Minutes Special Council Meeting

Monday, 24th February 2025



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The meeting commenced at 6:07pm in the Council Chamber, 1230 Nepean Highway, Cheltenham.

Present: Cr Georgina Oxley (Mayor)

Cr Chris Howe (Deputy Mayor)

Cr Jane Agirtan

Cr Kirralee Ashworth-Collett Cr Tony Athanasopoulos Cr Georgia Erevnidis

Cr Chris Hill

Cr Tess Law (attended online)

Cr Sarah O'Donnell Cr Hadi Saab Cr Caroline White

In Attendance: Peter Bean, Chief Executive Officer

Jonathan Guttmann, General Manager Planning and Place Dan Hogan, General Manager Customer and Corporate Support Samantha Krull, General Manager Infrastructure and Open Space Kate Waters, Acting General Manager Community Strengthening

Bernard Rohan, Chief Financial Officer

Sharon Lozsan, Team Leader Council Governance

Jessica Baguley, Governance Officer Gabrielle Pattenden, Governance Officer

Michelle Devanny, Program Leader, Strategic Communications

and Engagement

Justin Welsford, Media and Communications Advisor

1. Apologies

There were no apologies submitted to the meeting.

2. Foreshadowed Declaration by Councillors, Officers or Contractors of any Conflict of Interest

There were no Conflicts of Interest submitted to the meeting.

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3. Customer and Corporate Support Reports

3.1 Talking Kingston 2025/26 Budget Submissions

It is recorded that the following people addressed Council in relation to their submissions:

- Jack Noonan, Cheltenham Community Centre
- Tricia Deasy
- · Greg Woods, Parkdale Bowls Club
- Rachael Roach, Parkrun
- Kyle Malligan, Highmoor Tennis Club
- Bill McTigue
- Leigh Gridley, Dingley Village Community Association
- Alison Doyle, Chelsea Football Club
- Adrian D'Ambra
- Matt Lloyd
- · Moya Mathias
- Tanya Garach
- Deb Ghuliani, Bentleigh Greens Soccer Club

Cr Law arrived at 6.13pm.

Cr Hill left the meeting at 6:53pm.

Cr Hill returned to the meeting at 6:56pm.

Cr Athanasopoulos left the meeting at 7:02pm.

Cr Athanasopoulos returned to the meeting at 7:08pm.

Cr Agirtan left the meeting at 7:09pm and did not return.

Moved: Cr Hill Seconded: Cr Saab

That Council receive the community submissions considered as part of the community engagement process on the Draft Budget 2025/26.

CARRIED

FOR: Crs Ashworth-Collett, Athanasopoulos, Erevnidis, Hill, Howe, Law,

Oxley, O'Donnell, Saab and White (10)

AGAINST: Nil (0)

4. Confidential Items

Nil

The meeting closed at 7.10pm.