

MINUTES

GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday, 15 May 2013

The Council Chambers 35 Bloomfield Street CLEVELAND QLD

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1 DECLARATION OF OPENING

The Mayor declared the meeting open at 10.30am and acknowledged the Quandamooka people, who are the traditional custodians of the land on which Council meets.

The Mayor also paid Council's respect to their elders, past and present, and extended that respect to other indigenous Australians who are present.

2 DEVOTIONAL SEGMENT

Pastor Neale Collier, Mt Cotton Community Fellowship, led Council in a brief devotional segment.

3 RECOGNITION OF ACHIEVEMENT

3.1 QUEENSLAND'S BARNARDOS MOTHER OF THE YEAR 2013

The Mayor recognised Emma Gosbell, 18 of Redland Bay, who was crowned Barnardos Queensland Mother of the Year 2013. The 18 year old stepped into the role of full-time mum after her partner's mother died suddenly, giving up her real-estate traineeship and putting her TAFE Diploma of Child, Youth and Facility Intervention on hold.

Emma, and her partner Brendan 21, don't regret their decision to take on the parenting responsibilities for Meleighta 15, Nick 12, Tom 8 and Azekial 5. It was difficult and a massive learning experience, but it's been rewarding as well. Emma's cheery outlook against all odds was cause for her older sister, Aimee, to nominate her for the Barnardos award. Emma had also been a tower of strength when Aimee lost her own child to SIDS last year.

Emma and Brendan are now expecting their first child and we wish them all the best for the future.

4 RECORD OF ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE OF ABSENCE

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Cr K Williams Mayor

Cr A Beard Deputy Mayor & Councillor Division 8

Cr W Boglary
Cr C Ogilvie
Cr K Hardman
Cr L Hewlett
Cr M Edwards
Cr J Talty
Councillor Division 1
Councillor Division 2
Councillor Division 4
Councillor Division 5
Councillor Division 6

Cr M Elliott Councillor Division 7 – entered meeting at 10.33am

Cr P Gleeson Councillor Division 9
Cr P Bishop Councillor Division 10

EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP GROUP:

Mr B Lyon Chief Executive Officer

Mr N Clarke General Manager Organisational Services

Mrs L Rusan General Manager Community & Customer Services

Mr G Soutar General Manager Infrastructure & Operations

Mr G Holdway Chief Financial Officer

MINUTES:

Mrs J Parfitt Team Leader Corporate Meetings & Registers

5 RECEIPT AND CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

5.1 GENERAL MEETING MINUTES 1 MAY 2013

COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Moved by: Cr A Beard Seconded by: Cr P Bishop

That the minutes of the General Meeting of Council held on 1 May 2013 be confirmed.

General Meeting Minutes 1 May 2013

CARRIED 11/0

6 MATTERS OUTSTANDING FROM PREVIOUS COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

The Chief Executive Officer presented the following item for noting:

6.1 PETITION (DIVISION 5) REQUESTING FOR COUNCIL TO EXTEND THE OPERATING SEASON OF THE BAY ISLANDS SWIMMING POOL

At the General Meeting on 17 April 2013 Council resolved that the petition, which reads as follows, be received and referred to a Committee or officer for consideration and a report to the local government and that the principal petitioner be advised in writing accordingly.

Request for Council to "....extend the operating season of the Bay Islands Swimming Pool...."

A report addressing this matter will be presented to an ensuing Coordination Committee Meeting.

7 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

MOTION TO ADJOURN MEETING

Moved by: Cr P Gleeson Seconded by: Cr W Boglary

That Council adjourn the meeting for a 15 minute public participation segment.

CARRIED 11/0

- Mr J Daffy resident of Wellington Point, addressed Council in relation to the Wellington Point Reserve Shared Parking Trial.
- Mr D Anderson resident of Thorneside and spokesperson for 'Ramp It Up', addressed Council in relation to the Wellington Point Reserve Shared Parking Trial.
- Mr G Wood resident of Cleveland and commercial fisherman, addressed Council regarding a development assessment application for a Home Based Business.

MOTION TO RESUME MEETING

Moved by: Cr M Elliott Seconded by: Cr J Talty

That the meeting proceedings resume.

CARRIED 11/0

8 PETITIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Nil

9 MOTION TO ALTER THE ORDER OF BUSINESS

Nil

10 DECLARATION OF MATERIAL PERSONAL INTEREST OR CONFLICT OF INTEREST ON ANY ITEMS OF BUSINESS

Nil

11 MOTION TO ADJOURN GENERAL MEETING FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE COORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING AT 11.00AM

COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Moved by: Cr M Elliott Seconded by: Cr J Talty

That the meeting be adjourned to enable the conduct of the Coordination Committee meeting.

CARRIED 11/0

12 MOTION TO RECONVENE GENERAL MEETING AT 11.23AM

COUNCIL RESOLUTION

Moved by: Cr J Talty Seconded by: Cr M Elliott

That the General Meeting be reconvened.

CARRIED 11/0

- 13 ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE MEETING REPORT & RECOMMENDATIONS
- 13.1 COORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING 15 MAY 2013

Moved by: Cr J Talty Seconded by: Cr P Bishop

That the Report and Recommendations of the Coordination Committee meeting held 15 May 2013 be adopted.

Coordination Committee Report 15 May 2013

CARRIED 11/0

14 Nil	MAYORAL MINUTES
15 Nil	NOTICES OF MOTION TO REPEAL OR AMEND RESOLUTIONS
16 Nil	NOTICES OF MOTION
17 Nil	URGENT BUSINESS WITHOUT NOTICE
18 There	MEETING CLOSURE being no further business, the Mayor declared the meeting closed at 11.24am.
Signa	ature of Chairperson:
Confi	rmation date: