

Extra-Ordinary Council Meeting

Agenda

05 March 2025

Notice is hereby given in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government Act 1993 that an Ordinary Meeting of Warrumbungle Shire Council will be held in the Council Chambers, John Street, Coonabarabran on Wednesday, 5 March 2025 commencing at 2.30 pm.

Mayor: Cr Kathryn Rindfleish

Councillors: Debra Bell Kodi Brady Dale Hogden Zoe Holcombe Jason Newton (Deputy Mayor) Ray Lewis Naomi Taylor Denis Todd

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Council's Vision

Excellence in Local Government

Mission Statement

We will provide:

- Quality, cost effective services that will enhance our community's lifestyle, environment, opportunity and prosperity.
- Infrastructure and services which meet the social and economic needs and aspirations of the community now and in the future.
- Effective leadership and good governance, by encouraging teamwork, through a dedicated responsible well trained workforce.

Values

✓ Honesty

Frank and open discussion, taking responsibility for our actions

✓ Integrity

Behaving in accordance with our values

✓ Fairness

Consideration of the facts and a commitment to two way communication

✓ Compassion

Working for the benefit and care of our community and the natural environment

✓ Respect

To ourselves, colleagues, the organisation and the community, listening actively and responding truthfully

✓ Transparency

Open and honest interactions with each other and our community

✓ Passion

Achievement of activities with energy, enthusiasm and pride

✓ Trust

Striving to be dependable, reliable and delivering outcomes in a spirit of goodwill

✓ Opportunity

To be an enviable workplace creating pathways for staff development

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY – Council acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the Land at which the meeting is held and pays its respects to Elders both past and present and extends that respect to other Aboriginal people who are present.

Turn Off Mobile Phones

Audio Recording of Council Meetings

Apologies/Leave of Absence

Disclosure of Interest Pecuniary Interest Non-Pecuniary Conflict of Interest

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LINDSAY MASON ACTING GENERAL MANAGER

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Summary

In accordance with the *Local Government Act 1993* (NSW) (*'the Act'*) and the *Local Government (General) Regulation 2005* (NSW), in the opinion of the General Manager, the following business is of a kind as referred to in section 10A(2) of the Act, and should be dealt with in a part of the meeting closed to the media and public.

The item relates to personnel matters concerning particular individuals (other than councillors) and is classified **CONFIDENTIAL** under section 10A(2)(a) of the Act, which permits the meeting to be closed to the public for business relating to the following:

(a) personnel matters concerning particular individuals (other than councillors)

RECOMMENDATION

That Recruitment and Appointment of the General Manager be referred to Closed Council pursuant to section 10A(2)(a) of the *Local Government Act 1993* (NSW) on the grounds that the matter deals with personnel matters concerning particular individuals (other than councillors).