

PUBLIC GENERAL MEETING AGENDA

NOTICE OF MEETING Wednesday 19 September 2018 Council Chambers, 43 Dryden Street, Alpha

To be held at 9.00 am

Councillors

Rob Chandler (Mayor) Jenni Gray (Deputy Mayor) Garry Bettiens Sean Dillon Milynda Rogers Beccy Plumb Gary Peoples

Officers

Steven Boxall (Chief Executive Officer)
Brett Walsh (Deputy Chief Executive Officer)
Damian Howard (District Manager – Alpha and Jericho)
Frank Smallwood (District Manager – Aramac and Muttaburra)
Jenny Lawrence (District Manager – Barcaldine)
Rick Rolfe (Chief Engineer)

In Attendance

Alison Newton (Minute Secretary)

Please find attached the agenda for the General Meeting to be held on **Wednesday 19 September 2018**, at the Council Chambers, 43 Dryden Street, Alpha commencing at **9.00 am**.

Steven Boxall

Chief Executive Officer

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BARCALDINE REGIONAL COUNCIL

Our Vision - Cohesive communities with exceptional lifestyle, opportunity, facilities and services.

Our Mission - To provide excellence in local government through extraordinary service to our citizens.

Opening of Meeting

Prayer

Condolences

Apologies

Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners

Declarations of Councillors Material Personal Interest on any items of business

Declarations of Councillors Conflict of Interest on any items of business

Declarations of Councillors Personal Gifts and Benefits

BUSINESS

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

General Meeting 15 August 2018

- 2. PETITIONS NIL
- 3. REPORTS

3.1 CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

3.1.1 CEO Information Report – August-September 2018

Summary: The Chief Executive Officer's report for August-September 2018 is presented to Council.

3.1.2 Councillor Information Bulletin

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling a list of items sent to Councillors in the

Councillor Information Bulletin up to and including 14 September 2018.

3.1.3 RAPAD – Air Services Forum Outcomes Paper

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling RAPAD's Air Services Forum Outcomes paper.

3.1.4 RAPAD – Tourism Futures White Paper

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling RAPAD's Tourism Futures White Paper.

3.1.5 RAPAD – Outback Aerodrone Symposium Report

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling RAPAD's Outback Aerodrone Symposium

Report.

3.1.6 Heart of Australia – Request for Financial Support

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling correspondence from Heart of Australia Pty

Ltd requesting financial support to enable the Heart Bus to continue servicing Barcaldine and surrounding towns with regular cardiac and respiratory specialist

services.

3.1.7 Request for Funding - Media Exposure in RM Williams Outback Magazine

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer advising that Council has been approached with a request from a journalist to assist with costs to travel to the region to write stories about

our residents and our communities.

3.1.8 RAPAD Federal Election Advocacy Program

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer advising of a request by RAPAD to assist with funding

an advocacy program in the lead up to the next federal election advocating for local

government issues.

3.1.9 Review of Organisational Structure

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling a revised organisational structure for Council's

consideration.

3.1.10 Approaching 2030 Final Draft

Summary: From the Chief Executive Officer tabling the final draft of the Approaching 2030

document for Council's consideration.

3.1.11 2019 Australia Day Ambassador Program and Great Australian Bites

Summary: From the Events and Tourism Officer submitting a request from the Premier of

Queensland office for Australia Day Ambassador program and Great Australian Bites.

3.2 DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

3.2.1 DCEO Information Report - September 2018

Summary: The Deputy Chief Executive Officer's report for September is presented to Council.

3.2.2 Planning and Development Report

Summary: The planning and development report for the period ending 10 September 2018 is

presented to Council.

3.2.3 Sale of Land - Muttaburra

Summary: Tenders have closed for the sale of surplus land in Muttaburra.

3.2.4 Q4 Review - Annual Operational Plan

Summary: The Chief Executive Officer's quarterly progress report on the implementation of the

Annual Operational Plan.

3.2.5 Review of Complaints Management System

Summary: The Queensland Ombudsman has provided a report on the Review of Council's

Complaints Management System.

3.2.6 Administrative Action Complaints Process

Summary: A draft Administrative Action Complaints Process Policy is presented for Council

consideration.

3.2.7 Driftway Reserve - Muttaburra

Summary: Expressions of Interest have closed for the short term agistment of Driftway Reserve at

Muttaburra.

3.2.8 Outback Futures Feedback

Summary: A report on the outcome of services provided by Outback Futures.

3.2.9 Review of Procurement System

Summary: A report on the review of Council's procurement policy and procedures is presented for

Council consideration.

3.2.10 2018 Annual Financial Statements

Summary: The 2018 Proposed Financial Statements have been reviewed by the Audit Committee

and are presented for Council consideration.

3.2.11 Barcaldine Clay Target Club Proposal

Summary: A proposal for the relocation of the Barcaldine Clay Target Club for Council

consideration.

3.2.12 Muttaburra Golf Club Fees

Summary: A request from the Muttaburra Golf Club for a refund of development application fees.

3.3 FINANCE

3.3.1 Financial Report - September 2018

Summary: The financial report for the period ending 12 September 2018 is presented to Council.

3.4 MANAGER ENGINEERING SERVICES

3.4.1 Works Report Period - August 2018

Summary: From the Chief Engineer, submitting for Council's information, the status of the scopes

of work assigned to Engineering Services for the period ending 31 August 2018.

3.4.2 Harney's Lane Realignment

Summary: A request has been received regarding a realignment of a section of Harney's Lane

which is in close proximity to the cluster fence.

3.4.3 Aramac Aquatic Centre

Summary: From the Chief Engineer detailing the Contract status for the Aramac Aquatic Centre.

3.4.4 Unsecured Load – Infringement Notice

Summary: On Tuesday 4 September 2018 the CEO received advice from a Transport Inspector

that one of Council's truck drivers had received a fine for having an unsecured load.

3.5 DISTRICT MANAGER – ALPHA AND JERICHO

3.5.1 Information Report

Summary: From the District Manager – Alpha and Jericho submitting the Information Report for

information.

3.5.2 Jericho Town Common Proposal

Summary: Letter from Cyril and Darren Couchy asking Council to consider their proposal before

Council makes a decision on whether to close the Jericho Town Common due to the

drought.

3.5.3 Application for Mobile Roadside Vending Permit

Summary: An application has been received from Geoff and Kate Taylor for a Mobile Roadside

Vending Permit in Alpha.

3.5.4 Request for Assistance – Alpha Junior Football and Cricket Club

Summary: The Alpha Junior Football & Cricket Club requesting financial assistance of \$1,000.00

to help cover the cost for a free BBQ for the Alpha Merchandise Golf and Footy Finals

Night on the 30th September 2018 at the Alpha Golf Club.

3.5.5 Use of the Oliver Gallagher Pavilion for the establishment of a Boot Camp Fitness Centre in Alpha

Summary: Use of the Oliver Gallagher Pavilion for the establishment of a Boot Camp Fitness a.

3.6 DISTRICT MANAGER - ARAMAC AND MUTTABURRA

3.6.1 **Information Report**

Summary: From the District Manager - Aramac and Muttaburra submitting the Information Report

for information.

3.7 **DISTRICT MANAGER - BARCALDINE**

3.7.1 Information Report

Summary: From the District Manager - Barcaldine submitting the Information Report for

information.

3.7.2 Request for Waiver of Developmet Fees – Joelene Barwick

Letter received from Joelene Barwick requesting waiver and reimbursement of fees of

\$1,199.20 paid on 25 June 2018 for new dwelling.

3.8 **CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS - NIL**

3.9 **NOTIFIED MOTIONS - NIL**

4. **CLOSE OF MEETING**

BARCALDINE REGIONAL COUNCIL Statement of Income & Expenditure For the period ending 12th September 2018 2019 2018 2017 2016 12-Sep-18 Actual / Actual <u>Budget</u> <u>Budget</u> <u>Actual</u> Actual <u>Actual</u> <u>\$</u> <u>%</u> <u>\$</u> <u>\$</u> <u>\$</u> <u>\$</u> Recurrent Revenue Net rates and utility charges -6,511 0% 6,438,100 6,361,570 6,215,846 6,129,155 Fees and charges 237,694 27% 884,500 774,832 790,405 833,272 Rental income 84,899 325,620 307,491 309,320 26% 325,549 Interest received 136,293 21% 645,000 554,158 575,089 767,389 Recoverable works income 2,016,822 18% 10,962,800 8,316,570 7,690,693 7,147,843 Grants, subsidies, contributions, donations 1,337,721 15% 9,068,751 9,008,682 12,124,818 8,500,938 Other recurrent income 33,600 11% 312,000 133,798 144,638 218,668 **Total Operating Revenue** 3,840,518 13% 28,636,771 25,475,159 27,848,980 23,906,585 **Recurrent Expenses** -2,016,419 -19% 10,371,350 10,413,519 10,163,037 8,982,411 **Employee costs** Materials & Services costs -2,947,677 -21% 13,885,824 11,989,133 11,531,085 8,872,946 155,248 Finance costs 0 0% 120,784 131,313 153,655 Depreciation 0% 8,672,600 7,955,167 8,400,197 8,159,012 **Total Operating Expenses** -4,964,096 -15% 33,050,558 30,489,132 30,247,974 26,169,617 -4,413,787 Net Operating Income/Loss -1,123,578 -5,013,973 -2,398,994 -2,263,032 Capital Revenue and Expenses Gain/(Loss) on sale of non-current assets -150,000 184,997 -21,545 14% -361,143 -1,319,829 Capital flood damage recoveries 144% 1,733,252 1,200,000 609,757 5,995,719 449,840 Grants, subsidies, contributions, donations -458,728 -8% 5,462,251 6,707,334 4,204,737 8,882,278 **Net Capital Income/Loss** 1,252,979 19% 6,512,251 7,502,087 9,839,313 8,012,289 Net Income/(Loss) 129,401 2,098,464 2,488,114 7,440,319 5,749,257 20% of year elapsed The above Statement is unaudited and may not include all transactions for the period.

