



SPECIAL MEETING

AGENDA

19 MAY 2025

Your attendance is required at a Special meeting of Council to be held in the Council Chambers, 232 Bolsover Street, Rockhampton on 19 May 2025 commencing at 9:00 AM for transaction of the enclosed business.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "C. P.", is positioned above the printed name of the Chief Executive Officer.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
15 May 2025

Next Meeting Date: 27.05.25

Please note:

In accordance with the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, please be advised that all discussion held during the meeting is recorded for the purpose of verifying the minutes. This will include any discussion involving a Councillor, staff member or a member of the public.

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1 OPENING

- 1.1 Acknowledgement of Country

2 PRESENT

Members Present:

The Mayor, Councillor A P Williams (Chairperson)
Deputy Mayor, Councillor M D Wickerson
Councillor S Latcham
Councillor E W Oram
Councillor C R Rutherford
Councillor M A Taylor
Councillor G D Mathers
Councillor E B Hilse

In Attendance:

Mr E Pardon – Chief Executive Officer

3 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

5 CLOSED SESSION

RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council move into Closed Session pursuant to section 254J(1) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* and the meeting be closed to the public to discuss the following items, which are considered confidential in accordance with section 254J(3) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, for the reasons indicated.

6.1 2025/2026 Budget Briefing

In accordance with section 254J(3)(c) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* it is considered necessary to close the meeting to discuss the local government's budget.

6 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS

6.1 2025/2026 BUDGET BRIEFING

File No: 8785

Attachments: Nil

Authorising Officer: Ross Cheesman - Deputy Chief Executive Officer

Author: Marnie Taylor - Chief Financial Officer

In accordance with section 254J(3)(c) of the *Local Government Regulation 2012* it is considered necessary to close the meeting to discuss the local government's budget.

SUMMARY

This report will provide an update to Council on the progress of the 2025/2026 Budget.

7 CLOSURE OF MEETING