



# MINUTES of

## **EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL**

Held on 31 March 2022 at 5:00pm

**Attendance at Meeting:** 

Councillors: Mayor Robert Bell (Chair)

Cr R Crouch (Deputy Mayor)

Cr T Bower

Cr L Doran (arrived 5:01pm)

Cr B McMullen Cr O'Connor Cr L Petrov Cr T Toomey

Apologies: Cr S Burrows

Staff: Ms K Jessep, General Manager

Mr S Paul, Chief Financial Officer/ Director Corporate Services

Mr T Seymour, Director Infrastructure & Development

Ms C Valencius, Director Community Services

Ms N Heaton, Manager, Governance

 $Ms\ W\ Westbrook\ ,\ Minute\ Clerk$ 

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### 1 OPENING & WELCOME

The chair declared the meeting opened at 5:00pm.

#### 2 PRAYER

The Chair recited the Uralla Shire Council prayer.

#### 3 AKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

The Chair read the acknowledgement of country.

The Chair advised that Cr Doran was on her way.

#### 4 WEBCAST INFORMATION

The Chair advised the meeting was recorded, with the recording to be made available on Council's website following the meeting.

### 5 APOLOGIES & APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCES BY COUNCILLORS

Moved: Cr Bower / Seconded: Cr O'Connor

That Cr Burrows apology be noted and a leave of absence be approved for 31 March 2022.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Nil
Absent: Cr Doran

X04.03/22 CARRIED

## 6 DISCLOSURES & DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Nil

## 7 REPORTS TO COUNCIL

## 7.1 QUARTERLY BUDGET REVIEW STATEMENT – SECOND QUARTER 2021/22

Cr Doran arrive at the meeting at 5:01pm

PROCEDURAL MOTION Moved: Cr Toomey /Seconded: Cr McMullen

To move to Committee of the Whole.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Burrows, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov,

**Toomey** 

Against:

Absent:

X05.03/22 CARRIED

Councillors held a detailed discussion in committee regarding the report.

PROCEDURAL MOTION Moved: Cr Crouch /Seconded: Cr Petrov

To resume Standing Orders.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Absent:

X06.03/21 CARRIED

The Chair outlined details of the discussion held in committee.

MOTION Moved: Cr Crouch /Seconded: Cr O'Connor That Council:

- i Note the second quarter budget review summary for the 2021/22 financial year; and
- ii Adopt the adjustments to budget allocations, including transfers to and from reserves.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, McMullen, Petrov, O'Connor

Against: Crs Toomey, Doran

Absent: Nil

X07.03/22 CARRIED

#### 8 CONFIDENTIAL MATTERS

PROCEDURAL MOTION Moved: Cr Crouch / Seconded: Cr O'Connor

To move into Closed Session of Council

That Council move into closed session and close the meeting to members of the public and press for Items:

- 8.1 Extraordinary March Meeting Award of Tender Road Reconstruction of 1.35km of Bundarra Road west from Barbados Corner;
- 8.2 HEAVY PATCHING ON SEALED RURAL ROADS (KINGSTOWN ROAD) URALLA AWARD OF TENDER; AND
- 8.3 Supply and Delivery Smooth Drum Roller RFQ983301 Evaluation Recommendation

for the following reasons:-

This report is presented to the CLOSED section of the 31 March 2022 Extraordinary Council meeting under section 10A (2)(d)(i) of the Local Government Act (NSW) 1993.

- (1) A council, or a committee of the council of which all the members are councillors, may close to the public so much of its meeting as comprises:
  - (a) the discussion of any of the matters listed in subclause (2), or
  - (b) the receipt or discussion of any of the information so listed.
- (2) The matters and information are the following:
  - (d) commercial information of a confidential nature that would, if disclosed:
    - (i) prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied it.

Reason for closing the agenda item: competitive procurement process.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Nil Absent: Nil

X08.03/21 CARRIED

#### REPORTS TO CLOSED SESSION

- 8.1 EXTRAORDINARY MARCH MEETING AWARD OF TENDER ROAD RECONSTRUCTION OF 1.35km OF BUNDARRA ROAD WEST FROM BARBADOS CORNER
- 8.2 HEAVY PATCHING ON SEALED RURAL ROADS (KINGSTOWN ROAD) URALLA AWARD OF TENDER
  - 8.3 SUPPLY AND DELIVERY SMOOTH DRUM ROLLER RFQ983301 EVALUATION RECOMMENDATION

#### MOVE TO OPEN SESSION

PROCEDURAL MOTION Moved: Cr Doran / Seconded: Cr McMullen

To return to Open Session of Council.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Nil Absent: Nil

X12.03/21 CARRIED

PROCEDURAL MOTION Moved: Cr McMullen /Seconded: Cr Crouch

The resolutions of Closed Session of Council become the resolutions of Open Session of

Council.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Nil Absent: Nil

X13.03/21 CARRIED

#### 9 COMMUNICATION OF COUNCIL DECISIONS

The Chair communicated the Council decisions from the closed session as follows:

8.1 EXTRAORDINARY MARCH MEETING - AWARD OF TENDER — ROAD RECONSTRUCTION OF 1.35km OF BUNDARRA ROAD WEST FROM BARBADOS CORNER

## MOTION Moved: Cr McMullen /Seconded: Cr Crouch

That Council approve:

- I. the award of the tender to Stabilcorp for \$330,405 to rehabilitate and widen 1.35 km of Bundarra Road west from Barbados corner; AND
- II. additional expenditure for variations of up to \$89,595 for extension to road project, rising fuel costs implications, additional materials and latent conditions.

For: Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Cr O'Connor

Absent: Nil

X09.03/21 CARRIED

8.2 Heavy Patching on Sealed Rural Roads (Kingstown Road) Uralla - Award of Tender

**MOTION Moved: Cr Bower / Seconded: Cr Crouch** 

### **That Council approve:**

- the award of the Heavy Patching on Sealed Rural Roads Kingstown Road rehabilitation and road widening contract to Stabilcorp for the tender amount of \$180,635 (EX GST), and
- II. additional expenditure for variations of up to \$80,000 for rising fuel costs implications additional materials and latent conditions.

For:

Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Cr Doran

Absent: Nil

X10.03/21 CARRIED

8.3 Supply and Delivery Smooth Drum Roller RFQ983301 Evaluation Recommendation

MOTION Moved: Cr Bower / Seconded: Cr Petrov

#### **That Council:**

- accept the quotation from Westrac Tamworth to supply one (1) Caterpillar CS74B Smooth Drum Roller per specifications of RFQ983301 and approve the purchase for \$207,603.41 including GST; and
- II. accept the trade in value from Westrac Tamworth for Plant 405803 Amman ASC160 Smooth Drum Roller and approved the sale for \$71,500 (including GST).

For:

Mayor Bell, Crs Bower, Crouch, Doran, McMullen, O'Connor, Petrov, Toomey

Against: Nil

Absent: Nil

X11.03/21 CARRIED

## 10 CLOSURE OF MEETING

The meeting was closed at 6:05pm.

## 11 COUNCIL MINUTES CONFIRMED

COUNCIL MINUTES CONFIRMED BY:		
RESOLUTION NUMBER:	03.04/22	
DATE:	26-4-22	
DEPUTY MAYOR:	Bob Crouch A Crouch	