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Fo	Statement of or the period endi	Financial Positing 12th Septem			
	12-Sep-18	30-Jun-19	30-Jun-18	30-Jun-17	30-Jun-16
	Actual	Budget	Actual	Actual	Actual
Current Assets					
Cash	19,497,574	20,957,766	21,686,414	25,328,035	22,996,488
Receivables	1,688,795	3,550,573	3,322,020	3,490,573	2,913,265
Inventories	671,377	457,006	572,527	457,006	533,968
Total current assets	21,857,747	24,965,345	25,580,961	29,275,614	26,443,721
Non-current Assets	, ,	, ,		, ,	
Property, plant and equipment	370,118,347	370,536,284	368,052,603	354,024,432	344,231,316
Total non-current assets	370,118,347	370,536,284	368,052,603	354,024,432	344,231,316
TOTAL ASSETS	391,976,094	395,501,629	393,633,564	383,300,046	370,675,037
Current Liabilities		000,000,000	223,023,00		010,010,001
Trade and other payables	1,630,292	1,775,976	3,388,121	1,938,001	2,134,893
Borrowings	365,691	433,045	365,691	361,053	338,617
Provisions	1,219,368	131,400	1,247,004	180,000	80,000
Total current liabilities	3,215,351	2,340,421	5,000,816	2,479,054	2,553,510
Non-current Liabilities					
Trade and other payables	-	600,000	-	671,595	351,020
Borrowings	2,726,651	6,594,265	2,726,651	2,393,346	2,755,497
Provisions	338,994	1,663,163	338,994	1,482,072	1,590,664
Total non-current liabilities	3,065,645	8,857,428	3,065,645	4,547,013	4,697,181
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,280,996	11,197,849	8,066,462	7,026,067	7,250,691
	3,233,333		2,000,000	.,,	1,200,002
NET COMMUNITY ASSETS	385,695,098	384,303,780	385,567,102	376,273,979	363,424,346
COMMUNITY EQUITY					
Retained surplus/(dc 185308138.6	181,562,227	185,580,223	181,434,232	172,141,109	164,700,790
Asset revaluation surplus	204,132,870	198,723,557	204,132,870	204,132,870	198,723,556
TOTAL COMMUNITY EQUITY	385,695,098	384,303,780	385,567,102	376,273,979	363,424,346
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	BARCALDINE REC									
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For the period ending 12th September 2018										
	12-Sep-18	<u>%</u>	2019	2018	2017	<u>2016</u>				
	<u>Actual</u>	Budget	Budget	Actual	Actual	Actual				
Cash flows from operating activities:										
Receipts from customers	5,382,755	19%	27,961,771	25,053,247	26,745,418	22,935,435				
Payments to suppliers and employees	-6,893,718	28%	-24,429,795	-21,779,414	-21,550,903	-17,856,942				
	-1,510,962		3,531,976	3,273,832	5,194,515	5,078,493				
Interest paid	0	0%	-120,784	-131,313	-153,655	-155,248				
Interest received	136,293	21%	645,000	554,158	575,089	767,389				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	-1,374,669	-34%	4,056,192	3,696,677	5,615,949	5,690,634				
Cash flows from investing activities:										
Payments for property, plant and equipment	-1,962,744	12%	-16,650,600	-15,362,521	-14,140,999	-18,401,038				
Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment	-124,545	-24%	519,100	369,190	995,856	710,136				
Capital Flood Damage Recoveries	0		0	0	5,995,719	449,840				
Grants, subsidies, contributions and donations	1,274,524	19%	6,662,251	7,317,090	4,204,737	8,882,278				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from investing activities	-812,765	9%	-9,469,249	-7,676,242	-2,944,687	-8,358,784				
Cash flows from financing activities										
Proceeds from borrowings	0		4,000,000	787,206	0	C				
Repayment of borrowings	0	0%	-355,160	-449,262	-339,715	-413,238				
Net cash inflow (outflow) from financing activities	0	0%	3,644,840	337,943	-339,715	-413,238				
Net increase (decrease) in cash held	-2,187,434		-1,768,217	-3,641,621	2,331,547	-3,081,388				
Cash at beginning of reporting period	21,686,414		22,725,983	25,328,035	22,996,488	26,077,876				
Cash at end of reporting period	19,498,979		20,957,766	21,686,414	25,328,035	22,996,488				
		88%	of year elapsed							