



# **SPECIAL MEETING**

## **AGENDA**

**28 MAY 2025**

*Your attendance is required at a Special meeting of Council to be held in the Council Chambers, 232 Bolsover Street, Rockhampton on 28 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**  
22 May 2025

Next Meeting Date: 10.06.25

**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)  
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**

Councillor Drew Wickerson - Leave of Absence from 23 May 2025 to 2 June 2025

## **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.

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#### **SUMMARY**

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

## **7 CLOSURE OF MEETING**