

# PARKS, RECREATION AND SPORT COMMITTEE MEETING

# **MINUTES**

29 MAY 2019

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#### REPORT OF THE PARKS, RECREATION AND SPORT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD AT COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 232 BOLSOVER STREET, ROCKHAMPTON ON WEDNESDAY, 29 MAY 2019 COMMENCING AT 12.31PM

## 1 OPENING

## 2 PRESENT

Members Present:

The Mayor, Councillor M F Strelow (Chairperson) Councillor R A Swadling Councillor N K Fisher Councillor C E Smith Councillor M D Wickerson

In Attendance:

Ms C Worthy – General Manager Community Services (Executive Officer) Mr E Pardon – Chief Executive Officer Mr P Kofod – General Manager Regional Services Mr A Pont – Manager Parks Mr R Dunkley – Manager Community Assets and Facilities Mr D Morrison – Executive Coordinator to the Mayor Ms S Czarkowski – Coordinator Community Facilities Ms K Anderson –Coordinator Property and Insurance Mr B Nicholls – Coordinator Community Projects and Open Space Ms A Black – Supervisor Cemeteries Mr M Elgey – Curator Botanic and Kershaw Gardens Ms G Dwyer – Media Officer Ms L Leeder – Senior Committee Support Officer

## 3 APOLOGIES AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of Absence for the meeting was previously granted to Councillor Cherie Rutherford.

### 4 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

#### COMMITTEE RESOLUTION

THAT the minutes of the Parks, Recreation and Sport Committee held on 1 May 2019 be taken as read and adopted as a correct record.

Moved by:Councillor WickersonSeconded by:Councillor SmithMOTION CARRIED

# 5 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

## 6 BUSINESS OUTSTANDING

Nil

## 7 PUBLIC FORUMS/DEPUTATIONS

Nil

#### 8 OFFICERS' REPORTS

#### 8.1 GRACEMERE CEMETERY - PRE-PURCHASE OF BURIAL RIGHTS

File No:	11979
Attachments:	<ol> <li>Proposed updated Cemeteries Related Activities Policy with tracked changes</li> <li>Proposed updated Cemeteries Related Activities Policy</li> </ol>
Authorising Officer:	Brett Nicholls - Coordinator Community Projects and Open Space Facilities Richard Dunkley - Manager Community Assets and Facilities Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Anne Black - Supervisor Cemeteries

#### SUMMARY

In August 2017 Council resolved to make provision for the pre-purchase of burial rights at Gracemere Cemetery. This report recommends changes to the existing Cemeteries Policy to enable this.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT the updated Cemeteries Related Activities Policy be adopted.

Moved by: Councillor Smith Motion lapsed for want of a seconder

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT this matter lay on the table until the next Parks Recreation and Sport Committee meeting.

Moved by:Mayor StrelowSeconded by:Councillor SwadlingMOTION CARRIED

#### 8.2 GRACEMERE CEMETERY EXPANSION

File No:	11979
Attachments:	1. Proposed Gracemere Cemetery Masterplan and detailed design
Authorising Officer:	Richard Dunkley - Manager Community Assets and Facilities Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Brett Nicholls - Coordinator Community Projects and Open Space Facilities

#### SUMMARY

The Gracemere Cemetery is nearing capacity and works are underway to accommodate the long term expansion of this site.

#### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

THAT Council endorse the proposed detailed design.

Moved by:Councillor SwadlingSeconded by:Councillor SmithMOTION CARRIED

#### 8.3 MOUNT MORGAN CEMETERY EXPANSION

File No:	13363
Attachments:	<ol> <li>Layout Plan</li> <li>Expansion Map</li> </ol>
Authorising Officer:	Richard Dunkley - Manager Community Assets and Facilities Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Brett Nicholls - Coordinator Community Projects and Open Space Facilities

#### SUMMARY

The Mount Morgan Cemetery is nearing capacity and fast-tracked works are underway to accommodate the long term expansion of this site.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council:

- 1. Receive this report noting that the Mount Morgan Cemetery is nearing capacity;
- 2. Note works are underway to remedy the previous extension of this site;
- 3. Note works are underway to fast-track the future long term expansion of the site; and
- 4. Endorse for the CEO to liaise with DNRME to ensure that the current land tenure applications are treated as high priority.

Moved by:Mayor StrelowSeconded by:Councillor SwadlingMOTION CARRIED

#### 8.4 REQUEST TO RENEW LEASE FOR GRACEMERE SWIMMING POOL

File No:	10473
Attachments:	Nil
Authorising Officer:	Richard Dunkley - Manager Community Assets and Facilities Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Sophia Czarkowski - Coordinator Facilities

#### SUMMARY

Rockhampton Regional Council hold a Freehold Lease with Department of Education and Training for the operation of Gracemere Swimming Pool, the lease is due to expire on 29 September 2019.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT:

- 1. Council agrees to renew the Lease Agreement with Department of Education and Training for the Gracemere Swimming Pool under the same terms and conditions as the current arrangement; and
- 2. The Chief Executive Officer (Coordinator Property and Insurance) be authorised to proceed with negotiations with Department of Education and Training to finalise the Lease Agreement.

