8/02/2021 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - AIRPORT OPERATIONS AND LEASE

Responsible: Woods, Darryl

21/024 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors P Funnell and D Hayes

That Council receive a report outlining the consequences and /or benefits of:

- a handing operation of the Wagga Wagga Airport back to the Federal Government at the end of our lease in 2025
- b maintaining the current arrangement of the airport
- c having the airport land leased by Council gifted to Council

# Status:

## 10 Aug 2022 9:28am Woods, Darryl

Council has written to a Senator O'Neil seeking her assistance in resolving the lease and funding shortfall at Wagga Airport. Awaiting a response.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

26/10/2020 (RP-3) - DRAFT LAKE ALBERT PLAN OF MANAGEMENT

Responsible: Creighton, Ben

20/403 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors R Kendall and P Funnell

#### **That Council:**

- a refer the Lake Albert Draft Plan of Management to the NSW Department of Planning, Industry and the Environment for review and consent to place on public exhibition
- b subject to consent from the NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment place the nonconfidential sections of the Lake Albert Draft Plan of Management on public exhibition in accordance with s38 of the Local Government Act 1993 for a period of at least 28 days and invite interested members of the community to make comment
- c at the conclusion of the public notice period conduct a public hearing in accordance with s40A of the Local Government Act 1993
- d receive a further report concerning the outcomes of the public notice period and public hearing
- e note that the future use and management of Lot 1 DP 1260459 is currently uncommitted to any purpose and public comment on this future use will be reported and considered at the public hearing

#### Status:

## 16 Aug 2022 8:38am Creighton, Ben

Initial feedback has been received on the draft Plan of Management from Crown Lands. Further discussions will be held with Crown Lands and stakeholders over the coming months prior to a final plan being placed on Public Exhibition.

# **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICE**

14/09/2020 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - TRUCK INTERCHANGE FACILITIES

Responsible: Gray, Scott

20/339 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

That Council receive a report reviewing and identifying other possible solutions for FT3: Freight Interchange of the Wagga Wagga Integrated Transport Strategy and Implementation Plan 2040.

## Status:

# 21 Jun 2022 9:41am Gray, Scott

Progress on this item is currently delayed due to lack of staff in relevant areas. Recruitment underway.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

25/05/2020 (NOM-4) - NOTICE OF MOTION - ACCESS TO GREEN SPACES AT SCHOOLS

Responsible: Creighton, Ben

20/179 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

That Council receive a report on developing partnerships with schools and the Department of Education to re-open green spaces at schools that have been fenced off, in particular Kooringal High School and Mount Austin High School.

#### Status:

## 16 Aug 2022 8:38am Creighton, Ben

Discussions with DET and Schools infrastructure was initiated. Further negotiations with individual schools are required and will be undertaken over the coming months. Staff have also discussed the Share our Space program which has allowed access to some school facilities during holiday periods.

## **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

25/05/2020 (NOM-5) - NOTICE OF MOTION - PEDESTRIAN CROSSING ON LAKE ALBERT ROAD

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

20/180 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

That Council receives a report exploring options to improve pedestrian safety on the Lake Albert Road pedestrian crossing at Sacred Heart Primary School during hours outside of the school zone times.

## Status:

## 13 May 2022 9:11am Faulkner, Warren

Following a change in responsible officer for this action in October 2021, a meeting was held with Cr. Hayes in late October 2021 to gain a background on the issues and understand Cr. Hayes' points of view with respect to this NOM. Due to staff shortages, a report to Council that explores options to improve the visibility of this crossing is being delayed.

## **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

16/03/2020 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT IN THE NORTHERN GROWTH AREA

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

20/086 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors P Funnell and D Hayes

## **That Council:**

- a receive a report by September 2020 presenting the methodology and solutions for traffic management in the Northern Growth Area (Estella and surrounding suburbs), and the connectivity options to the city
- b write to Transport for NSW (RMS) and relevant NSW Government Ministers calling for the immediate release of the 'Wagga Traffic Corridor Study'
- c develop a communications and engagement plan to inform and present traffic management plans to the community

## Status:

## 13 May 2022 9:10am Faulkner, Warren

Traffic modelling considering various scenarios for traffic management at key intersections in the northern growth area has been undertaken. A report outlining the methodology undertaken and the proposed intersection treatments for Pine Gully Road and Boorooma Street should be able to be presented to Council in the near future

# **INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES**

28/10/2019 (NOM-2) - NOTICE OF MOTION - REVIEW OF BOURKE STREET

Responsible: Faulkner, Warren

19/372 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors D Hayes and T Koschel

That Council receive a report that provides:

a an overview of all current projects being explored for Bourke Street

b options to improve the safety and amenity of the road for pedestrians and drivers

#### Status:

#### 13 May 2022 8:48am Faulkner, Warren

A shortage of Engineering staff is currently holding back progress of this NOM. Recruitment for vacant positions is in progress.

## **CHIEF OPERATING OFFICE**

12/08/2019 (NOM-1) - NOTICE OF MOTION - ACTIVATION OF CBD THROUGH RESIDENTIAL

ACCOMMODATION

Responsible: Gray, Scott

19/271 RESOLVED:

On the Motion of Councillors P Funnell and D Hayes

That Council receive a report that investigates allowing residential accommodation within the core of the CBD and outlines:

- a use of both upstairs and downstairs for accommodation
- b what changes are required to Council planning provisions
- c appetite and opportunities to restore original verandas where requested
- d timeframe for achieving amendments to our planning/zoning rules
- e timeframe for implementation

#### Status:

## 15 Jun 2022 3:47pm Gray, Scott

Residential Development in the CBD will be a key action/issue that is considered and investigated as part of the City Centre Masterplan project.

# **REGIONAL ACTIVATION**

12/08/2019 (NOM-4) - NOTICE OF MOTION - AIRPORT PARKING

Responsible: Woods, Darryl

19/273 **RESOLVED**:

On the Motion of Councillors K Pascoe and D Hayes

That Council receive a report/s on the listed points outlined in the body of the report concerning the Wagga Airport.

## Status:

## 10 Aug 2022 9:06am Woods, Darryl

Council has written to a Senator O'Neil seeking her assistance in resolving the lease and funding shortfall at Wagga Airport. Awaiting a response.