Shire of Mukinbudin 2019/2020 Annual Electors Meeting

# **UNCONFIRMED MINUTES**

Held in Council Chambers at 15 Maddock Street, Mukinbudin commencing at 4.02pm Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Dirk Sellenger CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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#### MINUTES

Minutes of the Annual Electors Meeting held in Council Chambers, Maddock Street, Mukinbudin on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

#### 1. Declaration of Opening

**1.1** The Shire President declared the Meeting open at 4.02pm

#### 2. Record of attendance and apologies

- 2.1 Councillors 2.1.1 Cr Gary Shadbolt – President Cr Geoff Bent Cr Callum McGlashan Cr Steve Paterson Cr Romina Nicoletti (4.04pm) Cr Sandie Ventris Cr Ash Walker
- 2.2 Staff
  - 2.2.1

Mr Dirk Sellenger – Chief Executive Officer Mrs Nola Comerford-Smith – Administration Manager Mr Ed Nind – Finance Manager (4.05pm Mrs Louise Sellenger – Senior Finance Officer Ms Melissa Jones – Administration Officer

- 2.3 Electors 2.3.1 Mrs Ev Comerford Mr Bill Crook Mrs Teresa Morony
- 2.4 Apologies 2.4.1 Cr Rod Comerford – Deputy President

#### 3. Confirmation of Minutes of previous meeting

3.1 Confirmation of Minutes for the 2018/2019 Annual Electors Meeting held 18<sup>th</sup> February 2020.

#### Moved: Cr Paterson Seconded: Cr Bent

That the Minutes of the 2018/2019 Annual Electors Meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> February 2020 be accepted as a true and correct record of proceedings.

Carried 9/0

*Cr* Nicoletti entered the meeting at 4.04pm

#### 4. Reports

#### 4.1 Shire President & CEO's Report

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Moved: Cr Ventris	Seconded: Mr Bill Crook	
That the Meeting receive t	he Shire President & CEO's Report for 2019/2020.	
Carried 10 / 0		

#### 4.2 Financial Statement / Audit Report

4.2.1 Financial Statement / Audit Report – 2019/2020

Moved: Cr McGlashanSeconded: Cr NicolettiThat the Meeting receive the Financial Statement and Audit Report for 2019/2020.Carried 10 / 0

#### 5. General Business (with the approval of the President or meeting)

5.1 General Business

#### 5.1.1 Mukinbudin Cemetery Committee

Thanks to Works Crew for work completed at the Cemetery. Area cleared north of gravesites needs allocation. Potential to save annual budget allocation to allow for larger projects including niche wall, shading, entrance statement, paving, and commemorative plaques. People may donate money for seating and niche wall.

A request from Cr Shadbolt that a list of priorities be presented to Council for consideration for allocation in the 2021/2022 Budget.

A suitably qualified person will be contracted to assist with professional planning.

#### 5.1.2 Footpaths

Budget constraints determine the footpath upgrade program. A request to pave at least three per year. Will the footpaths be installed lower than current paths (Lansdell Street)? Current paths can cause flooding on townsite properties. Contractors will be consulted when new footpaths are installed.

Cr Ventris left the meeting at 4.25pm

#### 5.1.3 Rates

Mr Bill Crook spoke on history of Council rates.

#### 6. Closure of Meeting

6.1 Closure of Meeting

The Chairperson thanked Elected Members, Staff and Visitors for attending and declared the meeting closed at 4.52pm