Moved by:	Councillor Swadling
Seconded by:	Councillor Smith
MOTION CARRIED	

#### 8.5 REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF LEASED AREA FOR THE STATE OF QUEENSLAND (REPRESENTED BY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SAFETY) -CALLIUNGAL RURAL FIRE BRIGADE

File No:	7840
Attachments:	1. Proposed Lease Extension
Authorising Officer:	Aaron Pont - Manager Parks Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Jacinta James - Acting Senior Sports and Education Advisor

#### SUMMARY

The State of Queensland (Represented by Department of Community Safety) – Calliungal Rural Fire Brigade holds a Freehold Lease over part of Newman Oval, Mount Morgan (Lot 3 SP124256). The State Department on behalf of Calliungal Rural Fire Brigade are seeking an extension to the Freehold Lease area for the purpose of constructing an additional shed.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council approve the extension of the Freehold Lease for The State of Queensland (Represented by Department of Community Safety) – Calliungal Rural Fire Brigade to allow the construction of an additional shed.

Moved by:	Mayor Strelow
Seconded by:	<b>Councillor Smith</b>
MOTION CARRIED	

## 8.6 REMOVAL OF SADDLE WATER TANK AND INSTALLATION OF PERMANENT WATER DISPENSER ON PILBEAM DRIVE

File No:	1464
Attachments:	<ol> <li>Existing Saddle Water Tank</li> <li>Proposed Water Bubbler</li> <li>Proposed Location of Water Bubbler</li> <li>Mount Archer Activation Master Plan - Endorsed by Council</li> </ol>
Authorising Officer:	Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Aaron Pont - Manager Parks

#### SUMMARY

The purpose of this report is to provide information supporting the removal of the Pilbeam Drive Saddle Water tank and installation of a permanent water dispenser to potable water.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT this matter lay on the table until the next Parks Recreation and Sport Committee meeting.

Moved by:	Mayor Strelow
Seconded by:	Councillor Swadling
MOTION CARRIED	

#### 8.7 PARKS OPERATIONAL REPORT - APRIL 2019

File No:	1464
Attachments:	1. Operational Report - April 2019
Authorising Officer:	Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Aaron Pont - Manager Parks

#### SUMMARY

This report provides information on the activities and services of the Parks section for April 2019.

#### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

THAT the report on the activities and services of the Parks section for April 2019 be received.

Moved by:	Councillor Smith
Seconded by:	<b>Councillor Wickerson</b>
MOTION CARRIED	

#### 8.8 PROJECT DELIVERY MONTHLY REPORT - APRIL 2019

File No:	7028
Attachments:	1. Parks Project Reports - April 2019
Authorising Officer:	Peter Kofod - General Manager Regional Services
Author:	Andrew Collins - Manager Project Delivery

#### SUMMARY

Monthly reports on the projects currently managed by Project Delivery.

#### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION**

THAT the Project Delivery Monthly Report for April 2019 be received.

Moved by:Councillor WickersonSeconded by:Councillor SwadlingMOTION CARRIED

## 9 NOTICES OF MOTION

Nil

## 10 URGENT BUSINESS\QUESTIONS

### 11 CLOSED SESSION

In accordance with the provisions of section 275 of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, a local government may resolve to close a meeting to the public to discuss confidential items, such that its Councillors or members consider it necessary to close the meeting.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT the meeting be closed to the public to discuss the following items, which are considered confidential in accordance with section 275 of the *Local Government Regulation* 2012, for the reasons indicated.

#### 12.1 Trustee Lease Renewal for Southside United Sports Club Inc

This report is considered confidential in accordance with section 275(1)(h), of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*, as it contains information relating to other business for which a public discussion would be likely to prejudice the interests of the local government or someone else, or enable a person to gain a financial advantage.

Moved by:Mayor StrelowSeconded by:Councillor WickersonMOTION CARRIED

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

#### 1:31PM

**THAT** pursuant to s5.11 *Council Meeting Procedures* the meeting moves into Closed Session and be closed to the public.

Moved by:Councillor SmithSeconded by:Councillor SwadlingMOTION CARRIED

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

#### 1:41PM

**THAT** pursuant to s5.11 *Council Meeting Procedures* the meeting moves out of Closed Session and be opened to the public.

Moved by:Councillor WickersonSeconded by:Councillor SmithMOTION CARRIED

### **12 CONFIDENTIAL REPORTS**

#### 12.1 TRUSTEE LEASE RENEWAL FOR SOUTHSIDE UNITED SPORTS CLUB INC

File No:	4750
Attachments:	<ol> <li>Land Ownership - Jardine Park</li> <li>Southside United Sports Club Lease Buildings</li> <li>Rocky sports club closes door for overdue 'facelift' - Morning Bulletin Article</li> <li>History of Rates and Payments</li> </ol>
Authorising Officer:	Aaron Pont - Manager Parks Colleen Worthy - General Manager Community Services
Author:	Jacinta James - Acting Senior Sports and Education Advisor

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#### SUMMARY

In accordance with Section 236(1)(c)(iii) of the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld) a Council resolution is sought for the renewal of Southside United Sports Club Incorporated's Trustee lease.

#### COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

THAT Council approve Option One as detailed in the report.

Moved by:Mayor StrelowSeconded by:Councillor SmithMOTION CARRIED

Councillor Swadling recorded her vote against the motion

## CLOSURE OF MEETING

There being no further business the meeting closed at 1:42pm.

SIGNATURE

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CHAIRPERSON

DATE